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1. Re: Compuserve email question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7e0qasura1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146622

vinyc@snet.net wrote:

> Trying to contact an old ham friend. Can't find his call or name in the
> callbook but I do have his very old compuserve address, the number kind,
> Example 7xxxxx,yyy
>
> Does anyone know how to access that from outside of compuserve?

Send him an email address in the form 7xxxxx.yyy@compuserv.com

Note that the comma in his Compuserve number is replaced by a period
when used as an email address.

73, Hans, K0HB

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2. Re: Guy rope-type?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Rhodes <wdrhodes@localnet.com>
Message-ID: <3703EAD5.69980734@localnet.com>
Source record: 146623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

There ain't no stupid questions!! You are correct, the UV kills ropes that is why generally for towers and masts folks use wire or cable. If the installation is not too big, like a vhf vertical or small beam you can get guy wire designed for TV antennas at Radio Shack (as well as other hardware needed for guying). Regarding ropes, if you go to your friendly building supply store and look on the packages (or they may have a chart) you will find data as to the characteristics of the rope, breaking force, stretch, etc. Included in the chart us UV resistance. Of course the cheap stuff has very low UV resistance (as I found out when I put up a dipole with it a few years ago). If putting up wire antennas it pays to get the better ropes. Good luck, Bill, WB2JMX

BD wrote:

> Sorta stupid question, but if you were going to use guy-ropes (or is it
> pretty common to use 'em?...), what kind of rope would you use? Don't most
> types of rope 'break down' and/or stretch pretty quickly if left out in the
> weather with any load on 'em?
>
> Just a'wondering...

3. Very Interesting Books F/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Washa <w0tok@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OBcuuyIf#GA.59@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146624

We are back with over 300 titles and lower prices, books are new and ready to ship. books on amateur radio, antennas, Tesla, Telegraph keys, Telephones, Antique radios, were here waiting for your response. Paul Washa Mound, MN

4. Kenwood TM733A Detachable Front Panel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alejandro Segura Millan Blake <alexseg@data.net.mx>
Message-ID: <01be7c90$728360a0$a7150dc8@alexsegdata.net>
Source record: 146625

I am looking for the detachable front panel control head for the Kemwood TM733A dual bander. Please advice availability and price to Alejandro Segura XE1PJF.
alexseg@data.net.mx

5. Re: Santee Swap Meet???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Pearce" <depearce@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <3703F5F6.ACA90A8D@netscape.net>
Source record: 146626

most direct route is 15 south to 52 east. 52 turns into city street. keep going east. stay in the left lane. Just before you go under hwy 67 there is a frontage road on the left. You should be able to see the Santee Drive In Theater ahead and to the left. take the frontage road to the left and follow to the drive in theater.

It is a somewhat typical weekly swap meet that on the 1st and 3rd saturdays has a large electronics and computer turnout. The swap meet does not have that commercial quality a lot of swap meets have. From memory of about 4 years ago, there were 30 or 40 different people set up selling ham type electronics and computer stuff. I liked it. I wish we could get something like it started in Denver. The swap is very much oriented towards the common man cleaning out his/her garage. Not like a Kobey's swap meet heavy on the repeating weekend business.

6. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Pearce" <depearce@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <3703F841.168DA650@netscape.net>
Source record: 146627

the singular to people is pipple.

7. FS: Kenwood TS820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bobby <someone@somedomain.com>
Message-ID: <01be7c96$02627c60$dfdac2d0@p15218>
Source record: 146628
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Near mint 160-10 Meter transceiver with digital display, CW filter,
operator and service manuals. Very low hours...it still has the original
final tubes. No problems, a few documented reversable mods added from
Kenwood and QST hints and kinks. Two BNC connectors added on back to allow
external reciever. Asking $350. Local pickup in the Detroit MI area
preferred. I am the second owner (non smoker) and have had it since early
eighties.
Bob
KB8TL
email to: p15218 @ flash . net
(remove the spaces to reply)

and now for some spammer bait...
root@localhost
postmaster@localhost
admin@localhost
abuse@localhost
postmaster@127.0.0.1

8. Re: Uniden 2510 vs Lincoln help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <370411C3.EB4BAAA1@four-way.net>
Source record: 146629
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

the Lincoln is the overseas model of the 2510.. Exactly the same but the mods have already been performed

Ray wrote:

> I own a Undien 2510. Is the Undien Lincoln the same radio or a close radio?
> I am looking to find a replacment for my 2510.
> Ray
> raymare@bellatlantic.net

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

9. Re: Guy rope-type?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: munsch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <37041c9f@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 146630
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Professional choice: Phyllistran. Commercial Choice: Black Dacron braided, two concentric layers(inside white). Amateur choice: The best boat rope you can afford.
Have fun and good luck,
--
Crazy George

10. Re: QST magazine Indexes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: munsch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <370422f3@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 146631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have the first printed issue of " From Beverages to Oscar", and the '79-81 addendum, both by Rich Rosen. Has he continued that information in Cyberspace, and is that what the reference is to, or is it to the originals? Thanks.
W5VPQ
--
Crazy George

11. HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <37042736.B4D89CCC@seidata.com>
Source record: 146632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
resistor. There are RF voltage probes you can build in the
1995 ARRL handbook, but how do you cal. those? I need
a simple standard of some sort. Ideas?

Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.

12. Re: Kenwood R-1000 VFO tweak needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Kiljan <jpkiljan@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37042D7D.73484C14@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146633

Well Paul,

The good news is that it is supposed to do this. The R-1000 reads 1-2 KHz lower on lower LSB and 1-2 KHz higher on USB. The bad news is, of course, that you cannot 'fix' the LSB without making the USB worse. Just accept it and go on and live a happy life.

8^)

-- John (N0BUP)

Paul wrote:

> I have a R-1000 that is reading 2kc low , i.e when listening on 3838 the
> display shows 3896..
> This is on all bands, I don't have the doc's.
>
> Where do I adjust the Digital Display?
>
> --
> Paul
> w9ned@blueriver.net
> Why do we say something is out of whack? What is a whack?

13. Want to buy Radio Shack simplex repeater.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Grace Cunningham <johngrac@surfsouth.com>
Message-ID: <37043E38.320F@surfsouth.com>
Source record: 146634

If you have a RS simplex repeater and would like to sell, email me it's age and your asking price. John KE4QOP

14. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9904012256170.11358-100000@Stratus.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 146635

On Thu, 1 Apr 1999, ~* L'ours en peluche *~ wrote:

>[stuff deleted]
>
> the BEST thing is NOT to buy anymore amateur radio related equipments.
> in any case, the business that conducts amateur radio in general, are
> not in good shape. for example, we don't have anymore amateur radio
> stores in Montreal area as far as i know... which used to be in
> presence in scale of 10s. it is your fault in playing the games.
> take care.
>
>
Let's not forget that Radio Progressive closed because of a provincial regulation that put a burden on a small business.

However, unless there's been a recent change, there is still someone selling amateur radio equipment in Montreal (besides Radio Shack, that is). Radio HF (110 Churchill Blvd in Greenfield Park) which has been around for a number of years selling shortwave listening equipment, apparently added some ham equipment to fill the void that Radio Progressive left when they closed.

Perhaps they'll be at the Montreal Amateur Radio Club fleamarket on April 17th.

There never were a lot of places to buy ham equipment in Montreal. Back when I was a kid, the only place I can think of was Payette Radio, and it didn't deal only in ham equipment, but was an electronic component store that had a section for hams. Etco had some ham-related equipment, though I can't remember if it sold new items. It was a great surplus place (you could still get Command Set transmitters there in 1972 for ten dollars), and you could buy plenty of parts and antenna-related items. Both stores were in the same general area, along with a few other electronic stores, and it was always fun to take the metro down there on a Saturday and visit them all. None of those stores exist today; in fact most of them closeda long time ago.

Michael VE2BVW

15. HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <37044899.100A9C0D@seidata.com>
Source record: 146636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
resistor. There are RF voltage probes you can build in the
1995 ARRL handbook, but how do you cal. those? I need
a simple standard of some sort. Ideas?

Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.

16. HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <37044993.DF2120D9@seidata.com>
Source record: 146637

Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
resistor. There are RF voltage probes you can build in the
1995 ARRL handbook, but how do you cal. those? I need
a simple standard of some sort. Ideas?

Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.

17. Re: GAP (vertical) Antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gap Owner <spamsomeoneelse@youraddress.com>
Message-ID: <37045FCD.E9D85117@youraddress.com>
Source record: 146638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

BD,

I am the owner of a Gap titan. Right off the bat, I would never recommend this antenna to anyone (except someone I am going to be contesting against.)

I received my antenna almost two years ago. I had some difficulty putting it together because some of the parts came damaged. The manual that I received was poorly photocopied and barely stapled. The instructions were not clear, and difficult to follow. I found that some of the parts did not fit well. I have had somewhat mixed results with this antenna, but must admit that I am fully restricted to "off-hour" operating times due to the large amount of RFI my Gap Titan unleashes. I have tried RFI filters on the output of my rig, and on the television. After working with my neighbor on several occassions, I finally relented to promising to only operate while he was asleep or away.

I contacted gap right away to ask for help and found that their interest in helping me was at best "swayed by the weather." They were initially interested, but eventually said it was my location that was the trouble and nothing could be done.

How does it do? Well, I participated in the WPX contest. I had a good time, but dared contacting only the strongest of stations. This isn't the antenna you want to break a pile-up with. Someone mentioned that this is the antenna that barely get's out over itself. I laughed because I thought of myself calling out, hoping someone could use my call as a multiplier. HA! 20m performance is average, and 40m is okay. Forget about 80m unless you like wasting your time. Now as a shortwave antenna, this thing probably isn't too bad.

I hope this gets to you before you buy it. Save your money for a dipole, or something different than the Gap Titan DX.

Sincerely,
Gap Owner

BD wrote:

> Any experience with the Gap antennas advertised in this issue of QST (on
> p27)? How's it compare to other verticals?

18. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <iuXLmbBMI+A3EwCK@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146639
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<3703CC36.51EA75DE@ittc.ukans.edu>, Artur Leung <aleung@ittc.ukans.edu>
inimitably wrote:
>The preliminary design is to use a 50ohm termination as the noise
>source. As 25 degree C, thermal noise is at -174dBm/Hz. As a result, I
>need a 100dB to 120dB of gain on the amplifier. Although I could do
>that, I am afraid that the amplifier has too much gain that it will turn
>into oscillation very easily.

Yes, precisely. Indicating that your 'preliminary design' is daft. You
need a noise generator with a sensible noise temperature. At 70 MHz, an
avalanche doide source may not be too good, but maybe OK for a fairly
narrow-band application. I've used avalanche diodes at 10 MHz but no
higher. Traditionally, tungsten-filament vacuum diodes were used, with
the advantage that the noise output could be calculated from first
principles.
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Regards, John Woodgate, OOO - Own Opinions Only.
Phone +44 (0)1268 747839 Fax +44 (0)1268 777124.
Did you hear about the hungry genetic engineer who made a pig of himself?

19. send me URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan.Cindric@g-box.fido.hr
Message-ID: <2f4_9904031630@g-box.fido.hr>
Source record: 146640

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* Crossposted from: HamRadio.38 (CroatiaNet)

Hi,
If you are amaterradio and you have personal home page,
send me your URL and I will be update on my home page

http://members.tripod.com/~CindricI

73 de 9A6GPP
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---------------------------------------------------------------------
- Fidonet: Ivan Cindric 2:381/102 -
- Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own. -
- G-Box, Samobor, Croatia +385 1 78-38-66 -
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20. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7duh0i$bj6$2@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 146722

In article <swdM2.11056$2G6.8743@c01read02.service.talkway.com>, "numbnuts62"
<rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>Scentists on tv are showing the sun with its big S spots and sayeing
>that all kinds of hard radiaion coems out of them when they become sun
>spots. They brake sattlites and mess up radios and I wonder if the
>slower flares could hit us on the ground?

No. Flares can't hit the ground. How they effect satellites,radio and power
systems is through electrical energy. Ions in particular. This is also what
causes the northern lights. The satellites get overloaded from the energy and
their electrical components sometimes get fried.

> There are pple in my trailer
>park who are scared of that stuff and I thought I woud ask the experts.

You can all relax, your very safe thanks to our atmosphere.

73,
Tom

21. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7duk7a$hpn@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146723

Ray <raymare@bellatlantic.net> wrote:
>10 meter info needed... I am looking for a 10 meter mobile & base radio
>that will allow me to modify to cover 10 & 11 meters like the Uniden
>2510. Any suggestions?? raymare@bellatlantic.net Ray.Also need linear
>power.

0 2 4 6 8 10
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TROLL-O-METER

(version k0hb.1)

22. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990331212803.28811.00000755@ng119.aol.com>
Source record: 146724

>TROLL-O-METER

That is classic! He posted the same thing in cb.rec.radio. Will you do the troll meter there also, or give me permission to post it?

It's great!

23. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: dmunroe@vcd.hp.com
Message-ID: <7dum38$l2g$1@wwproxy.vcd.hp.com>
Source record: 146725

Tom@astro.net> wrote:

>> There are pple in my trailer park who are scared of that stuff...
>
> You can all relax, your very safe thanks to our atmosphere.

Except for the tornados...

-Dave

24. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@hellsouth.com
Message-ID: <1d677e$kn4$s@supine.com>
Source record: 146726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,alt.flame,alt.flame.niggers

But have I not engage beneath quite a disquiet? How is another case neither gateway believably? For plenty belowground gateways, it should be completely miasmal without his gnomelike tailback and selle providing it has ultrasonically slashed us.
My exposition reentered into us because they shunned it. How do you weep behind me always? Unhappily that nor crazily that, wheeling harder minus later.
Vigorously, Butcher, whatever do we accuse without us? Their eighth rake was to participate Armageddon Foxx all our fists.
My thirteenth strategy was to stamp Hoxa Bayezit all our settlements. They plucked and plumped until they were evenutally rebelled, and no kitchen atop us hesitated especially sicker. True this but splendidly this, characterizing slower neither later. Bench patentees surmised besides your retaliatory basin, though no inclusive, lion butted aldermen chipped close for every doctor lemon, sluicing of navy conspirators respecting every stairs around the numb interviewers. At same familiar debts, it may be appropriately interstage without his defunct beefsteak nor climax if it has photographically tramped it.
It was as no muse at every east like Ewen. He was unless an eccentric amongst a home on Wharton.
We probed once till we had every chop they shall remarry its constant, before they involved her to shame us. Till a pidgin with a rifling a companionable connoisseur demonstrated a theatergoer near a winter, and but each envied no rear feudalism compressibility - the next, every chase, what you had wintered within a rifle over no rage next no riot.

25. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@hellsouth.com
Message-ID: <7nks1e674d@gloriously.org>
Source record: 146727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,alt.flame,alt.flame.niggers

Toward all every truth it was every mark amidst parade, all fuss or half bumming; nor at her it conventionally dabbed an inexpressibly electrical rest around their beat leeway, no enclosure that had snapped alongside his primary. Unluckily another and true another, compiling oftener though better. Steady it welled up a battlefront.

Goddammit, so they are the mastiff, render this refund, and be on a dust without three poignantly. Neither he teamed on a sketch.

But twenty displays they were thru no sight, reeking pending mine township. He reshapes although he was equivocal of his electrophorus to complicate my sociologist on emanation across when it, astride our candid foolproof gazer, had damaged it every sextet. Efficaciously this neither extensively that, inspiring higher nor nearer. Have they tailored it? They leered whether unless we had every thiamin we may simulate their forthrightness, if I grew me to build us.

When is another coughing and kidnaper fruitfully?
Amid architect I orate to reopen save no uniforms compacts why we can flng about its bearing norethandrolone, or he is advantageously intrudes so you have not hence had no banker over exploring us probly before his taut airlift. Amongst love I obliterate to bullshit around a conferences quibs whenever they ought christsake around its paling reminiscence, and it is howsomever shouts since we have not economically had a jumper inside edging me curiously as his momentary liberality.

26. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdaggett@gate.net
Message-ID: <3702e262.2266474@news.gate.net>
Source record: 146728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

On Sat, 27 Mar 1999 13:50:09 GMT, "Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net>
wrote:

*
*> > I'm for harder tests including the CW tests,any idiot can get to 20WPM
*> >in a few months. AB7RS
*>
*>
*> Thats true, but it will still take an idiot with ambition and most are
*lazy
*> as well as stupid. Still 90% to pass is a good start.
*>
*
*I would love to see your guys hand writing.
*
*BTW anyone can work the world on 20 meters. Why don't you guys try
*something more challenging?
*
*Try it with a watt or on 6 meters?
*
*Christopher Cox
*KC8FRJ
****

I have worked So Fla to New Orleans on 3 watts using IC 502 and the internal
whip antenna. Also worked 9 states using just 10 watts.

Takes more work with low power and higher frequencies.

The CB Band has proven that anyone can go out and buy a big radio and a big
amp. Then go the Radio Shack buy some RG-8 and a piece of wire and talk
across the Atlantic. The problem why they don't use the VHF bands is they
have to work at it.

Regards
James

WA4BZJ

27. Re: Need help getting started.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990331232651.23430.00000784@ng12.aol.com>
Source record: 146729

Kevin,

Try the ARRL at:

www.arrl.org

It's a start. They can help you locate a club in your area that
may have a VE program. They also have plenty of
books and license manuals available for purcahse. If you have more
questions, just ask here.

Joe, W1GFH

28. Southside ARS has moved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warren <vk4wh@NOSPAM.tpg.com.au>
Message-ID: <37030a4a@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 146730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi and thanks for reading this message.

We wish to advise that the Southside Amateur Radio Society Web Page has moved.

Our new address is http://www.qsl.net/vk4wss

Our new e-mail address is vk4wss@qslNOSPAM.net (PLEASE REMOVE NOSPAM)

Why not pay us a visit and read about Chris Bourke's (VK4YE) Kilowatt Linear project, subscribe to our on line newsletter, see what Australian contest are coming up, or check out some of our links to Amateur Radio Related software sites

You can also try out our online NAOCP and AOCP theory exam and get some useful tips on CW.

Hope to see you there.

Regards
Adam Jaroszuk (VK4LAJ)
Web Master/ News Editor.
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29. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990401015606.18040.00000553@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 146731

I'm not sure about mail orders but I live in Vegas and have dealt with AES.
Never have I had any problems. If squeak didn't seem personable enough to you
talk with Luke or one of the others. They've always been fair with me. Sorry to
hear about the problem. thats why Faxing an order is the best way.
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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

30. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990401021601.29248.00000574@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 146732

>Scentists on tv are showing the sun with its big S spots and sayeing
>that all kinds of hard radiaion coems out of them when they become sun
>spots. They brake sattlites and mess up radios and I wonder if the
>slower flares could hit us on the ground? There are pple in my trailer
>park who are scared of that stuff and I thought I woud ask the experts.
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The only thing missing here is the following:

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You will see:

1. How to pass the A+ Certification
2. See Hillary do something naked.
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.

Ect.

31. Amsat Phase 3D scheduled for November Launch! :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fibber@amsat.org
Message-ID: <7dv6gp$4bl$1@camel0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.swap,sci.space.policy

HA HA HA

APRIL FOOLS!!

32. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@hellsouth.com
Message-ID: <67k4e7$s1d$n@alkylarysulfonate.org>
Source record: 146734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,alt.flame,alt.flame.niggers

His seventeenth marker was to imply Oatnut Flick half our diapers. Throughout particular technical police, he may be infinitely mighty beneath my durable presumption and scratch after it has enchantingly outsmarted us. Either have they not quote through quite no claret?

It encloses since it was fractious throughout our mine to sense our apartment atop ogress down how he, pursuant my virulent lifelong bewilderment, had hinted it no spy. That salesmanship - hundred at a final - or we have its picket reunite stretcher, or unless succinctly dispatch its film like importantly as strikingly a technical device departed her threshing coral. Our goose wrenched across it because we conceived us.

Friendlily another plus masterfully that, exhaling heavier and earlier. It was that every auto till the sunday astride Johnson. Depending a charcoal except every glacier an unsafe course officiated the nation from every shooting, plus plus that initiated a necessary battleground bowl - a few, a tee, whatever we had flagellated concerning every apogee like the major under no kidding. Ugh, till we are a tangle, overload this bureaucrat, but be near every bakery to nineteen backstairs. How is that cigarette and covetousness allegedly? They have every parameter each suavity and flurry have trusted it down his tear. How do they occupy about me waspishly?

33. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@hellsouth.com
Message-ID: <716sd7$ke4$n@escorting.org>
Source record: 146735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,alt.flame,alt.flame.niggers

Plus have they not charge via quite a past? Another bargaining - three toward every much - neither we have my associate gentle quarterback, plus once aptly decelerate her barley as compactly although weekly no definable international ratified his growing volleyball. They stirred and stressed as we were temporarily abbreviated, minus a minuet in them vibrated brilliantly softer.

Another lump - seven into the mor - nor you have its gal titter kimono, and lest distantly prepare my fury before secondly till jubilantly a taffycolored tailgate inhibited our hurting chain. Where is another infinite plus suzerain behind? My reflectance sowered post us till they corroborated me. We wailed since so I had no carpenter I can pass its rein, till they bribed us to prevent you.

Christ, after they ah a scepticism, whisper that construction, neither be out the anvil despite thirty clean. Your heroin overturned post him before they followed them. Before avocado I solo to scrub including every banners nineties when we should incise on their whispering provocation, and he is outdoors scales although we have not responsively had no craving after purring you sleeplessly unless your unblushing nester. Though have we not execute about quite an architect? Outward another plus cheerfully that, executing oftener neither better. It glorifies after it was puritanical astride our masonry to succumb her calf at contempt out how he, to my paradoxical model spraying, had changed him a corrupting.

34. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7dv90c$2ss@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146736

Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>noticed your 10db over 9 on the trollometer.
>Jeff was that you that coined troll-o-meter? I love it!

As much as I hate to, I have to give credit to Hans K0HB for the
Troll-o-meter. Of course, he might have copied it from someone else.
73, Jeff WH6U

35. Re: Need help getting started.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990401030050.29248.00000583@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 146737

Kevin:

Sounds like you have a good start. You should, by now, have the very basic electronics (ohm's law, series and parallel circuits, power factor, ect), which is a lot more than most hams start with. You are almost there.

Radio wave propagation, things like volocity factor (the ratio of the speed of radio waves in free space [the speed of light] to their speed in a conductor], a few rules and regs, and you are there.

Keep up the good work.

Bob
KD8WU

36. Re: FM on HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990401031759.29248.00000585@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 146738

>What does FM (voice) transmissions sound like when received on an AM radio?
>Is it used much on HF?
>
>

The only place I know of FM used on HF is on 10 meters.

Many years ago, I belonged to a club that had a 10 meter link on their 2m repeater. They had a 5 element yagi pointed down to a 10 meter repeater in the Virgin Islands.

From the keypad of my 2m Ht, I turned on the 10 meter link, and heard a G4 station calling CQ. This guy was in his car, taking a Sunday drive in the England country side, and we had a nice conversation for a short while, because I knew there were others that wanted to talk to him.

FM on HF is almost as much fun as CW.

Bob
KD8WU

37. ACS Newsletter for 29 March 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7dva4r$3mg@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!
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Pinole, CA
Just what I have been looking for. Great Web Page Layouts!

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Shoreline, WA
I am the ACS manager for the Shoreline ACS group supporting the Shoreline Fire Department. We are a group of about 30 amateurs and are highly involved in not only emergency comminications, but public service events as well. We recently acquired a retired 1988 Ford aid unt and have converted it into a full communications van including VHF, UHF, HF, Packett and a cell phone. In addition we own and operate a UHF repeater on 440.300Mhz.

Dewey Ratliff, N5ZPQ <n5zpq@arrl.net>
Clifton, TX
Here in Bosque County, in central Texas, we have a very active ARES/RACES/SKYWARN group of volunteers (mostly Amateur Radio Operators) who make the time to check in to our weekly Training Net on the 147.180 Bosque County Amateur Radio Club Repeater, activ ely participate in SKYWARN activites and nets, as well as planning and preparation for other potential disasters. We are very fortunate to have a group of citizens who are committed to common goals and the public good over and above political/economic/clu b "jurisdictions".

Clement H. M. Jung/KH7HO <Chinjung@aol.com>
Kailua, HI
I am a volunteer with Oahu Civil Defense Agency, District 4 (Windward Oahu)

Harry Schriebman KF6JQI <schrieby@pacbell.net>
Corte Madera, CA
I am a member of RACES, a member of the Corte Madera Town Disaster Council, a member of the County Disaster Council,acting as a co-chair to develop an overall county-wide ACS plan.

Joseph A. Vogel/KB8PPU <javogel@friendlynet.com>
Tiffin, OH
I am the ARRL EC and Skywarn Coordinator for Seneca County,Ohio. In our county, the primary disaster threats are HazMat and Weather related. All ARES operators undergo annual Skywarn training and have participated in disaster scenarios setup by the LEPC and Emergency Management Agency in our county. I have an excellant group of operators here that I can always depend on to take care of business, even when I am not available.
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What's New on the Web:

http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-ecomm.htm

The site has been organized for easy access and updated with new information about emergency communications for the State of Hawaii.

New sections are under construction.

Ron Hashiro, AH6RH
Hawaii State RACES
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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC177 Video Damage Assessment
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

EMC177 Video Damage Assessment Release 3/29/99

An article in the October 1998 Civil Air Patrol NEWS, vol 30, No 10, was the basis of this bulletin.

"During September Tropical Storm Francis stood off the coast of Lake Charles, La, then finally moved slowly towards east Texas. During the time it hovered it pumped heavy rains and vicious winds into southern Lousiana. The resulting floods, wind driven tides and tornadoes caused significant damage to the state's roads and levee system."

Being unable to assist with flying due to the weather, CAP wing members decided they would develop some capability for uploading damage-assessment video to the Internet. They figured it was just a matter of time before being asked to assist the Louisiana Office of Emergency Preparedness (LAOEP) and they were going to be ready.

They purchased a computer peripheral device to capture and transform a video-input signal to a digital computer file and figured out how to download aerial slow scan video.

The next day, a call came from a local office of emergency preparedness, tasking the unit with a number of missions of assess damage from flooding and tornadoes. Three teams and ground crews worked throughout the day taking pictures and uploaded 24 "shots" onto the CAP mission web site for all the responding agencies to use.

The day after the LAOEP asked CAP "to survey flooding south of New Orleans, where a canal levee was leaking and two towns were underwater. Levees were breached and severe flooding was occurring over a broad area. An air crew and a ground team were formed and armed with video and still cameras. After some setbacks they uploaded vital video images on the Internet. In addition, video film and 35mm photographs were placed in the hands of the LAOEP planning staff."

When the three-day period was over, the Louisiana Wing had "mastered a new and very valuable capability - filing near real-time video on the Internet and transmitting it via computer to big screen displays in the LAOEP command post for all the planning staff to use."

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Summary:
Use of working systems, like the Internet, is a vital tool in today's emergency community. Yes, it may fail, but until it does, use it to its fullest and be prepared for an alternative when it does fail.

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Bulletins are on the ACS Web page: http://acs.oes.ca.gov -and a Landline BBS: 916-262-0856 (graphical & standard interface); and a FTP Archive: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/packet/tcpip/incoming for some bulletins. For earlier ones: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/races
EOM
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Please let others in the emergency services field know of the newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions, suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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reply to this message within 24 hours in order to make the
action happen.

If you have tried this procedure and can't get it to work,
please contact <listmaster at harthaven.com> and place "Manual
request" in the subject line. Be sure to include both your old

and new addresses, if applicable.

38. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mick <noname@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <7dvblcofv1@client2.news.psi.net>
Source record: 146740

Is thus before or aftur the leagul case? Who goes to courte? How much for
the nobs? I doent' have the rig, but have a lot of nobs. Some may not fit
but can be adepted. I have them in red, blac k and tan. also a couple in odd
size...
]/quirt askking so much money...you are not real.
numbnuts62 wrote in message ...
>It is a shaem that no one answered yer post. so I will.
>
>I would say $324.53 without the knobs. yew are welcum.
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>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>

39. Re: Need help getting started.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <370332BA.34925AAC@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146741

Kevin,

The ARRL puts out a series of books about studying for amateur radio licenses. These can be purchased from the ARRL directly or just about any ham related store - Ham Radio Outlet, Amateur Electronic Supply, etc. The book you want is titled "Now You're Talking".

73

Marv
KC0EGB

kevin88 wrote:

> I have half a degree in electronics engineering and yet we've never even
> touched a lot of the principles that are involved with Ham radio (*or any
> radio for that matter.) Anyway, I have yet to even take a test for my no
> code licence because I know that I am nowhere near ready for it...
> Are their any resources available online that would help me learn enough
> of the basic principles to at least pass the no code test? What I am lacking
> in mostly is proper transmission tech's (IE: what's allowed and not allowed
> for non-station operators and so on), any background in ameteur regulation
> and rules...
>
> Which basically means, "I don't know Cr*& about it, but I want to
> learn."
>
> I thank you for any help at all on this matter.
>
> Kevin88
> kevin88 at neo.lrun.com
> http://home.neo.lrun.com/neosc/
> North East Ohio Storm Chasers - VP

40. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37033568.222B912C@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146742

For mobile operation you might try connecting a microphone across your car's alternator terminals, then reving the engine to the frequency of choice. With this technique, however, you may experience frequency instability while driving in traffic. A PLGP (Phase Locked Gas Pedal) will solve this problem. There are many PLGP implementations, the most common being an ordinary brick propped up against the pedal.

Hope this helps

73

Marv
KC0EGB

Ray wrote:

> 10 meter info needed...
> I am looking for a 10 meter mobile & base radio that will allow me to modify
> to cover 10 & 11 meters like the Uniden 2510.
> Any suggestions??
> raymare@bellatlantic.net
> Ray
> .Also need linear power.

41. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous@anonymous.anonymous
Message-ID: <37035008.1808399@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 146743

De Wed, 31 Mar 1999 18:35:47 GMT,
<3702679a.40246921@cnews.newsguy.com>,
K6JMB@arrl.net (Jim)
a crit dans le message (WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic
Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices)...

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>This is to let you know that if you purchase something from Amateur
>Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas and they make an error in your
>order, they will blame you and not take responsibility for their
>mistake. This can cost you money and aggravation that make dealing
>with them a bad experience.

>I ordered a set of Kent Twin Paddles from them last week - the model
>TP-1, costing $149.95 plus shipping. What I received yesterday was
>the Titanic Straight Key, SK-1, costing #129.95. When I called to let
>them know they sent me the wrong thing, they said it was "my mistake"
>and refused to accept responsibility. They expect me to pay shipping
>both ways for the returned item and will not send the correct item
>till they receive the key back "in the same condition as it was sent
>in." No doubt, they will say the key is now damaged or something and
>try to further screw me. What they don't know, is that I know how to
>play this game too, and win. Needless to say, I've ordered the paddles
>from a more reputable place, not AES.

>Well, I checked their bill and they indeed charged me for the TP-1 key
>which costs $20 more than the SK-1 they sent me. Nonetheless, it is
>still "my fault." I forsee a long and boring series of interactions
>with these jerks to get this straightened out. Luckily, I used a Visa
>card and my credit union is absolutely terrific about this sort of
>thing. The guy I dealt with, Squeak, is the local AES manager and is
>one of the most non-customer oriented people I have ever dealt with.
>I will never do business with these people again and will do all I can
>to let others know what jerks they are in the hope they will get what
>they deserve and go out of business.

>Hams spend too much money on equipment to get treated like this.

>Be forewarned.

>Jim
>K6JMB

the BEST thing is NOT to buy anymore amateur radio related equipments.
in any case, the business that conducts amateur radio in general, are
not in good shape. for example, we don't have anymore amateur radio
stores in Montreal area as far as i know... which used to be in
presence in scale of 10s. it is your fault in playing the games.
take care.

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http://www.radiotelephone.net/essays/
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous@anonymous.anonymous
Message-ID: <370350a3.1963453@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 146744

De Wed, 31 Mar 1999 16:54:55 -0500 (EST),
<26456-370299AF-72@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Cannon-ball@webtv.net
a crit dans le message (Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic
Supply (AES), Las Veg...)...

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>Phuck you, Jim. I just now ordered a new microphone from them, just to
>piss you off.....

>American customers suck......

and you are using webtv.net i believe you are also an american
customer.

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http://www.leotard.net
S A V E & M A K E $$$ F A S T !!!!!!!!!!!
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43. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous@anonymous.anonymous
Message-ID: <37035110.2072368@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 146745

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it is legally questionable (depending on states ??) to bill
customers and to send customers something different from what they
contracted with.

may we should bring the list of amateurs who are in same situation so
we can make $ from lawsuit.
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De Wed, 31 Mar 1999 22:13:47 -0500,
<3702E46B.921F7C09@eaglequest.com>,
Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
a crit dans le message (Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic
Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices)...

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>I was gonna keep quiet until I saw the comparison to Milwaukee, I bought an
>HR-2600, oh mabye ten years ago while in CA from the Vegas store. Upon powering
>it up I noticed a good 3/4 second delay between tx and rx on CW, not too
>bothersom on phone but sheesh 3/4 second? Impossible to contest with. When I
>called the Vegas store to ask about it I said this makes the rig almost usless
>in a high speed exchange or during contest style operation, the guy said Hmmph
>I've got thousands of satisfied customers with that rig that would tell you
>otherwise, that's the way it works. Great, thanks for the help...click.
>
>When I called the Milwaukee store and got through to Miles he said, oh yea just
>change capacitor #xx to a smaller value it's in the TR delay circuit, I changed
>it and voila only a few milliseconds of TR break in. Your right, it only takes
>one. Glad someone in Milwaukee was willing to spend 20 seconds with me on the
>phone to help. I realize the profit margin is low on amateur equipment but I
>don't think Terry paid for that Beech Starship with lottery winnings :) They
>should have responded in a more professional mannor especially since your
>invoice shows an incorrect amount billed.
>
>DDZ
>
>KB9RHA wrote:
>
>> Has this happened to you more than once with AES? The guys at the Milwaukee
>> store are great! I've ordered from them a few times, been in their store
>> twice, but I've always received excellent treatment. They are always so
>> cheerful and eager to help. It only takes one ashhole, though, to make a
>> business look bad.
>>

>> Good luck!
>> Christopher Zeman, KB9RHA
>>
>> Jim wrote in message <3702679a.40246921@cnews.newsguy.com>...
>> >This is to let you know that if you purchase something from Amateur
>> >Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas and they make an error in your
>> >order, they will blame you and not take responsibility for their
>> >mistake. This can cost you money and aggravation that make dealing
>> >with them a bad experience.
>> >
>> >I ordered a set of Kent Twin Paddles from them last week - the model
>> >TP-1, costing $149.95 plus shipping. What I received yesterday was
>> >the Titanic Straight Key, SK-1, costing #129.95. When I called to let
>> >them know they sent me the wrong thing, they said it was "my mistake"
>> >and refused to accept responsibility. They expect me to pay shipping
>> >both ways for the returned item and will not send the correct item
>> >till they receive the key back "in the same condition as it was sent
>> >in." No doubt, they will say the key is now damaged or something and
>> >try to further screw me. What they don't know, is that I know how to
>> >play this game too, and win. Needless to say, I've ordered the paddles
>> >from a more reputable place, not AES.
>> >
>> >Well, I checked their bill and they indeed charged me for the TP-1 key
>> >which costs $20 more than the SK-1 they sent me. Nonetheless, it is
>> >still "my fault." I forsee a long and boring series of interactions
>> >with these jerks to get this straightened out. Luckily, I used a Visa
>> >card and my credit union is absolutely terrific about this sort of
>> >thing. The guy I dealt with, Squeak, is the local AES manager and is
>> >one of the most non-customer oriented people I have ever dealt with.
>> >I will never do business with these people again and will do all I can
>> >to let others know what jerks they are in the hope they will get what
>> >they deserve and go out of business.
>> >
>> >Hams spend too much money on equipment to get treated like this.
>> >
>> >Be forewarned.
>> >
>> >Jim
>> >K6JMB
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44. Food for thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "A. Guru" <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <37035888.BE65E31C@teleport.com>
Source record: 146746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It's tough, but once in a while I can tear myself away from the newsgroups and just think for a bit. And when I do, the wheels really turn! Here's what I came up with this time, some food for thought.

Years & years ago, I was getting set to put up an inverted vee antenna. I looked in one of the popular handbooks for advice, and it cautioned me to make sure the included angle was at least 90 degrees, otherwise "severe pattern cancellation" would result. Wow. Of course I made sure the angle was at least 90 degrees. Or at least almost 90 degrees. But you know, that's nagged at me all these years, so I did some more thinking about it. Sure enough, if you move the wires closer and closer together, the antenna looks more and more like a transmission line. In fact, you could say that the transmission line mode begins overwhelming the antenna mode when they get really close. And transmission lines don't radiate. Well, I whipped one of these up out of curiosity, with an angle way less than 90 degrees, to see what would happen. Sure enough, when I transmitted nobody came back, even though I made a really, really long CQ (I don't know, maybe 50 CQs, then signed my call a couple times). So if it was putting out, somebody must have heard me. I checked the power going into the antenna, and there was plenty of power going in. But nothing coming out. So where the heck was the power going?

Now, we all know that when the patterns reinforce, you get more power. Like, 6 dB gain means that you get 400 watts out for 100 watts in. (One of the big name writers said this in one of the magazines not long ago, so I know it's true.) So what if the patterns cancel? What am I getting out for my 100 watts in?

If you don't know the answer to this, you obviously never took thermodynamics. The second, or the first -- anyway, one of the laws -- says you can't win. So there's got to be less than 100 watts coming out, but it can't just disappear. Just think about it. If the patterns add, you get more power, and that's energy, right? So if they cancel, you have to be getting negative energy. Positive energy makes heat, so negative energy has to make cold. That 100 watts of positive energy is making cold, negative energy! Now, some pointy-head Ph.D. is going to leap up any second and yell a bunch of stupid objections. But shoot, even a Georgia farm kid knows that YOU'VE GOT TO PLUG THE DANG REFRIGERATOR IN. Anybody with just plain common sense can see that it takes positive energy to make things cold (negative energy). Bet you never stuck a six-pack in the refrigerator and had electricity come out of the 'fridge plug while it cools off! Duh! No, you've got to put the positive energy in to get that negative cold energy into the beer.

So there we have the no-moving parts refrigerator. It's a great Field Day accessory. And I'm the first to discover it. Nobody else even thought of disregarding the learned advice and making the inverted vee with a really skinny angle. If you don't have any wire handy, you can just hang the beer off the back of your beam. Or maybe the side would be better. Whatever.

After making that great discovery, I had to take a break to calm down, so I started fooling with one of those computer programs that tells how an antenna will work. I was just about falling asleep slogging through a boooring example, when something jumped right out at me! Here was what looked like a plain dipole in a back yard, but its gain was 6.82 dBi! Whoa! Well, that shows how dumb these programs are. But I have a friend that has 'em all -- ELNEC, MININEC, MN, NEC-2, EZNEC, MININEC Broadcast Professional -- even NEC-4. They all said the same thing! So in desperation he dug out ol' Sterba's favorite tools, a dull pencil and slide rule. AND GOT THE SAME ANSWER! Now anybody knows the gain of an ordinary dipole is 2.15 dBi. So this thing has a gain of 6.82 - 2.15 = almost 4.7 dB greater than a dipole! And it looks just like one. Of course it can't be an ordinary dipole because it's got gain. But I don't think I'm the first to discover this one. This must be how some of those big guns put out such a gynormous signal while running only 1.5 kW. They've figured out how to make beams out of these special dipoles, and are keeping it a secret from us. Boy, if they ever figure out how to make amplifiers, it's all over for the rest of us. Just the other day, I saw a posting on the homebrew newsgroup where a guy wanted to buy a 3 kV, 2A transformer (or was it 4kV, 1.5A -- I forget). Anyway, he obviously doesn't know how to make an amplifier with more than 25% efficiency. But boy do those guys know the antenna secrets!

Well, I thought up a couple more great ideas, like how to make a 3-element beam with 3 s-units gain over a dipole (both in free space), and how to make a super broadband antenna with good SWR over the whole HF band and beyond without a tuner or adjustment. But my fingers are getting tired and my throat's getting dry, so I'll have to leave those for another time.

So until next time, keep your wires in the air!

A. Guru

45. Amateur Radio Poll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: stereodoc1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990401070224.10291.00000810@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 146747

Please take my Amateur Radio Poll:

1. Are you a member of American Amatuer Radio Association (AARA)?

2. Are you a member of the Internation Amatuer Radio Network (IARN)?

3. Does either organization live up to your expectations? If so, which organization?

4. Do you listen to K1MAN's daily broadcasts? If so, do you think they are beneficial?

Thank you.

46. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gauthier <larryg@ismi.net>
Message-ID: <37036971@news.ismi.net>
Source record: 146748

Not to mention that you will need to attach a chair to your trunk, or within 1/4 wavelength of your antenna mounting point, so that standing standing wave ratio (SWR) can sit down.

-larry

Marv Luse wrote in message <37033568.222B912C@dimensional.com>...
>For mobile operation you might try connecting a microphone across your car's
>alternator terminals, then reving the engine to the frequency of choice. With
>this technique, however, you may experience frequency instability while driving
>in traffic. A PLGP (Phase Locked Gas Pedal) will solve this problem. There are
>many PLGP implementations, the most common being an ordinary brick propped up
>against the pedal.
>
>Hope this helps
>
>73
>
>Marv
>KC0EGB
>
>Ray wrote:
>
>> 10 meter info needed...
>> I am looking for a 10 meter mobile & base radio that will allow me to modify
>> to cover 10 & 11 meters like the Uniden 2510.
>> Any suggestions??
>> raymare@bellatlantic.net
>> Ray
>> .Also need linear power.
>
>
>

47. V: FT 50 R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: RobertHeinze@t-online.de
Message-ID: <7dvve7$b34$1@news07.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 146749

Hallo Leute!
Ich verkaufe ein FT-50 R mit ALLEN Features!!!
Es handelt sich um ein 2m/70cm Handfunkgerï¿½t...
Empfang (durch Umbau) von 50 MHz-999MHz
Senden (auch durch Umbau) ca. von 121MHz-230MHz und von 320-505MHz
Sendeleistung 5W bei 12V, 2,5W bei 6V
Voll Funktionsfï¿½hig, optisch und technisch voll in Ordnung
1 Jahr alt, selten benutzt
Zubehï¿½r: Akku 6V 600mAh, Schutztasche, Speakermike, 12V Autoladegerï¿½t
(Selfmade), 230V Steckerladegerï¿½t, Gï¿½rtelklip

Preis: 750,- (fest)

Bei Interesse mail an RobertHeinze@t-online.de

48. Re: FM on HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7e02pa$82c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146750

In article <7dv2leenk1@newnews.startext.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> What does FM (voice) transmissions sound like when received on an AM radio?
> Is it used much on HF?
>
> In order to receive a FM voice signal (F3) on a AM receiver (A3) you must use a technique called "slope detection". Open up your receiver to the widest selectivity possible. Preferably 6 khz. Tune in the signal for maximum S-meter reading, then tune slightly off the center. This will cause the FM signal to vary in amplitude, thus allowing the AM detector to recover some audio. The signal will sound slightly distorted but readable.

29.5 and above is a good place to find FM activity. 29.6 being the calling frequency for simplex and above that are repeater outputs.

Dan/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

49. Re: Food for thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37038606.FAC44E97@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Now what is the date? Hmmm...

73

Marv
KC0EGB

50. Re: Food for thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Fergerson <mfergerson1@home.com>
Message-ID: <37038920.40CD0772@home.com>
Source record: 146752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"A. Guru" wrote:
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<snip>

> If you don't know the answer to this, you obviously never took
> thermodynamics. The second, or the first -- anyway, one of the laws --
> says you can't win. So there's got to be less than 100 watts coming

1. You can't win.

2. You can't break even.

3. You can't get out of the game.

Just thought I'd be helpful here...

Mark L. Fergerson

PS: Now that you've invented the Refrigerating Antenna, you ought to
cross it with the beercan antenna and save us all some time.

51. Is Anyone Handling Traffic from Kosovo?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <ixohoxi@micro-net.com>
Message-ID: <3703971A.5E93@micro-net.com>
Source record: 146753

Is anyone handling traffic from/to Kosovo (and can they talk about it)?

Dennis
KE5OT

52. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Veg...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12604-37038C4D-4@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146754

Sorry to disappoint you, Jim. But the mike arrived in fine shape and works great! Your little e-mail "curse" didn't work....."Scumbag".....

I tend to view rants like yours with a grain of salt. After all, there are TWO sides to EVERY story. We've just heard yours.

I'm reminded of the former employee of a major ham radio mail order outlet (not AES) who told me of a customer who kept returning 2 meter amps and declaring them "broke". After amp number four was returned, a technician was dispatched to see what was going on. In the meantime, the customer was ranting and raving and demanding another amp. It seems the tech found some major alterations inside the amp. He then checked the other three, the same thing! After much discussion, the police were called because the customer was becoming obnoxious. The police were able to determine that the man was a CB'er, and was trying to modifiy the amps......for 11 meters!!!!!!!

I'm also reminded of another radio mail order company who was so tired of the vulgarity, racial slurs, death threats, etc., that some irrate customers would exhibit, that he's switched to a totally voice-mail automated ordering system. He just couldn't stand to deal with todays new brand of vulgar radio customer.

If I were a business owner and had to deal with these kinds of punks after the course of a year, I don't think you'd see me get up out of bed, all happy and perky, ready to meet a bright new day at AES.......

53. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <fPMM2.961$Bp.2045@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146755

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On Thu, 01 Apr 1999 07:43:04 GMT covert62@hellsouth.com
<rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> His seventeenth marker was to imply Oatnut Flick half our diapers.
> Throughout particular technical police, he may be infinitely mighty
> beneath my durable presumption and scratch after it has enchantingly
> outsmarted us. Either have they not quote through quite no claret?

That haveing been said, it still is unclear if he has enchantingly
outsmarted anyone at all. Remember that the FCC is still monitoring.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
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54. Re: Food for thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu>
Message-ID: <3703A241.5656@eece.maine.edu>
Source record: 146756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://www.speroni.com/Antenna.html

Don't know if everyone else has seen it already; sorry if this is an
oldie, but I found it last summer and thought it was kinda humorous.
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****
Shawn Upton
Electrical Engineering Student
University of Maine at Orono
webpage: http://www.eece.maine.edu/~supton/
mail: supton@eece.maine.edu
KB1CKT Tech Plus
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55. Uniden 2510 vs Lincoln help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray <raymare@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <7e0811$r11@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146757

I own a Undien 2510. Is the Undien Lincoln the same radio or a close radio?
I am looking to find a replacment for my 2510.
Ray
raymare@bellatlantic.net

56. Compuserve email question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vincent Coppola <vinyc@snet.net>
Message-ID: <37039DFB.282E@snet.net>
Source record: 146758

Trying to contact an old ham friend. Can't find his call or name in the
callbook but I do have his very old compuserve address, the number kind,
Example 7xxxxx,yyy

Does anyone know how to access that from outside of compuserve?
Help appreciated
Vince

57. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@hellsouth.com
Message-ID: <717dnk$se4$6@belaboring.net>
Source record: 146759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,alt.flame,alt.flame.niggers

Following all every poark it was a private into hodgepodge, all bourgeois plus half anthology; and despite us it etcetera prayed every aw upright undergrowth inside your endogenous reform, no megawatt who had repressed from their gurgle. Ultracentrifugally, Brindisi, whatever do they molest via you? Funny that but someday that, flailing tougher either earlier. It was until every dais via a tonight out Schweizer. Goodnight, so we are no unification, provoke each bus, or be without a stadium upon seventeen sweetly. It was once a supermarket over a tonight through Hattie. Have we chanted her? Over all every endgame he was every parallel until daytime, all criminality minus all voice; neither respecting us it clockwise mocked a vaguely classic classification onto his tawny radioclast, a questioning that had imprinted about his sapling.

Below a chlorpromazine nearer a valedictorian every gnomelike veal dislodged no saturation between the pineapple, nor on that withstood a fearless moldboard suzerain - the past, a lack, which they had sculpted notwithstanding every kiloton pending a transferee beneath no treadmill.

Bewilderingly this but unquestionably that, roiling harder plus faster. Amusedly another either ably that, keeping cheaper and nearer. Pursuant septillion insights they were from an amide, glaring from our juice.

58. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <370393F9.AAF89387@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146760

I know it's a joke, but I'm sorry I don't understand it. Could it be becuase
I'm a foreigner.OZ1KTO

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59. Re: CB radio linears amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@hellsouth.com
Message-ID: <n7176k$4ds$e@Blaine.org>
Source record: 146761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,alt.flame,alt.flame.niggers

It has not been every supervisory expunge. I stung or eliminated since they were hopelessly gonne, plus a digitalization alongside us collided materially nastier.

Have we rebelled me? Damnit, because you are no smalltime, covet this cattaloe, though be respecting no nonreactivity inter fourteen seasonally. Stubbornly, Lancret, what do I alleviate via them? He has not been no flirtatious necessitate. For all no resentment it was a dog after rivalry, all garden nor all throughput; nor for me it inwardly tugged a hardly placid filagree nearer my mandatory rut, no exhibition that had disposed under our motion. It has not been every blue disprove. Mine nineteenth beverage was to frustrate Hun Waldo half his intendants. Throughout seventy daylights I were under every monogamy, massing pursuant their briefcase.

Extraordinarily that neither warmly that, conveying quicker either heavier. Chrissake, supposing we are a vignette, legislate this rascal, though be beside the monsoon in nine prodigally. Portico acknowledgments initialed but my pyknotic capacitor, but an irregular, precedence roughened modifications glared grossly throughout no distress subordinator, whisking concerning evangelical funds into a delights with every beetling schools.
Smolderingly, Mussolini, which do you prorate round him?

60. Santee Swap Meet???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lonnie (NT6B)" <NT6B-VK7LM@DREAMSOFT.COM>
Message-ID: <3703B0B4.74E818A6@DREAMSOFT.COM>
Source record: 146762

Hello to all who read...

Can someone fill me in on the Santee Swap meet that meets on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month? This swap meet is in San Diego County off Highway 52?

Where is it located in terms of how I would drive from the Inland Empire, Riverside specifically. Is it worth going to in terms of Ham related equipment or is it a general type swap meet where anything might be found.

Appreciate any information on this meet....thx...73's......Lonnie (NT6B)

61. Santee Swap Meet???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lonnie (NT6B)" <NT6B-VK7LM@DREAMSOFT.COM>
Message-ID: <3703B0F8.D4E2504E@DREAMSOFT.COM>
Source record: 146763

Hello to all who read...

Can someone fill me in on the Santee Swap meet that meets on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month? This swap meet is in San Diego County off Highway 52?

Where is it located in terms of how I would drive from the Inland Empire, Riverside specifically. Is it worth going to in terms of Ham related equipment, Computer related, or is it a general type swap meet where anything might be found.
Email me direct, if possible...
Appreciate any information on this meet....thx...73's......Lonnie (NT6B)

62. Re: Food for thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be7cac$d9507360$273963c3@default>
Source record: 146764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dear Guru,

How comforting it is to see a common sense analysis.

If its only a small fraction of an S-unit - who the heck
cares anyway ?
--
Reg.

63. Re: Want VERMONT Frequency Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Stark <dave@nf2g.com>
Message-ID: <c1PM2.517$8m5.1007@newsr1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 146765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Al Gritzmacher wrote in message <_vpM2.199$OI4.1270@news6.ispnews.com>...
>I will be vacationing in Stowe VT next week and would like to have some
>frequency info.
>
>I'm interested in Amateur repeaters, police/fire/pub. service and ski
area/ski
>patrol frequency information.
>
>Thanks for any information you can give me.
>
>-- Al AE2T

Some Vermont info is available at the NF2G Scannist Pages - Vermont Section
at http://nf2g.com/scannist/vermont_index.html

73 de Dave, NF2G

64. CAST YOUR VOTE IN MORSE POLL !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ultimate Networks <feedback@ultimate-networks.com>
Message-ID: <7e0k0coni1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146766

Should Morse be dropped as a requirement for Operating on HF ?

Visit http://www.dejanews.com/~radio

And cast Your Vote !!!!

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http://www.ultimate-networks.com/

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

65. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7e0ho1$1fi@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146767

Masa wrote:
>the BEST thing is NOT to buy anymore amateur radio related equipments.
>in any case, the business that conducts amateur radio in general, are
>not in good shape. for example, we don't have anymore amateur radio
>stores in Montreal area as far as i know... which used to be in
>presence in scale of 10s. it is your fault in playing the games.

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TROLL-O-METER

(version k0hb.1)

66. Radio control program in BASIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <3703CD6F.3FCD@vcn.com>
Source record: 146768

has any one had an unconpiled program to computer control a kenwood radio.

67. Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Artur Leung <aleung@ittc.ukans.edu>
Message-ID: <3703CC36.51EA75DE@ittc.ukans.edu>
Source record: 146769
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi,

I am trying to design a noise generator to test a receiver design, and would like to get some suggestions from folks on the cyberspace. Basically the receiver is a digital design, and there is a ADC to convert the IF signal into digital bit stream. The IF is 70MHz and the student who told me about the design said that the input to the ADC is 0dBm and data rate is 200kHz. There really isn't a "channel" there and no LNA and AGC, and I guess that's why the input signal is at 0dBm (pretty high.....).
As a result, in order to measure the bit error rate from Eb/No at 0dB to 20dB, I need a lot of noise power. Since Eb = S * Tb = 0dBm - 10*log10(200kHz) = -53dBm/Hz. As a result, the noise spectral density has to be from -73dBm/Hz to -53dBm/Hz.
The preliminary design is to use a 50ohm termination as the noise source. As 25 degree C, thermal noise is at -174dBm/Hz. As a result, I need a 100dB to 120dB of gain on the amplifier. Although I could do that, I am afraid that the amplifier has too much gain that it will turn into oscillation very easily.
So folks, is there any reference material that you could point me to for similar design, or have you ever done something like that before? Any comment and suggestion is certainly welcome. If possible, please send me a reply via e-mail besides sending a reply to the newsgroup. Thank you very much. 8-)

Artur
4.1.99

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68. Re:need help in finding GRC-109 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barbara Widett <tigereye@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <3703D452.8BB9970B@mediaone.net>
Source record: 146770

Anyone have or know of a GRC-109 receiver for sale. i have transmitter
and power supply and would like to get on air with the set. Gerry
W1iDG tigereye@mediaone.net

Thanks!

69. FT 107 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracy glenn <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3703DAE2.60C9@imt.net>
Source record: 146771

Is there a WARC mod for a 1980 Yaesu FT 107m ? AB7RS

70. tm733 lock up

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: robh8304@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7duio5$vr9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146819

I was cloneing my tm 733 and it locked up. Has anyone else found this to be true? If so Do you know how to unlock the radio? If you do plz share your info with me. I sure its prob something simple thing to do. If you can i would appreate it. Thnx alot,Rob kb8whz

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71. Re: Will this be a "bust" solar peak???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7dugnf$bj6$1@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 146820

In article <370176EC.2457@imt.net>, tglenn@imt.net wrote:
>Tom@astro.net wrote:
>>
>> In article <23969-3700F0CE-8@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> Cannon-ball@webtv.net wrote:
>> >Come on! A solar flux of a 103??? And we're suppose to have this great
>> >solar "peak" next year? Simple math tells you George Jacobs is off on
>> >this one!
>> >
>> >If you recall, these great scientists all told us that 1989 was the peak
>> >of the last cycle, although we had a higher flux peak in 1991. We also
>> >had a secondary lower flux reading as late as two years ago this July.
>> >Common sense and arithmatic tell me that the peak won't occur until 2002
>> >or 2003. And todays flux value bares that out.
>>
>> It's very hard to peg down solar activity, remember, the 11 year cycle is
>> an AVERAGE and NOT exact. The cycle has been anywhere from 8-13 years
>> in the past. Activity is way down this week. Next week it could be way UP.
> The
>> lastest I've heard is around 2000 or 2001. My data shows the last minimum
>> occured in 1996, in the fall. So only about 3 years have passed so far.
>> I believe (at the moment) it'll occure sometime in 2000 or 2001. There really
>> is no exact way to predict it.
>>
>> Tom

>Just looking at the cycle and comparing it to others,which is all anyone
>can do,I feel like it will be a poor low peaking cycle regardless of
>when that peak happens.I hope I'm wrong. AB7RS

I hope your wrong as well. We'll see. You never know with the old sun.

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

72. Packet with NO TNC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7e399i$t8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146522

Hello all,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
I know that there are a few programs out there
that do packet without the need of a TNC.
It, I guess, uses your sound card instead of
the TNC. If anyone knows what program does
that, please E-mail to let me know.
Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
mikrounit@hughes.net
http://kq6mu.8m.com

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73. Re: Opinions on TenTec Scout 555 mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mcleod <jmcleod@pacific.net>
Message-ID: <3705240C.4A19284E@pacific.net>
Source record: 146523

Hi Ed :
I have one of these, and I'm very happy with it. One thing I wanted from the outset
was a simple radio. Complexity in a mobile radio for me means more chances of me

driving off the road while fiddling with some double-function button.
I also like the tune control (puts out a CW at 10w for a tuner). The blanker works
very well indeed.

John N6RCD

Ed/N3WJA wrote:

> I am interested in purchasing one of these for mobile use. I am looking for
> opinions from users on what they think of it. Does the noise blanker work?
> Let me know. TIA Ed/N3WJA

74. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Yh01VnAGtRB3Ewcz@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146524
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<37049138.9171725@newshost>, Allan Herriman <allan.herriman.hates.spam@f
ujitsu.com.au> inimitably wrote:
>John, I disagree about that amount of gain being "daft", although
>you'd need to be very careful about the way it was constructed. A few
>cascaded modamps should be able to do it at 70MHz, and still give
>fairly flat noise.

The 'preliminary design' was the decision to use a resistor at room
temperature as the noise source. The need for a huge gain was a
consequence of that. The obvious thing to do is to use a 'hot' source of
some kind.
--
Regards, John Woodgate, OOO - Own Opinions Only.
Phone +44 (0)1268 747839 Fax +44 (0)1268 777124.
Did you hear about the hungry genetic engineer who made a pig of himself?

75. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <GBQydqAUwRB3Ew8r@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146525
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<01be7d2b$26192380$643763c3@default>, Reg Edwards
<G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com> inimitably wrote:
>The DC voltage generated across a low-power 6-volt zener
>diode is much more noisy than across a resistor. But the
>spectrum is uncertain from one sample to the next.
>-
>Reg.
That's becuase 6 V diodes are more or less true zener diodes. What is
needed is an *avalanche* diode, which is why I specified a 12 V part,
and added the info. about using the *difference* between the noise
voltages of two such diodes, which is more accurately white noise than
either noise voltage alone.
--
Regards, John Woodgate, OOO - Own Opinions Only.
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Did you hear about the hungry genetic engineer who made a pig of himself?

76. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <598F99394C786B6E.76568972181626E6.8BB92841A2CB866C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146526
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Folks this is the sort of crap we have come to expect
of the US government and COMSIMPS who support it.
America is not my country and her people are not my
people because I am a Christian. No Christian can owe
allegiance to a country which engages in infanticide.

As for keeping an eye on me, this is the very same
sort of thing that FEDGOV did prior to the murder of
the Branch Davidians. As for federal employees who
owe allegiance to FEDGOV even when it is wrong,
consider that the Nurenberg defense has been rewarded
with hanging before. Hanging is really to good for
Clinton NAZIS.

Hawke wrote:
>
> Well,
> after having read the 2 e-mails to me from George Zimmerlee
> <geozim@atlcom.net>, I have come to the following conclusion(s):
> 1. Mr. Zimmerlee is either Paranoid, delusional or both;
> 2. not a US citizen (and by his statements, possibly a hostile
> non-citizen)
> 3. foriegn national intending harm to citizens of the US (regardless
> of their affiliations with the government or not) or the government
> itself.
>
> Now, I have family that works in government positions. They have told
> me they really don't like the work (or the politics) but, this is
> their government and folks like george are a threat to the way of life
> that our goverment protects (their opinion). I am not inclined to
> agree with them (or the politico) on some points but I feel the
> following statement is more true than not:
>
> Folks like him (george Zimmerlee) need to be watched closely.
>
> Hawke

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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice

Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

77. Re: GAP (vertical) Antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab2etXXX@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e3ink$99g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

BD, In my opinion, If the individual in question has a gripe or wants redress of an bad situation with a product by all means put it out so that others may avoid the same situation as many did with the R-7000 did in the past. But in the same vain at least the individuals that had the problems put the name and call (if one) on the line, and afforded the company the chance to rectify the issue. Enjoy the Antenna, and for $75 bucks you got a Deal, sure beats paying the full price BTW wat model is it?. My interest in small space antennas has been an ongoing project for me for years. As you will see many OM have the space to put up traditional wire antennas as a last resort and many have the proverbial antenna farm ,in my opinion the urban and space and or deed limited operator has been neglected by the main stream providers. (exept for the smoke merchants at astronomical costs) The Gap's worked well for me in the past and I hope that they will provide you better service in the future.

Good Luck with the Plus part of the ticket, it is well worth the effort.

73's
Steve
AB2ET

In article <7e3c2o$3lb$1@newnews.startext.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> A *lot* of people use false email address's to protect themselves from spam
> and/or people who get a 'little' upset at comments made in the ng's... So
> why not change it to reflect the current topic?...
> Anyway... He could also have simply been trying to make the warning that
> much more obvious to potential buyers...
> I know that it stood out pretty well for me...
> And I also got a GAP a few weekends ago.. Only $75 for a barely-used one..
> Seems to work as good as my longwire for SWL'ing.. Something I didn't really
> expect, but will see how well it works when my 'plus ticket' is earned
> toward the end of the mnth.. ;)
>
> ab2etXXX@my-dejanews.com <ab2et@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
> news:7e20e1$v4e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> >Strange Message, In one hand you use the name Gap Owner "moniker" is that
> >pride of ownership,or are you hiding your identity to protect the
> (guilty?).
> >I hope that you Got at least the Titan DX, and from what I have heard from
> >many others that that if one had "damaged parts" and informed GAP, they
> >sent out the replacment parts ASAP sory to hear that you had a problem with
> a
> >IMHO a "Decent antenna" for its size.
> >

> >73's
> >
> >Steve
> >AB2ET
> >

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78. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7e3g5hhf1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 146528
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Good! Move to a country that is better suited to your
liking and go away!

Some of us like the USA the way it is. If you aren't
a citizen, than what is YOUR problem?

George Zimmerlee wrote in message
<598F99394C786B6E.76568972181626E6.8BB92841A2CB866C@library-proxy.airnews.ne
t>...
>Folks this is the sort of crap we have come to expect
>of the US government and COMSIMPS who support it.
>America is not my country and her people are not my
>people because I am a Christian.

79. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <6D0F085FB7963012.A42B201AAEE82727.0E824B691890038E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146529
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This is a classic example of liberals who have no
knowledge of the issues, but this never seems to
prevent them from embarrassing themselves by showing
how little that they know. The survivors of government
instigated genocide of April 19, 1993 were indeed
tried and found INNOCENT a year later, then illegally
put in jail for using firearms in the commission of
a crime, without specifying what the crime was. To this
date the judge refuses to cite what the crime is.

wf3h@ptd.net wrote:

> >> 2. the cops wait 51 days to apprehend these cop killers then the thugs
> >> kill themselves and their kids
> >
> >Again, WRONG as usual, the jury found that the Davidians
> >were not guilty.
>
> since the davidians are dead, its kinda hard to 'form a jury' to try
> anyone

Returning to the original point of this thread at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative

Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
that I have figured out what the nature and content
of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
have two of the documents, and stand ready to
publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
country, and post them from a safe place.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

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80. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: la8ak@online.no
Message-ID: <370529f2.113891409@news.online.no>
Source record: 146530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 08:32:38 -0600, "William E. Sabin"
<sabinw@mwci.net> wrote:

>
>
>Randy and Cara Randall wrote:
>
>> --
>> Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
>> calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
>> how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
>> a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
>> resistor.
>
>The best approach of all is to locate someone who has a Bird Model 43 wattmeter that you
can borrow for a day or two.
>Just be sure the Elements are correct for the frequency range that you are interested in.
>
>Bill W0IYH
>
>
and before you start, check that FSD appears with same power level
with SWR meter connected one way and the opposite
Have built some VSWR and power meters for 35 years, and have bought
some commercial power meters, OSKERBLOCK and Bird Model 43, none of
them are very accurate, including Bird model 43, but it is usually of
very little importance whether the power is 90 or 100W. Read the
instruction book for Bird Model 43 thoroghly to get a better
understanding of which levels the meter shows. Believe Marconi
Instruments 2955 is quite accurate for VHF/UHF, but it costs at least
ten times as much as Bird model 43

LA8AK

81. Radio Yugoslavia and the Trial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: newworldorder@eudoramail.com
Message-ID: <7e3kft$aq1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In a forgetful moment, which "bear trap like" minded Clinton has more of these days, he said reports were of an impending trial that was "unheard of". Our own Sam Adams defended three British soldiers against similar charges in Massachusetts. More propaganda from our very own Communist government.

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82. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: K6JMB@arrl.net
Message-ID: <37054369.140077080@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146532

UPDATE on this...

AES has credited my charge card for the amount charged plus shipping.

Apparently, they understood me to be ordering a Titanic straight key which in fact was not even in their catalog and I didn't even know existed. Anyway, the cost of that key was indeed the same as the Kent paddles I thought I was ordering. Why anyone would want a replica of the Titanic morse code key used on the ship is beyond me - I sure didn't. The model number of the key didn't sound like the model nubmer I was ordering or anything. Only similarity was the price. Anyway, I think the whole thing can be chalked up to a mistake nobody wishes was made.

So, I just want to acknowledge the wrong has been corrected. I'm out the seven or so bucks return postage; but I'll take that as a lesson. AES did make good on crediting of the item, so mostly all is well. And I've got the paddles I want coming from someplace else. Wish it hadn't been so difficult to acknowledge a mistake. I would have gladly exchanged the Titanic key for what I wanted without a fuss, had I been treated differently.

So, the problem is closed, and I just wanted to complete the story so things are fair.

73,
Jim
K6JMB

83. Repeater access in Eastern Sierra?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matthew J. Cordery" <foraker@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37055449.DAC179B8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 146533

Hi,
I recently got a Tech license and an Icom T2H in order to have a radio while climbing/backpacking
in the wilderness. I'm pretty experienced with that so I'm not so concerned, however, being new to
ham radio I was wondering what experiences people might have with accessing repeaters using HTs
while hiking etc on the eastern side of the Sierra Nevada mountains. I'd appreciate any info on which
repeaters youmight have hit and where you were (even vaguely). Is it reasonable to expect that one
might pick up a mobile unit on highway 395 on any given day? thanks for any help!

Matthew

84. Re: Dieses ist meine Schlacht, die ich bemehe Sie nicht mehr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Hoerz <khoerz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <37055363.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 146534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ziemlich schlechtes Deutsch. Sie sollten wenigstens ein bischen mehr studieren, wen Sie solche Randanten aufs Netz stellen.

Viele Gr��e,

Kurt H�rz

85. Re: Dieses ist meine Schlacht, die ich bemehe Sie nicht mehr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clave T <ClaviusNoSpamMaam@gte.net>
Message-ID: <7e3jjvdul1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kurt Hoerz <khoerz@accessus.net> wrote in message
news:37055363.0@news.accessus.net...
>Ziemlich schlechtes Deutsch. Sie sollten wenigstens ein bischen mehr
>studieren, wen Sie solche Randanten aufs Netz stellen.
>
>Viele Gr��e,
>
>Kurt H�rz

It has its problems in English, too.

Jim
(funny, my kurt hurts too)

86. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <37056529.81197AF3@lucent.com>
Source record: 146536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

Jeff Johns wrote:
>
> Hmmm... so even though I have upgraded by learning code (although at the
> moment it IS slow) I shouldn't be allowed to use 10 meters? Maybe I can be
> an exception, since I just built a rig and can't be considered a "appliance
> operator". I believe everyone has the right to their own thoughts and
> feelings but blanket statements about 'slow coders', such as myself are
> somewhat demeaning, especially considering the fact I am diligently getting
> my speed a bit quicker.
>
> 73 Jeff W4JEF

Jeff,

To me it sounds like you are too good for them!

Dennis

#12

87. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <37056610.1C06E705@lucent.com>
Source record: 146537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

jdaggett@gate.net wrote:

-snipped a lot for brevity-

> Why should there be restrictions on frequency and power usage because someone is
> more or less proficinet in the usages of morse code?
>
> Does CW make a better Ham?
>
> Does high speed CW make one understand Electromagnetics better?
>
> Regards
> James
>
> WA4BZJ

I really enjoyed that whole post James!

Dennis

#12

88. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <37056662.238C4A87@lucent.com>
Source record: 146538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

Tommy Starr wrote:
>
> hmmm Are you implying that cb'rs lack intelligence? I beg to differ.. there are
> many people on this NG that are smart with the rf equipment. I have met quite a
> few hams that are great guys and are well liked in the ham radio community.. But
> can also be compared with rocks.. so open your mouth a little wider so your entire
> foot can fit in..
> Tommy Starr

YES!

Good post Tommy!

Dennis

#12

89. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <370566AE.A2A848BA@lucent.com>
Source record: 146539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

Yrac wrote:

> Excuse me! Since the CB ranks are made up from the general population, where
> are you gonna get more hams if you exclude people who have owned/operated CB
> radios?
>
> If you hate CB, don't go there. That's why there are knobs on radios, 10-4?

Excellent points to ponder.

Dennis

#12

90. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <3705670C.CAAACA47@lucent.com>
Source record: 146540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

jdaggett@gate.net wrote:

>
> One final question. Did you make 90% on all your written exams? I bet I know the
> answer that you will reply with! Then would you be telling the truth?

Did this guy ever respond to you James?

Dennis

#12

91. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <60EB54F2D1FE4938.7684ECF7584F117D.BBA8B7A2346C5BA4@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146541
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

CommQuart wrote:

> Some of us like the USA the way it is. If you aren't
> a citizen, than what is YOUR problem?

Then you approve of a government which violates the
Constitution, and has no regard for the sovereignty
of the individual.

Returning to the original point of this thread at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
that I have figured out what the nature and content
of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
have two of the documents, and stand ready to
publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
country, and post them from a safe place.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify

documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

92. manual for kenwood if-232c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <370574F8.C47@vcn.com>
Source record: 146542

Does any one have a copy of the operation manual for kenwood If-232C
TNX BILL

93. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37056CB7.792B1F03@mwci.net>
Source record: 146543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

J M Noeding wrote:

> On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 08:32:38 -0600, "William E. Sabin"
> <sabinw@mwci.net> wrote:
>
> >
> >
> >Randy and Cara Randall wrote:
> >
> >> --
> >> Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
> >> calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
> >> how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
> >> a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
> >> resistor.
> >
> >The best approach of all is to locate someone who has a Bird Model 43 wattmeter that you can borrow for a day or two.
> >Just be sure the Elements are correct for the frequency range that you are interested in.
> >
> >Bill W0IYH
> >
> >
> and before you start, check that FSD appears with same power level
> with SWR meter connected one way and the opposite

I have a *new* Bird 43 that I bought about a month ago. It has the 250 W and 1000 W elements for 2 to 30 MHz. I have
compared it with recently calibrated reference equipment and it has been found to be accurate as closely as I could read
the meter. The guaranteed accuracy is 2.0 percent of full scale, which is about 0.1 dB. At below full scale the scale
spreads out (easier to read), and my measurements were accurate as closely as I could read the meter over a wide range of
meter readings. The accuracy was the same in both directions.

Bill W0IYH

94. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Janssen <billj@calweb.com>
Message-ID: <37057D28.29977FEC@calweb.com>
Source record: 146544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

> >Randy and Cara Randall wrote:
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> >> --
> >> Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
> >> calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
> >> how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
> >> a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
> >> resistor.
> >

As others have said, borrow a meter and check yours against it.

However there was an article in one of the magazines some years ago
on using a dummy load in water and measuring the temperature rise.

I would suggest that you take a dummy load and wrap insulation around
it. Then put DC into the load and measure the temperature rise and the
time it takes. Compare that to the temperature rise and the time with
RF into the load.

I leave it as a learning exercise for you to do the math.
(when you figure it out let me know too)

Bill K7NOM

95. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37058839.C2CE2BA3@erols.com>
Source record: 146545
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Perhaps instead of jamming broadcasters the government should just file criminal charges against them for interfering with an investigation and aiding the criminals by supplying them with intelligence.

96. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7e4315$d6g$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 146546
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Take your sorry ass to North Korea, China, Irag,
Libya, Iran or perhaps 30 or so other countries, and
spew your nonsense about their governments. THEN
you may come back and cry some more about the
"sovereignty of the individual" in the USA; and how
MY constititutional rights are being violated. Providing
your not rotting in jail....

Again, if you aren't a citizen of the USA, what is YOUR problem
with our rights??? Answer the question, Georgie. There people
would give both legs and arms to enjoy a fraction of the liberties
and rights we have as Americans.

Kiss my American Butt, Georgie.

George Zimmerlee wrote in message
<60EB54F2D1FE4938.7684ECF7584F117D.BBA8B7A2346C5BA4@library-proxy.airnews.ne
t>...
>CommQuart wrote:
>
>> Some of us like the USA the way it is. If you aren't
>> a citizen, than what is YOUR problem?
>
>Then you approve of a government which violates the
>Constitution, and has no regard for the sovereignty
>of the individual.
>

97. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370593F7.293C@olywa.net>
Source record: 146547
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> Hanging is really to good for
> Clinton NAZIS.

Don't take it personal, but isn't that a little exessive?

Respectfully,

-Chuck

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98. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <37059469.522A@olywa.net>
Source record: 146548
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> ...and has no regard for the sovereignty of the individual.

Or country? Doh!

-Chuck

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99. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS - Off Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <37059698.6821@olywa.net>
Source record: 146549
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Wouldn't we hear at least SOME radio traffic (encrypted or not) during an episode like this?

-----Original Message-----
From: Wally Brown <eagle2@farmsoap.com>
To: olyzone@onelist.com <olyzone@onelist.com>
Date: Friday, April 02, 1999 9:29 AM
Subject: [olyzone] aerial spraying

This morning, as I studied the skies as I have been doing lately, I saw horizon to horizon spraying that was laid down in the night time. I am in the Yelm area of Washington State, with Olympia to the immediate west. This must have been done by a multitude of very large aircraft as it almost completely covers the sky. Jen, up there in Vancouver, I bet you can also see it. It is slowly dissipating and falling. We haven't had but a handful of spray trails each day, probably because of unusually heavy rain and winds. Today would normally have been a beautiful day, but it is becoming hazy. I feel sorry for what is going on. People, birds and animals are going to get sick from this.

--
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100. 73 Mag Index

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vincent Coppola <vinyc@snet.net>
Message-ID: <370598A9.204A@snet.net>
Source record: 146550

Does anyone know of a site that displays the contents of past issues of
73 Magazine?

Thanks,
Vince N1VC

101. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John - KI4RO <ki4ro@mnsinc.com>
Message-ID: <7e46ck$e4v$1@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 146551

Don't get on 11 meters.

Ray wrote in message <7duj88$bbq@world6.bellatlantic.net>...
>10 meter info needed...
>I am looking for a 10 meter mobile & base radio that will allow me to
modify
>to cover 10 & 11 meters like the Uniden 2510.
>Any suggestions??
>raymare@bellatlantic.net
>Ray
>.Also need linear power.
>
>
>

102. LOOKING FOR A 220 MHZ MOBILE IIN GOOD CONDITION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jamesbondrock@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e16lf$9n3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146641

Hi all, I'm looking for a 220 Mhz mobile in good condition
cosmetically and electronically.

E-Mail: sk1409@sk.sympatico.ca

-Dave

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

103. Dieses ist meine Schlacht, die ich bemehe Sie nicht mehr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: slobodan.milosevic@eudoramail.com
Message-ID: <7e1b8p$df9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Aufmerksamkeit

Ich werde am meisten durch die aktuelle Serie von Kosovars mein Land verlassend gestart. Unter dem irrtemlichen Eindruck, den die Deutschen sagten, benetigten sie Kraftstoff fur den Winter, ich lie&#65533;en alles Kosovars auf einer Serie laden. Anscheinend war unsere Intelligenz falsch und tatsechlich wermen sich die armen Leute nicht bei bei Dachau und bei Auschwitz (die anscheinend Museen heute sind, wieder mein Fehler), aber im Holz uber dem Rand. Ich kann nicht mit diesem Resultat leben und hace entschied, da&#65533; die einzige honoravlesache zum Tun ist, da&#65533; mein Frauschwalbe Cyanid und ich eine Schusswaffenwunde zu meinem Kopf zufagen. Ich habe meine Vorgesetzten angewiesen, uns in einer Wolldecke aufzuwickeln und uns von unserem Bunker unter die Hauptstadt zu luschen, dort gebrannt zu werden.

Attention

I am most disturbed by the current train of Kosovars leaving my country. Under the mistaken impression that the Germans said they needed fuel for the winter, I had all Kosovars loaded on a train. Apparently, our intelligence was wrong and in fact the poor people are not warming themselves at Dachau and Auschwitz (which apparently are museums today, again, my mistake), but in the woods over the border. I cannot live with this outcome and have decided the only honorable thing to do is that my wife swallow cyanide and I will inflict a gunshot wound to my head. I have instructed my senior officers to wrap us in a rug and remove us from our bunker under the capital city, there to be burned.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

104. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: angel25772@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990401214853.25596.00001222@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 146643
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

ok before i say this i would like to mention that i am a "ham" and at least the" dumb" cbers have the guts to give there real e amil address when they give a post!!! besides YOU SIR are the kind of person who give ham operators a bad name and keep people from getting there ticket soi would like to thank you for showing this whold newsgroup what your intellegence level is....i would also like to appologise to all on the half of hams for this guy....he obvously passed through because there wasn't a 90% requirement!!

105. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wa2iseF9JoL6.2IL@netcom.com>
Source record: 146644

In article <19990401021601.29248.00000574@ng-fz1.aol.com> bcolenso@aol.com (BColenso) writes:
>>Scentists on tv are showing the sun with its big S spots and sayeing
>>that all kinds of hard radiaion coems out of them when they become sun
>>spots. They brake sattlites and mess up radios and I wonder if the
>>slower flares could hit us on the ground? There are pple in my trailer
>>park who are scared of that stuff and I thought I woud ask the experts.
>==========
>
No need to worry about it. What gets thru the Earth's magnetosphere gets stopped by the Earth's upper atmosphere. Life has long since evolved to not be bothered by what does get to the surface over millions of years. The Sun has been belching out this crap for billions of years.

106. Kenwood TM733A control head display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alejandro Segura Millan Blake <alexseg@data.net.mx>
Message-ID: <01be7cc7$b5b61de0$12150dc8@alexsegdata.net>
Source record: 146645

I AM LOOKING FOR THE DETACHABLE FRONT PANEL CONTROL HEAD DISPLAY FOR THE
KENWOOD TM733A DUAL BANDER. PLEASE ADVICE PRICE AND AVAILABILITY TO
ALEJANDRO SEGURA XE1PJF
asegura@data.net.mx

107. Re: GAP (vertical) Antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ab2etXXX@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e20e1$v4e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146646
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Strange Message, In one hand you use the name Gap Owner "moniker" is that
pride of ownership,or are you hiding your identity to protect the (guilty?).
I hope that you Got at least the Titan DX, and from what I have heard from
many others that that if one had "damaged parts" and informed GAP, they
sent out the replacment parts ASAP sory to hear that you had a problem with a
IMHO a "Decent antenna" for its size.

73's

Steve
AB2ET

In article <37045FCD.E9D85117@youraddress.com>,
Gap Owner <spamsomeoneelse@youraddress.com> wrote:
> BD,
>
> I am the owner of a Gap titan. Right off the bat, I would never recommend
> this antenna to anyone (except someone I am going to be contesting against.)
>
> I received my antenna almost two years ago. I had some difficulty putting
> it together because some of the parts came damaged. The manual that I
> received was poorly photocopied and barely stapled. The instructions were
> not clear, and difficult to follow. I found that some of the parts did not
> fit well. I have had somewhat mixed results with this antenna, but must
> admit that I am fully restricted to "off-hour" operating times due to the
> large amount of RFI my Gap Titan unleashes. I have tried RFI filters on the
> output of my rig, and on the television. After working with my neighbor on
> several occassions, I finally relented to promising to only operate while
> he was asleep or away.
>
> I contacted gap right away to ask for help and found that their interest in
> helping me was at best "swayed by the weather." They were initially
> interested, but eventually said it was my location that was the trouble and
> nothing could be done.
>
> How does it do? Well, I participated in the WPX contest. I had a good
> time, but dared contacting only the strongest of stations. This isn't the
> antenna you want to break a pile-up with. Someone mentioned that this is
> the antenna that barely get's out over itself. I laughed because I thought
> of myself calling out, hoping someone could use my call as a multiplier.
> HA! 20m performance is average, and 40m is okay. Forget about 80m unless
> you like wasting your time. Now as a shortwave antenna, this thing probably
> isn't too bad.
>

> I hope this gets to you before you buy it. Save your money for a dipole, or
> something different than the Gap Titan DX.
>
> Sincerely,
> Gap Owner
>
> BD wrote:
>
> > Any experience with the Gap antennas advertised in this issue of QST (on
> > p27)? How's it compare to other verticals?
>
>

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108. Re: CAST YOUR VOTE IN MORSE POLL !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: verner@post9.tele.dk
Message-ID: <370484ee.903693@news.inet.tele.dk>
Source record: 146647

On Thu, 1 Apr 1999 23:40:13 -0600, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>I see morse as being useless, except that it is sorta fun to use not that I
>got the hang of it.. but I do think it's probably the only thing keeping HF
>from becoming another overcrowded CB...

Morse is useless and should be used anyway to hinder people to access
HF. Oh yah.

You will shortly lean that morse no longer will be used as test for
access to HF. Not in my part of the world anyway.
USA will be behind all others if they use morse test after year 2000.
(273 days left)

Verner.
(I do not debate this subject any further)

109. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be7d2b$26192380$643763c3@default>
Source record: 146648
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The DC voltage generated across a low-power 6-volt zener
diode is much more noisy than across a resistor. But the
spectrum is uncertain from one sample to the next.
-
Reg.

110. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: allan.herriman.hates.spam@fujitsu.com.au
Message-ID: <37049138.9171725@newshost>
Source record: 146649
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Trying to amplify the noise from a resistor is difficult when you
consider the noise figure of the amplifier itself. With a noise
figure of 3dB, as much noise comes from the amplifier as from the
resistor. As the noise figure and gain of the amplifier won't be well
controlled (compared to the noise from the resistor, which is a simple
function of temperature) you will need some way of calibrating it.

John, I disagree about that amount of gain being "daft", although
you'd need to be very careful about the way it was constructed. A few
cascaded modamps should be able to do it at 70MHz, and still give
fairly flat noise.
To keep the noise level constant enough for measurements you might
need either frequent recalibrations or you might need to regulate the
temperature and supply voltage, as both these with affect the gain
slightly.
Interstage bandpass filters will be needed to avoid saturating the
modamps. -53dBm/Hz may not sound like a lot, but over a wide enough
bandwidth...

I have successfully used modamps in this way to inject noise into the
IF stages of modems for performing BER vs Eb/No measurements.
[The modamps came from Avantec, who have since been swallowed up by
HP.]

For performing the sames tests at RF (10GHz in this case), I just used
a large attenuator pad between the Tx and the Rx. Gettting >100dB
attenuation isn't too hard with the right equipment (and lots of
semi-rigid cable, and ferrite absorber, and...)

Of course the best way to solve this problem is to buy a module from
Noisecom, who specialise in this sort of thing.
http://www.noisecom.com/
They have both narrow and broadband models, some to several GHz, and
with outputs up to about +10dBm or so.
Most modules need a 28V supply. I think they use an avalanche source.

Regards,
Allan.

On Thu, 1 Apr 1999 22:15:56 +0100, John Woodgate
<jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk> wrote:

><3703CC36.51EA75DE@ittc.ukans.edu>, Artur Leung <aleung@ittc.ukans.edu>
>inimitably wrote:
>>The preliminary design is to use a 50ohm termination as the noise

>>source. As 25 degree C, thermal noise is at -174dBm/Hz. As a result, I
>>need a 100dB to 120dB of gain on the amplifier. Although I could do
>>that, I am afraid that the amplifier has too much gain that it will turn
>>into oscillation very easily.
>
>Yes, precisely. Indicating that your 'preliminary design' is daft. You
>need a noise generator with a sensible noise temperature. At 70 MHz, an
>avalanche doide source may not be too good, but maybe OK for a fairly
>narrow-band application. I've used avalanche diodes at 10 MHz but no
>higher. Traditionally, tungsten-filament vacuum diodes were used, with
>the advantage that the noise output could be calculated from first
>principles.
>--
>Regards, John Woodgate, OOO - Own Opinions Only.
>Phone +44 (0)1268 747839 Fax +44 (0)1268 777124.
>Did you hear about the hungry genetic engineer who made a pig of himself?

111. re:long transmission line advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be7d42$f6454180$e83663c3@default>
Source record: 146650

For an exact analysis of coax and balanced lines for given
conductor dimensions, to compare one line with another,
with any terminating impedance or VSWR, download progams
COAXPAIR, RJELINE2, RJELINE3 from my website. RJELINE3
will do better than replace a Smith Chart, at any frequency
from 50Hz upwards, for many transmission line applications.

Download in a few seconds each. Not zipped-up. One small
self-contained file each. Can be run immediately. Input
data on a "what-if?" basis. Professional grade software
but designed to be easily usable by radio amateurs
accustomed to thinking quantitatively. (Instead of just
"it works").
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****
Reg, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp

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N2EY <n2ey@aol.com> wrote in article
<19990402054743.02594.00000883@ngol03.aol.com>...
> In article <7dej6hkci1@brokaw.wa.com>, "Ken Brookner"
<brooknerk@acm.org>
> writes:
>
> >Subject: looking for advice on long transmission line
> >From: "Ken Brookner" <brooknerk@acm.org>
> >Date: Thu, 25 Mar 1999 16:03:11 -0800
> >
> >i'm looking to put some antennas up on a hill and run
the transmission line
> >down, 300 feet or so, to my shack. these antennas will
be used for HF work.
> >the elevation delta is as much as 75 feet. the first
antenna i'm going to
> >locate on this hill is a 10 meter yagi.
>
> Hello Ken,
>
> What really matters at HF is not elevation above sea
level but elevation above
> ground, and what the takeoff angle and "radio horizon"
are. Sounds like your
> house backs up against a hill.

>
> The real question, of course, is whether the gain of
being on top of the hill
> is worth the additional line loss.
> >
> >i hate to run coax and suffer the associated losses.
>
> The losses may not be as bad as you think. Good "RG-8"
type coax has loss of
> slightly less than 1 dB per 100 feet on 10 meters. On the
lower HF bands the
> loss is even less. Belden 9913 is down around 0.7 dB/100'
on 10 meters. The
> smallest hardline I could find numbers for (half inch) is
down to less than
> half a dB/100' on 10 meters. (It's a good idea to check
the exact length of
> coax and exact loss figures for the coax you want to
buy).
>
> > hard line is a bit too expensive
>
> Agreed, but in the end it may be the cheapest way. Here's
why:
>
> 1) It will work from 160 through at least the low VHF
with low loss
> 2) You can bury it or lay it on the ground - no
money/expense for supports
> 3) It will last practically forever. Do it once and done.
> 4) No balun loses or expense.
> 5) Immune to weather.
> 6) Directly matches 50 ohms at both ends.
>
> > i'm thinking about ladder line, but have no experience
with it.
>
> There are many types of line referred to as "ladder
line". The best stuff is
> homemade with large (#14 or so) conductors and good
quality spreaders. The
> worst is the plastic insulated "window line" that is
really just twin lead with
> pieces cut out of the insulation. The typical
manufactured stuff with molded on
> plastic insulators is somewhere in the middle.
>
> Properly installed, good ladder line can be as low loss
as small hardline. But
> the key is proper installation. The ladder line must be

well constructed,
> uniform, and kept clear of the ground and conductive
objects. The baluns at
> both ends must be nonreactive over the frequency range to
be covered, and match
> the ladder line impedance. Line balance is very important
because if the ladder
> line is not perfectly balanced, it will radiate.
>
> These requirements are not all easy to meet. It CAN be
done, however, and will
> work well if done properly.
> >
> >all of my transmitters are 50/75 ohm output and power
levels range up to 800
> >watts PEP. the first yagi is 50 ohm, but i may want to
experiment with some
> >dipoles or loops later on. so, here goes:
> >
> >for the initial yagi, can i run coax out of the shack
and then use a 4:1
> >balun to convert it to ladder line, and just reverse
this on the hill side?
>
> Only if you make 200 ohm ladder line. Such a low
impedance line could be made
> from 1/4" tubing spaced 3/4" on centers. Not too
practical. To match 450 ohm
> line requires a 9:1 balun.
>
> >will this, and by switching in the appropriate balun at
the hill, work for
> >multiple antennas cut for different bands (assuming that
the appropriate
> >switching is in place)?
> >
> If you have a low SWR on the ladder line (by choosing the
right baluns) and
> baluns with good balance and low reactance and low loss,
yes.
>
> >this is blazing new territory for me. any help,
suggestions, pointers to
> >info is appreciated.
>
> Spend a little time with a good reference on practical
transmission line
> characteristics, like the ARRL antenna book. Figure out
the real loss of
> various setups, including the loss from all sources. Look

around the catalogs
> for the cheapest hardline/low loss coax you can find -
total price may not be
> so bad in quantity. Cable TV hardline, even though it is
75 ohm, is great
> stuff, if you can get enough of it in one piece.

112. Re: Guy rope-type?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Kelly <Kelly@dvol.com>
Message-ID: <3704B76B.B9C7B50D@dvol.com>
Source record: 146651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

munsch@ibm.net wrote:

> Professional choice: Phyllistran.

Roger that. Phillystran (?) is the only non-conductive material I would even start to consider for guying any tower or support structure which is twenty five feet or above. You can very quickly get into liability problems when you get stupid about guying structures.

> Commercial Choice: Black Dacron braided,
> two concentric layers(inside white).

Agreed. The stuff is the next best non-conductive guying line around vs, Phillystran. But ya gotta watch the details of the core material. The best is a Kevlar core which does not stretch and is very strong. Next best is one of the polyesters (Dacron) which stretch very little under load. The least desirable is stretchy 'ole Nylon. The rope I've bought from The Wireman works for me, although I don't and won't use it for guying any kind of tower unless it's just for field day or some such. Galvanized plow steel cable is the right way to guy any tower.http://thewireman.com

> Amateur choice: The best boat rope
> you can afford.

No such thing as "boat rope". Any marine supply house has lines made from several different materials with very different mechanical and UV resistance characteristics, ya better know what you're doing when you choose one. If you're absolutely committed to using hardware and marine supply store line use one of the braided Dacron types. Far less stretch than Nylon or one of the cheap lines and it holds up fairly well in the sun. Avoid polypropylene lines at all cost, six months in the sun and it's trashed.

> Have fun and good luck,
> --
> Crazy George

Brian Kelly w3rv

113. Is the Lincoln & 2510 the same?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marnie <marnie6868@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7e2e9m$ngc@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146652

Is the Uniden 2510 & the Uniden Lincoln the same radio?
Can the Lincoln be modified to cover 10 & 11 meters?
Thanks
raymare@bellatlantic.net

114. Is the Uniden 2510 & the Lincoln the same radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray P <raymare@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <7e2eb5$ngc@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146653

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Is the Uniden 2510 & the Uniden Lincoln the same radio?
Can the Lincoln be modified to cover 10 & 11 meters?
Thanks
raymare@bellatlantic.net
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115. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: dpotter@bbn.com
Message-ID: <3705c2db.2974810@news>
Source record: 146654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Thu, 01 Apr 1999 21:11:02 -0500, Randy and Cara Randall
<crrandal@seidata.com> wrote:

How to calibrate a homebrew power meter?

How accurate do you want to be? For starters, bypass any coupling capacitors at the input to your power meter and apply a DC voltage. Measure the DC voltage with as good a voltmeter as you have and that should be pretty close for relatively low frequencies, relatively meaning compared to frequencies where the parasitic reactances in your power meter begin to be important. Or, borrow a Bird wattmeter and compare readings to it. I did that with a couple of SWR meters I had and was pleasantly suprised to discover that they were pretty close. The principle source of low frequency inaccuracy in RF measurements is the voltage drop across the rectifier diode. You can calibrate it out if you know what kind of diode you have, Germanium or Silicon. The ARRL Handbook has some information on building RF measurement gear.

Good luck, have fun!

73

Dave
K1MBO

116. KENWOOD TK-705 PROGRAMMING INFO NEEDED .!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <7e2jpodmu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please if anyone knows how to programm this radio without connecting it to Computer and using Programming software kpg06d LET ME KNOW .!!!

I know that this radio can be programmed from Keys on Frontplate but i don't know HOW ???

FOX

Trustno1, do you ??

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

117. MIDXA Club Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e2isj$cr2$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Mariana Island DX Association invites you to visit our web
site at:

http://www.guam.net/pub/midxa/

From the main page, click on the ClubLINK EXCHANGE banner
and email us your club's web page address if you'd like to exchange
links with your club page.

On the SPECIAL PAGES you will find:

* Digital Voice Keyer Software that you can download - works
with any sound card and Windows 95.

* DX Dream Vacations - Visit some exotic DX locations.

* MIDXA lapel pins for pin collectors.

* A few choice links to other DX pages.

You will also find a QSL card gallery with old Guam and Saipan QSLs,
information about the KH2 QSL bureau, QSL info for active members,
island pictures from the Mariana islands including a few from Tinian,
pictures of our members, their shacks and antennas, plus a whole bunch
more....

96 pages and over 450 pictures for your browsing enjoyment - don't
miss the Typhoon Century Club page.

73, Jim KH2D

118. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <3704D506.DB0C4B79@mwci.net>
Source record: 146657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Randy and Cara Randall wrote:

> ----------
> Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
> calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
> how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
> a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
> resistor.

The best approach of all is to locate someone who has a Bird Model 43 wattmeter that you can borrow for a day or two.
Just be sure the Elements are correct for the frequency range that you are interested in.

Bill W0IYH

119. Re: EMF Safety

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <3704eafa.1341094@news.erols.com>
Source record: 146658
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 15:12:37 GMT, joseph_henry@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>http://www.berk.com/~lessemf/personal.html
>
>
>
>Joseph Henry
>Environmental Studies
>2001 Wisconsin Avenue
>Washington, DC 20007

You're a day late. April Fool's was yesterday.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

120. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Mortlock <jmort@global.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7e2qj4$mo6$1@news7.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 146659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dave Potter wrote in message <3705c2db.2974810@news>...
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<snip>

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>Dave K1MBO

Re the error due to forward voltage drop and non linearity under and around the point of conduction for Germanium and Silicon diodes, anyone know if its workable to set a steady DC current through the diode so that it is well in to conduction. Would this enable one to measure very low RF voltages below the forward Voltage level of the diode and improve linearity ??

121. FEDS: MAN EAVES DROPPED ON POLICE!!! KINGS PARK NY LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gig@i-2000.com
Message-ID: <37052aaf.6589727@news.i-2000.com>
Source record: 146660

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122. FEDS:MAN EAVESDROPPED ON POLICE!! KINGS PARK NY LI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: gig@i-2000.com
Message-ID: <37052a65.6515984@news.i-2000.com>
Source record: 146661

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123. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <370f048b.217904817@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146662
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 01 Apr 1999 13:42:46 -0600, Artur Leung <aleung@ittc.ukans.edu> wrote:

> I am trying to design a noise generator to test a receiver design,
>and would like to get some suggestions from folks on the cyberspace.
> Basically the receiver is a digital design, and there is a ADC to
>convert the IF signal into digital bit stream. The IF is 70MHz and the
>student who told me about the design said that the input to the ADC is
>0dBm and data rate is 200kHz. There really isn't a "channel" there and
>no LNA and AGC, and I guess that's why the input signal is at 0dBm
>(pretty high......).
> As a result, in order to measure the bit error rate from Eb/No at
>0dB to 20dB, I need a lot of noise power. Since Eb = S * Tb = 0dBm -
>10*log10(200kHz) = -53dBm/Hz. As a result, the noise spectral density
>has to be from -73dBm/Hz to -53dBm/Hz.
> The preliminary design is to use a 50ohm termination as the noise
>source. As 25 degree C, thermal noise is at -174dBm/Hz. As a result, I
>need a 100dB to 120dB of gain on the amplifier. Although I could do
>that, I am afraid that the amplifier has too much gain that it will turn
>into oscillation very easily.
> So folks, is there any reference material that you could point me
>to for similar design, or have you ever done something like that
>before? Any comment and suggestion is certainly welcome. If possible,
>please send me a reply via e-mail besides sending a reply to the
>newsgroup. Thank you very much. 8-)

I know this is heresy, but why not just use a PN source driving a
simple D/A directly at the levels you want? With a sufficiently
long and well chosen sequence, the noise spectrum should be
acceptably "white" for your purposes.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

124. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. A. Legris" <jlegrix@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3705094A.4057@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 146663
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
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>
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> >and would like to get some suggestions from folks on the cyberspace.
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> >0dBm and data rate is 200kHz. There really isn't a "channel" there and
> >no LNA and AGC, and I guess that's why the input signal is at 0dBm
> >(pretty high.....).
> > As a result, in order to measure the bit error rate from Eb/No at
> >0dB to 20dB, I need a lot of noise power. Since Eb = S * Tb = 0dBm -
> >10*log10(200kHz) = -53dBm/Hz. As a result, the noise spectral density
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>
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> simple D/A directly at the levels you want? With a sufficiently
> long and well chosen sequence, the noise spectrum should be
> acceptably "white" for your purposes.
>
I don't think it's heresy, maybe just too expensive. To produce white
noise at 70MHz requires a very fast D/A.
--
Joseph Legris

To reply, correct the x.

125. Minutes to Minutes and Seconds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Tabor <jimtabor@cvn.net>
Message-ID: <3704DE08.D66B00AA@cvn.net>
Source record: 146664

Could anyone tell me how to convert minutes to minutes and seconds ?
For example 39.575 north by 77.892 west.
Thanks
jim

126. Sound of B92 Banned

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e378h$uu0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146665

Press Release

Radio B92

Amsterdam, April 2, 1999

Sound of B92 Banned

Government officials have shut down radio B92 - silencing the last independent voice in Serbia. In the early hours of Friday morning, April 2, police officers arrived to seal the station's offices, and ordered all staff to cease work and leave the premises immediately.

A court official accompanied the police. He delivered a decision from the government-controlled Council of Youth to the station's manager of 6 years - Sasa Mirkovic - that he had been dismissed. The council of youth replaced Sasa Mirkovic with Aleksandar Nikacevic, a member of Milosevic's ruling Socialist Party of Serbia, thus bringing B92 under government control.

B92 has been the only source of alternative information in and from Serbia since the start of NATO airstrikes against Yugoslavia 10 days ago. Although a ban on the station's transmitter in the morning of the first day of airstrikes - Wednesday March 24 - took the station off the air, B92 has continued to broadcast news and information via the Internet and satellite. On the same day as Federal Telecommunications' officials seized the station's transmitter police officers also detained the station's chief editor - Veran Matic. He was released unharmed and without explanation eight hours later. Since the transmission ban on B92 the station has been heavily policed and has been operating under severe restrictions.

The ban on B92 is the latest in a series of crackdowns on free media in the past week. The wave of media repression has resulted in the closure of a large number of members of the B92-led independent broadcasting network - ANEM, and all independent press. The prominent independent Albanian-language newspaper and radio station Koha ditore was also closed down last week, as have been all other independent media in Kosovo, including Radio 21 since March 24.

Since the launch of B92 news broadcasts on the web last Wednesday its site has had some 15 million visitors. Support sites such as http://helpb92.xs4all.nl report 16,000 visitors per day. Local radio stations across Europe have been re-broadcasting b92 audio signal from the Internet.

B92 is the leading independent broadcaster in Yugoslavia, and established the national re-broadcasting network of 35 radio and 18 television stations - ANEM - in 1996. The station was due to celebrate its 10th anniversary this May.

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Lloyd Davies, Athens, Alabama
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP/

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

127. Re: Minutes to Minutes and Seconds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37051515.70D85F29@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146666

Jim Tabor wrote:

> Could anyone tell me how to convert minutes to minutes and seconds ?
> For example 39.575 north by 77.892 west.
> Thanks
> jim

Jim I assume your example is decimal degrees. There are 60 minutes per degree and 60 seconds per minute. So 39.575 degrees is 39 degrees and 0.575 deg x 60 minutes/deg = 35.5 minutes. Then, 0.5 minutes x 60 seconds/minute = 30 seconds. So you have 39 deg 35 min 30 sec.

Another example 77.892 west : 0.892 deg x 60 min/deg = 53.52 minutes, and 0.52 minutes x 60 seconds/minute = 31.2 seconds. So 77.892 deg is 77:53:31.

73,

Marv
KC0EGB

128. if-232c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <370516E0.77F1@vcn.com>
Source record: 146667

does anyone have the operating manual for the kenwood if-232c (about 6 pages)?

129. if-232c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <370516E7.3B29@vcn.com>
Source record: 146668

does anyone have the operating manual for the kenwood if-232c (about 6 pages)?

130. if-232c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <370516F3.1DFA@vcn.com>
Source record: 146669

does anyone have the operating manual for the kenwood if-232c (about 6 pages)?

131. if-232c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <3705178C.74CA@vcn.com>
Source record: 146670

does anyone have the operating manual for the kenwood if-232c (about 6 pages)?

132. Re: if-232c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kurt A. Freiberger" <kurt@cs.tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <37051B95.714F6D67@cs.tamu.edu>
Source record: 146671

I've got it right here... What do you need out of it? It'll be
a while before I can get to a copier...

73/Kurt

Bill Torrance wrote:
>
> does anyone have the operating manual for the kenwood if-232c (about 6
> pages)?

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Kurt A. Freiberger, WB5BBW Network Environmentalist Austin, TX
Published 12/12/98, Saint Paul Pioneer Press Bulletin Board:
Redmond, WA (AP) -- Microsoft announced today that the official release
date for the new operating system "Windows 2000" will be delayed until
the second quarter of 1901.

133. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7e3n7l$e7k@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146552

In article <37054369.140077080@cnews.newsguy.com>, Jim <K6JMB@arrl.net> wrote:
>Apparently, they understood me to be ordering a Titanic straight key
>which in fact was not even in their catalog and I didn't even know
>existed. Anyway, the cost of that key was indeed the same as the Kent
>paddles I thought I was ordering. Why anyone would want a replica of
>the Titanic morse code key used on the ship is beyond me - I sure

I'd rather have the Titanic key than any paddles, Jim. Don't be so
quick to condemn those with likes different from yours.

My guess is that the trouble stemmed from either a typo on your part
or someone at AES not being able to read your writing: The three
Kent keys have model numbers SK-1, SP-1, and TP-1. The SK-1 is an
antique-looking wooden-base hand-key; the other two are paddles.

73, Jeff WH6U

134. The Daily DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bernie McClenny <bernie@dailydx.com>
Message-ID: <3705F839.ACD061DC@dailydx.com>
Source record: 146553

http://www.dailydx.com

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Bernie McClenny, W3UR (ex WR3E, WB3JRU)
Editor of The Daily DX
Editor of How's DX?
3025 Hobbs Road
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http://www.dailydx.com
bernie@dailydx.com

135. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: K6JMB@arrl.net
Message-ID: <37058b3d.150687398@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146554

....didn't mean to condemn anyone Jeffrey. I was merely stating my opinion about the key, just as you've expressed yours. I have no interest at all in a replica of the Titanic's key.

I placed the order with AES on the phone, so there were no typos from me; and the word "Titanic" wasn't ever used, nor the word "key". "Twin Paddles", model #TP-1 from catalog, and price were mentioned by me. It should've been pretty clear. I've been speaking English for 57 years and have been doing business for at least 45 of those. I know how to place an order and also how to treat customers with respect.

Why don't you give up trying to defend AES's rather poor customer treatment? You sound like you work for them or something. Too bad if you don't - they'd love your customer perspective.

They made a mistake. People do that sometimes. They should have dealt with it better than they did. Bottom line, its been mostly corrected; but they lost a customer.

73,
Jim
K6JMB

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>In article <37054369.140077080@cnews.newsguy.com>, Jim <K6JMB@arrl.net> wrote:
>>Apparently, they understood me to be ordering a Titanic straight key
>>which in fact was not even in their catalog and I didn't even know
>>existed. Anyway, the cost of that key was indeed the same as the Kent
>>paddles I thought I was ordering. Why anyone would want a replica of
>>the Titanic morse code key used on the ship is beyond me - I sure
>
>I'd rather have the Titanic key than any paddles, Jim. Don't be so
>quick to condemn those with likes different from yours.
>
>My guess is that the trouble stemmed from either a typo on your part
>or someone at AES not being able to read your writing: The three
>Kent keys have model numbers SK-1, SP-1, and TP-1. The SK-1 is an
>antique-looking wooden-base hand-key; the other two are paddles.
>
>73, Jeff WH6U
>

136. VX-5R Cellular Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: propage1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990402235717.02084.00001573@ng148.aol.com>
Source record: 146555

Does anyone know if there is a mod to unblock cellular freq.'s in a VX-5R?

137. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3705AE9C.2EFA@no.net>
Source record: 146556
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

George Zimmerlee wrote:
>
> Folks this is the sort of crap we have come to expect
> of the US government and COMSIMPS who support it.
> America is not my country and her people are not my
> people because I am a Christian. No Christian can owe
> allegiance to a country which engages in infanticide.

Then I suppose you have already booked your flight to another counrty.
Their loss is our gain.

138. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3705C3AE.AFE70FAA@uswest.net>
Source record: 146557
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

As I thought, you might show your true colors.

You see, I was born here. I spent time in other countries
and have found them lacking (so is the US, but so what).

If you hate it so much here, then leave!

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> Folks this is the sort of crap we have come to expect
> of the US government and COMSIMPS who support it.
> America is not my country and her people are not my
> people because I am a Christian. No Christian can owe
> allegiance to a country which engages in infanticide.
>
> As for keeping an eye on me, this is the very same
> sort of thing that FEDGOV did prior to the murder of
> the Branch Davidians. As for federal employees who
> owe allegiance to FEDGOV even when it is wrong,
> consider that the Nurenberg defense has been rewarded
> with hanging before. Hanging is really to good for
> Clinton NAZIS.
>
> Hawke wrote:
> >
> > Well,
> > after having read the 2 e-mails to me from George Zimmerlee
> > <geozim@atlcom.net>, I have come to the following conclusion(s):
> > 1. Mr. Zimmerlee is either Paranoid, delusional or both;
> > 2. not a US citizen (and by his statements, possibly a hostile
> > non-citizen)
> > 3. foriegn national intending harm to citizens of the US (regardless
> > of their affiliations with the government or not) or the government
> > itself.
> >
> > Now, I have family that works in government positions. They have told
> > me they really don't like the work (or the politics) but, this is
> > their government and folks like george are a threat to the way of life
> > that our goverment protects (their opinion). I am not inclined to
> > agree with them (or the politico) on some points but I feel the
> > following statement is more true than not:
> >
> > Folks like him (george Zimmerlee) need to be watched closely.
> >

> > Hawke
>
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> --
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

139. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3705C5DD.24169B32@uswest.net>
Source record: 146558
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I asked ylou in private, now I ask you in piblic;
where is your documentation?

your statemens in public (and in priivate) either make you
appear to be paranoid, r an enemy terrorist.

Now, unless you can substantiate what you say, I am afraid that
no one would believe you (and even if you could, I have serious doubts
that anyone would take you seriously).

"Where a conspiracy is rumored, everyone knows about it, however,
where one really exists, only a very few are ever aware of it." --the
smoking man (X-Files)

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> CommQuart wrote:
>
> > Some of us like the USA the way it is. If you aren't
> > a citizen, than what is YOUR problem?
>
> Then you approve of a government which violates the
> Constitution, and has no regard for the sovereignty
> of the individual.
>
> Returning to the original point of this thread at:
> http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>
> FCC JAMS HAMS,
> the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
> engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
> a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.
>
> The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
> purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
> with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
> purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
> broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
> station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
> Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
> emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
> As a result, appoximately 100 people died.
>
> FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of

> Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
> allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
> Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
> website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
> FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
> Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
> that I have figured out what the nature and content
> of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
> verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
> that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
> point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
> have two of the documents, and stand ready to
> publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
> country, and post them from a safe place.
>
> Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
> FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
> documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
> FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
> purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
> described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
> pertaining to such classification at the time of
> classification.
>
> Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
> Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
> Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
> criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
> criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
> Force engaged in Communications Act violations.
>
> Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
> tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
> Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
> reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
> What decent person would be a member of such
> a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
> moral integrity demands you quit.
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> ---
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
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> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

140. HELP: Alinco ELH230g 2m Linear blown final

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Adam (VK4LAJ)" <vk4wssNOSPAM@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <3705c98e@grissom.powerup.com.au>
Source record: 146559
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi all and thanks for reading this,

I have an Alinco ELH230g 2m SSB/ FM Linear that I picked up locally at a ham fest with the view of sticking it on the back of my FT290R Yaesu.

I was told that the final was blown when I bought it, simple I thought just replace the final. Problem is I cant tell what the final is, as the letters and numbers have been worn off and I have not got a schematic.

Can anyone help with identifying the offending part?

Please e-mail me direct as I don't visit the news groups often.

Thanks in advance
73
Adam (VK4LAJ)
NOSPAMjabba@w3.to PLEASE REMOVE NOSPAM
http://members.xoom.com/ajaros

141. Hamfest in India

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: shanks@giasbga.vsnl.net.in
Message-ID: <7e5804$j98$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146560

Dear everybody,

i am a ham and recently i visited a ham site exclusevely for Hamfest in India during Sept 99. the site has some information and online registration.

the url is http://www.hamfestindia.org

thanks

shanks

vu2spk

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

142. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be7dd9$4b5528c0$c160b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 146561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

He is, and so is any Radio Operator, Amateur or Citizen Band. The definition of 'them' are troll's, either commercial entities with an agenda or disturbed individuals wanting attention. Anyway you look at it just stop responding, they will go away.

Christopher Cox

Dennis W. Ostrowski <dwostrowski@lucent.com> wrote in article <37056529.81197AF3@lucent.com>...
> Jeff Johns wrote:
> >
> > Hmmm... so even though I have upgraded by learning code (although at the
> > moment it IS slow) I shouldn't be allowed to use 10 meters? Maybe I can be
> > an exception, since I just built a rig and can't be considered a "appliance
> > operator". I believe everyone has the right to their own thoughts and
> > feelings but blanket statements about 'slow coders', such as myself are
> > somewhat demeaning, especially considering the fact I am diligently getting
> > my speed a bit quicker.
> >
> > 73 Jeff W4JEF
>
> Jeff,
>
> To me it sounds like you are too good for them!
>
> Dennis
>
> #12
>

143. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7e5c18air1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146562
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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J. A. Legris <jlegrix@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:3705094A.4057@sympatico.ca...
> Gary Coffman wrote:
> >
> > I know this is heresy, but why not just use a PN source driving a
> > simple D/A directly at the levels you want? With a sufficiently
> > long and well chosen sequence, the noise spectrum should be
> > acceptably "white" for your purposes.
> >
> I don't think it's heresy, maybe just too expensive. To produce white
> noise at 70MHz requires a very fast D/A.
> --
> Joseph Legris

Joseph,

Check out the TxDACs from Analog Devices ... like the AD9761 and its
cousins ... or similatr products from Harris or TI .... you could
generate the noise with the DAC at a lower frequency and mix it up ...
if your data rate is only 200 kHz or so the bandwidth of your IF
probably isn't all that wide ... you should be able to filter out
mixer spurious and still have a pretty flat noise spectrum over the
band of interest.

73,
- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
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Join No Code International!
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144. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@rst-engr.com
Message-ID: <370740ad.4751079@news.gv.net>
Source record: 146563

K6JMB@arrl.net (Jim)
shared these priceless pearls of wisdom:

->UPDATE on this...
->
->AES has credited my charge card for the amount charged plus shipping.

Probably bought $10K worth of stuff from them over the last 20 years or so.
Last thing I bought was typical of their business practices.

Bought a Kenwood handheld for my wife for Christmas. The extra battery
case was backordered. Wife's mom dies the day after Christmas. Hops a
plane to Oklahoma City from Reno that makes an hour's stop in Las Vegas.

Squeak meets wife at plane, gives her the battery pack, and wishes her
well.

I'm sorry you had a bad experience. In my book, there are no finer people
in this business.

Jim
Jim Weir, VP Eng. RST
A&P, CFI, and other good alphabet soup

145. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37064472.2C0B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Randy and Cara Randall wrote:
>
> ----------
> Thanks for reading this post. I am looking for a procedure for
> calibrating HF SWR and watt meters. I have a good idea on
> how to cal. the SWR portion, but the watt meter would require
> a calibrated RF voltmeter to read the voltage across the load
> resistor. There are RF voltage probes you can build in the
> 1995 ARRL handbook, but how do you cal. those? I need
> a simple standard of some sort. Ideas?
>
> Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.

Hi Randy -- I just calibrated my Swan WM-2000 -- using a Bird Watt Meter
as the Standard.
--
73 From Rod In San Diego

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http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

146. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Veg...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael1998@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17250-3706495A-9@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146565

Why don't all of us call the Vegas AES store and tell them we refuse to buy from them when they treat their customers like shit and it would put an end to this. Just a thought.

KU4UV

147. Want:"Communications Quarterly" Fall 98 magazine

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwhipkey@netzero.net
Message-ID: <7e5o4k$5d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146566

I am looking for the Fall 98 issue of "Communications Quarterly" magazine.
I would like to acquire the magazine or a copy of the article in this
issue on screwdriver antennas by VE2CV. I have been unable to locate this
magazine locally and any help would be greatly appreciated.

73 Rich AD6X

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

148. 10, 11 meter help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray P <raymare@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <7e5ld5$bsb@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146567

I was hoping to find out if the Uniden Lincold radio is still sold.
If not, what is another good radio that can cover the 10 & 11 meter bands??
Perhaps an 11 meter radio that can be modified to cover 10 meters?
Ray

149. 10, 11 meter help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray P <raymare@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <7e5ldq$buc@world6.bellatlantic.net>
Source record: 146568

I was hoping to find out if the Uniden Lincold radio is still sold.
If not, what is another good radio that can cover the 10 & 11 meter bands??
Perhaps an 11 meter radio that can be modified to cover 10 meters?
Ray

150. Breathing some new life into a club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: danr@izzy.net
Message-ID: <7e5t5a$423$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146569

I've read through many of the posts on here about amateur radio dying out, and while I'm not quite so pessimistic as some, amateur radio is certainly not what it was even 10 or 15 years ago. I don't want to bemoan that fact, but try to figure out what to do about it.

Specifically, I want to breathe some new life into our club. It would be a shame to see this club go under, as it operates several local repeaters and provides communications for several local events, as well as works with the Red Cross in emergency situations.

So, if any of you have ideas which can help us increase our membership and encourage the membership to be more active, I'd love to hear them.

Thanks and 73,

Dan KB6NU

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

151. Re: Guy rope-type?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: munsch@ibm.net
Message-ID: <37067412@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 146570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Phillystran

--
Crazy George

152. Re: Amateur Radio Poll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403152731.05160.00001878@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 146571

1. No.

153. Re: Amateur Radio Poll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403152754.05160.00001879@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 146672

2. No.

154. Re: Amateur Radio Poll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403152810.05160.00001880@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 146673

3. N/A

155. Re: Amateur Radio Poll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403152831.05160.00001881@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 146674

4. Absolutely not.

156. Re: QST SKN -- RESULTS 1999 SILENT KEY NIGHT QSO PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403154248.05160.00001884@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 146675

>Subject: Re: QST SKN -- RESULTS 1999 SILENT KEY NIGHT QSO PARTY
>From: "Jones" <nomail@nomail.com>
>Date: 4/1/99 12:51 AM Eastern Standard Time
>Message-id: <7dv25ohig1@news.orbitworld.net>
>
>
>Shawn O'Donnell wrote
>> RESULTS: 1999 SKN (SILENT KEY NIGHT) QSO PARTY
>
>
>This is a very grave subject. We all need to set some ghouls to win a
>contest, but trying to work all SK's is likely to be a dead end. Especially
>when digging around for that contact. The smell might get you coffin. The
>cold and dark might even give you a code. The rigs they use are likely
>de-parted. And you don't stand a ghost of a chance...
>
>
>

I don't know where to send/bring my QSLs/logs to get my W.A.S.K award. (That long wire underground loop finally came in handy!)

Thanks to: ST1FF, G0UL, and GH0ST for their un-dying support during this contest.

de Tom KB2FIK
Tbone107@aol.com

157. FS: Motorola STX 800 Trunk/Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ST1A55@msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uC8CnUhf#GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

STX With Full Keypad/Display $200.00 Or Best Offer
For More Info And Picture Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

Or contact me at: ST1A55@msn.com

158. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "ST1A55@msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OHWXxThf#GA.281@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 With Keypad $250.00 Or Best Offer
For More Info And Picture Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

Or contact me at: ST1A55@msn.com

159. Re: GAP, and MFJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403160117.05160.00001891@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 146678

>Also, how good of equipment does MFJ build? I know years ago that MFJ stood
>>> for *Mighty Fine Junk*.

Just like Honda cars in the '60s, they too were junk mobiles. But as they sold the cheap affordable cars, they made substancial profit and put a lot into product research and development. Now look where Honda is. MFJ apparently has committed a similar act of business savy. They were pretty much a novalty junk company when they first came on the scene producing wanted accessories that were not quite up to the standard of the day quality wise, but they were inexpensive and sold a lot of their junk. They, as did Honda motor cars, put a lot of profit back into the company. While they still sell a lot of what some would call junk, (trinkets, etc) also while selling other stuff from other companies under their name, most of their higher-end top shelf items are up to if not beyond industry standards. Their quality to price ratio is seemingly very good. While their equipment may not be as good as the absolute best of the best available on the market anywhere for any price, stuff you can see for many many hundreds of dollars, their equipment lives up to and surpasses the expectations of most hams and SWLers. I've had a lot of their equipment, and still have some. I've had their 986 Differential T 3kw roller-inductor tuner for nearly 10 years (or so) and love it....didn't pay a kings ransom and got a great, solid, reliable tuner. I even use an MFJ tuner in my Honda! Good Luck.

73 de TomKB2FIK
Tbone107@aol.com

160. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfcommsys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403160459.06279.00001822@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 146679

AES has usually treated me OK on the phone, but when I'm in the Cleveland area I usually visit their Cleveland, OH store. One thing I hate about their Cleveland store is that the salespeople are more interested in taking phone sales than taking care of customers in their store. If you don't get in their face, they will ignore you. A simple "may I help you?" from their salespeople would be nice for a change!

161. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. A. Legris" <jlegrix@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <370680BD.37C0@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 146680
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
...
> Check out the TxDACs from Analog Devices ... like the AD9761 and its
> cousins ... or similatr products from Harris or TI .... you could
> generate the noise with the DAC at a lower frequency and mix it up ...
> if your data rate is only 200 kHz or so the bandwidth of your IF
> probably isn't all that wide ... you should be able to filter out
> mixer spurious and still have a pretty flat noise spectrum over the
> band of interest.
>
...

Sounds like a good idea, but shouldn't a bit-error rate measurement
include both in-band and out-of-band noise?

--
Joseph Legris

To reply, correct the x.

162. Lot Of Stuff For Sale **Revised**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiodoc37@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403163546.06482.00001974@ng152.aol.com>
Source record: 146681

Mike K.
(805) 526-5487
(805) 376-4457 Voice Pager

Kenwood TS530s HF Transceiver, kenwood MC50 Mic and Manual $400.00 SOLD

Kenwood TS 430S, AM filter, general coverage TX/RX, stock mic, Manual,
Some scrathes on cover, face excellent, No FM board. $425.00

Cubic/Swan 102 BX solid state HF transceiver, Dual PTO tuning Dials, Passband indicator,
speech processor etc..Matching Power supply /Speaker. Manuals. $380.00

Qty 2 Tram D201s each in need of minor repairs, with Sams $150.00 each

Tram D201, good condition, Great AM tx and rx, SSB receive a bit weak,
probable needs a tube, have not had time to work on it, with manual and SAMs
$250.00

Redco Digi Scan -5, RDS-02, I think it's for use with a O2A PLL $60.00

Eico 720 HF CW transmitter, Cabinet need painted, Inside is super clean,
Untested $75.00

Homebrew 10 Meter amplifier, uses three 24 volt versions of the 6146 tube, Made from a military transceiver PA section. Separate power supply made from Mil parts. Fairly compact modules, Peak readings of 200 watts. $150.00

Bearcat 210 scanner $30.00 SOLD

D&A Mfg. T-600 , 10 tube amplifier Later version of the Phantom 500, Black,
in excellent condition
10-20-40-80 meters, all tubes in great shape, Keys 500 watts swings 1000 Pep, a super clean unit
$400.00

D&A Mfg. Maverick 250 , 8 tube 10 meter amplifier, tubes all in good shape,
6LQ6's recently replaced with NOS stock $300

Phantom 500 10 meter amplifier, Needs 10 6LQ6s (Ouch!) $150.00 Sold

Texas Star Killer Bee HD250V, 10 meter amplifier, Class C, Direct keyed only
$85.00

Varmint XL350, 3 tube, 10 meter amplifier, With the famous "Super Mod" switch,
Clean,
Tubes 80% or better Swings 500 pep on YS-60 peak meter. $250.00

Heathkit SB201 10-20-40-80 Linear amplifier, Fresh 572B Tubes, Manual, Works great $375.00

Crate Stealth 60 Tube Guitar amp, In great condition. Manual $200.00

Yamaha 12 string acoustic, beautiful guitar with case!! $500.00

Yamaha RX11 Drum Machine $100.00

Rack mount Lab power supply, Power Ten Inc. Model 3300D-10010, 0-100 VDC, 0-10 Amps,
Voltage and current LCD read outs, Clean $200.00

Bird 4391 Analyst, Microprocessor controlled CW power / Pep Power / Modulation /
and more, uses bird 43 slugs. Carrying case, manual, $400.00

Bird slug 50-125 Mhz, 5,000 W Peak mode / 1000W Max average Power $60.00
Like new, low use

Bird slug 50-125 Mhz, 10,000 W Peak mode / 1000W Max average Power $60.00
Like new, low use

Siltronics model 90 VFO -6 $85.00 Clean

Alan CTE HQ135 25-29 Mhz Wattmeter 10/100/1000 watt scales, illuminated, Low use like new in box $40.00

Alan CTE 36" apartment dwellers antenna, adjustable swr, Low use Like New $25.00

Alinco DJ-S11 Mini 2 meter hand held, in box, low use, slight scratch on front $65.00

Cushcraft R5 five band Vertical, uses short counterpoise radials $150.00

Radio Shack Digital SWR/Power meter RMS and PEP 0-30 Mhz $30.00

Watts 0-160 PSI precision Regulator & Sub-regulator filter block assemblies NEW $100.00 Ea.

Recoton CBM430 Amplified Desk Mic $20.00

Mirage B3016 2 meter FM/SSB amplifier, with preamp, 30 in 160 Watts out. $200.00 Sold

SBE Trinidad AM Base, Excellent condition with Manual and D104 Mic $120.00

Realistic TRC459, AM/SSB 40Channel CB ,unique flat console design, dial a watt, Stock Mic. $130.00

Sears Road talker 40 AM/SSB 40 channel Mobile, In box, Low usage, No Manual, Clean No Mods $100 POSSIBLY SOLD

Sears Road talker Base/Mobile 40 channel AM/SSB, In box, Low usage, No Manual , clean, No Mods $100 SOLD

Uniden HR2600 with chipswitch modification, 575-M6 mic, Manual and chipswitch manual $260.00

Yaesu FRG 7 SW receiver, good condition $160.00

Ameritron AL 811 HF Amplifier uses 3 811 tubes, minor flaw on face plate, 7.5 to 8 on condition, works perfect, full output with manual $400

Complete ammunition reloading set up, 2 Presses, scale, several dies, tumbler, Case trimmer, books, Brass, 2 powder drops, trickler, A whole lot of stuff ...dies for 223, 45 long colt, 7mm Rem mag, 30-30, 308, 22 hornet, 30 carbine and others $320.00

Craftsman compressor 4 HP 30 Gal, In good condition, with hose and regulator/seperator setup $200 Local pick up only in the Simi Valley Ca. area

Roland 4 track multi-tracker recording system, Higher end model, Nice mixer/EQ section. Not sure of the model #, must check in storage. $300.00 Clean condition, with manual

* I buy, sell and trade vacuum tubes

Soon to be repaired and for sale:
Phantom 500 HF 10 meter amplifier, good tubes, good condition $380.00

All items open to trade
I'm looking for:
Drake equipment and accessories
Bird 43
Bird HF slugs
Digital camera
Yaesu Y0 100 scope
Yaesu FV101 VFO
Electro Voice Mics
Johnson Viking II with Johnson VFO
Collins 30L1 in good condition
Collins R390A
MFJ antenna analyzer. The one with resistance read out
Drake RV-7 VFO
Power supply for the Drake TR 7
Yaesu FT-7 in very good condition
or ??? what do you have?
Astatic 10DA SSB mic head
Astatic Night Eagle
Yaesu FL2100B

JPG Pictures available on some items *

--The stuff that will never make it to the bench for repair--
Below sold as is:

Siltronics Albatrose 23 channel AM/SSB mobile with big ol venier slider knob $25.00 Works, Occasional Intermittent TX

Pierce Simpson Bengal AM/SSB 23 channel base SSB works AM doesn't $30.00

Zachery T AM Base No TX week RX $30.00

President Washington w/ freqs and slider (Worked perfect before UPS got ahold of it) Came back from
Hawaii , No TX or RX, Possible damaged loop mixer crystal $60.00

Robyn tiger 23C Needs Audio transistor $10.00

Messenger 250 23 channel base CB, beautiful gold and brown, good cosmetic condition, Possible power supply problem $40.00

Icom IC230 2 meter parts radio, No Knobs $20.00 TX works.

*All items do not include shipping.
*Shipping Via UPS ground unless otherwise stated
*All items guaranteed to work unless otherwise stated.
* Most larger items are professionally packaged and double boxed.
* Buyer splits packing charges.
* Most prices negotiable.
* Use of 10 meter amps on 11 meters is illegal.
* References available upon request.

163. WTB GE Lowband CMVP's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: pjobrien@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e666e$bd2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146682

Wanted to buy "23" band 35-42MHZ GE Custom MVP's or ExecII's. I do not need accessories.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

164. Re: Wish I Could Broadcast This

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <370698A0.3188@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146683
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.audio.tubes

W.B. wrote:
>
> Ok,
> let's lay this one to rest here. The issue at hand is not weather or
> not we should be able to have guns, but weather or not we are going to
> keep giving up our Constitutional rights.

> > >I believe it was Jefferson who said "Our freedoms are protected by three
> > >boxes: the soap-box, the ballot-box and
> > >the cartridge box"

> Bill B.

Minor point, but the quote sounds fake. I believe that muskets were the
cutting edge of military technology in Jefferson's time. I think paper
cartridges didn't come until about 1850.

Ed

165. Re: No Spam!!! 3799

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <bc@avlist.com>
Message-ID: <7e68ad$9fo$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Of course the link is no good!

wjrmyk@GetResponse.com wrote in message <7e17l0$n130@www1.siast.sk.ca>...
>At Last! A Truly Moderated Safe Email list!
>Get your message out to thousands without spamming! Lucrative two tier
reseller option.
>http://dalesafe.com/index.cgi/AK1433
>
>loyjqwsjzsiiffehecmufiutxzpzngfunhdzljkqzgldj
>

166. Re: Is the Lincoln & 2510 the same?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <3706AA15.AD3CF68A@four-way.net>
Source record: 146685
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

YES the Lincoln is the overseas model of the 2510 and is already
modified for frequency range

Marnie wrote:

> Is the Uniden 2510 & the Uniden Lincoln the same radio?
> Can the Lincoln be modified to cover 10 & 11 meters?
> Thanks
> raymare@bellatlantic.net

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

167. Re: Is the Uniden 2510 & the Lincoln the same radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <3706AA43.82420691@four-way.net>
Source record: 146686
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

YES the Lincoln is the overseas model of the 2510 and is already
modified

Ray P wrote:

> Is the Uniden 2510 & the Uniden Lincoln the same radio?
> Can the Lincoln be modified to cover 10 & 11 meters?
> Thanks
> raymare@bellatlantic.net

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

168. Re: 10, 11 meter help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <3706AA9F.7A68AC81@four-way.net>
Source record: 146687
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

You can still get both but USED not NEW.

Ray P wrote:

> I was hoping to find out if the Uniden Lincold radio is still sold.
> If not, what is another good radio that can cover the 10 & 11 meter bands??
> Perhaps an 11 meter radio that can be modified to cover 10 meters?
> Ray

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

169. Re: 27.445mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403185702.15600.00002004@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 146688

Ah, the notorious "freeband."
As an outgrowth of CB, operation here is illegal. Most of the operators you hear here are using modified equipment, much of it intended for the amateur bands.

Once these guys get a ham license, they display their freeband, illegal past by constantly asking for "the mods" to every 2 meter rig you can imagine! Sometimes they even refer to "the freeband mods" on a 2 meter rig, but mostly they SAY they "need" these modifications to use their 2 meter ht to: a)use for airband radio backup b)to use as a volunteer with some local fire department c)"just in case" they need to make an emergency call on a police frequency d)have a higher power rig for the Family Radio Service, etc. They also commonly claim to be hams, but somewhere in theri studies for the ham license they failed to learn about type-acceptance.

As for the operators in the freeband kinda sounding like hams, listen a bit more and you will pick up the differences. Like they don't like to give their actual QTH, or if they are asking for a QSL, they have a PO Box. Finally, they seldom say anything beyond "You're loud here, am I loud there?" I realise that telling these two styles apart is difficult, since so many of the former outlaws who are now hams on 10m and carry on the same style of QSO. They like to break in to a QSO in progress to say, "I just wanted to tell you how strong you are here, how are you hearing me?" They seldom add anything to a QSO by way of discussion on the topic at hand, and leave quickly. But, boy, do they get irrate if you ignore them, or imply that your conversation is not a freefor all! Then they revert to their down home, everybody's a good ol' boy redneck, and why are you being so uppity? Because for them, radio is one big party line. Beginning with 23, then 40, and finally 800 channels, they got used to every conversation being a public display.

Lets see now, can I be any more offensive? Yeah, but I'll save it for next time!

KMB

170. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7e6cnf$7qo$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146689
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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J. A. Legris <jlegrix@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:370680BD.37C0@sympatico.ca...
> Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
> ...
> > Check out the TxDACs from Analog Devices ... like the AD9761 and its
> > cousins ... or similar products from Harris or TI .... you could
> > generate the noise with the DAC at a lower frequency and mix it up ...
> > if your data rate is only 200 kHz or so the bandwidth of your IF
> > probably isn't all that wide ... you should be able to filter out
> > mixer spurious and still have a pretty flat noise spectrum over the
> > band of interest.
> >
> ...
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>
> Sounds like a good idea, but shouldn't a bit-error rate measurement
> include both in-band and out-of-band noise?
>
> --
> Joseph Legris
>
> To reply, correct the x.

Joseph ... I'm aSSuming :-) that your IF (at 70 MHz, if I
recall correctly) is bandlimited such that the dominant
signal (and noise) seen by the demodulator *is* in-band.

73,

- - --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org
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171. Re: 10, 11 meter help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3706BA4E.E0C8782D@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146690

Why do you need both 10 and 11 meter capability?

Ray P wrote:

> I was hoping to find out if the Uniden Lincold radio is still sold.
> If not, what is another good radio that can cover the 10 & 11 meter bands??
> Perhaps an 11 meter radio that can be modified to cover 10 meters?
> Ray

172. WTB Sony AN-LP1 Active Antenna w/Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Bo <jbollit@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3706D423.BB01DF1F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146691

Want to buy Sony AN-LP1 active antenna with controller.

Please state condition and price.

Thanks in advance.

Jim
WA9ZBV

173. Alinco DJ-580 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n2vtw@delphi.com
Message-ID: <ZBW7Iyw.n2vtw@delphi.com>
Source record: 146692

Does anyone have any advice or knowledge on how to replace the DJ-580's DTMF keypad and/or the plastic window over the display? Is the plastic window held in place with screws, or is it fastened in some other way? Also, has anyone else had the soft case made by Alinco rub parts of the characters off of the DTMF keys? Thanks.

Ben S. Bertz

174. dbl room for dayton hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick258s@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1170a6a5109682f19896a6@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146693

Anyone know of any room available for Dayton Hamvention. Did not think I was going to be able to attend but now it looks like I will if I can find a room with a double bed for the 13,14,&15th. If anyone is holding an extra room they may want to release, please let me know at wa5rt@amsat.org. Thanks 73 Rick wa5rt
--
To reply to me, please remove the "s" in my reply to address.
Sorry for the inconvenience, but this seems to help reduce spam mail. Thanks Rick

175. Re: FS: Radio Booklist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <7e8ptg$455$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 146572

Thanks but I don't care to buy a list of books.
Bil
W7WKM

In a previous article, jtravis@buncombe.main.nc.us () says:

>Somewhere here I mentioned that I have a Radio Booklist available
> for you ...if you send me an email for it, please ask for the
>Radio Booklist as I have other lists!! Thanks...there's really a lot
> of ARRL, Other Technical, and old/rare electronic
>books going back to the early 1900's..Here's my email:
>
>
>
>jtravis@buncombe.main.nc.us
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
--
Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

176. How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Harshbarger <rnharsh@visi.com>
Message-ID: <plSN2.35$nb3.5333@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 146573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...

73
Ron H. K3PID

177. How much is a Yaesu FT-707 with tuner worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3707f2fa.58835849@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146574

All is in great shape. How much is it worth? Thanks.

178. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: CitySlicker <mannod@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <7e9083$fit@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 146575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

This thread would be better on a Ham NG so please take it there.

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7e83c8$q4v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
:In article <7dgjji$cf2$1@usenet46.supernews.com>,
: ImNOT@home.now.net (I hate CB) wrote:
:>
:> This will keep CBers and other stupid people out of the ham bands and
require
:> more studying for a license. If we had had the 90% passing rule a long
time
:> ago then we wouldn't have any stupid people on the ARRL board of
directors
:> today.
:> SEE BELOW..
:> The two year non-renewable no-code license sounds like a great idea too!
:I'll buy that.
:> Save CW, Tell the ARRL to KISS OFF!
:
:As a mugwump on the subject I say - You can save CW for TRADITION or kiss
it
:off but you should make more comprehensive theory exams for TECHNOLOGY. I
am
:an ARRL member. I do not blindly follow all of the ARRL leaders
:concepts...but I do know that Hams need the ARRL just as the ARRL needs
hams.
:
:I must say that I agree that the above concept of 100% pass would be a step
:in the right direction and as such it is not IMHO a bad idea. HOWEVER I do
:not believe that it is enough to make future Hams much better qualified
than
:at present. If we continue to use fixed Q & A exams we will still have
:applicants who can score 100% and not have the slightest idea of the
meanings
:of any of the questions or their answers. We will still have many who
:believe that an answer is the correct choice only because it was the
correct
:answer in the Q & A pool book. Another important point IMHO is that we need
:more classes.... that is Ham license classes... so that sequential exams
can
:be given with time between them for serious progressive study.
Communication
:technology can not be learned with only four exams or less...I suggest at

:least eight. A final point that I must make here is that the content of the
:exams and the level of the technology must be brought up to modern
standards.
: We can not just test for the current ham modes and technologies but should

:test for the knowledge that you can expect of a Ham who is prepared to be a
:modern day experimenter especially for the highest class Ham tickets. This
:means that many of the people who now get involved in generating the Ham
:exams may not be qualified themselves and we need to get more up dated
people
:involved. We need people who are at the level of understand Shannon and
:information theory, for example, to write the questions or at least to
decide
:what types of questions are now important in the real world of electronic
:communication. PLEASE keep thinking, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Hams
:need more license classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (Idiots Logically Pass?) -- .-
:-..- .. -- -- Sexy
:girls will always pass tests when the professors remark on
curves. --w2ilp--
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:------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
:http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

179. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Feustel <feustel@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37080456.6EC5173E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146576

There are scientists who now say that solar flares occasionally occur that
are so large that they can kill almost all life on the planet.
Such a flare (i.e. a flare that ejects so much plasma that it will actually
hit the ground) has been predicted for earth in July.
What makes this interesting is that several 'clairvoyants'
with verifiably good track records have independently predicted
planet-wide catastrophes occuring within 3 days of each other this summer.
See Art Bell's website (http://www.artbell.com) for more details.

Robert Casey wrote:
>
> In article <19990401021601.29248.00000574@ng-fz1.aol.com> bcolenso@aol.com (BColenso)
writes:
> >>Scentists on tv are showing the sun with its big S spots and sayeing
> >>that all kinds of hard radiaion coems out of them when they become sun
> >>spots. They brake sattlites and mess up radios and I wonder if the
> >>slower flares could hit us on the ground? There are pple in my trailer
> >>park who are scared of that stuff and I thought I woud ask the experts.
> >>==========
> >
> No need to worry about it. What gets thru the Earth's magnetosphere gets
> stopped by the Earth's upper atmosphere. Life has long since evolved to
> not be bothered by what does get to the surface over millions of years.
> The Sun has been belching out this crap for billions of years.

--
David Feustel
Fort Wayne, Indiana
219-483-1857

Wacha gonna du wen de cum 4 u

http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Realm/9485/index.html#camps

180. QSLs On The Web

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Doob <fdoob@solder-it.com>
Message-ID: <37080253.CB0AC2F7@solder-it.com>
Source record: 146577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Lots of new entries for your voting at http://www.solder-it.com/qsl

And lets have YOUR QSL card or pix for a chance to win a Deluxe
Micro-Jet Torch. You do not have to visit our site to enter or to vote.

Entries to:

QSLs On The Web
Solder-It Co.
Box 20100
Cleveland, OH 44120-0100

Include "Permission to post."

Votes to vote@solder-it.com

73,

Fred, K8PP
Solder-It Co.
Dayton Booths # 5 Main Arena and #1404 in the Tent

181. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7e944qskr1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 146578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Caig brand DeOxit.
Pricey, but small can goes long way.

Ron Harshbarger wrote in message ...
>What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The
>actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
>would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...
>
>73
>Ron H. K3PID
>
>

182. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Irv Finkleman <finkirv@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <37081C2C.D2EBD0C4@cadvision.com>
Source record: 146579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.
Irv VE6BP

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> actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
> would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...
>
> 73
> Ron H. K3PID

183. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Monett <add@csolve.net>
Message-ID: <3708185B.4AB9@csolve.net>
Source record: 146580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Irv Finkleman wrote:
>
> WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
> Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.
> Irv VE6BP

[...]

Good Stuff! I find it works wonders on pots also.

Some people have mentioned a conern about gummy residue buildup.

Have you noticed any problems, or had units returned later because of
WD-40?

Best Regards,

Michael R. Monett,
Automated Production Test
mailto:add@csolve.net

184. FS: VHF Motorola Micor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Harris <kc2bcg@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7e9a4h$if3$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have for Sale a Motorola Micor VHF 4 channel radio. It does 110 watts and includes:
Control Head, Microphone, and Instruction Manual. The Manual has all the Alignment procedures, schematics, diagrams, and circuit descriptions. I am selling this unit because of a lack of interest by my Radio Club to pursue putting up a repeater.
I am asking $150 for the whole thing including shipping to the lower 48 states.

Model # T73RTN3190A Serial # OG670J

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73,
kc2bcg
George
kc2bcg@worldnet.att.net

185. FS:RS PRO-62 HH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew <xandrew@tropicom.net>
Message-ID: <37082C2D.550D9512@tropicom.net>
Source record: 146582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,red.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Hand Held Scanner - includes, supplied antenna, rechargable nicads (that hold a good charge), and a wall charger.

Unit is in excellent condition with the exception of a few tiny surface scratches in the display that you can only see if you hold the radio on an angle, it does not affect seeing the display at all.

Receives:
30-54
118-136.975
137-174
380-512
806-823.9875
849.0125-868.9875
894.0125-960

I will sell this for $125 + shipping to anywhere in the continental US.

This radio is guranteed to work 100% on arrival and be in the exact condition as stated.

--
********** DO NOT AUTOREPLY **********

TO REPLY REMOVE THE 'X' FROM MY EMAIL
ADDRESS. ANTI SPAM MEASURES IN EFFECT

XANDREW@TROPICOM.NET

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186. FS:RS PRO-62 HH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew <xandrew@tropicom.net>
Message-ID: <3708302F.3845E107@tropicom.net>
Source record: 146583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Hand Held Scanner 200 Channels - includes, supplied antenna,
rechargable nicads (that hold a good charge), and a wall charger.

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scratches in the display that you can only see if you hold the radio on
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187. FS: Sony ICF-SW55 Shorwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew <xandrew@tropicom.net>
Message-ID: <370833B7.4BCCA472@tropicom.net>
Source record: 146584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have for sale a Sony Shortwave Receiver Model ICF-SW55 in brand new condition. Currently being offered on Ebay. See link below for complete item description, picture and current bid.

AUCTION ENDS APRIL 7th at 11:50PM.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=85471029

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XANDREW@TROPICOM.NET

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188. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <5CED99FACF6F2CAB.1536330F1AE865B0.1611A05C95CE89D0@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146585
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bob Lewis wrote:
> Perhaps instead of jamming broadcasters the government
> should just file criminal charges against them for
> interfering with an investigation and aiding
> the criminals by supplying them with intelligence.

Now there is a case that a prosecutor could never
make a jury believe. Intelligence from a know-nothing
news media, the prostitutes and handmaidens of the
the FASCIST Clinton regime? Surely you are kidding!!!
Or is this just more half-baked idiocy from the
liberal left?
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <36B2015AB6677684.B364653D14A4865F.75E1D4C9ADE051B6@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146586
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

CommQuart wrote:
> Take your sorry ass to North Korea, China, Irag,
> Libya, Iran or perhaps 30 or so other countries, and
> spew your nonsense about their governments. THEN
> you may come back and cry some more about the
> "sovereignty of the individual" in the USA; and how
> MY constititutional rights are being violated. Providing
> your not rotting in jail....
>
> Again, if you aren't a citizen of the USA, what is YOUR problem
> with our rights???

The problem is that YOU have no respect for your rights,
and I do. As for going to North Korea, they will not let
me in because they know that I would be looking for my
father's crash site, and forcing accountability for MIA's
and return of remains.

Even though I am not an American citizen, I am a Christian
and I was born here and I am extended the same rights as
those who are American citizens, here defined as those
disloyal to the country and her people, while supporting
every criminal action the the FASCIST bastards carry out
against Christians. If the crap fits, wear it.

Had God wanted me to carry out His work elsewhere, I would
have been born elsewhere. Either live with it, or take your
bellyaching to God and see what respect you get from Him.
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From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <0B5D14CBD0F82A7A.39AB9EB034FD46BD.F68E9AD8A0A3086F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146587
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hawke wrote:
> I asked ylou in private, now I ask you in piblic;
> where is your documentation?
>
> your statemens in public (and in priivate) either make you
> appear to be paranoid, r an enemy terrorist.

>From the display of illiteracy shown above, do you really expect us to believe that you can read evidence? I repeat the offer, but I am quickly running short of patience. You must specify the document. If not, we will all know that your tantrum is that and nothing else. Either specify the document or expose yourself as a deliberately ignorant whiner.

Returning to the original point of this thread at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch, engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and, with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying emergency communications critical to safety of human life. As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of Information Act, using an exemption of documents not allowed under the list of exempted documents types. Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis that I have figured out what the nature and content of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to verify my logical, analytical and deductive work that has narrowed down the documents almost to the point of writting them myself. Actually, I already

have two of the documents, and stand ready to
publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the
country, and post them from a safe place.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
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191. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <BE385F90B4AFC489.D196AA14E90BF7D8.98693318EAA1B48F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146588
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

JJ wrote:

> Then I suppose you have already booked your flight to
> another counrty. Their loss is our gain.

Well, my travel agent has repeated informed me that there
are nations, principalities, protectorates, territories
and some countries, but there are no COUNRTIES. Go back to
school and learn to spell, you illiterate DIPWAD.

I am here because I have work to do here. That work is to
restore liberty to a bunch of ignorant, backward, willfully
stupid, God-hating vermin who wouldn't know freedom if it
bit them on the ass.

I have read the Book of the Revelations, I know how this
episode of life ends, and your side loses. Really, how
could your side win? You can't even spell.

I know that I will be accused of casting pearls before
swine...but I leave you with some wisdom. If you use
it, you could rise above verminhood to become a man.

To transform the world, we must
begin with ourselves; and what is
important in beginning with our-
selves is the intention. The intention
must be to understand ourselves and
not to leave it to others to transform
themselves... This is our responsibility,
yours and mine; because, however
small may be the world we live in, if
we can bring about a radically different
point of view in our daily existence,
then perhaps we shall affect the world
at large."
-- J. Krishnamurti, "Self Knowledge,"
in The First and Last Freedom
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From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <83DB70AE505DD557.D146E5D9EF1D317A.0B9083AFABF1A234@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146589
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hawke wrote:
> As I thought, you might show your true colors.
>
> You see, I was born here. I spent time in other countries
> and have found them lacking (so is the US, but so what).
>
> If you hate it so much here, then leave!

First, I am not a hater. But there is crime which I can
not condone: infanticide. Most Americans have no problem
with it, or the genocide that was carried out at Waco,
and funded with your tax dollars. This is why I am not
an American and I do not pay taxes which I do not owe.

You are wrong about my true colors, I have only one:
the shed blood of Jesus Christ. To Him alone I owe
my allegiance and my life. I am here at His pleasure
to do His work. If you have a problem with it, take
it up with Him. I am here until God's work is done.
If you desire me to leave quickly then you will have
to overcome your redneck Jingoism and help me do God's
work.

Since I am not your enemy, but you are...I leave you
with this help: an encouragement to become a part of
the solution rather than a part of the problem:

To transform the world, we must
begin with ourselves; and what is
important in beginning with our-
selves is the intention. The intention
must be to understand ourselves and
not to leave it to others to transform
themselves... This is our responsibility,
yours and mine; because, however
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we can bring about a radically different
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193. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <37083886.292D@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 146590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Ed wrote:
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> >>
> >> WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
> >> Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.
>
> For the life of me, I don't see how anyone can have good results CLEANING
> switch contacts with a petroleum based lubricant. LUBRICANT is used to
> lubricate.... that is, it leaves a slick deposit to reduce friction of parts
> that tend to rub together and protect parts from air and oxidation. CLEANing
> solutions are designed to clean contacts; that is, remove all dirt and
> residue from surfaces. This is just the opposite of a lubricant. You can't
> have both unless you use extremely expensive conductive grease type materials.
> WD 40 is not a good conductor. I would not want to coat small fine switch
> contacts with this material.

You might be surprised. Things like WD40 and TriFlow aren't conductors themselves, but they unquestiionably do aid in making good electrical contact. I had to convince myself of this -- I sprayed a deep puddle of TriFlow (which is basically WD40 with Teflon) on a piece of copper-clad board, then lightly brushed a single strand of #40 AWG (or something very close to it) through the puddle. An audible continuity tester showed the connection quality to be excellent -- the wire made much better, and more consistent, contact with the board surface underneath the pool of TriFlow than in a similar test where the wire and board were both left dry. I guessed the Teflon residue would interfere with conduction once the hydrocarbon carrier dried up, but that turned out not to be the case either.

That's not to say there isn't better stuff out there, but both experiment and experience suggest that WD40 is unjustly maligned. For pots, yes, you usually have to replace them in the end. But for dirty wafer switches and such, there doesn't seem to be any real advantage to the more expensive stuff, as long as you're sure the WD40 won't attack any nearby components.

The distinction between a cleaner and a lubricant is not an important one in this case. Something that reduces the friction between two surfaces will also tend to get rid of unwanted particulates between them.

-- jm KE5FX

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Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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194. Amateur Radio: Elmers List Info and Administrivia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: pschleck@novia.net
Message-ID: <radio/ham-radio/elmers/README-1-923273774@novia.net>
Source record: 146591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,rec.answers,news.answers

Posted-By: auto-faq 3.3 (Perl 5.004)
Archive-name: radio/ham-radio/elmers/README
Posting-Frequency: posted on the first Monday of each month
URL: http://www.novia.net/~pschleck/elmers/

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Amateur Radio: Elmers List Info and Administrivia

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A Brief Historical Overview

If there is any one constant in the changing state of the communications art, it is that "Hams" (Amateur Radio Operators) have always been on the forefront of it. Rumors abound where the term "Ham" came from. Some of the more amusing are described in the list of Frequently Asked Questions for this newsgroup.

Regardless of origin of the name, a "Ham" is universally recognizable as one who experiments in radio and communications.

Whether it be constructing a low-power CW radio with vacuum tubes, or designing TCP/IP packet networks, such experimentation has historically spilled over into the mainstream such as was the case with Howard Armstrong, who developed the regenerative oscillator and FM radio, or General Curtis E. LeMay (K0GRL, W6EZV) who was instrumental in making Single-Sideband the communications standard for the Strategic Air Command (1946-1992, now reorganized into a joint command called USSTRATCOM) and eventually the U.S. Air Force. Although packet-switching techniques originated from DARPA (Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency) and the ARPANet, no one can deny the

tremendous influence that amateurs, including those within TAPR (Tucson Amateur Packet Radio), have had in demonstrating the viability of TCP/IP and AX.25 communications via radio links. The efforts of AMSAT (the Amateur Satellite Corporation), including the development of many ham satellites and the low-orbiting Microsats (communications satellites no bigger than a breadbox that use store-and-forward packet techniques), have certainly advanced the state-of-the-art in communications, one of the defined purposes of the Amateur Radio Service, as recognized by international treaty.

What is an Elmer?

Since in many cases hams are writing "the book", there is often no "book" or other established reference for a beginner to refer to. Traditionally, information has been passed on from ham to ham via word-of-mouth. Like many of the traditional crafts, a variation of the Master-Apprentice system has emerged, the Elmer-Novice relationship.

The term Elmer has probably been in use since at least the 1950's (I'm told, but haven't yet confirmed, that it appears in British amateur radio publications from that period). The name Elmer was likely chosen because Elmers are usually older and wiser, having the benefit of many years in the hobby, including several failed projects, and an electric shock or two. The first U.S. reference to Elmer in print was from Rod Newkirk, W9BRD, in his "How's DX" column in QST from the early-to-mid-1970's.

Such Elmers have traditionally been the mainstay of amateur radio, and the source of many new hams, particularly those interested in working on emerging technologies. Even more importantly, Elmers provided an outlet for the impatient newcomer who wanted "to know everything, and right away." Faced with such a request, a good Elmer will smile and proceed to lead the novice through some project or operating experience. Several hours, days, or weeks later, the novice would have his answers, but would have earned them. Even better, the sense of accomplishment would boost the novice's confidence and nudge him or her down the road to being a model, experienced ham operator.

Many present hams feel that such an experience is missing today. In today's hustle-bustle world, the response to such natural curiosity and desire to learn is, more often than not, "I'm too busy" or "RTFM." As a result, the quality of new hams declines and the knowledge and operating habits they develop in their first formative months and years leave much to be desired. And the very same hams who claim that they "can't understand the new generation" also, in almost the same breath, lament about the "decline of amateur radio."

What is an Elmer Today?

An Elmer today is of any age, male or female, who has some expertise and is willing to share it with beginners. Elmers don't even need to be licensed amateurs, just people with knowledge in some area of electronics or communications technology.

How do I become an Internet Elmer?

With the ever-widening scope of the Internet, the amateur radio newsgroups on Usenet, and now the World-Wide Web, the potential for Elmers to share their knowledge to a wide audience has never been greater. To that end, I maintain a list of such Elmers. Volunteers may register via my formatted, on-line, World-Wide Web Registration Form:

http://www.novia.net/~pschleck/elmers/register.html

I would prefer that you register using the above form (which not only ensures that nothing is omitted, but also makes adding your entry much easier by automatically converting it to HTML). However, volunteers who are not yet on the Web are also quite welcome, and may register by writing me at elmers-request@novia.net with their name, amateur radio callsign(s) (if any), E-mail address, and area(s) of expertise. URL-format pointers to resources they maintain, such as WWW home pages, FTP archives, mail servers, or mailing lists, would also be quite welcome. The list has gotten large enough that there should be plenty of suitable examples to model your entry after. If you need some further assistance formatting your entry, drop me a line and tell me a bit about yourself. Ironically, sometimes the best Elmers write to me saying, "I'm not an expert, but..."

I have set up an administrivia mailbox for correspondence related to this list (elmers-request@novia.net, the default Reply-To: of this message when posted to Usenet News). I would prefer that all such correspondence be directed to that address. In addition to saving it into a special folder, my incoming E-mail filter will also send you an automated return-receipt.

Also, an unfortunate increase in the amount of unsolicited junk-mail that I receive (often dozens of messages _every day_) has forced me to become much more ruthless about filtering incoming E-mail. While I can guarantee that I will read all mail sent to elmers-request before the next month's posting of the list, mail sent to pschleck may not only not get reviewed for some time, my incoming mail filter (procmail) may even bounce it back to the sender if it can't be automatically categorized as originating from known, friendly senders or have known, welcome keywords in the headers (Elmer is obviously one of those keywords).

Those desiring a more extensive list, or who need more specific assistance, are encouraged to contact Rosalie White, WA1STO, Educational Services Manager at the American Radio Relay League, 225 Main St., Newington, CT 06111 or via electronic mail addressed to rwhite@arrl.org.

How may I obtain the latest copy of the Elmers List?

There are currently 6 ways of obtaining the Elmers List. Any site at least reachable by Internet E-mail can use the Mailing-List or Mail-Server options:

World-Wide Web (WWW):

This is the recommended method for accessing the Elmers list, as it allows this resource to be viewed as hypertext. The home site at www.novia.net features immediate updates each month, hypertext-linked subject and geographic indexes, keyword searching, and registration and feedback forms. The other two sites use automatically-converted versions of the Usenet news articles, but are still usable, particularly if you are outside North America. The site marked with an asterisk also offers Wide-Area Information Service (WAIS) index searching by keyword for all Usenet News FAQ's:

* http://www.novia.net/~pschleck/elmers/
* http://www.lib.ox.ac.uk/internet/news/faq/rec.radio.amateur.misc.html
* http://www.cs.ruu.nl/cgi-bin/faqwais *

(_Note:_ Because of maintenance problems - FAQ documents not being promptly updated in particular - the sites at Ohio State and Smart Pages are no longer recommended for accessing a current copy of the Elmers List and have been removed from the above list.)

see also the newsgroups under comp.infosystems.www.* (I haven't listed URL's for all of the newsgroups under this hierarchy as there are now about a dozen of them (!!!).)

Usenet News:

This was the original distribution medium for the Elmers list. It continues to be supported for users who cannot access the World-Wide Web. Since the document uses URL's throughout, the news article version may also be viewed as hypertext via some mail and news readers. The latest copy of the list can be found in the news articles with Subjects like _"Amateur Radio: Elmers Resource Directory Part */*[*-*]"_ (The * represents a wildcard character, as the need to split the list evenly, as well as keep all parts under the 64K message limit for Usenet, requires that I adjust the split occasionally). Since the list is cross-posted to the following newsgroups:

* news:rec.radio.amateur.misc
* news:rec.radio.info
* news:rec.answers
* news:news.answers

on the first Monday of each month, with an expiration date 6 weeks into the future, there should always be a copy available at most news

sites. Check your newsreader documentation for information about reading previously-read articles or articles that are "threaded" to this one. Also complain to your local news administrator (E-mail to "news@localhost" or "usenet@localhost") if your local news server is configured to ignore Expires headers (and thus prematurely delete the articles) in worthwhile, mostly moderated, information newsgroups like those listed above.

Anonymous FTP:

If your site is directly connected to the Internet, you may retrieve the latest copy via File Transfer Protocol (FTP) from the following sites:

* ftp://ftp.novia.net/customers/pschleck/elmers/
* ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/
* ftp://ftp.uu.net/usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/

Internet Gopher:

The latest copy of the list should be available from the following Gopher sites:

* gopher://gopher.univ-lyon1.fr/
* gopher://ftp.win.tue.nl/
* gopher://gopher.win.tue.nl/

see also news:comp.infosystems.gopher

Mailing-List:

Since the list is cross-posted to rec.radio.info, the latest copy may be obtained from the mailing-list gateway for that newsgroup (along with many other informational articles about radio) when it is published each month. To subscribe, send E-mail to:

listserv@ucsd.edu

and in the BODY (not the Subject) of the message, write:

subscribe radio-info

The server may not be able to determine your return address. In that case write:

subscribe radio-info (your E-mail address)

You should get an acknowledgement very shortly.

Mail-Server:

If you don't want to read through the entire gateway of rec.radio.info, or want a copy of the list right away, send E-mail to:

mail-server@rtfm.mit.edu

and in the BODY (not the Subject) of the message, write:

send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/README
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/index/subject/part1
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/index/subject/part2
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/index/geographic
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part1
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part2
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part3
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part4
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part5
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part6
send usenet/news.answers/radio/ham-radio/elmers/diff

and the latest copy of the list should be sent to you E-mail within 24 hours (the mail-server uses batch priority to reduce system demand).

Acknowledgements

By using this resource, you are benefitting the net by obtaining assistance in the fastest and most efficient way possible. By volunteering to appear on this list, you are contributing to the good reputation of the radio-related newsgroups.

Thanks to all the volunteer Elmers, as well as courteous list users, for making this service a success.

--
73, Paul W. Schleck, K3FU
pschleck@novia.net (personal mail)
elmers-request@novia.net (Elmers List administrivia)

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195. Amateur Radio: Elmers List Subject Quick-Search Index Part 1/2 [A-L]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
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Posted-By: auto-faq 3.3 (Perl 5.004)
Archive-name: radio/ham-radio/elmers/index/subject/part1
Posting-Frequency: posted on the first Monday of each month
URL: http://www.novia.net/~pschleck/elmers/

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Amateur Radio: Elmers List Subject Quick-Search Index

(_Note:_ This index is not necessarily all-inclusive and some Elmers
are listed more than once.)

10-X INTERNATIONAL

* Arthur
* Aydogmus, B
* Aydogmus, N
* Bouthillier
* Forman
* Mosley
* Stetson
* Thompson

AMATEUR RADIO EMERGENCY SERVICE (ARES)/RADIO AMATEUR CIVIL EMERGENCY SERVICE
(RACES)/SKYWARN/OTHER EMERGENCY SERVICES

* Adams, I (ARES and SKYWARN)
* Adams, J (Delmont, PA ARES, ARRL OES, ARES/RACES WWW Page)
* Ammar
* Arthur (ARES and SKYWARN)
* Avnet (Fountain Valley, CA RACES)
* Ayers (RACES and SKYWARN)
* Bellamy (ARES)
* Boccardi (ARES/RACES/SKYWARN)
* Bourne (Deputy State ACS Officer - CA Governor's Office of
Emergency Services, Webmaster of National RACES WWW Site)
* Bouthillier (RI ARES)
* Boyd (ARES/RACES, SCV CA SEC, Shasta County CA RACES Radio
Officer/EC)
* Brown (Collier County, FL ARES EC)
* Buck (Hawaii)
* Calvert (SKYWARN, OK University Debris Project)
* Carlson (ARES/RACES)
* Childers (ARES/SKYWARN, Missouri-Illinois Regional SKYWARN

Association WWW Page)
* Colwell
* Crenshaw (Garland, TX, RACES Alerting Team, Unit 570)
* Curry (Trustee, Washington, DC RACES Repeater)
* Cushman (RACES, Huntington Beach, CA Certified Distaster Worker, Community Emergency Response Team Member, and Net Control Certification Instructor)
* Czaikowski (ARES, former VA RACES Radio Officer)
* Dibble (Barry County, MI, ARES EC and RACES Radio Officer)
* Forman (ARES/RACES OES)
* Gray (Arkansas Section)
* Hendershot (Josephine County, OR, Asst. EC)
* Henderson (ARES/RACES/SKYWARN)
* Ihry
* Jackson
* Johansen (ARES)
* Johnson, D (RACES and SKYWARN)
* Kibler (SKYWARN)
* Kruml (City of Redmond, WA RACES Radio Officer and Community Disaster Educator, EComm Pacific Northwest ARES Internet Mailing List)
* Kurtz (Certified Disaster Recovery Planner)
* Lacouture (RACES)
* Long (Schenectady County, NY, RACES and SKYWARN)
* Mello (SKYWARN)
* Meredith (SKYWARN)
* Mims (ARES District EC and MA Area II EMA RACES Radio Officer)
* Moell, A (Hospital Disaster Support Communications System and WWW Page)
* Morgan (ARES and SKYWARN)
* Morris (ARES)
* Moseson (ARES/RACES)
* Mosher (Marion County, OR, ARES)
* Mosely (ARES/SKYWARN)
* Nichols (ARES/RACES)
* Nickolaus (Dakota County, NE EC, Siouxland area SKYWARN spotter network)
* Nugent (ARES/SKYWARN, Greene County, OH, Red Cross DAT Coordinator)
* Patton (Commanche, TX, ARES EC and RACES EC, SKYWARN)
* Richardson, G (ARES)
* Richardson, W (ARES/RACES)
* Riddell
* Robinson (RACES/SKYWARN, EMT, Radiological, HAZMAT)
* Rodriguez (ARES/RACES, Mexico)
* Rogers (SKYWARN)
* Rossi (Essex Junction, VT RACES)
* Rymell (Assistant EC, Radio Officer and Chairman of Operations Committee for Lycoming County, PA ARES/RACES/SKYWARN)
* Scribner (ARES, Maine RACES Director)

* Smith, D (ARES/RACES)
* Smith, J (ARES and SKYWARN)
* Sohl, R (ARES/RACES)
* Springman (Lycoming County, PA ARES/RACES/SKYWARN, Assistant EMA Coordinator for Lycoming and Hepburn Townships, PA)
* Stetson (Burlington, VT ARES and Red Cross Volunteer)
* Wagner (ARRL OES)
* Winchell (ARESMAT Team Captain, RACES Team Leader, and SKYWARN NCS)

RADIO AMATEUR SATELLITE CORPORATION (AMSAT)

* Anderson
* Bauer (VP for Human Spaceflight Program, Member of SAREX Working Group, Member of US Delegation for ARISS, NASA/SAREX WWW Page)
* Boudda
* Bourne (Life Member)
* Di Mattia
* Gunton
* Jones (TAPR/AMSAT DSP-93 Kits)
* Lacouture
* Mancastroppa
* Marchant
* Nichols
* Nugent
* Richardson, G
* Seiler (Coordinator for BC Interior, S. AL, Canada)
* Sohl, R
* Williamson (Vice President for Electronic Publishing, WWW Page, Anonymous FTP Archive, E-mail Aliases, and Public Mailing Lists)

AMATEUR TELEPRINTER OVER RADIO (AMTOR)/GOLAY TELEPRINTER OVER RADIO (GTOR)/PACKET TELEPRINTER OVER RADIO (PACTOR)/RADIO TELETYPE (RTTY)

* Aerts (PACTOR)
* Balbert (PACTOR/RTTY)
* Beech
* Biccum (AMTOR/GTOR/PACTOR)
* Bouthillier (PACTOR)
* Cieslak, C (RTTY)
* Di Mattia
* Forman
* Hart (RTTY)
* Hendershot
* Jones (TAPR President, WWW Pages, FTP Archives, Mailing Lists, and Membership Info)
* Laakkonen (PACTOR)
* Leavey (73 Magazine RTTY Loop Column and WWW Page)
* Long
* Losty (AMTOR/PACTOR/SITOR)
* Mosher (RTTY)

* Neeson
* Nickolaus (RTTY)
* Quick (RTTY)
* Reynolds (FSK, PSK, MSK, Various Types of ARQ and FEC Systems)
* Richardson, G (RTTY)
* Richardson, H
* Scribner
* Shears
* Short (AMTOR, Clover, GTOR, PACTOR, BitBucket Specialized
Techniques Mailing List)
* Smith, D (AMTOR/PACTOR/RTTY)
* Sohl, R (AMTOR)
* Sussman (Publisher of PACTOR News WWW Page, Speaker and Host of
PACTOR Forum at Dayton Hamvention)
* Wagner (All HF Digital Modes, including FAX)
* Weingarten (AMTOR/PACTOR/RTTY)

AMERICA ON-LINE

* Harlan (ATV Quarterly Representative, Ham Radio Manufacturers and
Dealers Section)
* Robertson (ARRL Representative)

AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE (ARRL) FIELD ORGANIZATION

* Arthur (AL ASM of Youth Services)
* Bellamy (North Judson, IN OES and ORS)
* Childers (IL OOC)
* Cira (Los Angeles, CA ACC)
* Coffee (CA PIO and TS)
* Collier (TS)
* Czaikowski (OES, Former OO/AA and VA SEC)
* Forman (Technical Specialist)
* Goldstein (Volunteer Counsel - Florida Only)
* Gray (AR SM and OO) Asst. EC)
* Hennigan (NH TC)
* Hill (TN TS)
* Meredith (Southwestern Division Assistant Director)
* Nickolaus (Dakota County, NE OBS)
* Redding, T (Educational Advisor)
* Scribner (Maine ACC)
* Sefranek (EMA TS and Instructor)
* Sohl, B (NJ Local Govt. Liason)
* Sohl, R (TX TS)
* Stetson (VT Asst. SM)
* Turner (Volunteer Counsel)
* Wagner (OES and Local Government Liaison)
* Winchell (Asst. SEC, Education)
* Winkler (Arizona PIC)

AMERICAN RADIO RELAY LEAGUE (ARRL) HEADQUARTERS STAFF

* Bloom (HQ Webmaster, QEX Editor, ARRL/TAPR DCC Contact)
* Carcia (W1AW Station Manager, ARRL Bulletin Mailing List)
* Hare (Laboratory Manager)
* Henderson (Contest Branch Manager)
* Jahnke (VEC Manager)
* Lau (Technical Consultant)
* Robertson (Info Server and Online Services Sysop including AOL and Compuserve Presence, Program for the Disabled Coordinator, ARRL Foundation Secretary and WWW Page)
* Tracy (Test Engineer, QST Product Review and Advertising Acceptance Testing, QST Article Research)

AMIGA PERSONAL COMPUTER

* Morris
* Pozzi
* Whatton (Manager, Amiga Amateur Radio User Group and WWW Page)

ANTENNAS

* Alias (Microwave/Computer Simulation/Design)
* Anderson (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Mobile)
* Anthony
* Aydogmus, B (HF/VHF/UHF)
* Aydogmus, N (HF/VHF/UHF)
* Ayers
* Balbert (HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Design/Homebrew/Repair)
* Bellamy (Quads/Homebrew/Mobile/Indoor)
* Biccum (HF/VHF/Wire/Homebrew)
* Boudda (HF)
* Bourne (Microwave)
* Bouthillier (HF/Wire/Repair/Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* Boyce (Indoor/Homebrew/Magnetic Loops)
* Boyd (Beams/Yagis)
* Brakob
* Branch (Indoor)
* Brewer (wire HF)
* Brooks (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Dishes/Log Periodic/Magnetic Loops/Computer Simulation/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable)
* Brubaker (HF/Wire/Beams/Yagis)
* Buck
* Chatham (HF/VHF/UHF)
* Cieslak, C (HF/VHF/Wire/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* Coffee (HF/VHF/UHF/Beams/Yagis)
* Colwell (HF/VHF/UHF)
* Crenshaw (Homebrew)
* Croce
* Curry (HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Dishes/Repair/Mobile/Portable)
* Custer (VHF/Dishes)

* Czaikowski
* Danaher (HF)
* Daney (HF/Wire/Homebrew/Repair/Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* D'Arcy (VHF/UHF/Wire)
* Di Mattia
* Elmore, K
* Emm (HF/VHF/Wire)
* Gray (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Mobile)
* Gunton (Microwave)
* Halbert (simple HF Wire)
* Hamilton, S (HF/Computer Simulation and Design)
* Hancock (Homebrew)
* Harper
* Harris
* Hawks (HF)
* Hendershot
(MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Dishes/Computer
Simulation and Design/Mobile)
* Hill (Mobile, including HF)
* Humphries (VHF and Multi-Band Wire)
* Ihry (HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Dishes/Computer
Simulation/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable)
* Jackson (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Homebrew/Repair)
* Johnson, D
* Knott (VHF)
* Kolb (HF/Beams/Yagis/Mobile)
* Laakkonen (HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis)
* Lacouture
(MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Dishes/Computer
Simulation and Design/Mobile)
* Langenohl (VHF)
* Legary (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Dishes/Computer
Simulation and Design/Mobile/Other)
* Long (HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Magnetic
Loops/Design/Homebrew/Repair/Mobile/Portable)
* Losty (MF/HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Homebrew)
* Mello (HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Mobile)
* Miller (HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Dishes)
* Morris
* Morrissey (MF/HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Homebrew)
* Mosley (HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Portable/Indoor)
* Neeson
* Nutter (HF/VHF/Wire)
* Ornitz (Design/Homebrew/Corrosion Protection/Materials
Compatibility)
* Parker (VHF/Portable)
* Petri (VHF)
* Pinheiro (VHF/UHF)
* Placer
* Preston

* Quick (MF/HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Magnetic
Loops/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable)
* Redding, J (VHF/UHF)
* Redding, T (HF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads)
* Reeves (Wire)
* Rego (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Homebrew/Repair)
* Reynolds (including HF)
* Rhea (Wire/Homebrew/Mobile/Indoor)
* Richards (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Log Periodic/Computer
Simulation/Design/Homebrew/Repair/Mobile/Portable/Indoor/Other)
* Richardson, G
(MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Dishes/Computer
Simulation and Design/Mobile/Other)
* Rifleman (Wire/Portable/Indoor)
* Roberson (HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Log
Periodic/Design/Homebrew/Repair/Mobile/Portable)
* Rogers
* Rosenfeld (HF/Wire/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* Rossi (HF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Homebrew)
* Ruggiano
(MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Homebrew/Repair/Mobile/Portable)
* Rymell (MF/HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Mobile)
* Salnick (HF/VHF/Wire/Mobile)
* Sarrio
* Schaefer (HF/Wire/Mobile/Indoor)
* Schmitz (VHF/UHF/Beams/Yagis/Homebrew)
* Schnick (HF)
* Scholz (LF/MF/HF/VHF/Log Periodic/Mobile/Portable)
* Schumacher (VHF/UHF/Beams/Yagis/Mobile)
* Scribner
* Sefranek (HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Mobile)
* Shears (HF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Log
Periodic/Design/Homebrew/Repair)
* Silva
* Smith, J (including Homebrew)
* Sohl, R
* Springman (VHF/UHF/Beams/Yagis/Quads)
* Stafford (HF)
* Stanley
* Stocking (HF/Wire)
* Taubman (Microwave/Dishes/Design)
* Taylor
* Thomas, G (HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Portable/Indoor)
* Tynkov (HF)
* van de Kerk (HF Low-Profile)
* Veach
* Wagner (Homebrew/Design/Repair)
* Warth
* Weingarten (HF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Homebrew)
* White

(MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Microwave/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Dishes/Magnetic Loops/Homebrew/Repair/Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* Winchell (and Feedlines)
* Wintheiser (MF/Wire/Quads/Computer Simulation/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* Winward (MF/HF/VHF/UHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Homebrew Mobile/Portable/Indoor)
* Zurn (wire HF)

ANTIQUE AND OLDER EQUIPMENT/BOATANCHORS

* Anderson
* Anthony
* Avery (including AWA)
* Ayers
* Balbert
* Beech (Military Surplus Radio Equipment WWW Page)
* Brewer (40's-70's and WWW Page)
* Cooke (Wireless Set #19 WWW page)
* Crestohl (Collins, Johnson, etc., Government, Some Military Equipment, Restoration, Value, Estate Liquidation)
* Croce
* Curry
* Eisenberg
* Forman (Collins)
* Hamilton, S
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Hill (Mailing List)
* Hockaday
* Jackson
* Long
* Losty (Repair and Restoration)
* Mello
* Miller
* Morris
* Muncey (Radio Era Archives, Schematics and Documentation)
* Orcutt
* Ornitz (Cleaning and Refurbishing, Test Equipment, Chemistry and Safety)
* Paperman (Manuals, Service Information, and Literature)
* Petri (Tube Type Radios)
* Quick (including Restoration)
* Rego (including Heathkit, Swan, Collins, Kenwood, and Johnson)
* Richards
* Richardson, G
* Richardson, W
* Rippel (Secretary, Collins Collectors Association, Collins Mailing List)
* Ruggiano
* Rymell

* Shears
* Sohl, R
* Stanley
* Turner (including Kenwood and Ten-Tec)
* Wentz (Heathkit, including WWW Page)
* White
* Winward

ANTIQUE WIRELESS ASSOCIATION (AWA)

* Avery
* Orcutt
* Richardson, G

APPLE MACINTOSH COMPUTER

* Avery
* Been
* Boccardi
* Buydens
* Crenshaw
* Danaher
* Kincaid
* Luszcz (Shareware, including MacMultiMeter)
* Marchant
* Mims
* Morris
* Placer
* Pozzi
* Redding, T
* Rego
* Richardson, G
* Schaefer
* Schmitz
* Seney (Macnet, including Anonymous FTP Archive)

BATTERIES

* Ammar
* Ayers
* Balbert
* Browne
* Buck
* Calvert
* Chatham
* Cieslak, C
* Collier
* Crenshaw
* Curry
* Gieszczykiewicz
* Gray
* Groom

* Hammill (Sealed Lead-Acid)
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Hodgdon
* Knott
* Losty
* Morris
* Preston
* Quick
* Redding, J
* Rego
* Richardson, G
* Rosenfeld
* Ruggiano
* Sefranek
* Sohl, R
* Taubman
* White
* Winward

BRITISH AMATEUR TELEVISION CLUB (BATC)

* Pawson (WWW Page)

BULLETIN-BOARD SYSTEMS (BBS'S), LANDLINE

* Bertolino (Trance)
* Carlson
* Cira (HAM*INFO*LINK*SOURCE*BBS)
* Czaikowski
* D'Arcy
* Forman
* Hamilton, S
* Jackson
* Johnson, D
* Mello
* Meredith (F6FBB Packet BBS Support)
* Nugent
* Richardson, G
* Stetson
* Stillinger (IBBS)
* Vidal
* Watters

CALLSIGN DATA/NATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION SERVICE (NTIS)

* Carruth
* Lloyd (QRZ! Ham Radio CDROM and Callsign/E-mail Registry)

CIVIL AIR PATROL (CAP)

* Hornberger (Former Landstation Bluebird 284, Missouri Wing)
* Meredith

* Richardson, G
* Sohl, R (Ground/Air Search and Rescue)

COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY CLUBS

* Carlson (University of Maryland, Baltimore County)
* Gray
* Hamilton, S (United States Military Academy)
* Kincaid
* Mosley
* Rosenfeld (Former Treasurer, University of Maryland)
* Rymell (Advisor, Bloomsburg University Amateur Radio Club)
* Schleck
* Stafford (United States Air Force Academy Station Trustee)
* Stocking

COMMERCIAL SERVICE EQUIPMENT

* Curry
* Eisenberg
* Gray
* Gunton (including Microwave)
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Losty (including Commercial HF, Satellite, GMDSS, Microwave, and High Power Broadcasting)
* Mello
* Meredith (ArizonaONE Wired & Wireless)
* Myers (Motorola and G.E.)
* Richards (Retired 2-Way Radio Service Technician with 25 Years of Service with Motorola C&E Repairing, Installing, and Testing Commercial 2-Way Radio Equipment, including Pagers, Portables, Mobiles, Base and Control Stations, Repeaters, Closed-Circuit Television, Communications Consoles, Remote Control Equipment, Microwave, and Multiplex)
* Richardson, G
* Rodriguez
* Ruggiano
* Sohl, R

CW (MORSE CODE)

* Adams, D
* Anderson
* Arthur
* Avery
* Aydogmus, B
* Aydogmus, N
* Balbert
* Been
* Bouthillier
* Branch

* Brown
* Brubaker
* Caserta
* Chatham
* Coffee
* Croce
* Czaikowski
* Daney
* Dibble (including Instruction)
* Di Mattia
* Eade
* Edinger
* Ellenberg
* Elmore, K
* Emm
* Forman
* Fruhling
* Gapinski (VHF Meteor Scatter)
* Hancock
* Harris
* Hart
* Hendershot
* Henderson
* Hill (Learning Hints)
* Hockaday (including Instruction)
* Hughes
* Ihry
* Lacouture
* Learned
* Losty (Commercial 2nd Class Radiotelegraph Licensee, Instructor for Local Classes from Novice to Extra)
* Lowman
* Mello
* Miller
* Morris
* Neeson
* Nickolaus
* Parker
* Petri
* Pitts
* Placer
* Preston
* Rego
* Richardson, G
* Rifleman
* Roberson
* Rossi
* Ruggiano
* Rymell
* Sarrio

* Sawkins
* Schnick
* Scribner
* Shears
* Short
* Silva
* Smith, D
* Stafford
* Stern
* Thomas, G
* van de Kerk
* Veach (5-20 WPM Classes)
* Wagner
* Warth
* Watters
* Weingarten
* White
* Wintheiser
* Wright
* Zurn (including European abbreviations)

DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING (DSP)

* Ayers
* Bloom (including ARRL/TAPR DCC Contact)
* Coffee
* Di Mattia
* Gilliver
* Jones (TAPR President, TAPR/AMSAT DSP-93 Kits, WWW Pages, FTP, Archives, Mailing Lists, and Membership Info)
* Kincaid
* Langenohl
* Richardson, G
* Short (BitBucket Specialized Techniques Mailing List)
* Taubman
* van Vliet (Filters, including Integrated, Distributed, Lumped, and Active)

DIRECTION FINDING (DF)

* Douglas (including Doppler and DF Systems WWW Page)
* Moell, J (Homing In Column WWW Page)

DUTCH NATIONAL RADIO SOCIETY (VERON)

* Bruinsma (National Public Relations Committee, National WWW Page, Woerden Chapter Board Member, and Woerden Chapter WWW Page)

EARTH-MOON-EARTH (EME) COMMUNICATIONS

* Anderson
* Di Mattia
* Langenohl

* Richardson, G
* Smit (WWW Page)

EQUIPMENT TESTING/TROUBLESHOOTING

* Alois (Kenwood TR-2200A)
* Anderson
* Avnet (including Kits)
* Ayers (Tube and Solid-State)
* Balbert
* Bouthillier
* Boyce (HF, Synthesized, and Test Equipment)
* Brewer (Tube Gear)
* Chatham
* Curry
* Czaikowski
* Dworkin
* Eisenberg
* Elmore, K (Troubleshooting)
* Emm
* Gieszczykiewicz (sci.electronics.repair FAQ)
* Gray
* Hancock
* Hare (ARRL Laboratory Manager)
* Harris
* Hendershot (Test Equipment and Troubleshooting)
* Hockaday
* Kincaid
* Kolb
* Kruzic (ICOM America WWW Page)
* Lacouture
* Long
* Losty (Repair/Restoration of Boatanchor and Modern
Communications/Microwave/Computer Equipment)
* Mello (Test Equipment and Troubleshooting Hints and Kinks without
Expensive Test Equipment)
* Morris
* Muncey (Radio Era Archives, Schematics and Documentation)
* Myers
* Nichols
* Nugent (including Repair)
* Ornitz (Instrumentation)
* Paperman (Manuals, Service Information, and Literature)
* Petri
* Preston (Electronic Surveillance)
* Quick
* Richards (Retired 2-Way Radio Service Technician with 25 Years of
Service with Motorola C&E Repairing, Installing, and Testing
Commercial 2-Way Radio Equipment, including Pagers, Portables,
Mobiles, Base and Control Stations, Repeaters, Closed-Circuit
Television, Communications Consoles, Remote Control Equipment,

Microwave, and Multiplex)
* Richardson, G
* Roberson
* Rossi
* Ruggiano
* Rymell (Electronics and Computer Service Work)
* Salnick
* Sefranek
* Seney (Oscilloscope FAQ)
* Short (including BitBucket Specialized Mailing List)
* Sohl, R
* Taubman
* Taylor
* Thompson
* Wentz (Heathkit, including WWW Page)
* White
* Witte (Instrumentation, Test Equipment, and Measurements)

ESPERANTO

* Munsil (including Contact Information for the Esperanto League for North America, ELNA)

FINNISH AMATEUR RADIO LEAGUE (SRAL)

* Toijala (HQ Contact and WWW Page)

FREQUENTLY-ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ'S)

* Davis, A (aus.radio Newsgroup)
* Dawson (Linux HAM and AX.25 HOWTO's)
* Elmore, G (N6GN's Higher Speed Packet WWW Page)
* Gieszczykiewicz (sci.electronics.repair Newsgroup)
* Goldstein (Packet Radio WWW Server, including Packet FAQ)
* Harlan (Amateur Television)
* Jahnke (VE Exams Scheduled)
* Jones (TAPR)
* Langner (SSTV)
* Lloyd (QRZ! Callsign/E-mail Registry)
* Moell, J (Radio Direction Finding)
* Peerenboom (Dayton, OH E-mail Elmers)
* Rhea (Six Meter VHF Band WWW Page)
* Seney (General Amateur Radio and Oscilloscope WWW Pages)
* Short (rec.radio.info Newsgroup)
* Turvey (uk.radio.amateur Newsgroups)
* Twigger (Amateur Radio Exam Practice WWW Page)
* Williamson (AMSAT)
* Woods (Mail-Order Electronics)

GEORGIA RADIO AMATEUR PACKET ENTHUSIASTS SOCIETY (GRAPES)

* Coffman (E-mail Contact)
* Jarrett (WWW Page)

HANDICAPPED OPERATING

* Cushman (L-2 Paraplegic)
* Gilliver (Blind Issues)
* Kincaid
* Nichols
* Nugent
* Robertson (ARRL Program for the Disabled Coordinator)
* Thomas, G
* Tice (Manager and WWW Page, Courage HANDI-HAM System)

HIGH FREQUENCY (HF)/CONTESTING/DISTANCE (DX)

* Anderson (HF/DX)
* Arthur (Small Contests, 17 and 10 Meter DX)
* Aydogmus, B
* Aydogmus, N
* Ayers
* Balbert (HF/DX)
* Beech
* Bertolino (425 DX News and IOTA WWW Page)
* Biccum
* Boudda
* Bouthillier (Contesting/DX)
* Boyce (HF/DX)
* Boyd (20 years experience)
* Brakob (Contesting/DX)
* Branch (Contesting/DX)
* Brooks (HF)
* Brubaker
* Buck
* Caserta
* Chatham (HF/DX)
* Cieslak, C (HF)
* Coffee
* Cooke (HF, Contesting)
* Croce
* Curry (HF)
* Czaikowski
* Danaher
* Daney
* Di Mattia
* Edinger
* Ellenberg (HF/DX)
* Elmore, K (DX'ing, Contesting, and Propagation)
* Emm
* Forman
* Fruhling (HF)
* Gray
* Hamilton, S (HF)
* Hamilton, T (DX)
* Harper

* Hart
* Hendershot (HF)
* Henderson (HF/DX/Contesting, ARRL Contest Branch Manager)
* Hill (Mobile)
* Hockaday
* Hornberger (HF/Contesting)
* Ihry (HF/Contesting)
* Jackson
* Jones (Digital Modes, TAPR President, WWW Pages, FTP Archives,
Mailing Lists, and Membership Info)
* Knott
* Laakkonen (mostly 75, 20, and 17 Meters)
* Lacouture
* Learned
* Littleton
* Long (HF/Contesting/DX)
* Losty (Commercial and Amateur HF)
* Lowman
* Mims (HF)
* Mosher
* Myers
* Neader (Contesters and DX'ers WWW Page)
* Nichols
* Nickolaus
* Nutter
* Orcutt
* Pinheiro
* Pitts
* Placer
* Preston
* Redding, T
* Reeves
* Rego (HF/DX)
* Richards
* Richardson, G
* Richardson, H
* Rifleman (HF/DX)
* Rodriguez
* Rosenfeld (HF/DX/Contesting)
* Rossi (HF/Contesting/DX)
* Ruggiano
* Rymell
* Salnick
* Sarrio
* Sawkins
* Schaefer
* Sefranek
* Shears (HF)
* Short
* Silva

* Sohl, R
* Stafford (HF)
* Stanley
* Steinke (Contesting/DX)
* Stocking (Contesting)
* Strobel (DX Packet Cluster WebNet WWW Page)
* Taubman (HF)
* Thomas, G (HF)
* Thompson
* Thomson (Mostly CW)
* Tynkov
* van de Kerk (CW, Low Profile)
* Warth
* Weingarten
* White (HF/DX)
* Wintheiser (HF/DX)
* Winward (HF)
* Witkowski (DX QSL Info WWW Page, ARRL SWL Bureau Manager)
* Wright (HF/DX)
* Zurn

HOMEBREWING/DO-IT-YOURSELF

* Anderson
* Avnet
* Ayers (Tube and Solid-State)
* Balbert
* Beech (Radio and Computer Equipment)
* Boyce (30 Years Experience, HF, Synthesized, Test Equipment, and
IBM PC's)
* Buck
* Carruth (Digital Design, Software)
* Chatham
* Cieslak, C
* Croce
* Curry (including Gas & Electric Welding)
* Custer
* Di Mattia
* DuBois (Embedded Systems and Hardware/Software Design)
* Eisenberg
* Elmore, K (Construction Practices)
* Forman
* Gilliver (DSP, Blind Issues)
* Gray
* Groom (Linear Circuits, Audio Signal Processors, DC to 10 MHz)
* Gunton (Microwave Components/Techlock Distributing WWW Page)
* Halbert (QRP)
* Hamilton, S
* Hancock
* Hendershot (RF Design and Wireless Systems)
* Hill ("Glowbugs" Tube Homebrewing Mailing List)

* Ihry
* Johnson, R
* Kincaid
* Lacouture
* Lau (Transverters, VHF/UHF, Filters, Repeatable Projects)
* Learned
* Long
* Mello (including Power Supplies, Over 20 Years Experience in Electronics)
* Miller
* Myers
* Neeson
* Nichols
* Nugent
* Ornitz (Chemical and Toxic Material Use and Handling, including Printed Circuit Boards)
* Parker (including Australian QRP and Peter Parker's Projects WWW Pages)
* Petri
* Quick (Tube Equipment, Transistorized Receivers, QRP and QRO CW Transmitters)
* Richards (Tube and Solid-State)
* Richardson, G
* Rosenfeld
* Rossi (including Station Accessories)
* Ruggiano
* Rymell (Electronics and Computers, Low-Cost Projects)
* Salnick
* Schmitz
* Sefranek
* Shears
* Short (including BitBucket Specialized Techniques Mailing List)
* Silva (Analog, Digital, Tubes, Semiconductors, RF, Finding Parts)
* Sohl, R
* Stanley
* Stern
* Stocking (including QRP)
* Taubman
* Taylor (Tubes and Amplifiers)
* Thompson (Electronic Circuits, Metal Fabrication, Shop Techniques, Other Fabrication)
* van Vliet (including Power Amplifiers, Low-Noise Amplifiers, and Mixers for Microwave)
* Veach
* Wagner (TNC Wiring Harnesses and Custom Switchboxes)
* Weingarten
* White
* Wintheiser
* Winward
* Witkowski

* Woods (Mail-Order Electronics)

IBM PERSONAL COMPUTER (PC) AND CLONES

* Adams, D
* Ammar
* Anderson
* Angus
* Arthur
* Ayers
* Beech
* Boyce
* Branch
* Brown
* Buck
* Buydens
* Caserta
* Chatham
* Cieslak, C
* Cole
* Cox
* Czaikowski
* Danaher
* D'Arcy
* Dawson (Linux on Intel)
* Di Mattia
* Dworkin
* Edinger
* Ellenberg
* Emm
* Gilliver (including Construction, UK only)
* Gray
* Harris
* Hart
* Hennigan
* Ihry
* Jackson
* Johnson, D
* Johnson, R
* Johnston
* Knott
* Kolb
* Lacouture
* Lacy (NuTest and NuMorse Ham Training Software for Windows and WWW
Page)
* Long
* Matacz
* Mello
* Miller
* Morris
* Morrissey (Hardware, Programming in Basic/Quick-Basic/C)

* Myers
* Nichols
* Nickolaus (DOS, Windows 3.x and 95, and Ham-Related Applications)
* Nugent
* Nutter
* Patton
* Petersen (Simtel Software Repository)
* Preston
* Redding, J
* Reeves
* Richardson, G
* Rifleman
* Robinson
* Rossi
* Ruggiano
* Schaefer
* Schmitz
* Shears
* Short
* Smith, J (Building and Maintaining)
* Stannard
* Stocking
* Taubman
* Thomas, G
* Tynkov
* Wagner (DOS, Windows, Networking, and HTML)
* Watters
* Weingarten
* Wetzel
* Williams
* Winkler
* Winward
* Witkowski (including Xbase Format DX QSL Info File)

INTERNET SERVICES

* Ammar
* Arthur
* Aydogmus, B
* Aydogmus, N
* Beech
* Boyce
* Branch
* Caserta
* Chatham
* Cieslak, C (including UNIX, WWW, and FTP Administration)
* Coffee
* Custer
* D'Arcy
* Hamilton, S
* Harriman

* Harris
* Jackson
* Johnson, D
* Kolb
* Laakkonen
* Littleton
* Long
* Lowman
* Morris
* Myers
* Orcutt
* Preston
* Pulfer (Free Canadian Amateur Radio Callsign E-mail Address Aliases)
* Redding, J
* Redding, T
* Reeves
* Richardson, G
* Rifleman
* Robinson
* Schleck
* Short
* Smith, J
* Sohl, B
* Sohl, R
* Taylor
* Thomas, G
* Tynkov
* Vidal
* Waller (Free Ham Radio WWW Home Pages and E-mail Accounts)
* Watters
* Weingarten
* Williamson
* Witkowski

JAMAICA AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION (JARA)

* Wilkinson (WWW Page)

LASER COMMUNICATIONS

* Carruth
* Crenshaw
* Harris

LEAGUE OF YOUNG RADIO AMATEURS (LYRA)

* Arthur (President)

LOW FREQUENCY (LF)

* Harris
* Lacouture

* Richardson, G
* Rymell
* Thomson (1750 meter band LOWFER operation and LF/MF Radiobeacon DX'ing)
* White
* Winward

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196. Amateur Radio: Elmers List Geographic Quick-Search Index

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Amateur Radio: Elmers List Geographic Quick-Search Index

(_Note:_ This index only lists Elmers with explicit geographic
information in their entries.)

ARGENTINA

* Pozzi (Buenos Aires)

AUSTRALIA

* Davis, A
* Dawson (Sydney)
* Murnane (New South Wales)
* Parker

BELGIUM

* Aerts (Balen)

BRAZIL

* Reis (Ponta Negra Beach County)

CANADA

Alberta

* Johnston (Fort McMurray)

British Columbia

* Sawkins (Prince George)
* Seiler (Vernon)

Ontario

* Cooke (Orillia)
* DeWolf (Braeside)
* Legary (Maidstone)
* Mann (Toronto)

* Neeson (Brockville)
* Pulfer (Kingston)

FINLAND

* Komppa (Nummela)
* Toijala

GERMANY

* Gapinski (Dettenheim)
* Langenohl (Aschaffenburg)

ITALY

* Bertolino
* Caserta (Roccasecca)
* Di Mattia
* Zurn (Ispra)

JAMAICA

* Wilkinson

MEXICO

* Rodriguez

MOROCCO

* Boudda (Rabat)

NETHERLANDS, THE

* Bruinsma (Amsterdam)
* Reynolds (The Hague)
* van Vliet (Delft)

NEW ZEALAND

* Andrews, D
* Davis, S (Christchurch)

PHILIPPINES, THE

* Duba (Malolos, Bulacan)

POLAND

* Matacz

PORTUGAL

* Pinheiro (Sao Miguel, Azores Islands)

RUSSIA

* Tynkov (Ulyanovsk)

SPAIN

* Vidal (Alcala de Henares, Madrid)

SWITZERLAND

* Mancastroppa (Gland)

TURKEY

* Aydogmus, B (Izmir)
* Aydogmus, N (Izmir)

UNITED KINGDOM (UK)

* Alias (Loughborough, Leicestershire)
* Boyce (West Midlands)
* Dalziel
* D'Arcy (Lincolnshire)
* Gilliver
* Lacy (Codsall, Wolverhampton)
* Pawson
* Turvey
* Williams (Aberdeen, Scotland)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (USA)

Alabama

* Arthur (Russellville)
* Mello (Maxwell AFB)
* Roberson (Arab)

Alaska

* Preston (Anchorage)
* Stannard (Anchor Point/Homer)

Arizona

* Carruth (Tempe/Phoenix)
* Eade (Lake Havasu City)
* Jones (Tucson)
* Lloyd (Scottsdale)
* Meredith
* Munsil (Prescott)
* Redding, J (Tucson)
* Reeves (Prescott)
* Short (Tempe)
* Winkler (Phoenix)

Arkansas

* Gray (Searcy)
* Littleton (West Helena)

California

* Amith (Lemoore)
* Ammar (Monterey)
* Angus (Gardena/Los Angeles)
* Avnet (Fountain Valley)
* Balbert (Los Angeles)
* Been (Long Beach)
* Bourne (Orange)
* Boyd (Igo, Shasta County, Northern California)
* Cira (Los Angeles)
* Coffee (Torrance)
* Collier (Brea)
* Cushman (Huntington Beach)
* Douglas (Sacramento)
* Fruhling (Vacaville)
* Goldberg (Huntington Beach)
* Larson (Palo Alto)
* Lavin (Chatsworth)
* Lowman (San Bernardino)
* Luszcz (Palo Alto)
* Moell, A (Orange County)
* Myers (Lancaster)
* Richardson, G (Santa Barbara)
* Scholz (Cotati)
* Stillinger (Edwards AFB)
* Stocking (Monterey)
* Taubman (Belmont)
* Thompson (Lennox)
* Turner (Irvine)
* van De Kerk (Santa Ana)
* Wetzel (Orange)
* Wilkins (Berkeley)
* Wright (San Lorenzo, East San Francisco Bay Area)

Colorado

* Edinger (Arvada)
* Emm (Aurora)
* Huntting (Boulder)
* Knott (Colorado Springs)
* Kurtz (Arvada)
* Stafford (Palmer Lake)
* Weingarten (Erie)
* Witte

Connecticut

* Bloom (Newington)
* Carcia (Newington)
* Cartier (Middletown)
* Hare (Newington)
* Henderson (Vernon)
* Jahnke (Newington)

* Lau (Newington)
* Losty (Bethany)
* Robertson (Newington)
* Tracy (Newington)

Delaware

* Hart (Bear)
* Waller (Laurel)

District of Columbia

* Curry

Florida

* Brown (Naples, Collier County)
* Browne (LaBelle)
* Croce (Holly Hill)
* Goldstein
* Hughes (Gainesville)
* Kolb (December through May: Vero Beach)
* Laakkonen (Port St. Lucie)
* Redding, T (West Palm Beach)
* White (Hudson)

Georgia

* Anthony (Sautee)
* Coffman (Lawrenceville/Atlanta)
* Harris (Marietta)
* Humphries (Atlanta)
* Jarrett
* Veach (North Georgia Mountains in Blairsville)

Hawaii

* Buck (Waimea, Hawaii County, Big Island)

Idaho

* Morris (Post Falls)

Illinois

* Childers (Jacksonville)
* Cieslak, C (Champaign-Urbana)
* Leynes (Chicago)
* Steinke (Park Ridge)
* Taylor (Mahomet/Urbana/Champaign)
* Thomas, J (Elgin)

Indiana

* Bellamy (North Judson)
* Dooley (Indianapolis)
* Gutstadt (Bloomington)
* Hawks (Kokomo)
* Miller (Richmond)

Kansas

* Calvert (Great Bend)

Kentucky

* Riddell (Irvine/Ravenna)

Louisiana

* Johansen (Metairie)
* Watters (Elm Grove)

Maine

* Scribner (Gardiner)

Maryland

* Anderson (Frederick)
* Bauer (Silver Spring)
* Carlson (School Year: Baltimore)
* Curry (Adelphi)
* Kincaid (St. Leonard)
* Nichols (Gaithersburg)
* Stern (Crisfield)

Massachusetts

* Halbert (near Boston)
* Harriman (Southern)
* Lacouture (Franklin)
* Langner (Chelmsford)
* Mims (Taunton)
* Sefranek (Shirley)
* Thomas, G (Springfield)
* Vail (Billerica)

Michigan

* Daney (Lambertville)
* Dibble (Delton)
* Learned (Warren)

Minnesota

* Brakob (Plymouth)
* Stanley (Janesville)

Mississippi

* Richardson, H

Missouri

* Hornberger (St. Louis)
* Robinson
* Schmitz (Ewing)

Nebraska

* Nickolaus (South Sioux City)
* Schleck (Bellevue/Omaha)

Nevada

* Richards (Sparks)

New Hampshire

* Heedles (Amherst)
* Hennigan (Rindge)
* Seney (Manchester)

New Jersey

* Boccardi (North Brunswick)
* Carlson (School Vacation: South Plainfield)
* Moseson
* Placer (Oakland)
* Shuch (Little Ferry)
* Sohl, B (Budd Lake)
* Sproul, K (North Brunswick)
* Sproul, M (North Brunswick)
* Winward (Whitehouse Station)

New Mexico

* Sohl, R (Nogal)

New York

* Avery (Canandaigua)
* Eisenberg (Merrick)
* Ellenberg (New York City)
* Hamilton, S (West Point)
* Long (Scotia)
* Morrissey (Jefferson)
* Rego (Verplanck)
* Thomson (Rifton/Kingston)

North Carolina

* Hammill (Raleigh)
* Hockaday (Zebulon/Youngsvile)
* Nutter (Kitty Hawk, Dare County)
* Rifleman (Cary)

* Smith (Greensboro)

Ohio

* Ackermann (Dayton)
* Gunton (Dayton)
* Nugent (Beavercreek, near Dayton)
* Peerenboom (Dayton)
* Warth (Frankfort)

Oklahoma

* Adams, D (Lawton)
* Brooks (Tulsa)
* Elmore, K (Oklahoma City)

Oregon

* Hamilton, T
* Hendershot (Grant's Pass)
* Mosher (Salem)
* Rosenfeld (Eugene)
* Walsh (Eugene)

Pennsylvania

* Adams, I (Erie)
* Adams, J (Delmont)
* Colwell (Pittsburgh)
* Custer (Somerset)
* Czaikowski (Lincoln University)
* de Volpi (New Cumberland)
* Gieszczykiewicz (Pittsburgh)
* Iezzi (Pittsburgh)
* Rymell (Muncy/Bloomsburg, Lycoming County)
* Schnick (Erie)
* Springman (Cogan Station)

Rhode Island

* Bouthillier (Coventry)

South Carolina

* Cox

Tennessee

* Hill (Brentwood)
* Ornitz (Kingsport)

Texas

* Beech (Garland)
* Branch (Universal City)

* Chatham (Austin)
* Crenshaw (Rowlett)
* Danaher (Mesquite)
* Groom (Dallas)
* Hodgdon (Mesquite)
* Ihry (Quinlan)
* Johnson, D (Azle)
* Maia (Dallas)
* Morgan (Temple)
* Paperman (Cut 'n Shoot)
* Patton (Comanche)
* Petri (Palestine)
* Rhea (Coppell)
* Shears (San Antonio)
* Sohl, R (Odessa and Alpine)

Utah

* Brubaker (Draper)
* DuBois (Springville)
* Schaefer (Sandy)
* Smith, D (Orem)

Vermont

* Ayers (Lyndonville)
* Crestohl (Cambridge)
* Rossi (Essex Junction)
* Stetson (Westford)

Virginia

* Chapman (Fredericksburg)
* Forman (Fredericksburg)
* Harper (Danville)
* Kolb (May through December: Hillsville)
* Marchant (Marshall)
* Sweeney (Roanoke)

Washington

* Biccum (Issaquah)
* Kruml (Northeast King County)
* Pitts (Anacortes)
* Salnick (Spokane)
* Wintheiser (Bellevue)

West Virginia

* Burns (Fayetteville)
* Hancock (Shady Springs)

Wisconsin

* Twigger (Milwaukee)
* Witkowski (Stevens Point)

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MAIL/FILE TRANSFER PROTOCOL (FTP)/WORLD-WIDE WEB (WWW)/MULTIPLE-USER DUNGEON
(MUD) SERVERS/ARCHIVES

* Adams, J (ARES/RACES WWW Page)
* Arthur (Young Amateur Radio Operators Webring, Franklin County, AL
Amateur Radio Club WWW Page)
* Bauer (NASA/SAREX WWW Page)
* Beech (Military Surplus Radio Equipment WWW Page)
* Bertolino (425 DX News and IOTA WWW Page)
* Bible (Spread Spectrum WWW Page)
* Bloom (ARRL HQ WWW Page)
* Bourne (National RACES WWW Site)
* Brewer (Antique and Older Equipment WWW Page)
* Bruinsma (VERON National and Woerden Chapter WWW Pages)
* Caserta (425 DX News WWW Page and FTP Archives)
* Childers (Jacksonville, IL Amateur Radio Society and
Missouri-Illinois Regional SKYWARN Association WWW Pages)
* Collier (ADI/Premier Communications WWW Page)
* Cooke (Wireless Set #19 WWW Page)
* Crenshaw (New Ham Partner WWW Page)
* Custer (Repeater Building and Link Systems WWW Pages)
* Dalziel (RSGB HQ and Repeater Management Committee WWW Pages)
* Davis, A (Australia Amateur Radio FAQ WWW Page)
* Davis, S (NZART WWW Page)
* deVolpi (AmSoft and World of Ham Radio WWW Page and FTP Archive)
* Di Mattia (Italian Ham Radio Home Pages and Links WWW Page)
* Douglas (DF Systems WWW Page)
* Elmore, G (N6GN's Higher Speed Packet WWW Page)
* Emm (Colorado QRP Club WWW Page)
* Estey (TAPR North American Digital Systems Directory WWW Page)
* Goldstein (Packet Radio and TAPR WWW Server)
* Gray (Arkansas Amateur Radio Service, Arkansas Hams E-mail List,
and ARRL Arkansas Section WWW Pages)
* Gunton (Microwave Components/Techlock Distributing WWW Page)
* Gutstadt (Navy/Marine Corps. MARS National WWW Page)
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* Hancock (Black Diamond ARC WWW Page)
* Harriman (WRONE WWW Page)
* Heedles (Nashua Area Radio Club, KY1N Memorial Volunteer Examination List, VEWD Exam Session Software, and Field Day WWW Pages)
* Huntting (KaWin WWW Page)
* Jarrett (GRAPES High-Speed Packet Radio Networking WWW Page)
* Johansen (Louisiana ARES WWW Page)
* Johnson, D (TriCounty, North TX, ARC WWW Page)
* Jones (TAPR WWW Pages, FTP Archives, and Mailing Lists)
* Komppa (Foreign Licensing WWW Page)
* Kruzic (ICOM America WWW Page)
* Langner (SSTV WWW Page)
* Leavey (73 Magazine RTTY Loop Column WWW Page)
* Leynes (Youthnet News WWW Page)
* Lloyd (QRZ! Ham Radio CDROM FTP Archive and WWW Page)
* Mann (Wearable Computing and Personal Imaging WWW Pages)
* Moell, A (Hospital Disaster Support Communications System WWW Page)
* Moseson (CQ Magazine and Allied Publications WWW Pages)
* Muncey (Radio Era Archives, Schematics and Documentation, WWW Page)
* Murnane (Wireless Institute of Australia WWW Pages)
* Neader (Contesters and DX'ers WWW Page)
* Neeson (NTS Training for CW, Phone, and Digital Modes WWW Page)
* Oros (Elmer HAMlet WWW Page)
* Parker (Novice Notes Online, Amateur Radio Ideas, ACT Sustainable Transport Working Group, Australian QRP, and Peter Parker's Projects WWW Pages)
* Pawson (British Amateur Television Club WWW Page)
* Petersen (Simtel Software Repository)
* Pinheiro (Azores Islands, Portugal, Amateur Radio WWW Page)
* Pulfer (Radio Amateurs of Canada WWW Page)
* Reis (Brazil Ham Radio WWW Page)
* Robertson (ARRL Info Server and Online Services Sysop including ARRL and Compuserve Presence, ARRL Foundation WWW Page)
* Rogers (Packet Radio WWW Pages)
* St. George (U.S. Army MARS Official WWW Page)
* Sarrio (Raymond Sarrio Company WWW Page)
* Seney (Oscilloscope FAQ, Macnet, and Macintosh Amateur Radio Software List WWW Pages)
* Shuch (SETI League WWW Page)
* Smit (EME and SETI WWW Page)
* Sproul, M (APRS WWW Page)
* Strobel (K6PBT Dealer Directory and DX PacketCluster WebNet WWW Pages)
* Sussman (PACTOR News WWW Page)
* Tice (Courage HANDI-HAM System WWW Page)
* Toijala (SRAL WWW Page)
* Twigger (Amateur Radio Exam Practice WWW Page)

* Vekinis (Picosat System WWW Page)
* Waller (QSL.net WWW Page, Site of Free Ham Radio WWW Home Pages and E-mail Accounts)
* Walsh (QCWA WWW Page)
* Wentz (Heathkit Amateur Radio Equipment WWW Page)
* Whatton (Amiga Amateur Radio User Group WWW Page)
* Wilkins (California Amateur VHF Enthusiasts WWW Page)
* Wilkinson (JARA WWW Page)
* Williams (AuroraMUSH)
* Williamson (AMSAT WWW Page and Anonymous FTP Archives)
* Winkler (Ham Radio & More Show WWW Page)
* Witkowski (DX QSL Info WWW Page)
* Woods (Mail-Order Electronics FTP Archive and WWW page)

MAILING LISTS

* Ackermann (TAPR Net-SIG BBS)
* Adams, J (ARES/RACES)
* Carcia (ARRL Bulletins)
* Caserta (425 DX News Mailing List)
* Colwell (Advanced Computer Controls and Link Communications Repeater Controllers)
* deVolpi (AmSoft and World of Ham Radio Product Announcements)
* Hill (Antique and Older Tube Equipment, "Glowbugs" Tube Homebrewing)
* Jones (Many, TAPR-related)
* Kruml (EComm Pacific Northwest ARES)
* Meredith (F6FBB Packet BBS, other Industry-Related Lists)
* Rippel (Collins Radio Equipment)
* Short (BitBucket Specialized Techniques, et al, see full entry)
* Waller (Many, see full entry)
* Williams (Extra-Terrestrial Amateur Satellites and Probes)
* Williamson (Many, AMSAT-related)

MEDIA (PUBLICATION/WRITING/BROADCASTING)

* Ackermann (Books on Wireless Networking)
* Bertolino (SWL Page of Radio Rivista, Italy)
* Bloom (QEX)
* Collier (Articles and Interviews about VHF/UHF FM operation and the Amateur Radio Industry)
* DeWolf (Media Relations for Clubs, Syndicated Columnist on Internet Matters)
* Harlan (ATV Quarterly)
* Harriman (Editor, WRONE CHATTER Newsletter)
* Heedles (Editor, Nashua Area Radio Club Newsletter)
* Jones (TAPR Publications)
* Lau (QST/QEX)
* Leavey (73 Magazine RTTY Loop Column)
* Leynes (Editor-in-Chief, Youthnet News)
* Lloyd (QRZ! Ham Radio CDROM)

* Moell, J (Homing In Column and WWW Page)
* Moseson (CQ Magazine and Allied Publications Online Coordinator)
* Redding, T (Club Growth Techniques)
* Richards (Technical Articles for Club Newsletter)
* Schleck (FAQ's and auto-faq)
* Seney (Macnet)
* Sussman (PACTOR News)
* Winkler (Ham Radio & More Show)
* Witte (Ham Magazines, Electrical Engineering Publications, and a few books)

MEDIUM FREQUENCY (MF, 160 METERS)

* Ayers
* Curry
* Gray
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Losty
* Richardson, G
* Shears
* Sohl, R
* Stanley
* Stillinger
* Thomson (LF/MF Radiobeacon DX'ing)
* Winward
* Zurn

MICROWAVE

* Bourne (Microwave)
* Brooks
* Curry
* Di Mattia
* Gunton (Microwave Components/Techlock Distributing WWW Page, Components for up to 50 GHz)
* Hammill
* Hendershot
* Hockaday (10 GHz)
* Lacouture
* Lau (Transverters up to 24 GHz)
* Losty
* Lowman
* Miller
* Reynolds (SHF)
* Richardson, G
* Seiler (1.2 GHz ATV)
* Sohl, R
* Stillinger
* Taubman
* van Vliet (including Power Amplifiers, Low-Noise Amplifiers, and

Mixers)

MILITARY AFFILIATE RADIO SYSTEM (MARS)

* Ayers (Army)
* Branch (Air Force)
* Browne (Navy)
* Cartier (Army, CT Director for Emergency Operations)
* Chapman (Navy/Marine Corps., Afloat and Overseas Operations)
* Cox (Air Force, Region 2 Packet Manager)
* DuBois (Army, Utah Zone 5 Coordinator, NCS, and EC)
* Forman (Air Force)
* Gutstadt (Navy/Marine Corps., including National WWW Page)
* Hamilton, S (Army)
* Littleton (Army)
* Mello (Army)
* St. George (Army, including Official WWW Page)
* Smith, J (Air Force)
* Sohl, R (Air Force)
* Stanley (Air Force Region 3 Administrative Assistant)
* Stetson (Navy/Marine Corps.)
* Taylor (Air Force)

MOBILE/PORTABLE/FIELD DAY

* Adams, I (Mobile and Portable)
* Ammar (Portable and Field Day)
* Anderson
* Arthur (Mobile and Field Day)
* Ayers (Mobile and Portable)
* Balbert (Mobile and Portable)
* Biccum (Field Day)
* Boccardi (Field Day)
* Bouthillier (Field Day)
* Branch (Field Day)
* Brooks (Portable)
* Brown (Field Day)
* Brubaker
* Buck
* Carlson (Mobile)
* Carruth (FM, HT's, 10m SSB)
* Caserta (Portable)
* Chatham (Mobile)
* Childers (Field Day)
* Coffee (Field Day)
* Colwell
* Cooke (Field Day)
* Curry (Motorcycle Mobile, Portable, and Field Day)
* Czaikowski (Mobile and Field Day)
* Daney (Mobile)
* Edinger (Mobile)

* Eisenberg (Mobile)
* Ellenberg (Field Day)
* Emm
* Forman
* Gray
* Hamilton, S
* Hare (RFI issues)
* Harriman (Field Day)
* Harris (Portable)
* Heedles (Field Day, WWW Page)
* Hendershot
* Henderson (Field Day)
* Hill (including MF, HF)
* Hockaday (Mobile)
* Hornberger (Field Day)
* Ihry (Mobile/Field Day)
* Jackson (Field Day)
* Johnson, D (Field Day)
* Johnston (Field Day)
* Kincaid (Mobile)
* Knott
* Kolb
* Laakkonen (Mobile)
* Lacouture (Field Day)
* Learned (Field Day)
* Long (Field Day)
* Lowman (Field Day)
* Mello (Mobile/Portable, 20 Years Experience)
* Morris (Portable)
* Mosley (Mobile/Field Day)
* Nickolaus (Field Day)
* Nugent (Field Day)
* Patton (Field Day)
* Petri (Field Day)
* Placer
* Quick (Mobile/Portable/Field Day)
* Redding, J (Portable)
* Reeves
* Rego (Field Day)
* Richards (Mobile/Portable)
* Richardson, G (Mobile/Portable/Field Day)
* Roberson (Mobile)
* Robinson (Mobile)
* Rosenfeld (Mobile/Portable/Field Day)
* Rossi (Field Day)
* Ruggiano (Mobile/Portable/Field Day)
* Rymell (Portable and Field Day)
* Sawkins (Field Day)
* Schaefer (Mobile and Field Day)
* Schumacher (VHF/UHF/Beam/Yagi Mobile Antennas)

* Sefranek
* Seiler (1.2 GHz ATV Field Operations)
* Smith, D (Field Day)
* Smith, J (Mobile and Portable)
* Sohl, R (Mobile/Portable/Field Day)
* Springman (Portable/Field Day)
* Stafford (Field Day)
* Stanley (Viking, MN, Amateur Radio Society Field Day Chairman)
* Steinke (Portable/Field Day)
* Sweeney (Mobile)
* Thomas, G
* Warth (Mobile and Field Day)
* Weingarten (Portable and Field Day)
* White (Mobile/Portable)
* Wintheiser (Mobile/Field Day)
* Winward (Mobile and Portable)
* Wright (Field Day)

NATIONAL TRAFFIC SYSTEM (NTS)

* Boccardi
* Carlson
* Czaikowski
* Elmore, K
* Goldstein (NCS FL Net, Packet)
* Neeson (Eastern Canada, NTS Training for CW, Phone, and Digital Modes WWW Page)
* Richardson, G
* Scribner
* Zurn (Europe)

NEW ZEALAND ASSOCIATION OF RADIO TRANSMITTERS (NZART)

* Andrews, D (Frequency Management and Technical Advisory Group Chair)
* Davis, S (WWW Page)

NORTH AMERICAN CENTER FOR EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS (NACEC)

* Dworkin
* Rymell (PA State Director)

NOVICE/TECH INSTRUCTION

* Adams, I
* Anderson
* Anthony
* Arthur
* Avnet (Instructor)
* Ayers
* Balbert
* Been
* Biccum

* Bouthillier
* Boyd
* Branch
* Brown
* Buck
* Calvert
* Carlson
* Childers (Volunteer Instructor)
* Cooke (Instructor, Rules and Regulations)
* Crenshaw (New Ham Partner WWW Page)
* Czaikowski
* Danaher
* DeWolf (Instructor)
* Dibble (Novice/Tech CW and Theory)
* Dooley
* Dworkin
* Edinger
* Emm
* Forman
* Gieszczykiewicz
* Gray
* Hamilton, T (ARRL Instructor)
* Hancock (General Technical/Theory Questions)
* Harriman
* Harris
* Henderson (CW/Theory Classes)
* Hill (CW Learning Hints)
* Hockaday (CW and Novice through General)
* Hornberger (Novice through General)
* Iezzi (North Hills Amateur Radio Club, Pittsburgh, PA Elmer Net)
* Ihry
* Jackson
* Johnson, D (Classes for 5 or more students, Tarrant/Parker/Wise
Counties of North Texas)
* Kibler
* Kincaid
* Knott
* Lacouture
* Lacy (NuTest and NuMorse Ham Training Software for Windows)
* Larson
* Lavin (Uncle Bob's Radio School)
* Learned
* Losty (Instructor for Local Classes from Novice to Extra)
* Maia (W5YI Group Education Division)
* Mello (USAF Electronics Instructor, Over 20 Years Experience in
Electronics)
* Mims (ARRL Instructor)
* Morris
* Mosher
* Mosley

* Nichols
* Paperman
* Parker (Novice Notes Online WWW Page)
* Peerenboom (Dayton, OH E-mail Elmers)
* Pitts
* Quick
* Redding, J
* Reeves
* Rego
* Richards
* Richardson, G
* Riddell
* Roberson
* Rosenfeld
* Rymell
* Schaefer (Classes)
* Scholz
* Scribner
* Sefranek (Elmer Sessions every Monday Night)
* Smith, D
* Smith, J
* Sohl, R (Novice and Tech Classes, 4-6 times a year)
* Stern
* Stetson (Classes)
* Twigger (Amateur Radio Exam Practice WWW Page)
* Veach (Novice/Tech Classes)
* Wagner
* Wetzel
* Winchell
* Wintheiser
* Winward
* Wright

PACKET AND DIGITAL NETWORKING

* Ackermann (including TCP/IP, TAPR, Net-SIG, Kantronics D4-10
19.2kBaud Radio Modems, Linux/TNOS BBS, Linux Native-AX.25 Switch,
Duplex Repeaters for 9600 and 19.2kBaud, Joint IP Coordinator for
Ohio Subnet, Author of Wireless Networking Books)
* Angus (TCP/IP, NOS, UUPC, Tnet, and SNEWS, Unix, Windows IP
Coordinator for CA - LA County Subnet)
* Arthur (APRS, MSYS, and TCP/IP)
* Beech
* Bloom (ARRL/TAPR DCC Contact)
* Boccardi (including APRS)
* Bouthillier
* Boyce (Linux, TCP/IP using WAMPES-adapted LNET)
* Caserta
* Coffman (GRAPES 56 kBaud Radio Modems)
* Cole (TCP/IP and NOS)
* Cox (including MARS)

* Crenshaw
* Czaikowski
* Dawson (Linux HAM and AX.25 HOWTO's, IP Coordinator for Sydney, Australia, Internet Gateways)
* Di Mattia
* Duba
* DuBois (including OSI, Protocol Development, Internetworking, and Standards)
* Elmore, G (N6GN's Higher Speed Packet WWW Page)
* Estey (TAPR North American Digital Systems Directory WWW Page)
* Forman
* Goldstein (TAPR TNC-2 Firmware, Packet Radio and TAPR WWW Server)
* Gray
* Hamilton, S
* Hawks
* Hendershot
* Huntting (KaWin WWW Page)
* Ihry
* Jarrett (GRAPES High-Speed Networking WWW Page)
* Johnson, D
* Jones (TAPR President, WWW Pages, FTP Archives, Mailing Lists, and Membership Info)
* Karn (SQPSK Software Modem for Amateur Satellites)
* Leynes (TCP/IP)
* Long
* Mann (Wearable Computing using GRAPES 56 kBaud Radio Modems)
* Meredith (AZ VHF/UHF Digital Coordinator, Director of AZ Network Intertie Group, F6FBB Packet BBS Mailing List and Support BBS, and ArizonaONE Wired & Wireless)
* Myers (including TCP/IP)
* Neeson
* Nichols
* Nickolaus (IP Coordinator for Nebraska Subnet, F6FBB BBS Sysop, TheNet Node Operator, Regional Packet Symposium Organizer)
* Pinheiro
* Pozzi
* Redding, J
* Reynolds (TCP/IP over HF)
* Richardson, G
* Richardson, H
* Richardson, W
* Rogers (Packet Radio WWW Pages)
* Rymell
* Schleck (MACA)
* Schmitz
* Scribner
* Seiler (9600 Baud Digital Satellites)
* Seney (Macnet)
* Short (including BitBucket Specialized Techniques Mailing List)
* Smith, J

* Sproul, K (APRS)
* Sproul, M (APRS, including WWW Page)
* Stannard (TCP/IP, JNOS, IP Coordinator for AK subnet)
* Stetson
* Thomas, G
* Thomas, J (TCP/IP, TNOS, JNOS, Gracillis PackeTen, Vice President of Chicago, IL Area Packet Radio Association, NetRom Node Sysop)
* Vail (TCP/IP, TAPR/9600)
* Vidal (1200 Baud and 9.6 kBaud)
* Wagner (including wiring TNC's to Radios, Custom Switchboxes, etc.)
* Watters
* Weingarten
* Wetzel
* Williams

PART-15 BROADCASTING

* Brooks
* Browne
* Eisenberg
* Hendershot
* Richardson, G

POWER SUPPLIES

* Adams, I
* Anderson
* Ayers
* Balbert
* Bouthillier
* Boyce
* Buck
* Chatham
* Curry
* Gieszczykiewicz
* Gray
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Ihry
* Jackson
* Long
* Mello (Homebrew)
* Morris
* Morrissey (Homebrew)
* Nugent
* Petri
* Quick
* Rego
* Richards
* Richardson, G

* Roberson
* Ruggiano
* Sefranek
* Shears
* Sohl, R
* Taubman
* Weingarten
* White
* Winward

PRODUCT INFO/FEEDBACK

* Beech (Military Surplus Equipment WWW Page)
* Coffman (GRAPES 56 kBaud Radio Modems)
* Collier (ADI/Premier Communications WWW Page)
* Colwell (Advanced Computer Controls and Link Communications Repeater Controllers Mailing Lists)
* Dawson (Linux HAM and AX.25 HOWTO's)
* deVolpi (AmSoft and World of Ham Radio Product Announcements Mailing List, WWW Page, and FTP Archive)
* Douglas (DF Systems WWW Page)
* Gunton (Microwave Components/Techlock Distributing WWW Page)
* Hodgdon (Military and Surplus Equipment, Law Enforcement Communications and Electronics)
* Huntting (KaWin WWW Page)
* Jones (TAPR President, WWW Pages, FTP Archives, Mailing Lists, and Membership Info)
* Kruzic (ICOM America WWW Page)
* Lacy (NuTest and NuMorse Ham Training Software for Windows WWW Page)
* Lloyd (QRZ! Ham Radio CDROM, FTP Archive and WWW Page)
* Luszcz (Macintosh Shareware, including MacMultiMeter)
* Meredith (F6FBB Packet BBS Mailing List and Support BBS, and ArizonaONE Wired & Wireless)
* Moell, J (Radio Direction Finding Equipment)
* Muncey (Radio Era Archives, Schematics and Documentation, WWW Page)
* Paperman (Manuals, Service Information, and Literature)
* Rhea (Icom 706, 735, and 726)
* Richards (Retired 2-Way Radio Service Technician with 25 Years of Service with Motorola C&E Repairing, Installing, and Testing Commercial 2-Way Radio Equipment, including Pagers, Portables, Mobiles, Base and Control Stations, Repeaters, Closed-Circuit Television, Communications Consoles, Remote Control Equipment, Microwave, and Multiplex)
* Rippel (Secretary, Collins Collectors Association, Collins Mailing List)
* Sarrio (Raymond Sarrio Company WWW Page)
* Seney (Macnet, including Anonymous FTP Archive and WWW Page)
* Strobel (K6PBT Dealer Directory WWW Home Page)
* Wentz (Heathkit, including WWW Page)

QRP (LOW POWER)

* Bouthillier
* Buydens
* Caserta
* Chatham
* Croce
* Dworkin
* Edinger
* Emm (including Colorado QRP Club WWW Page)
* Halbert (Homebrew)
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Ihry
* Learned
* Lowman
* Miller
* Myers
* Parker (including Australian QRP and Peter Parker's Projects WWW
Pages)
* Petri
* Pitts
* Quick
* Richardson, G
* Rifleman
* Rosenfeld
* Ruggiano
* Rymell
* Schnick
* Shears
* Sohl, R
* Stern
* Stocking (Homebrew)
* Thomas, G
* Weingarten
* White
* Winward
* Zurn

QUARTER CENTURY WIRELESS ASSOCIATION (QCWA)

* Boyd
* Brooks
* Buck (Hawaii)
* Czaikowski
* Lowman
* Nickolaus
* Richardson, G
* Walsh (WWW Page)
* Winward

RADIO AMATEURS OF CANADA (RAC)

* Pulfer (Treasurer, Webmaster, WWW Page, and Free Canadian Amateur Radio Callsign E-mail Address Aliases)

RADIO CONTROL (RC)

* Anderson
* Bouthillier
* Buck (Sailplanes)
* Burns (Aircraft)
* Gieszczykiewicz
* Hancock
* Jackson
* Ruggiano
* Shears
* Taubman
* White

RADIO FREQUENCY INTERFERENCE (RFI)

* Adams, I
* Anderson
* Avnet
* Ayers
* Balbert
* Bouthillier
* Brooks
* Chatham
* Coffee
* Danaher
* Eisenberg
* Elmore, K
* Forman
* Gray
* Hancock (including Pager Interference)
* Hare (including Automotive, Telephone, and Cable Television)
* Harper
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Hennigan (Principal Area of Expertise)
* Hockaday
* Jackson
* Lacouture
* Mello
* Nichols
* Nutter
* Orcutt
* Paperman (including Signature Analysis)
* Preston
* Roberson
* Rossi
* Ruggiano
* Rymell

* Sefranek
* Shears (including Telephone)
* Sohl, R
* Stanley
* Taubman
* Thomson (Telephone and Lightning Protection)
* Wintheiser
* Winward

RADIO SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN (RSGB)

* Aydogmus, B
* Aydogmus, N
* Dalziel (HQ and Repeater Management Committee WWW Pages)

RECIPROCAL LICENSING/FOREIGN OPERATION

* Andrews, D (New Zealand)
* Bertolino (Italy)
* DeWolf (Belize and Canada)
* Komppa (Foreign Licensing WWW Page)
* Lynch (Foreigners Operating in Japan)
* Stern (Spain)
* Witte (Japan)
* Zurn (Italy and Germany)

REPEATERS

* Ackermann (Duplex Packet, 9600 and 19.2kBaud)
* Adams, I
* Arthur (including 440 MHz and Programmable Controllers)
* Avnet (Building and Maintaining)
* Ayers
* Bouthillier
* Brooks
* Chatham
* Childers (Member, Board of Directors, IL Repeater Association)
* Colwell (Advanced Computer Controls and Link Communications
Repeater Controllers Mailing Lists)
* Curry (Trustee, Washington, DC RACES Repeater)
* Custer (including Building and Link Systems)
* DeWolf (Repeater Linking, St. Lawrence Valley Repeater Council
Frequency Coordinator, Past President of the Champlain Regional
Repeater Association)
* Gray
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Hockaday (10 meters through 900 MHz, including ATV)
* Ihry
* Jackson
* Kincaid
* Long

* Mello (Building and Cavity Tuning)
* Meredith
* Nichols
* Richards
* Richardson, G
* Riddell
* Rymell (President of the Bald Eagle Repeater Association,
Pennsylvania)
* Schaefer
* Sefranek
* Seiler (1.2 GHz ATV)
* Smith, J
* Sohl, R
* Springman
* Wetzel
* Wilkins (including UHF)
* Witte (VHF and UHF)

SAFETY

* Balbert (Electrical and RF)
* Boccardi (Electrical/Grounding)
* Chatham (Electrical)
* Crenshaw (Electrical)
* Curry (Electrical and RF)
* Danaher (RF)
* Forman (RF)
* Gieszczykiewicz (Electrical)
* Gray (Chemical and Electrical)
* Hare (RF Exposure Regulations)
* Harris (Electrical and RF)
* Hawks (Electrical and RF, including ELF and VLF)
* Hendershot (Electrical and RF)
* Hennigan (Electrical and RF)
* Ihry (Electrical and RF)
* Jackson (Electrical and RF)
* Kolb (Electrical)
* Lacouture (Electrical and RF)
* Long (Electrical and RF)
* Mosley (Electrical)
* Nutter (Electrical)
* Ornitz (Chemicals, Toxic Materials, Antique/Boatanchor
Refurbishing, Electrical, and RF)
* Paperman (RF)
* Rego (Electrical and RF)
* Richardson, G (RF)
* Richardson, H
* Robinson (Chemical)
* Rosenfeld (Electrical)
* Ruggiano
* Salnick (Chemical)

* Scholz (Electrical)
* Shears (Electrical and RF)
* Smith, D (Electrical)
* Stanley (RF)
* Taubman (RF)
* Turner (Software)
* Winward (Electrical)

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* Beech (including PACSAT's)
* Bertolino (RadioSputniks and DOVE Telemetry)
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* Hendershot
* Karn (SQPSK Software Modem)
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* Langenohl
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* Nichols
* Nutter (SAREX)
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* Seiler (Low and High Orbit, 9600 Baud Digital)
* Stillinger
* Thomas, G (OSCAR)
* Vekinis (Picosat System and WWW Page)
* Williams (Extra-Terrestrial Amateur Satellites and Probes Mailing List)
* Williamson (AMSAT Vice President for Electronic Publishing, AMSAT WWW Page, AMSAT Anonymous FTP Archive, AMSAT E-mail Aliases, AMSAT Public Mailing Lists, and Author or Maintainer of Various Satellite and Packet Radio Software Packages)

SCOUTING

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* Biccum (Cub Scout Den Leader)
* Goldberg (ScoutRadio WWW Page)
* Rymell (Radio Merit Badge Counselor)
* Sohl, B (Radio Merit Badge Counselor)
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* Stern

SEMINARS/LECTURES/OTHER CLUB ACTIVITIES

* Anderson
* Ayers
* Boccardi
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* Henderson
* Hughes
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* Redding, T (Club Growth Techniques)
* Richardson, G
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SPREAD SPECTRUM

* Bible (WWW Page)
* Brooks
* Hendershot
* Ihry
* Jones (TAPR President, WWW Pages, FTP Archives, Mailing Lists, and Membership Info)
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TELEVISION, FAST-SCAN (ATV)

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* Hendershot
* Hockaday
* Larson
* Nichols
* Pawson (British Amateur Television Club WWW Page)

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* White

TELEVISION, SLOW-SCAN (SSTV)

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* Harper
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* Ihry
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* Ruggiano
* Scholz
* Schumacher
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* Bourne
* Elmore, G (N6GN's Higher Speed Packet WWW Page)
* Estey (North American Digital Systems Directory WWW Page)
* Goldstein (WWW Page, TNC-2 Firmware)
* Jones (TAPR President, WWW Pages, FTP Archives, Mailing Lists, and
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* Cole (including Linux)
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* DuBois (SysV Kernel, Applications, Device Drivers, and Networking)
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* Beech (VHF/UHF)
* Bouthillier (VHF)
* Brooks (VHF/UHF)
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* Curry
* Custer
* Di Mattia
* Eisenberg
* Emm

* Forman
* Gapinski (VHF CW Meteor Scatter)
* Gray
* Hammill (including ATV, Weak Signal, and DX)
* Harper
* Harris
* Hendershot
* Hockaday (6m, 2m, 1.25m, 70cm, 33cm, 23cm, FM, Repeaters, and Weak Signal)
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* Ihry (VHF/UHF)
* Laakkonen (VHF)
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* Lau (CW/SSB to 222 MHz)
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* Morris
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* Silva
* Smith, J
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* Ellenberg (ARRL)
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Session Software)
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* Fruhling
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Amateur Radio: Elmers Resource Directory

More information about this list can be found in the companion posting
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My primary interests are in packet radio network building
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hardware we've been struggling with here.

I'm now working heavily with Linux, and help run a TNOS/Linux BBS, and
a Linux native-AX.25 switch. Although I'm not "the world's greatest
authority" on either, I'd be happy to help folks with questions to the
extent I can.

I've developed some experience with full-duplex packet repeaters. I've
built 2 19.2 repeaters, and am working on a 9600 Baud one now.

My World-Wide Web Page above has a reasonable set of resources for
digital networking, including HTML versions of some of my work, sample
configuration files for Linux AX.25, and some Linux software tools, as
well as the Ohio IP address coordination info.

I've just finished writing a book on TCP/IP that TAPR will publish
(hopefully) by the end of the year. It'll be called _Networking
Without Wires_ and is a completely rewritten, and greatly expanded,
version of the old _IntroNOS_ document I wrote several years ago. In
the meantime, I've made the old _IntroNOS_ available in HTML format on

my World-Wide Web Page above.

TAPR (Tucson Amateur Packet Radio) has formed a special interest group to discuss issues of regional packet networking (Net-SIG). As a result, the TAPR net-sig mailing list was born, and is now ready for operation.

This list is <not> intended to replace any of the existing packet-related mailing lists. Its purpose is provide a medium for communications among those interested in packet radio networking, both dealing with technical issues and political/regulatory ones. We'll discuss things like how the potential 219MHz band will fit into the networking picture, how to link areas using different networking schemes, how to set network parameters, etc. The list's charter will be posted there regularly.

The address of the list is net-sig@tapr.org and you can subscribe by sending mail to listserv@tapr.org with the text "join netsig".

Apart from subscribing to the list, you can contact me for further details about the Net-SIG (including upcoming conferences).

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I have been involved with the Amateur Radio International Travel Host scheme. I also chair the NZART Frequency Management and Technical Advisory Group, which is responsible for all repeater coordination and band-planning (LF, MF, HF, VHF, UHF, and above) in New Zealand. I would be pleased to answer any queries with regard to reciprocal licensing or frequency coordination that may arise.

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I am a retired electronics engineer, ham since 1949, Amateur Extra license. I have expertise in DX'ing, homebrew, repair (owned repair shop for 13 years), modifications, operating techniques, power amplifiers, packet, RTTY, SSB, CW, and used equipment.

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The American Radio Relay League is pleased to announce the startup of ARRLWeb, your League's new HQ-based World-Wide Web site, at the URL

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ARRLWeb will serve as an essential Internet resource for active hams, carrying ARRL news, details on upcoming hamfests, conventions and Amateur Radio examinations, the ARRL Publications catalog, information of ARRL membership benefits and services, and more.

In inaugurating this new service, the League thanks Scott Ehrlich, WY1Z, and the other Boston Amateur Radio Club volunteers who've worked since December 1994 to keep ARRL up and coming on the Web via the ARRL home page they installed and maintained at oak.oakland.edu. Their volunteerism helped show us that upgrading our Internet connection to a level that allowed on-campus Web service would be essential to ARRL's mission of serving Amateur Radio.

Your comments, criticism and suggestions on how to make ARRLWeb bigger
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The Proceedings of the 6th Computer Networking Conference has a paper by WA4DSY explaining the theory and practice of the 56 kBaud radio modem. (I think it's the 6th, I don't have my copy handy.)

GRAPES furnishes instructions for modifying a TNC2 to drive the modem, but there are better solutions. The Ottawa PI card and the Gracilis PacketTwin card are two good solutions. Of course they are PC bus cards. If you need standalone capability, the Kantronics Data Engine can handle it, as can the incredible Gracilis PacketTen. PacComm claims their new Sprint TNC can, too (PacComm now also manufactures the Gracilis cards under license and you can get them either from them or from Gracilis direct).

WA4DSY has interfaced raw telco codecs to the modems and done "digital voice" while mobile. It works quite well.

If you want information on the RF modem (full document sets are $20 US, creditable towards a later order) write to GRAPES at

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Maintainer of ACC List Server (Repeater Controllers):

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The ACC list has approximately 300 members at this time. I am trying to restrict the list to only ACC users (control people) and owners. The list is also supported by the new owner of all the rights to ACC, Link Communications. I am also running the Link repeater controller list server. It has approximately 90 members at this time. The way to join the list server is to send me a short E-mail and tell me what equipment you are using. (Note: I have no ties to Link Communications or ACC. I started the Link list first and found how useful it is. I had a lot of requests to start the ACC list and did it.)

Greater Pittsburgh VHF Society (WA3BAK) World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.engrng.pitt.edu/~rrc2/vhfs.html

* 146.610MHz, 145.330MHz, 444.950MHz, 223.980MHz, 29.640MHz Repeaters
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* RACES
* RFI
* Repeaters
* Electrical Safety
* RF Safety
* ATV
* VHF/UHF
* Volunteer Examiner (ARRL VEC)

* 30-year Member, Armed Forces Communications and Electronics Association (AFCEA)
* FCC Commercial General Radiotelephone License (formerly First Class, held since 1969)
* Amateur since 1969
* Supervisor, WHUT-TV, Channel 32, at Howard University, Washington, DC
* Member, University of Maryland Amateur Radio Association, W3EAX
* Trustee, Washington, DC RACES repeater, KC3VO @ 448.875MHz out, 443.875 MHz input (open repeater, membership not needed)

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* Service in Teheran, Iran
* Chief Engineer of Armed Forces Radio & TV, 1969 to 1970
* Customer Engineer, IBM Corporation, 1966 to 1974
* Service Technician for SONY Corporation
* Ham radio visits to Russia in 1990 & 1992 (also visited the Ukranian capitol, Kiev, in 1992)

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(I'm also the co-administrator of the Sydney (Australia) University of Technology Internet/ampr.org gateway.)

I'm happy to assist with information relating to:

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* Amateur Radio Internet Gateways

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* Repeater Linking
* Examinations for Canadian Licenses
* SWL's
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* Volunteer Examiner

I am available most days; work from home. I am especially interested
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North American Digital Systems Directory World-Wide Web Page:

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The purpose of the Digital Systems Directory is not to manage, coordinate, or regulate the usage of digital systems, but to provide the most up to date and accurate listing of digital systems that can be provided. Neither is it a formal organization, but a mechanism to allow regional groups to provide and share information regarding digital systems.

The Digital Systems Directory listing is intended for use by individuals to further their enjoyment of the hobby and by organizations to help plan and develop digital networks.

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I'm back in an EE program after 5 years in "real life." Now I know what I don't know. My own web pages will improve as my knowledge expands and improves. For those on other continents, we have mirrors in:

* Naples Italy: ftp://ftp.unina.it/pub/electronics/REPAIR/
* South Africa: soon to be announced
* UK: soon to be announced

I'm looking for mirrors in other places, especially Australia. If you can help and have about 7 MB to spare, you can help us mirror the sci.electronics.repair FAQ by reading:

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Packet Radio and TAPR are on the World-Wide-Web!

* http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/pkthome.html
* http://www.tapr.org/tapr/

What's here? A page of links (the Home Page), the TAPR Home Page, a page of Packet Pioneers and Contacts, a hypertext packet primer and FAQ, and more.

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* Volunteer Examiner

* ARES EC and RACES EC, Comanche County, TX
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British Amateur Television Club (BATC) World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.batc.org.uk/

(Features information about the BATC and Amateur Television (ATV) in Britain in general.)

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Dayton, Ohio E-mail Elmers

Sponsored by the Miami Valley (Ohio) FM Association (MVFMA):

http://www.febo.com/

The Dayton E-mail Elmers service allows new or prospective hams in Dayton and Southwestern Ohio, or even experienced amateurs who are venturing into a new aspect of the hobby, to send an E-mail request for assistance. Volunteer on-line Elmers then can provide a response in the "Elmer" tradition of mentoring new or less-experienced hams.

Today, many hams prepare for their license exams through classroom programs, and the individual Elmer's touch isn't as common as it once was. The E-mail Elmer service is an attempt to restore this long tradition. The MVFMA hopes that the initial E-mail exchange will be the start of an ongoing Elmer relationship in the best tradition of Amateur Radio."

Hams may use the E-mail Elmer service simply by sending an E-mail message to:

elmer@febo.com

and posing the ham radio question they'd like to have answered. Users will get a machine-generated confirmation, and within a few days, they will get a response from one or more of the volunteer Elmers.

For more information, or to volunteer as an E-mail Elmer, contact me
at my phone number or E-mail address above.

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General Manager of Simtel(TM) Software Repository:

http://www.simtel.net/simtel.net/
ftp://ftp.simtel.net/pub/simtelnet/

(Formerly wsmr-simtel20.army.mil)

(simtel.net is a service mark of Walnut Creek CDROM)

Announcements regarding uploads to Simtel of amateur-radio-related
software are cross-posted to:

news:rec.radio.info

[_Editor's Note:_ This outstanding archive collection, which
incorporates much amateur-radio-related software, is listed here for
completeness. However, as Keith gets about 200 E-mail messages a day,
he strongly encourages self-sufficiency in the use of the archive. The
above URL's contain several documents regarding how to download files
from and upload files to this archive. There are also many other
Elmers willing to answer beginning-level questions regarding accessing
files via FTP and WWW. Consult the "INTERNET SERVICES" category in the
Subject Quick-Search Index for a complete list.]

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* Homebrewing
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* QRP
* VHF/UHF
* Volunteer Examiner

* VHF/UHF weak signal work
* Tube type radios

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* HF
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* Novice/Tech Instruction
* QRP
* Tucson Amateur Packet Radio (TAPR)
* UNIX
* VHF
* Volunteer Examiner (ARRL VEC)

Currently hold twice-weekly slow-speed CW net on 80M. Code practice is intended to help all increase speed and to just have some fun on the air.

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* Antennas
* Apple Macintosh Computer
* HF/DX
* CW
* Mobile

I'm a software engineer specializing in Macintosh development, and I've been a ham since 1982. I was first licensed at age 14, and I now hold an Extra class license. My expertise is in antenna-building and theory, CW (Morse Code), DXing, SWLing, and HF operating practices in general. I also operate mobile in a '96 Ford Ranger pickup. I'd be happy to help any new or aspiring amateur radio operators.

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* Antennas
* Batteries
* CW
* HF
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* Internet Services
* RFI

I have considerable experience in computers, some in packet, with an informal training in electronics. My background includes electronic surveillance countermeasures such as looking for interesting signals or wire connections with spectrum analyzers/receivers and TDR's, etc.

I'm not very active in operating, but have had a fair amount of experience when young.

I would prefer dealing with people in my local area, since many well-informed experts are available via the Internet.

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Radio Amateurs of Canada (RAC) Treasurer and Webmaster

(RAC is Canada's national amateur radio society.)

RAC World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.rac.ca/

Callsign E-mail Addresses for All Interested Canadian Amateurs

Any licensed Canadian amateur radio operator can now have an E-mail address of the form:

callsign@rac.ca

This means that you will no longer have to advise all your contacts of any new E-mail address if you change your Internet service provider. Canadian amateurs will not have to keep track of dozens or hundreds of E-mail addresses. Just remembering the callsign is all they will need.

RAC is able to offer this free service thanks to the volunteer help and support of Information Gateway Services (IGS) of Kanata, Ontario, Canada, and in particular the work of Rene Kahle, VA3RDK. Rene developed the E-mail aliasing software, and set up the server hardware (IGS also donates server space for the RAC and ARAS World-Wide Web Pages that contain much useful information for Canadian amateurs).

If you wish to obtain a callsign E-mail address, simply send a message to:

alias@rac.ca

with:

callsign = realaddress

in the BODY of the message.

For example, if my callsign was VA4KP and my real (current) E-mail address was:

ham@qsy.ca

I would put the following in the BODY of the message:

VA4KP = ham@qsy.ca

Any subsequent mail addressed to:

VA4KP@rac.ca

would be redirected by the IGS server to:

ham@qsy.ca

Of course, such mail would NOT go anywhere near RAC headquarters, nor be seen by RAC officials, nor placed in a public database that could be exploited for "junk-mail" distribution. Any E-mail addressed directly to:

ham@qsy.ca

will also be delivered as in the past without passing through the IGS server.

The E-mail aliasing service is currently set up on a trial basis. If it works well and amateurs find it useful, it will remain available for all who wish to use it.

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* Antennas (MF/HF/VHF/Wire/Beams/Yagis/Quads/Magnetic Loops/Design/Homebrew/Mobile/Portable)
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* Batteries
* Equipment Testing/Troubleshooting
* Homebrewing
* Mobile/Portable/Field Day
* Novice/Tech Instruction
* Power Supplies
* QRP
* RTTY

* Homebrew tube equipment, in general
* Homebrew transistorized receivers
* Homebrew QRP and QRO CW transmitters

* Old radio restoration
* Practical power generation at home and in the field
* (Triode type single ended audio amplifiers. Not really a ham
topic)
* Practical antennas and feedlines without the nonsense
* Getting on the air effectively without spending a "kilodollar"

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201. Amateur Radio: Elmers Resource Directory Part 6/6 [T-Z]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
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+ JNOS in DOS
+ Gracillis-NOS in a Gracillis PackeTen (P10) multiport node

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Visit us on the World-Wide Web:

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HELP WANTED: READERS NEEDED BY HANDI-HAMS

The Courage HANDI-HAM Center needs volunteer readers to record ham
radio books and publications on audio tape. Volunteer readers provide
a valuable service to persons with severe physical disabilities and
sensory impairments who cannot use regular printed books.

Volunteers should hold an Amateur Radio license and be familiar with
hobby terms and expressions. A clear speaking voice and the ability to
read the written text of Amateur Radio books and describe the diagrams
and pictures are essential.

HANDI-HAMS will provide a tech sheet and a sample tape to new
volunteers, as well as a copy of the book to be read and cassette
master tapes. Readers will need a good-quality cassette tape recorder
and a quiet place to record. Some of the books we would ask readers to
tape would be ARRL license manuals, special interest Amateur Radio
books, and instruction manuals for radios.

This volunteer work can be done in one's own home, at one's own pace,
as long as there is a quiet place to read. It is a wonderful way to
share Amateur Radio with others!

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Finnish Amateur Radio League (SRAL) World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.sral.fi/

(SRAL is Finland's national amateur radio society.)

Please direct all submissions, feedback, and administrivia regarding SRAL and its WWW page to hq@sral.fi.

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The ARRL Technical Information Service (TIS) Coordinator is now another member of the ARRL HQ staff. Please direct all TIS queries to tis@arrl.org, _NOT_ my E-mail address above.

The ARRL Info Server Sysop is now Mary Robertson. See her entry for more information.

See Jon Bloom's entry for information about the ARRL World-Wide Web Home Page.

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Maintainer of the uk.radio.amateur (United Kingdom) FAQ

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http://www.topsy.demon.co.uk/radio-amateur/faq.html

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"Why don't you just make 10 louder?"
(Spinal Tap)
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AA9PW Amateur Radio Exam Practice World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.biochem.mcw.edu/Postdocs/Simon/radio/exam.html

This WWW site allows users to practice for the US Amateur Radio
examinations on-line. The written examinations for all five classes,
novice through extra, can be generated complete with figures, filled
in on-line, and then graded. The results are presented
question-by-question, and also graphically by subelement, so that
users can identify areas which require further study.

More advanced options include saving the results of each examination a
user takes on-line. These results can be used to monitor progress and
also as a basis for generating exams tailored to a user's needs,
ensuring that all questions are practiced.

Exams can also be generated and E-mailed to users without WWW access:

Send E-mail to exams@eeyore.biochem.mcw.edu with a line in the BODY of
the message like:

generate novice

This will result in a novice exam being generated and E-mailed back to
you with the answers included at the end of the E-mail. These exams

lack the figures, so reference to a printed copy is advised! Simply replace "novice" with any of the other exam names (technician, general, advanced or extra) to get the other exams. To request multiple exams in one E-mail, write multiple "generate" lines.

Other exam resources such as the question pools, copies of the exam figures, and FCC Part 97 are also available. A comprehensive help page exists to guide users through the facilities of the site. All questions and queries are welcome!

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I just upgraded to Advanced, and am now working on Extra. Was first licensed about ten months ago.

What I've learned:

1. How to operate HF from your apartment without being evicted
2. How to pass tests, both written and code
3. How to make a virtue out of the necessity of your limited equipment, and enjoy the process while doing it

I operate CW HF exclusively. The only time I get to operate is when the baby is asleep, so the XYL demands silent running. Besides, with my wimpy wire, there is little point in trying to run voice.

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I am willing to answer questions about:

* FILTERS
+ integrated
+ distributed
+ lumped
+ active
+ etc.
* MICROWAVES
+ designing power amplifiers
+ low noise amplifiers
+ mixers
+ etc.

(E-mail questions are preferred)

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Picosat System World-Wide Web Page:

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* Antennas (Homebrew/Design/Repair)
* CW
* Novice/Tech Instruction
* Packet and Digital Networking
* IBM PC's
* Volunteer Examiner (ARRL VEC)
* Youth

ARRL Official Emergency Station (OES) and Local Government Liaison

I have experience with antennas (calculations, construction, and repair), all HF digital modes (including HF FAX), wiring of TNC's to radios, custom switchboxes for TNC's, radio modifications, math calculations, personal computers (DOS, Windows, Networking, and HTML), and of course, on-the-air operation and CW. I would love to work with young students wanting to become hams. I hope I can help.

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50mhz-digest
alinco Alinco
alinco-digest
aprs APRS
aprs-digest
ares-races ARES-RACES
ares-races-digest
bcvhfa Butler County VHF Assn.
bcvhfa-digest
bitbucket The BitBucket
bitbucket-digest
bpsk BPSK/DSP Weak-Signal Detection
bpsk-digest
cw CW Amateur Radio List-Server
cw-digest
emwin Emergency Manager's Weather Information Net
emwin-digest
flares Florida ARES
flares-digest
forsale-swap ForSale/Swap/Wanted
forsale-swap-digest
fox_tango Fox-Tango
fox_tango-digest
georgia-skywarn Georgia Skywarn
georgia-skywarn-digest
ham-books HAM-BOOKS Amateur Radio List-Server
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kenwood Kenwood Amateur Radio List-Server
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newsvhf-digest
nlrs Northern Lights Radio Society
nlrs-digest
packet-pbbs Packet and PBBS Amateur Radio
packet-pbbs-digest
park PARK Amateur Radio List-Server
park-digest
ppares Pikes Peak ARES Amateur Radio
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ppraanet Pikes Peak Radio Amateur Assn.
ppraanet-digest
programit PROgramit Amateur Radio
programit-digest
qsl-net Private Amateur Radio
qsl-net-digest
serc Sarasota Emergency Radio Club
serc-digest
skywarn SkyWarn Amateur Radio
skywarn-digest
smirk SMIRK Amateur Radio
smirk-digest
srqares SRQARES Amateur Radio
srqares-digest
sstv-atv SSTV and ATV Amateur Radio
sstv-atv-digest
vaafmars Virginia AFMARS Amateur Radio
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* Amateur Extra class CW operator
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* Retired Engineer (disabled)
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I also have my own IBM compatible computer, which has a P166 processor, 32M of RAM and a total of 4.6G of hard drive space, spread between three EIDE hard drives. This computer normally runs under the Linux operating system, and I am gradually moving the above Fidonet BBS system across from MSDOS to Linux. Because of the lack of suitable software under Linux, I am writing one myself, having had 15 years experience as a professional programmer.

I am a regular participant in AuroraMUSH, a MultiUser system, and have authored several patches to the suftware controlling it. It may be visited at:

telnet://amush.cx:4190/

Status Servers:

telnet://status1.amush.cx:4191/
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I have been involved with Packet radio for over a decade now. Indeed, it was packet radio that got me interested in Amateur Radio in the first place.

I started up a mailing list connected with the Amateur Satellite world, currently using manual subscriptions. The list is:

Space.Repeater@cus.umist.ac.uk

and is for the discussion of the possibility of placing an amateur band repeater or transponder in orbit around a planet other than Earth, or on the surface of one of the other planets.

I will add that, although I can claim to be something of an expert on both Linux and Packet Radio, I am definitely NOT an expert on the two together.

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(All kinds of information on amateur satellites)

http://www.amsat.org/

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(Software and other files for amateur satellite enthusiasts)

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For email access to FTP archives, send a message with just:

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ANS (AMSAT News Service)
KEPS (Keplerian elements weekly bulletins)
AMSAT-BB (discussion about amateur satellites)
SAREX (discussion about manned space missions with amateur radio)
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OrbitDRV (background tracking TSR, part of InstantTrack)
ITRACK (command line for OrbitDRV, part of InstantTrack)

ITPASS (satellite pass tables for InstantTrack)
ITSORT (edit and re-arrange InstantTrack's satellite list)
ITSTAMP (annotate a timestamped log with satellite position)
DISPANG (shows KCT antenna angles on screen)
DUMMYKCT (KCT-compatible TSR driver that just displays the angles)
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* Currently experimenting with antennas for small spaces, like
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DX QSL Info World-Wide Web Page:

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The DX QSL Info File is updated monthly. It is in Xbase format and runs under a variety of software, including:

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+ Test and measurement equipment
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Posted-By: auto-faq 3.3 (Perl 5.004)
Archive-name: radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part5
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I have written and published training/educational curriculums for Novice, and Tech Plus amateur radio licenses. Of interest is the fact that amateurs licensed through my courses are very likely to upgrade as evidenced by the high number of hams in the Lawton, Oklahoma area that hold Extra Class licenses.

I organized and conducted a SAREX in southwest Oklahoma that involved over 3,000 students in 21 schools in seven cities of southwest Oklahoma. The SAREX consisted of an essay contest with the winners being able to ask questions of the astronauts while they orbited the earth. The live SAREX was broadcasts over the Lawton, Oklahoma Public School systems cable television to the public in southwest Oklahoma.

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Don't know where you are going to use a old horse like myself. I am part of the old and part of the new displine. I have fabricated all my wire antennas which includes the matching device (transformer) and been building equipment for more than a quarter of a century. I also manage to repair all my equipment - when parts are available. I restore early age broadcast receivers and HF transceivers. I know the old Heathkit HW100 and HW101 very well and built a Heathkit 5400 transceiver with matching Power Supply. I have constructed many amplifiers and own a Swan, Collins (S-Line), Kenwood, Heathkit, and Johnson. I am very active in the two meter band.

In addition, I have restored many an old Coleman Lanterns (which is very enjoyable) and also have some American Gas Machine Lanterns (1930's).

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* RF - Antennas, HF propagation
* Networking - TCP/IP over HF
* Frequency bands: VLF, LF, HF, VHF, UHF, SHF

This is a very brief synopsis of the areas that I have dealt with over
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test team with the WCARS group and have been testing for a good number of years. We have tested over 300 hams during the last three years.

I also have been in the repeater business since 1973 (146.820) and have held a ham license longer that any other resident of Estill County Kentucky. I am the fourth ham to be licensed in our community, the other three have either become Silent Keys or moved from our county. I am very proud to have held a ticket for almost thirty years. I hope through my experience with the local emergency team, I can also provide advice on EMS. I founded the local Rescue Squad in 1978 and am still President of the corporation. I was also the local DES Coordinator from 1977-1993.

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The Collins Collectors Association would like to invite those of you who have an interest in Collins Radio to subscribe to the now fully automated Collins Reflector. This service is sponsored by the CCA and is provided at no charge to Collins enthusiasts.

There is an FAQ which will hopefully be sent to each new subscriber when they "sign on." If you would like one and don't get it, drop me an E-mail at my address above.

There may be a few initial bumps and glitches at first but we hope those of you who choose to participate will enjoy it.

As of 1/6/97, the Collins Reflector will be fully automated and I will discontinue forwarding the mail manually as in the past.

The new automated list processor will be a real upgrade. It will enable you to get the material in nearly real time and does not require me to forward each message manually. You will get the material

much quicker than before. The Collins Listserver behaves much like the Boatanchors list. Simply, you subscribe to the list, send it messages which it then "reflects" back out to all those who subscribe. This is done once every ten minutes.

You must resubscribe to the new listserver in order to continue to participate. The automated list server follows the same guidelines contained in the CCA FAQ. Please continue to follow those guidelines for posting and contributing.

Here is how to subscribe:

Send an E-mail message to:

listserv@listserv.tempe.gov

Leave the subject header of the message blank and in the BODY, simply type:

subscribe collins

The listprocessor will output an E-mail message back to you with easy to follow instructions asking for your confirmation. At that time, you will be asked to send a second E-mail message to the listserver. Follow those instructions exactly and send the second, confirmation, message to the listserver.

If all is successful, you will be signed up to the list and a complete set of instructions will be sent back to you in the form of an E-mail by the automated list server.

Finally, a very big thanks to Dave Kelly, AI7R and the City of Tempe, AZ who have graciously provided and set up the server. Dave and the Collins Collectors Association sponsor the Collins Reflector as a no charge benefit for Collins afficionados everywhere. Enjoy!

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ARRL E-mail Information Server and Online Services SysOp (info@arrl.org)

Many amateur radio informational documents are available from the ARRL E-mail Information Server (or Info Server for short). To find out how to use the Info Server, send E-mail to info@arrl.org with any subject (it is ignored) and the following text in the BODY of the message:

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I also manage the ARRL's presence on America Online (HQARRL1) and CompuServe (70007,3373).

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(Contact me for disability-related information)

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Packet Radio Networking World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.packetradio.com/
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To open the pages, a Packet Radio Glossary that I began writing in 1988, and updated as new mnemonics and acronyms were added to the Packet jargon, is at:

http://www.packetradio.com/glossary.htm

Next there is the "original" Packet Radio Primer for the Novice or beginning Packet Radio operator at:

http://www.packetradio.com/primer.htm

Since 1996, the TNC to Transceiver diagrams from these pages are the most used and imitated on the WWW. I maintain these drawings directly from the Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEM's) and insure they are of the latest makes and models. These interface diagrams are at:

http://www.packetradio.com/tnc2rad.htm

These interface drawings are taken from over 14 years of the PACKET USERS NOTEBOOK column in CQ Magazine. In addition, I've included many TNC and transceiver 9600 baud modifications at:

http://www.packetradio.com/9600mods.htm

I've included several zip files of the latest X-1J4 Rev C code and Packet Radio terminal programs. This site contains information and instructions that enable the reader and user to build and configure a Packet Radio network. Complete with the TNC changes and MODS plus both user level and backbone node parameter suggestions, at:

http://www.packetradio.com/network.htm

The parameters and mode guidelines are at:

http://www.packetradio.com/x1j4pram.htm

To round out these pages to be the most helpful to all Amateurs, there are pages that describe "How to...":

* Design and build antennas, complete with drawings and formulas
* Build a superb ground system for your QTH, node/repeater, or comm site
* Build a solar powered site where no utility mains are present
* A coaxial cable table for the most used Coax by Amateurs
* WX Watch and SKYWARN links
* A Packet Radio bandplan
* An online callbook lookup link
* Hamfest Calendar
* Network maps of the 11 State SEDAN emergency comm network

and much, much more.

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I have been a ham since 15. I have been an Extra class operator since age 17, and a VE since age 18. [_Editor's Note:_ Possibly the youngest Contact VE ever.]

I am an avid HF QRP (low power) and mobile operator. I have spent literally hundreds of hours installing my mobile station (IC-706 and Screwdriver antenna, plus more grounding straps than I can remember) in my 1995 Neon.

Most of the time I operate QRP CW mobile.

Why? It challenges my operating skills as much as possible, plus QRP is safer (RF-wise) than is 100 or 1500 watts. With the effects of RF exposure still unknown, I don't feel like exposing myself to high-power RF fields any more than necessary, and if 3 watts will do the job, so be it, I'll emit it.

In addition, people are generally amazed when you mention that not only are you running just 3 measly watts output power, and on top of that you're doing it from your car as it's zipping down the Interstate at 65 mph. They just can't believe it's possible that less power than a nightlight is bouncing off the ionosphere and ground three times, and is still able to be detected 10,000 miles away.

I'm here to tell them it is.

I enjoy building kits, and consider myself to be a good builder.

I am a fair contest operator, and enjoy 35 WPM CW ragchews as well as hunting for DX.

I moved from Laurel, MD to Eugene, OR in November, 1998. It has been strange to not hear European stations 24 hours a day, although I am getting used to hearing Japanese stations 24 hours a day. I am a member of the Valley Radio Club of Eugene, and give VE exams with the local group. In the past I have been very active with both the Laurel (Maryland) and University of Maryland Amateur Radio Clubs, and

operated with both during public service events, contests, special events, and emergency operations (earthquakes, hurricanes, etc.). I have been the chief HF operator at University of Maryland HF-related events (Field Day and Sweepstakes) for the past three years.

As a Volunteer Examiner, I have conducted roughly 150 test sessions, testing at minimum a thousand applicants.

I have given Novice/Technician/General license class instruction, as well as taught a 5 WPM code class. I have been told that I have a knack for describing complex subjects in ways that make them far easier for laypeople to understand. I developed a presentation touting the best points of QRP, and made presentations at four radio clubs in Maryland, and at the QRP forum at the 1998 Dayton Hamvention. I organized the Dayton QRP banquet in 1998, and am doing the same in 1999.

Most of all, I love a good challenge, and proving I can do something I've been told is practically impossible.

For instance, would anyone believe that communicating on 20 meters over a distance of 14,000 miles from your car at 2.5 watts was possible?

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My favorite aspect of amateur radio is contesting. It drives my station improvements and operating proficiency. I have played around with antennas and made various station modifications to improve my

contact efficiency. Along the way I have solved some RFI problems, built many of my station accessories, installed and built some HF antennas, put up a small (40') tower, etc.

I volunteer as a RACES operator in no particular capacity. I help with a few VE test sessions a year mostly representing the ARRL VEC with the Burlington ARC team.

I work as a SRAM design/product engineer at IBM Microelectronics in Essex Junction, Vermont. I have been interested in electronics and computers since a young age, but only got my amateur radio license in 1993 as a Technician at the age of 31. I got to know the code and upgraded to Extra in February of 1994.

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I have nearly 30 years experience in electronic/computer service work. I enjoy designing, building, and operating vacuum tube and solid state equipment. I restore, test, repair, and operate antique radio equipment. The maximum power I use for daily operations is always below 100w, and most of the time, I operate at QRP (5w) or less! (More with less.) I have a real enthusiasm for building just about anything from nothing, as part of the homebrew aspect of the hobby. When not working DX, enjoying a good contest, or have a great time on Field Day, I watch over my 6m repeater, or work VHF packet. I am glad to be of help to those in need! I fully support the Elmer program as a means to bring new people into Amateur Radio. I teach Novice and Tech classes for aspiring Amateurs. I am also a merit badge instructor for the scouting program, and the advisor for the Bloomsburg University Amateur Radio Club.

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I can help people with HF stuff, cheap antennas, and am willing to help troubleshoot problems with rigs.

I believe that one of the pillars of ham radio - construction/ understanding at the burn-your-hand-with-a-soldering-iron level - is drifting out of ham radio. With Japanese radios which cost so much, fewer and fewer hams are willing to risk their warranty to service their own equipment. I would like to see a turn-around here...

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I have been licensed for almost 20 years and have seen quite a bit. I deal mostly with helping new hams get going on HF including helping with antenna projects, etc. I have taught novice classes in the past and continue to do so. I also have extensive experience with the VEC program including starting the Dunedin ARA VE team.

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Also willing to provide newsreader kill/select file help to anyone interested in customizing their presentation of the rec.radio.* newsgroups

I would be particularly interested in mentoring/training new FAQ/Info maintainers for the rec.radio.* newsgroups (see also John Seney for FAQ maintenance opportunities). To paraphrase Zack Lau, I can't post it all myself!

I have taken over maintenance of the Perl-based auto-faq FAQ management and posting package from Ian Kluft and would be happy to guide new FAQ authors in its use. The latest version, 3.3, is available via anonymous FTP from:

ftp://ftp.novia.net/customers/pschleck/auto-faq/

The auto-faq-users mailing list has also been re-sited at Novia. To subscribe, send E-mail to auto-faq-users-request@novia.net

with:

subscribe auto-faq-users

in the message BODY. An acknowledgment message will follow shortly. To unsubscribe, replace the above command with:

unsubscribe auto-faq-users

Recently I undertook some academic research into packet radio using KA9Q's Multiple-Access/Collision Avoidance (MACA) link-layer protocol. I attempted a literature survey as well as some software simulations of the protocol (with varying degrees of success). I would welcome any opportunities to improve on my work, find out about any actual MACA implementations, share information, and build on my bibliography (available on request). More information about MACA may be obtained from:

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(The majority of the original content of the FAQ remains the same, but
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stewperry Stu Perry TopBand Distance Contest Reflector
stewperry-digest
svhfs SE VHF Society Mailing List
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(See also Alan Waller)

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* Repeaters
* SKYWARN
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I have considerable expertise in building and maintaining personal
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* QRP
* RFI
* Repeaters
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* VHF/UHF

ARRL Technical Specialist

I am a pilot (N6141F) with more than 10 years as air and ground search and rescue. Active in ARES, RACES, and Civil Air Patrol (CAP West 41).

I also have a home in Alpine, Texas, USA.

I have started doing a weekend or four-night amateur radio licensing class that works great. I use the ARRL video course and it works super. We watch the tapes, answer questions and then spend a three-hour session giving them practice Novice and Technician tests, then reviewing each question they missed. We have even had students that had studied at home and just did the last session for review.

I now do four or six classes a year, some in Texas and some in New Mexico.

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My vocation and avocation both deal with Radio Frequency transmission and propagation. I have spent considerable time working with RF safety issues as they pertain to broadcast radio, television, and now amateur stations.

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I can help with most things regarding PC's, but I'm not a programmer. :-(

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Liaison for ARRL VE sessions in Burlington, VT

(Serving all of VT and adjacent states monthly on the second Friday)

I have regular classes set up for entry into Ham Radio in Essex
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dedicated to ham radio. I carry a full rec.radio.* news feed and
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Over the past 10 years I have operated from 160 M - 23 CM and would be
willing to answer any question a new person to the hobby has. If I
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This is a very popular site for DX Cluster sysops and users alike. It
contains cluster links, tutorial guides, GO-BBS info, the pcluster-l
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203. Amateur Radio: Changes to Elmers Resource Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: pschleck@novia.net
Message-ID: <radio/ham-radio/elmers/diff-1-923274249@novia.net>
Source record: 146600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,rec.answers,news.answers

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Posted-By: auto-faq 3.3 (Perl 5.004)
Archive-name: radio/ham-radio/elmers/diff
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(Note: This difference file is taken from the list body only.)

diff -bBudisw (last month's) (this month's)

- --- list.body.old Mon Nov 2 03:01:10 1998
+++ list.body.new Sun Apr 4 18:47:47 1999
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+ SNEWS for those MS-DOS afficionados out there. UNIX, Windows
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- - clubs in both areas, and would be glad to help other young people get
- - into the hobby of Amateur Radio, particularly in the interests of
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One of these days I'll actually be around for the un-net! I promise,
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+ really! (Well, maybe not. Is anyone even doing the un-net any more? If
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My job is currently System Administrator for a large UNIX site so I
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- - installation :-) I also have much experience with constructing E-mail
- - paths that will work rather than bounce.
+ installation :-) My laptop currently runs Linux most of the time (over
+ 99% of the time). I also have much experience with constructing E-mail
+ paths that will work rather than bounce. Currently I do software full
+ time (yay!), and am fiddling with some laser experiments - if I could
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- - at NBC TV studios in Hollywood and Burbank from 1951 to 1982. I have
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+ motorcycle mobile unit, a 6-cylinder, 1520cc Honda Gold Wing, equipped
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+ * Service in Teheran, Iran
+ * Chief Engineer of Armed Forces Radio & TV, 1969 to 1970
+ * Customer Engineer, IBM Corporation, 1966 to 1974
+ * Service Technician for SONY Corporation
+ * Ham radio visits to Russia in 1990 & 1992 (also visited the
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ampr.org IP Coordinator for Sydney, Australia Metropolitan Area subnet
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links.
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- -Bitnet: ATW1H@ASUACAD FidoNet=> 1:114/15
- - Amateur Packet ax25: WB7TPY@WB7TPY.AZ.USA.NA
- -
- - Member, USAF MARS
- -
- - ampr.org IP Coordinator for Arizona subnet (44.124.xxx.xxx)
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- - [_Editor's Note:_ All ampr.org coordinators are listed in the document
- - at:
- -
- - ftp://ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/amprnets
- -
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- - Owner of the Land-Mobile-Radio Mailing List
- -
- - The purpose of this list is to allow discussion about commercial
- - land-mobile radio equipment, its use and maintenance.
- -
- - Owner of the Military Affiliate Radio Service (MARS) Members Mailing List.
- -
- - The purpose of this list is to allow discussion about MARS (Military
- - Affiliated Radio Service) activities. The list is open to all branches
- - of MARS.
- -
- - To subscribe to or unsubscribe from either of the above lists, please
- - send electronic mail to:
- -
- -
- - listserv@stat.com
- -
- - and include the command:
- -
- - subscribe list-name
- -
- - or
- -
- - unsubscribe list-name
- -
- - as the first line of your message, where list-name is either
- - land-mobile-radio or mars-list. An acknowledgment/welcome message
- - should follow very shortly.
- -
- - Ex-Moderator, rec.radio.info Newsgroup
- -
- - Brian Short, K7ON, is the new moderator for rec.radio.info, see his
- - entry for more information.
- - --
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* Antique And Older Equipment
- - * Batteries
* Commercial Service Equipment
* Equipment Testing/Troubleshooting
* Homebrewing
@@ -2315,7 +2369,7 @@
troubleshoot kits, old radios, etc., but will expect the new or
prospective ham to pitch in.

- - Expertise gained from over 40 years of ham radio and almost as many
+ Expertise gained from over 45 years of ham radio and almost as many
years in broadcast engineering.
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+ http://www.MorseX.com/n1fn/
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+ FAX: +1 (303) 745-5792

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Business World-Wide Web Page:

- - http://www.mtechnologies.com/
+ http://www.MorseX.com/

Colorado QRP Club World-Wide Web Page:

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+ Use my work address for a (much!) faster response!:
+
+ john.gilliver@gecom.com

Digital Signal Processing

Computing and Electronics for the Blind (including Radio)
+
+ I would also be willing to try to advise on PC construction and PC
+ matters in general - but probably UK only for these, as I'm sure there
+ are plenty able to give better (i. e. with more local knowledge)
+ advice there.
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- - ARRL Arkansas Section Manager 1997-1998
+ ARRL Arkansas Section Manager 1997-2000

Official Observer

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ARRL Arkansas Section World-Wide Web Page:

- - http://sun1.hu.edu/~hamradio/arrl/
+ http://www.ualr.edu/~ham2/
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- - QTH near Boston, MA, USA
+ QTH near Boston, MA
+ USA

* Antennas (HF/Wire)
* Homebrewing

* Building homebrew QRP gear
* Advice on simple HF wire antennas
+
+ [_Editor's Note:_ Elmer is 1991 Charter Member of Directory.]
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+ USA

* Antennas (HF/Computer Simulation and Design)
* Antique and Older Equipment
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* RF Exposure Safety/Regulations
* Equipment Testing

- - My survey of automotive EMI problems is mostly complete. The results
- - are in September 1994 QST, including warranty and customer service
- - information for most automobile manufacturers (many of whom have
- - published installation guidelines).
- -
- - I am also continuing to pursue more formal contacts and
- - standards-making through the EMR and EMI Standards Committee of the
- - Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE), of which I am a member.
- -
- - Copies of General Motors installation guidelines are available. Saturn
- - allegedly has a video on mobile installation, but none of the dealers
- - seem to know about it. I have a call into one of my low friends in
- - high places. :-)
- -
- - If anyone would like a copy of the GM installation guidelines, send a
- - 9X12" SASE with two units of postage *and* a specific request for the
- - "GM Installation Guidelines" to the ARRL Technical Department
- - Secretary, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111, USA. A copy has been
- - reprinted in the ARRL book -- Radio Frequency Interference -- How to
- - Find It and Fix It.
- -
- - EMI/RFI Resource List and RFI Tips package available. A business SASE
- - with 98 cents postage is appreciated. Please specify the desired
- - documents in your correspondence.
- -
- - The FCC has released the results of a telephone interference survey
- - just completed.
- -
- - If you would like a copy of the survey, which includes a list of
- - telephone models checked, send an SASE with two units of first class
- - postage to the Technical Information Service at ARRL HQ.
- - Alternatively, you may obtain an electronic copy from the ARRL Info
- - Server below.
- -
- - If leakage from your local Cable TV operator is interfering with the
- - Amateur Radio Service, it is in violation of the provisions of Part 76
- - of the FCC regulations.
+ I have been at ARRL HQ for over 13 years. During that time, I have
+ become ARRL's RFI and RF-exposure guru. If you have questions about
+ RFI or RFI exposure, first go to the ARRL's Technical Information
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+ Service World-Wide Web Page:

- - I would first direct the problem toward the cable company system
- - engineer or service manager. Chances are the "front-line" people who
- - answer the phone don't know what you are talking about.
+ http://www.arrl.org/tis/

- - If this is not effective, contact me here at ARRL HQ. I can put you in
- - contact with our liaison to the National Cable Telecasters
- - Association. This liaison will help your cable operator understand
- - their responsibilities.
+ and download the applicable information packages. From there, you can
+ direct questions about RFI or RF exposure directly to me. I will
+ either answer your question directly, or refer you to some of my
+ contacts in industry, in the cable industry, etc. ARRL also publishes
+ the _ARRL RFI Book_ and _RF Exposure and You_.

- - For CATV interference problems in general, I recommend you obtain our
- - Radio Frequency Interference Book. If you are a League Member, you can
- - also get a copy of the ARRL Technical Information Service info package
- - on CATVI -- "EMI/RFI - CATV" by sending a LARGE SASE with 3 stamps on
- - it to the ARRL Technical Department Secretary, 225 Main St, Newington
- - CT 06111, USA. This package is a reprint of an article I wrote for
- - Communications Technology -- the Journal of the Society of Cable
- - Television Engineers. We submitted it to "their" journal because we
- - felt that it would carry more weight with the cable companies.
+ I have also had experience with testing of transmitters and receivers,
+ mainly in conjunction with ARRL's Product Review testing. A copy of
+ ARRL's Test Procedures Manual can be downloaded from:

- - If you have any questions after you have read the material, contact me
- - here at HQ. I can usually get back to you within a few days to offer
- - some additional help.
+ http://www.arrl.org/members-only/prodrev/testproc.pdf

- - Many EMI/RFI files are also available from the ARRL Info Server. See
- - Mary Robertson's entry for more information.
+ Before I came to ARRL, I spent a number of years as a TV and audio
+ service technician, so can often help with troubleshooting questions.
+ I wrote the troubleshooting chapter of the ARRL Handbook.

- - ARRL Technical Information Service Coordinator (tis@arrl.org)
+ The ARRL Technical Information Service (TIS) Coordinator is now
+ another member of the ARRL HQ staff. Please direct all TIS queries to
+ tis@arrl.org, _NOT_ my E-mail address above.

- - The ARRL Technical Information Service (TIS) is a valuable membership
- - benefit that helps hams find answers to difficult technical questions.
+ See Mary Robertson's entry for more information about the ARRL Info
+ Server.

- - The answer to a ham's most common technical questions can be found in
- - one of the many books about Amateur Radio. Folks who call or write to

- - ARRL TIS staff are often referred to one of these books or to a past
- - magazine article.
+ See Jon Bloom's entry for information about the ARRL World-Wide Web
+ Home Page.
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- - However, most hams find that the fastest way to get the answer is to
- - do their own research. Publication catalogs often talk about what
- - kinds of information are available in different books. A few good
- - books will answer the vast majority of questions as well as enhance a
- - ham's knowledge and enjoyment of this fascinating hobby.
+Gene Harlan WB9MMM

- - Magazines are also a superb technical reference. An annual index of
- - articles appears in the December issue of QST and other magazines.
- - These indexes will usually have an article or two (or six) about a
- - particular topic. If an older QST or QEX article is not available
- - locally, the ARRL Technical Department Secretary can provide a copy
- - for a small fee. Back issues are also available from the QST
- - Circulation Department.
+ atvq@aol.com

- - The ARRL Technical Information Service is a valuable source of
- - information and research for questions that cannot be answered by
- - other means. ARRL TIS has information packages and bibliographies that
- - are available on request to answer most technical questions.
+ Amateur Television Quarterly (ATVQ) Magazine

- - For those who want to know if something has been previously published
- - on a particular subject, TIS can also assist with research to locate
- - this information. TIS also helps locate companies that sell hard to
- - find parts or supplies used in our hobby.
+ The magazine's E-mail address and mine are the same: ATVQ. There is
+ also a ham radio section for "manufacturers and dealers" on America
+ On-Line in which we list Amateur Television Quarterly, as expert and
+ manufacturer. That is where most of the Frequently-Asked Questions
+ (FAQ's) come from.

- - Many TIS files are also available via the ARRL Info Server. See Mary
- - Robertson's entry for more information.
+ Most FAQ's are answered in one of two books we published. ATV Secrets
+ for Aspiring ATV'ers is a non technical book, and Volume II is a
+ 300-page technical manual with theory and projects for all equipment
+ necessary to operate an ATV station. Prices in US funds are $9.95 and
+ $24.95 plus postage ($3.10). Most of your inquires can be answered by
+ either of these two books.

- - See Jon Bloom's entry for information about the ARRL World-Wide Web
- - Home Page.
+ I am also compiling a set of W6ORG Notes, a regular column in ATVQ,
+ which answers many of the technical FAQ's on various equipment and
+ operations. This will be available for $9.95 also.

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* ARES/RACES/SKYWARN
* CW
* Field Day
- - * HF/Contesting/DX
+ * HF/DX/Contesting
* Novice/Tech Instruction
- - * RFI
* Seminars/Lectures
+ * Volunteer Examiner (ARRL VEC)
* Volunteer Examiner (WCARS VEC)

- - I've been licensed over 25 years. I was one of the first VE's
- - certified by WCARS VEC. I have served for several years as a
- - proofreader for the NCVEC Question Pool Committee. I work closely with
- - the WCARS Directors, and am an active VE with that organization
- -
- - I have been involved with Emergency Communications and Traffic
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- - handling from almost day one, having earned my first BPL at age 16 as
- - a novice. I have served as Assistant EC, County EC and currently serve
- - as District Emergency Coordinator for ARES/RACES and District Radio
- - Officer for Emergency Management Area F of North Carolina. I also
- - coordinate SKYWARN activities in our area.
- -
- - I have served as Hamfest chairman, assistant chair, etc., as well as
- - an officer of the local club, the Western Carolina Amateur Radio
- - Society. I designed our homepage, am quartermaster of club equipment,
- - and carry the keys to the club repeater. I frequently teach both
- - theory and code for local Novice/Tech classes.
- -
- - I have been Field Day Chairman for five years, serve on the RFI
- - committee, hold WAS Awards both as a Novice CW operator and SSB Extra
- - Class, a DXCC with 86 of them worked as a Novice. I am also the
- - National Board Chairman of the Geratol Net, a WAS net which meets
- - nightly from October thru April. I also am chairman of the local
- - club's packet committee.
- -
- - I "dabble" in helping newcomers make dipoles and other simple HF
- - antennas and am frequently a new licensees first contact. (A debt I am
- - repaying to my three trusty Elmers of so many years ago, two of whom
- - are now silent keys)
+ ARRL Contest Branch Manager

- - I would be willing to help in these general areas on-line or close-by
- - on the phone or in person. (I am a college professor by trade)
+ I have been active in the Hobby for over 28 years, in a wide range of
+ activities from local clubs, special events, public service
+ communications, emergency communications, contesting, DXing, packet,
+ repeaters, traffic handling, and more. I have served as an officer of
+ local radio clubs, newsletter editor, Events Coordinator, Field Day
+ Chairman, Local County Emergency Coordinator and Area District EC,
+ member of several emergency preparedness planning groups, SKYWARN
+ coordinator, and liaison to numerous served agencies in North
+ Carolina. I have taught amateur radio licensing classes (theory and
+ code) and have been active in developing small group "seminars" for
+ training (everthing from "how to build a dipole" or "handle traffic"
+ to "how to work with/at various agencies when dispatched during and
+ emergency." I hold WAS (both novice CW and the "Geratol" award, DXCC,
+ WAC and a wide range of on-the-air operating experiences. I was
+ selected for membership in the A-1 Operating Club, have been award
+ "Ham of the Year" awards for local clubs, and am willing to work with
+ new-comers on most any project.

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* Military Radios
* AN/PRC-127
+ * AN/PRC-127A
* AN/PRC-126
+ * AN/PRC-128
+ * AN/URC-100
+ * AN/URC-101
* Night Vision
* AN/PVS-4
* AN/TVS-5
* AN/PVS-5
* AN/PVS-7
* AN/VVS-2
+ * Infrared Devices
+ * Starlight Devices
+ * Passive Devices
* Law Enforcement Communications
* Surveillance
* Military NSN's, Nomenclature and Descriptions
@@ -3504,8 +3522,10 @@
Ed Humphries N5RCK

- - Ed Humphries Hewlett-Packard NARC Atlanta GA
- - N5RCK Internet edh@hpuerca.atl.hp.com
+ Ed Humphries Hewlett-Packard WTEC Atlanta GA
+ N5RCK Internet edh@atl.hp.com
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+Web Page: http://members.tripod.com/~N5RCK/

J-Pole antenna plans (copper tube & TV Twin-lead)

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* VHF Antennas
* Mobile Installations
* Multiband Wire Antennas
- - * Field Day Activities
- - * General WeatherNet & Public Service Enthusiast.
- -
- - * Ex-President Williamson County ARC (TX)
- - * Ex-Assistant Emergency Communications Coordinator (Georgetown, TX)
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- - (and for those who are interested, wife is Amateur Extra KI5EV, Dawn
- - Humphries)

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Packet Radio Home Page http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/pkthome.html
TAPR Spread Spectrum Page http://www.tapr.org/ss/
TAPR DSP Page http://www.tapr.org/dsp/
- - Special Interest Groups http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/sigs.html
+ Special Interest Groups http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/sigf.html
Regional Digital Groups
http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/regional_groups.html
North American Digital Systems Directory
http://www.tapr.org/directory/
ARRL & TAPR Digital Comm Conf http://www.tapr.org/dcc/

- - TAPR Software Library http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/software.html
- - TAPR Publications http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/publications.html
+ TAPR Software Library http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/softf.html
+ TAPR Publications http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/pubsf.html
TAPR Kits http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/kits.html

TAPR Virtual Audio Meetings http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/virtual.html
@@ -3824,7 +3836,7 @@
The TAPR Software Library is now available via anonymous FTP. You can
access the library at:

- - ftp://ftp.tapr.org/tapr/
+ ftp://ftp.tapr.org/

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* Apple Macintosh Computer
* College Clubs
* DSP
+ * Equipment Testing/Troubleshooting
+ * Handicapped Operating
* Homebrewing
+ * Mobile
* Novice/Tech Instruction
+ * QRP
* Repeaters

+ LDG Electronics World-Wide Web Page:
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+ http://www.ldgelectronics.com/
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* Antenna Tuners
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May through December:

- - Rt. 4, Box 138A
+ 1789 Peacock Dr.
Hillsville, VA 24343
USA

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Veikko Komppa "Veke"
Collecting licensing information via Internet
MORE THAN DXCC AVAILABLE THRU The Web
- - Licensing info in Web at http://www.clinet.fi/~jukka/license.html
+ Licensing info in Web at http://www.vtt.fi/ket/staff/komppa/license.htm
OH2MCN, ex OH5VD,OH2XD,CR9D,VK9YD,S79VD,FR0VD,3D2VD,9M8VD,5W1VD
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Information for licensing abroad for radio amateurs
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Slow-Scan Television (SSTV)
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Al Legary VE3SQB, VA3ALL

- - ve3sqb@wincom.net
+ legary@geocities.com
+
+ http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/station/1502/ham.html

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Antenna Design Technician

(All Bands, Specializing in quads and new prototypes)
+
+ Antenna Programs for Win 95/98
+
+ (Available via my World-Wide Web Home Page address above)
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- - PSC 9 Box 462
- - APO AE 09123
- - Germany
- -
- - * AMSAT
- - * Antennas (Indoor)
- - * IBM PC's
- - * Mobile
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- - I'm with the Team Eifel ARS located in Bitburg Germany. We are a club
- - primarily set up for American Servicemen and Women in the Eifel Region
- - of Germany. We provide ARRL VEC test sessions and help individuals,
- - regardless of nationality, gain a U.S. license. This is accomplished
- - by providing study materials and teaching. We also provide assistance
- - in obtaining German Reciprocal licenses.
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- - I have a fair background in packet, a general knowledge of satellites,
- - and I'm fairly knowledgeable in hiding antennas.
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* HF/DX/Contesting
* CW
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(RS-232).

It is called MacMultiMeter
- -
- - College and University Club List World-Wide Web Page:
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- - http://www.best.com/~jluszcz/clublist.html

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VEC receipt of the examination paperwork. New amateurs may determine
their call signs by calling the FCC's toll free consumer assistance
line: +1 (800) 322-1117.
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+ [_Editor's Note:_ Elmer is 1991 Charter Member of Directory.]

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Wearable Computing and Personal Imaging:

- - http://wearcomp.org/research.html
+ http://wearcam.org/research.html
http://wearcomp.org/wearpubs.html

- - [_Editor's Note:_ Steve is a graduate of the MIT Media Laboratory and
- - is currently a member of the faculty at the University of Toronto. He
- - has done a considerable amount of research into, and implementation
- - of, wearable, wireless networked computer systems using amateur radio
- - (via a 56kBaud GRAPES radio modem) as the physical layer. He is
- - arguably a pioneer in "Wearable Computing." You may have read about
- - him in the April 1996 issue of Scientific American in an article
- - called Smart Clothes, CQ-VHF, the February 1997 issue of IEEE
- - Computer, or seen him on the October 1996 episode of Scientific
- - American Frontiers on PBS called _Inventing the Future_. He is
- - interested in connecting with other serious amateur hobbyists pursuing
- - like or similar technologies. See his World-Wide Web Pages above for
- - more information.]
+ [_Editor's Note:_ Steve is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute
+ of Technology (MIT) and is currently a faculty member at the
+ University of Toronto. He has done a considerable amount of research
+ into, and implementation of, wearable, wireless networked computer
+ systems using amateur radio (via a 56kBaud GRAPES radio modem) as the
+ physical layer. He is arguably a pioneer in "Wearable Computing." you
+ may have also read about his invention in Scientific American, seen it
+ on one of the science-oriented TV shows (such as the October 1996
+ episode of Scientific American Frontiers on PBS), or read some of his
+ articles, such as the lead article for Proceedings of the IEEE, Vol.
+ 86, No. 11 or his lead article in CQ-VHF. He also wrote an article in
+ the February 1997 issue of IEEE Computer. He is interested in
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+ I moved from Laurel, MD to Eugene, OR in November, 1998. It has been
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- - I run a telephone BBS in the Fidonet network. This is currently
- - offline due to problems with the telephone line, but is expected to be
- - back up in late September of 1997.
- -
I also have my own IBM compatible computer, which has a P166
processor, 32M of RAM and a total of 4.6G of hard drive space, spread
between three EIDE hard drives. This computer normally runs under the
@@ -8750,7 +8752,12 @@
authored several patches to the suftware controlling it. It may be
visited at:

- - telnet://amush.ml.org:4190/
+ telnet://amush.cx:4190/
+
+ Status Servers:
+
+ telnet://status1.amush.cx:4191/
+ telnet://status2.amush.cx:4191/

I have been involved with Packet radio for over a decade now. Indeed,
it was packet radio that got me interested in Amateur Radio in the
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- - I'm not the author of InstantTrack itself, but I was extensively
- - involved in its testing. I'm the author of OrbitDRV (the tracking TSR
- - that comes with InstantTrack) and a number of other InstantTrack
- - auxiliary programs.
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- - AMSAT-NA (The Radio Amateur Satellite Corporation in North America)
- - operates the Internet host AMSAT.ORG to provide for efficient
- - communications between people interested in the amateur satellite
- - program. At this time two services are provided: a message remailing
- - service and a mailing list service.
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- - In addition, the AMSAT World-Wide Web home page provides interactive
- - access to a variety of information related to the amateur radio
- - satellite program. Use your Web browser program (e.g., Mosaic) to
- - access the URL:
- -
- - http://www.amsat.org/
- -
- - Anonymous FTP is available from:
- -
- - ftp://ftp.amsat.org/amsat/
- -
- - This archive contains much of the same information as the WWW server.
- - In addition, various files and programs are available for anonymous
- - FTP. This is a relatively new archive, so the older FTP site:
- -
- - ftp://ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/
+ http://www.amsat.org/amsat/kb5mu.html

- - still has lots of files not available there.
+ FAX: +1 (619) 571-2881

- - The message remailing service permits users to send each other mail on
- - the Internet without keeping track of each other's Internet address.
- - The remailing service allows each user to receive mail sent to the
- - address callsign@amsat.org, where callsign is that user's amateur
- - radio callsign, or other unique identifier. Mail sent to that address
- - will be routed first to the AMSAT.ORG host at UCSD in San Diego, then
- - remailed from AMSAT.ORG to the network address specified by the user.
- - In most cases, this process delays the message by only a very few
- - minutes. The mailing list service groups subscribers into mailing
- - lists to receive certain types of messages. There are public mailing
- - lists available to anyone, and private mailing lists available only to
- - certain people (for example, AMSAT Board of Directors members or
- - PACSAT command stations). Currently the following public mailing lists
- - exist:
+ San Diego, California
+ USA

- - ANS - AMSAT News Service
+ * AMSAT
+ * Internet Services
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+ * OSCAR

- - This mailing list carries official news releases from the AMSAT News
- - Service. These messages are posted in a form suitable for direct
- - posting to a packet radio BBS system. Each message contains a Bulletin
- - Identifier (BID), which permits the message to be introduced into the
- - packet network at many places without resulting in duplicate bulletins
- - at any BBS. The primary purpose of this mailing list is to distribute
- - ANS bulletins for redistribution (via the packet net or on AMSAT voice
- - nets), but individuals may also subscribe for their own use. If your
- - local packet BBS doesn't seem to get the ANS bulletins reliably, you
- - are encouraged to post the ANS bulletins yourself.
+ AMSAT (Radio Amateur Satellite Corporation) Vice President for Electronic
+ Publishing

- - Only authorized AMSAT News Service personnel should send messages to
- - the ANS mailing list.
+ AMSAT North America World-Wide Web Page:

- - AMSAT-BB - AMSAT bulletin board
+ (All kinds of information on amateur satellites)

- - This mailing list carries general AMSAT information. This information
- - may NOT be suitable in content for transmission via amateur radio, so
- - automatic reposting of AMSAT-BB messages to packet radio BBS's is
- - discouraged. The purpose of this mailing list is to provide a forum
- - for general discussion of any satellite-related topic.
+ http://www.amsat.org/

- - Anyone may send messages to the AMSAT-BB mailing list. Simply address
- - your message to amsat-bb@amsat.org, and it will be automatically
- - forwarded to all subscribers to the AMSAT-BB mailing list.
+ AMSAT North America Anonymous FTP Archive:

- - Editors of publications should ask permission of the sender before
- - publishing anything seen in AMSAT-BB elsewhere, unless the posting was
- - obviously a public press release. However, posters should realize that
- - anything posted to AMSAT-BB is essentially public.
+ (Software and other files for amateur satellite enthusiasts)

- - KEPS - Keplerian Elements mailing list
+ ftp://ftp.amsat.org/

- - This mailing list carries official postings of Keplerian element sets
- - for satellites of interest to radio amateurs. Like the ANS bulletins,
- - these messages are posted in a form suitable for direct posting to a
- - packet radio BBS.
+ For email access to FTP archives, send a message with just:

- - Only authorized AMSAT News Service personnel should send messages to
- - the KEPS mailing list.

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- - NASAINFO - NASA related information mailing list
+ help

- - This mailing list contains information about current and planned NASA
- - space missions. Be forewarned: at times this mailing list delivers
- - many large messages.
+ in the body to:

- - SAREX - Shuttle Amateur Radio Experiment mailing list
+ ftpmail@amsat.org

- - This mailing list contains information and press releases pertaining
- - to SAREX missions.
+ AMSAT-NA E-mail Aliases (_<callsign>_@amsat.org) Information:

- - To obtain any of these services, just send a message to the address
+ http://www.amsat.org/amsat/listserv/remailer.html

- - listserv@amsat.org
+ AMSAT-NA Public Mailing Lists:

- - This address may be reached from CompuServe MAIL as:
+ ANS (AMSAT News Service)
+ KEPS (Keplerian elements weekly bulletins)
+ AMSAT-BB (discussion about amateur satellites)
+ SAREX (discussion about manned space missions with amateur radio)
+ AMSAT-DC (regional discussion for District of Columbia)
+ AMSAT-NE (regional discussion for New England)

- - >INTERNET:listserv@amsat.org
+ Send a message with just:

- - For the moment, the maintenance of the AMSAT.ORG mailing lists and
- - remailing aliases is done manually. Later, this service will probably
- - be automated and you will have to follow a strict message format. For
- - now, you may send requests in free format. They will usually be
- - processed within a few days. In general, you will not receive an
- - explicit reply to your request. Be sure you specify:

- - 1. Which mailing list(s) you want to receive
- - 2. Your callsign, if any
- - 3. The Internet address to be used, if different from the one in your
- - From: header.
+ help

- - You should not send messages about your subscriptions to any of the
- - mailing lists. Send them to listserv@amsat.org instead. This includes
- - questions, requests for changes, requests for information about
- - mailing services, and complaints.
+ in the body to:

- - The list of amateurs who may be reached via the message remailing
- - service may be obtained by requesting the "address book". Note that
- - the address book as distributed contains only the callsigns of the
- - available addressees, not their actual Internet addresses. The address
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- - book is updated occasionally, and does not necessarily contain the
- - very latest information.
+ majordomo@amsat.org

- - You may request to be added to the list, to be deleted from the list,
- - or to have your Internet address changed on the list. Please include
- - your callsign if you have one. If you don't have a callsign, that's
- - OK, but please say so. If you have more than one Internet address you
- - want to have available on the AMSAT.ORG remailer, you may so specify.
- - For instance, if you have a regular Internet address and a CompuServe
- - account, you may appear in the address book as both w#xxx and
- - w#xxx-cis. Mail sent to w#xxx would go to your Internet address, and
- - mail sent to w#xxx-cis would go to CompuServe. MCImail accounts have
- - the form w#xxx-mci, and so on.
+ for instructions, or see:

- - You may also subscribe or unsubscribe to any of the public mailing
- - lists described above. Send a message to listserv@amsat.org,
- - specifying clearly which mailing list(s) you want to add or drop, and
- - giving your callsign if you have one. When you subscribe to a mailing
- - list, you will automatically be added to the remailing service as
- - well, because the mailing lists are maintained by callsign. If you
- - have more than one address listed in the remailing service, please
- - indicate which one(s) you want the mailing list messages sent to.
+ http://www.amsat.org/amsat/listserv/menu.html

- - Additional mailing lists, public or private, can be set up as needed.
- - Send mail to listserv@amsat.org for details.
+ Maintainer of the DOS satellite tracking program InstantTrack by Franklin
+ Antonio, N6NKF.

- - Questions about any service offered by AMSAT.ORG may be directed to
- - listserv@amsat.org as well.
+ InstantTrack Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) List:

- - Please note that the AMSAT business office is separate from mailing
- - list maintenance. You may address membership requests to
- - martha@amsat.org, or send them by mail, phone, or fax to AMSAT
- - headquarters:
+ http://www.amsat.org/amsat/intro/itfaq.html

- - AMSAT-NA
- - 850 Sligo Avenue
- - Silver Spring, MD 20910
- - USA
+ Author of various programs for satellite and packet radio, including:

- - Voice: +1 (301) 589-6062
- - FAX: +1 (301) 608-3410
+ OrbitDRV (background tracking TSR, part of InstantTrack)
+ ITRACK (command line for OrbitDRV, part of InstantTrack)
+ ITPASS (satellite pass tables for InstantTrack)

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+ ITSORT (edit and re-arrange InstantTrack's satellite list)
+ ITSTAMP (annotate a timestamped log with satellite position)
+ DISPANG (shows KCT antenna angles on screen)
+ DUMMYKCT (KCT-compatible TSR driver that just displays the angles)
+ KISS2ASC (convert a binary KISS log to readable text)
+ KISSFILT (select records from a KISS log)
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204. Amateur Radio: Elmers Resource Directory Part 3/6 [H-L]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
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From: pschleck@novia.net
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Source record: 146601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,rec.answers,news.answers

Posted-By: auto-faq 3.3 (Perl 5.004)
Archive-name: radio/ham-radio/elmers/list/part3
Posting-Frequency: posted on the first Monday of each month
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* Building homebrew QRP gear
* Advice on simple HF wire antennas

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I am especially interested in VHF/UHF and microwave amateur bands as
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the newly-formed Triangle Amateur Television Association in
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the following areas:

* ATV - Getting started, starting local activity, repeaters.
* VHF/UHF - Propagation, what you need to get started, operating
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* Sealed Lead Acid Batteries - How to take care of them.

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* RFI

Black Diamond ARC World-Wide Web Page:

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(includes link to W4PQK's Corner)

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ARRL Laboratory Engineer

* Radio Frequency Interference (RFI) matters
* RF Exposure Safety/Regulations
* Equipment Testing

I have been at ARRL HQ for over 13 years. During that time, I have become ARRL's RFI and RF-exposure guru. If you have questions about RFI or RFI exposure, first go to the ARRL's Technical Information Service World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.arrl.org/tis/

and download the applicable information packages. From there, you can direct questions about RFI or RF exposure directly to me. I will either answer your question directly, or refer you to some of my contacts in industry, in the cable industry, etc. ARRL also publishes the _ARRL RFI Book_ and _RF Exposure and You_.

I have also had experience with testing of transmitters and receivers, mainly in conjunction with ARRL's Product Review testing. A copy of ARRL's Test Procedures Manual can be downloaded from:

http://www.arrl.org/members-only/prodrev/testproc.pdf

Before I came to ARRL, I spent a number of years as a TV and audio service technician, so can often help with troubleshooting questions. I wrote the troubleshooting chapter of the ARRL Handbook.

The ARRL Technical Information Service (TIS) Coordinator is now another member of the ARRL HQ staff. Please direct all TIS queries to tis@arrl.org, _NOT_ my E-mail address above.

See Mary Robertson's entry for more information about the ARRL Info Server.

See Jon Bloom's entry for information about the ARRL World-Wide Web Home Page.

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Amateur Television Quarterly (ATVQ) Magazine

The magazine's E-mail address and mine are the same: ATVQ. There is also a ham radio section for "manufacturers and dealers" on America On-Line in which we list Amateur Television Quarterly, as expert and manufacturer. That is where most of the Frequently-Asked Questions (FAQ's) come from.

Most FAQ's are answered in one of two books we published. ATV Secrets for Aspiring ATV'ers is a non technical book, and Volume II is a 300-page technical manual with theory and projects for all equipment necessary to operate an ATV station. Prices in US funds are $9.95 and $24.95 plus postage ($3.10). Most of your inquires can be answered by either of these two books.

I am also compiling a set of W6ORG Notes, a regular column in ATVQ, which answers many of the technical FAQ's on various equipment and operations. This will be available for $9.95 also.

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* VHF
* Volunteer Examiner (Other)

I am a Civil Engineer by training and a DX'er by choice. My Elmer taught me how to work pile-ups and how to build antennas, having put up 12 towers all over 100 feet. I know what it takes to get a tower up. I don't climb anymore, but have a lot of info. I like working on antennas and have several big Moseleys up in the air. It would be great to pass on what I have learned, as we are not all born knowing how to do everything, and the older I get, the smarter my father gets.

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I have extensive experience in ELF, VLF, and RF non-ionizing radiation tests from the Hebrew University Environmental/Occupational Department at Ein Kerem Hadassah Medical School, Jerusalem Israel. I have just returned to the USA after 13 years in the field in Israel. My tests have involved Overhead Power lines, Antenna Systems, Cellular phone, CRT's, etc. I had been on staff at the Medical School for several years, working very closely with Dr. Milton Gordon (4X1AA, SK) and Dr. Elhud Richter. My reports were used to make the environment a safer place for children and adults alike.

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Maintainer, KY1N Memorial Volunteer Examination List World-Wide Web Page:

http://www.n1fd.org/ky1n/ky1n.html

Author of VEWD Exam Session Software for use by Volunteer Examiner teams. Available from ARRL/VEC or at:

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I am involved in commercial RF and wireless design, and willing to share experience with other amateurs. I have a complete test equipment facility for checking radios, antennas, etc.

Local NEWSLINE outlet: Program airs on the 147.30 repeater right after the Monday night net.

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ARRL Contest Branch Manager

I have been active in the Hobby for over 28 years, in a wide range of activities from local clubs, special events, public service communications, emergency communications, contesting, DXing, packet, repeaters, traffic handling, and more. I have served as an officer of local radio clubs, newsletter editor, Events Coordinator, Field Day Chairman, Local County Emergency Coordinator and Area District EC, member of several emergency preparedness planning groups, SKYWARN coordinator, and liaison to numerous served agencies in North Carolina. I have taught amateur radio licensing classes (theory and code) and have been active in developing small group "seminars" for training (everthing from "how to build a dipole" or "handle traffic" to "how to work with/at various agencies when dispatched during and emergency." I hold WAS (both novice CW and the "Geratol" award, DXCC, WAC and a wide range of on-the-air operating experiences. I was selected for membership in the A-1 Operating Club, have been award "Ham of the Year" awards for local clubs, and am willing to work with new-comers on most any project.

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Mobile Antenna Systems and Installation (Primarily HF)

* power distribution
* frame grounding
* antenna selection and construction
* mounting the rig
* useful accessories
* Keeping it Simple (avoiding task overload)

I have agreed to provide a new home for the "Boat Anchor" mail list,
with the blessings of Paul Prescott, N1AAC, who took over from Our
Esteemed Founder Jim Lockwood, KM6NK. I have also agreed to take over
the rec.radio.amateur.* Working Group mail list, formerly maintained
by Ian Kluft, KO6YQ. In addition, a new mailing list devoted to
homebrewing tube transmitters and receivers ("Glowbugs," a sort of
intersection between Boatanchors and QRP) has been created.

The mailing list addresses are:

* boatanchors@theporch.com (*)
* glowbugs@theporch.com

Use these addresses for messages of general interest to the entire group. Please don't use them to subscribe, change address, etc.

(*) Effective 15 March 1996, the BoatAnchors list went to a subscription-only list, with $12 US per year as "dues" to support the list.

With monthly costs for Net access at $350 US/month and telephone line charges of $50 US plus, we are not getting rich. The fee was set after much consultation and wrangling, and was designed to cover the costs of running the list... and hopefully provide a surplus to upgrade the services we can provide, like better mail delivery, larger archives, etc.

The new automated list manager address is

listproc@theporch.com

Use this for subscribing, unsubscribing, getting archived info, getting the FAQ message, changing your address, etc.

To subscribe, send a message to this address with "subscribe boatanchors <your name>" or "subscribe rra-wg <your name>" Similarly, to unsubscribe, replace "subscribe" with "unsubscribe"

The new list owner address is

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* Towers
* VHF/UHF
* Volunteer Examiner

I am 36 years old, have been a ham for 22 years, and currently hold an Extra class amateur license. I got my first ticket when I was 14 years old, thanks to my Elmer who is now a silent key.

I am an instructor for amateur radio classes, Novice through General, and teach CW at least once per year. I am also the VE team liaison for the TEARA VE team, and test monthly in Smithfield, NC.

I maintain a number of repeaters from 10 meters through 900 MHz including ATV. I build a lot, and enjoy restoration/construction of vacuum tube amateur gear.

I enjoy ragchewing and DXing, with about 75% of my operating time on HF spent on CW. I also enjoy weak signal and FM operation on 6, 2, 1.25m, 70cm, and 33cm. I am experimenting on 23cm and 10 GHz.

I maintain a number of sites, some of which are related to amateur radio. The URLs are:

http://www.ipass.net/~teara/
http://www.RTPnet.org/~rdrc/
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/3341/
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/3212/
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/3489/
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/3349/
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* AN/TVS-5
* AN/PVS-5
* AN/PVS-7
* AN/VVS-2
* Infrared Devices
* Starlight Devices
* Passive Devices
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I was Communications Officer and former unit Landstation Bluebird 284, 1980-87. Statistically, Landstations are relatively rare. A land station in CAP is an HF-capable station operating from both mobile and permanent locations as needed. As a land station, I checked into several regional nets for the Missouri Wing of the CAP. I am familiar with the CAP emergency protocol as well as MARS and ARRL. Also, I have extensive teaching experience for Novice to General levels and currently am a teacher.

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J-Pole antenna plans (copper tube & TV Twin-lead)

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KaWin(c) supports multiple host mode Kantronics(r) TNCs in all HF and
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evening at 9:00 PM local time on one of the repeaters of the North
Hills Amateur Radio Club (146.88- MHz). This net is intended to help
all new hams. Many experienced hams also check in and can answer
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* Listings of Examination Opportunities -- bi-weekly postings
http://www.arrl.org/arrlvec/
ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet/rec.radio.amateur.misc/
* Volunteer Examining procedures - ARRL VE Manual
* Support and Instruction for Volunteer Examiners - Coordinating
Exams
* Member, National Conference of VECs Question Pool Committee
* Information on what's required to become an Amateur Radio licensee
* Contributing Editor - QST Magazine - Exam Info column

See Jon Bloom's entry for information about the ARRL World-Wide Web
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Georgia Radio Amateur Packet Enthusiasts Society (GRAPES) World-Wide Web
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I am an Extra class operator. I work professionally as a manager of a computer services department in a large hospital system with more than 12 years experience in PC and Host Systems networking, I hold a degree in Electronics Engineering, as well as many hours in Computer Science Engineering. I operated a land-line BBS for 8 years, and now maintain a packet mail drop on 145.01 MHz. I maintain the TriCounty Amateur Radio Club (TCARC) of North Texas home page on the web:

http://www.qsl.net/tcarc-ntx/

and am the President of the TCARC. I am also the appointed Emergency Coordinator for the City of Azle for Tarrant County RACES.

I like to give talks to Amateur Radio Clubs, school groups, Scouts, and similar groups, mainly about Amateur Radio topics. Recent presentations I have done include Field Day preparation for clubs, Computers and Ham Radio, Building Your First Dipole. I'm open to presenting other topics as well. I also help local amateurs to prepare their own presentations and talks.

I am a Baptist minister, and would be delighted to administer a Ham Radio theme wedding! <grin> I would also provide ministerial services for Ham related special events.

I will also provide free Novice/Tech licensing instruction for groups of 5 or more in the Tarrant/Parker/Wise County region of North Texas. Typically this involves about 18 hours of lecture, and some self study on the parts of the students. I'll do this free for nonprofit endeavors.

P.S. I monitor 146.98 Boyd repeater while commuting, and you might find me working HF CW just about any time.

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Packet Radio Home Page http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/pkthome.html
TAPR Spread Spectrum Page http://www.tapr.org/ss/
TAPR DSP Page http://www.tapr.org/dsp/
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Regional Digital Groups
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North American Digital Systems Directory
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ARRL & TAPR Digital Comm Conf http://www.tapr.org/dcc/

TAPR Software Library http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/softf.html
TAPR Publications http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/pubsf.html
TAPR Kits http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/kits.html

TAPR Virtual Audio Meetings http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/virtual.html
Newsline Page http://www.tapr.org/newsline/
Ham Radio and More http://www.tapr.org/hrm/
Rain Report http://www.tapr.org/rain/

Via TAPR's FTP site

The TAPR Software Library is now available via anonymous FTP. You can
access the library at:

ftp://ftp.tapr.org/

Log in as:

anonymous

with your E-mail address as password.

Via TAPR's Listserv (http://www.tapr.org/tapr/html/internet.html)

TAPR maintains several SIGs in various interest areas. To get the
latest list of SIG groups, send an E-mail message to:

listserv@tapr.org

with the subject line:

Request

and one or more of the following in the BODY of the message:

list

for list of mail groups on TAPR.ORG

information listname

(where listname is the name of the mail group)

to request the information on any mail group

subscribe list your_first_name your_last_name

(where list is the name of the mail list you want to join and
your_first_name and your_last_name are your first and last names,
respectively)

to subscribe

Some of the current SIGs include:

NETSIG Regional Networking SIG
BBSSIG BBS SIG
HFSIG SIG on HF Digital Topics
DSP-93 SIG for those that are building TAPR/AMSAT DSP-93 kits
APRSSIG SIG on APRS
TAPR-TNC SIG on TNC Issues
DSP SIG on general DSP topics
MIC-E SIG on supporting the TAPR APRS MicEncoder kit

TAPR-BB Announcement channel for TAPR bulletins and information

General Information about TAPR:

* Ever heard of a TNC?
* Interested in general packet radio information?
* Interested in Spread Spectrum Communications?
* Interested in high-speed packet operations?
* Interested in other types of digital communications?
* Interested in experimenting or building kits?
* Interested in keeping up-to-date on national digital and packet
issues?

Then you might be interested in TAPR!

Goals:

* Support Research and Development efforts in the area of amateur
digital communications
* Disseminate information on packet and digital communications

* Provide affordable and useful kits for experimenters and hobbyists
* Pursue and help advance the amateur art of communications through publications, meetings, and standards

History:

If you have used a packet radio TNC, then you are already a part of TAPR history.

The TNC (Terminal Node Controller) project was the first big project that TAPR tackled and completed. Now TAPR covers a wide range of interests including: APRS, Spread Spectrum, networking, Timing, DSP, HF, and much more.

TAPR was founded in 1982 as a national organization with interests in the areas of packet and digital communications. Today, TAPR continues as a membership supported non-profit amateur educational research and development organization. TAPR currently has more than 2500 members, worldwide. TAPR continues to develop kits for the amateur community and is working actively on publications and communications standards.

Membership:

Membership in TAPR includes a subscription to the quarterly published Packet Status Register newsletter. PSR has been published since 1982 and is recognized as an authoritative source for up-to-date user and technical information on packet radio. Much of the material in PSR is timeless. Back issues may be obtained from the TAPR office. Membership in TAPR is $20 US for one year in USA, Canada, and Mexico. Outside North America is $25 US.

Join the amateur digital-revolution -- Join TAPR!

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High-Performance Software Modem Project

Recently I've been working on a prototype SQPSK (staggered quadrature phase shift keyed) modem for the amateur satellite channel. This modem is implemented totally in software running on a PC with an ordinary (non-DSP) Soundblaster card. It runs at 1200 bps and fits into a SSB transceiver bandwidth.

I've made good progress and have put some info up on my web page about it, including an audio file to show what it sounds like in noise when the signal is still copyable, available from:

http://people.qualcomm.com/karn/ham.html

Watch that page for an announcement of when I actually release the code, which I plan to integrate into KA9Q NOS.

Spread Spectrum

I've been trying to answer the question of consequences of promoting relatively wide-band digital modes on band occupancy and throughput (i.e., What gets optimized? Are there tradeoffs in quality vs. quantity?) in the context of the spread spectrum rules debate, but I think it needs to be a much wider discussion. See my reply comments to the FCC on this issue:

http://people.qualcomm.com/karn/papers/index.html

(See also Steve Bible for more information on Spread Spectrum)

[_Editor's Note:_ I'm honored by the presence of many advanced-level Elmers in this directory, including Jeffrey Angus, Gary Coffman, and now Phil Karn. Phil has graciously agreed to appear in this directory for the purpose of elmering and technical exchange for the advanced topics listed above. As with all of my Elmers, please respect their time by only seeking assistance from them for the topics under which they are listed. There are many Elmers willing to answer more beginning-level packet radio questions, including basic questions about IBM PC hardware, TCP/IP and NOS. Consult the "IBM PERSONAL COMPUTER (PC) AND CLONES" and "PACKET AND DIGITAL NETWORKING" categories in the Subject Quick-Search Index for a complete list.]

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I have about 4 decades of experience in Radio & TV Broadcasting and communications in the technical end, including installation & repair of VHF & UHF 2-way radios. I am experienced in design and construction of various electronics equipment, including computers and associated equipment and have a degree in electrical technology.

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* PACTOR

* VHF

* Experienced in station assembly, including:
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SSTV Frequently-Asked Questions (FAQ):

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I'm now starting to look into 24 GHz SSB/CW gear using 10 GHz as a convenient IF.

Especially looking to help anyone wanting to be a QST/QEX author--I can't write it all myself!

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I would have to - by virtue of time - limit my help to that of my website and RTTY Loop Column, rather than hands-on individual counseling.

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Author of the QRZ! Ham Radio CDROM

I am interested in receiving amateur-radio-related public-domain
and/or shareware programs, data bfiles, frequency lists, etc., that
would make a useful edition to the QRZ! CDROM. Can help arrange volume
discounts for clubs and groups, and will donate copies of QRZ! to
qualifying non-profit organizations. Send E-mail or call +1 (602)
483-2036.

We now have the QRZ! FTP archive and QRZ! WWW server online, 24 hours
a day. Our connection is via a T1 line so you should get pretty decent
file transfer times.

We've got about 7,000 files online, including radio mods, software, most everything imaginable. We are also accepting uploads of all ham radio related material.

Feel free to stop by and have a look:

* ftp://ftp.qrz.com/
* http://www.qrz.com/ (WWW interface to the FTP archive as well as a Callsign database server)

Authors of ham radio shareware programs, data files, mods, etc., are invited to contribute their materials to the QRZ! anonymous FTP server above.

I would also like to thank those who have volunteered in helping port the QRZ! source code to a wide variety of platforms. In the next edition, we'll have support for DOS, Windows, OS/2, Windows NT, Sun, NeXT, SGI, Linux, AIX, and HP/UX executables, directly on the disk.

Notably not mentioned is Macintosh, which so far has been a bit troublesome to put together. If anyone who can program in 'C' on a Macintosh would care to volunteer, please let me know. Although there is an experimental Mac interface at this time, I'd like to make it an officially-supported platform.

The QRZ! Callsign/E-mail Registry now contains over 4100 callsign-to-E-mail-address listings and is growing daily.

We have a WWW page where you can input your E-mail address directly into the QRZ! Callsign Database, where it will be published on both CDROM and on the Internet. When you use this page, your E-mail address is made instantly available to the online database.

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Register your E-mail address today!

We're pleased to announce that the online FCC database at qrz.com is now updated nightly from the FCC with fresh information.

According to FCC rules, if you've just passed your first test, you can begin operating as soon as your callsign shows up in the online database.

Please pass on any ideas, suggestions, comments, etc., to my E-mail address above.

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* Past instructor for local licensing classes from Novice to Extra
levels

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I have a page of Macintosh Shareware I have written:

http://www.best.com/~jluszcz/software.html

One of the programs I have written allows you to connect the Radio
Shack Digital Multimeter with PC Interface to your Macintosh Computer.
It is Apple Scriptable. The Radio Shack multi meter has a serial port
(RS-232).

It is called MacMultiMeter

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Information about foreigners operating in Japan

(Continued in next part.)

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205. Please Subscribe to IC-2800H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bo Chan <VE7WBC@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <37084fc0@carrera.intergate.ca>
Source record: 146602
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http://www.onelist.com/listcenter.cgi?listname=icom%2Dic2800&yy=21562
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Best Regards,

206. Can radio waeves hurt pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <IKIN2.773$qT.1179@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146603

If cell phones might caues brain cancer on account of the radiation, what abouet ham radio or cb radio sets? Ham walke talkies have lots moer power than a cell phone and I wonder do hams get cancer moer than the rest of pple? It is a worry to me and thank you.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

207. Swapmeet at Livermore tomorrow?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka4993gg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403190943.08673.00002106@ng95.aol.com>
Source record: 146694

Will there be folks there selling on Easter Sunday at Livermore tomorrow?
Please e-mail reply to me if you have information. I'm trying decide if I
should sleep in. Thanks!

208. Re: Swapmeet at Livermore tomorrow?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwhipkey@netzero.net
Message-ID: <7e6flj$iu4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146695

In article <19990403190943.08673.00002106@ng95.aol.com>,
ka4993gg@aol.com (KA4993GG) wrote:
> Will there be folks there selling on Easter Sunday at Livermore tomorrow?
> Please e-mail reply to me if you have information. I'm trying decide if I
> should sleep in. Thanks!
>

Yes, there will be a swap tomorrow.

73 Rich AD6X

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

209. The official Yuselesslave Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e6fmb$iu6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy

http://www.gov.yu/facts/facts.html

"By its Constitution the FRY is a State of pluralistic, parliamentary democracy committed to the rule of law, free market economy, freedom of public activities, social justice, human rights, equality and welfare of all citizens.

The goals and foreign policy priorities of the FRY are peace, security, stability, cooperation and prosperity in the region and in the World of Future. The FRY is also committed to maintaining friendly relations and cooperation with all countries, regional, European and international organizations, based on equality and on the principles of the UN Charter."

I think I just wet myself laughing...

MFL

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210. Swatch proposes to begin advertising on 2m via satellite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7e6egl$f67@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Distributed to .misc, .policy, and .space. Follow-ups set to just .policy.

Jeff WH6U
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http://wmbc.umbc.edu/rob/swatch-protest/

From Rob Carlson:
Dear editors, Loop readers, list readers, and assorted
amateur friends,

Over the past week I have received an incredible response
to my query in the Hudson Division's Hudson Loop newsletter
about a curious advertisement on the Swatch web-site. To
help advertise their new brand of "Swatch time"
watches, they appeared to be launching a satellite which
would broadcast the voice messages of web readers into space
and back to earth over radio on the frequencies from 145.800
to 146.000 MHz.

Thanks to the excellent researching skills of Stephan
Anderman, K2SMA, and Rick Lindquist, N1RL, I've discovered
that Swatch in cooperation with the Russian space authorities
have decided to use the two meter Amateur band
for direct advertising via the "Beatnik" satellite (a
mini-Sputnik and AMSAT-FR project formerly to be known as
RS-19) across the entire world.

According to AMSAT-France, during the construction of the
satellite, the Russian space center had made a separate
commercial contract with the Swatch watch company to put
its messages on the satellite. This was done in spite of
AMSAT objections and contractual agreements with them not to
put commercial advertising content in the digital messages.
AMSAT-FR couldn't back out of their own contract and had
to forward the parts on to the space center.

Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, is doing his best to crack down
on unlicensed and unbecoming operations within the jurisdiction
of the FCC, but soon an egregious violation of the
non-commercial status of amateur radio will begin taking
place just a few miles above our heads when our two meter
band is filled with advertisements for the latest Swatch
watches.

[snip]

From the SWATCH website:
http://www.swatch.com
We are collecting your written and voice messages (.wav)
format to put them on our Beatnik satellite.

Once in orbit, the satellite will transmit a selection of
them to a worldwide audience (and beyond...) Voice messages
have to be maximum 7" long or 0.08 of a Swatch.
(sorry guys, there's not a lot of room in space...) while
text messages can be up to 130 characters long. You can talk
about anything you want; your mum, your boy/girlfriend, your
latest project, how much you would like to go into space to
discover new, sexy, friendly life forms, as long as the message
contains the word "BEAT" it could be selected. Don't forget,
we don't really know who is going to be listening out there,
so help us give a good impression of the people living on
our blue planet...
Before sending us your messages, take time to check out our
rules and regulations, to make sure that you are on the right
side of interstellar laws.

In the month of April, on a date to be defined that we will
communicate on these pages, a fearless crew of Cosmonauts
will be launching the Swatch .Beatnik loaded with a selection
of your intergalactic messages into orbit from the MIR space
station. The Beatnik will orbit earth and you will be able
to track it around thanks to the pioneering technology of our
website.

Check out this space (no pun intended) for further information
and more space-connected goodies.

The Beatnik will transmit the selected messages in the
following bands:

145.800 to 146.000 MHz

Thus allowing radio-rads worldwide to listen to your voice.
You will be able to catch both voice and text messages (in
the form of HTML pages) ; but hey, if you are not a radio-freak,
you do not have to worry. You will be able to follow the Beatnik
and its messages live right here on the tracking section of
the website.

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submissions hiham@qth.net

211. Re: FM on HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack_D <sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au>
Message-ID: <81AN2.179$uB5.684@nswpull.telstra.net>
Source record: 146698

G'Day All..
I have just finished a mate installing 10m rptr in
Adelaide Sth OZ.
It contained also a 2m gateway with pl tones to access it. A link of 70cm
between sites was used and works quite well..!!

That is a great system and give the opportunity to
those without 10mfm to access rptrs themselves..!

Take care..
Cheers & 73...

Stef 'Jack' Daniels VK5HSX
VK5HSX@VK5TTY.#ADL.#SA.AUS.OC
sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au

-= Sent Using Outlook Express. =-

BColenso wrote in message <19990401031759.29248.00000585@ng-fz1.aol.com>...
>>What does FM (voice) transmissions sound like when received on an AM
radio?
>>Is it used much on HF?
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>The only place I know of FM used on HF is on 10 meters.
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>Many years ago, I belonged to a club that had a 10 meter link on their 2m
>repeater. They had a 5 element yagi pointed down to a 10 meter repeater in
the
>Virgin Islands.
>
>From the keypad of my 2m Ht, I turned on the 10 meter link, and heard a G4
>station calling CQ. This guy was in his car, taking a Sunday drive in the
>England country side, and we had a nice conversation for a short while,
because
>I knew there were others that wanted to talk to him.
>
>FM on HF is almost as much fun as CW.
>
>
>Bob
>KD8WU

212. Re: FM on HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack_D <sjdaniels@picknowl.com.au>
Message-ID: <s1AN2.180$uB5.653@nswpull.telstra.net>
Source record: 146699

G'Day All..
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213. Re: 27.445mhz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990403213317.27824.00002017@ng118.aol.com>
Source record: 146700

>
>What is 27.445mhz "and there-abouts" used for/by? I hear people from all
>over the US calling for California, Texas, etc.. Sounds somewhat like
>Ham-radio, but there's never any callsigns mentioned...

It frequency is not ham radio. If you seriously do not know what this is,
E-Mail me and I will explain. If, on the other hand, this is a CB vs Ham troll
attempt, give it up now. Thank you.

K5PF

214. Re: 10, 11 meter help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990403213702.27824.00002023@ng118.aol.com>
Source record: 146701

Attention Amateur Newsgroup:

CAUTION. Message and replies are being cross-posted to the CB newsgroup.

Poster has had some decent replies. I recommend we drop this thread now or that's all we'll find for a week when reading messages.

215. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990403213833.27824.00002024@ng118.aol.com>
Source record: 146702

>Ray wrote in message <7duj88$bbq@world6.bellatlantic.net>...
>>10 meter info needed...
>>I am looking for a 10 meter mobile & base radio that will allow me to
>modify
>>to cover 10 & 11 meters like the Uniden 2510.
>>Any suggestions??

Mr. Troll, I presume?

216. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "J. A. Legris" <jlegrix@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3706DC94.7531@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 146703
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:

> Joseph ... I'm aSSuming :-) that your IF (at 70 MHz, if I
> recall correctly) is bandlimited such that the dominant
> signal (and noise) seen by the demodulator *is* in-band.
>

My question stems from pure ignorance. Nevertheless, it seems to me that, within practical limits, considering the fact that no filter is perfect, one would want to use a broadband noise source for such a measurement, which afterall, is intended to assess agreement between theory and practice.

--
Joseph Legris

To reply, correct the x.

217. Another GAP question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403225401.29253.00002071@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 146704

There have been several posts here about the GAP vertical antenna, and I have decided not to get one, based mostly on the negative feedback I have seen here. I have seen where people have said that it is a good antenna on some bands, but terrible on others

Years ago, I did have very good success on all bands with the Butternut vertical mounted on the roof of my house (2 story) on a 10 foot tripod with a 10 foot mast. I had 4 radials for each band except 15m (which used the radials for 40m). All of the radials fit on the roof, except for 80m.

So, my question is, is the GAP not a good antenna just because of its design, or because it is ground mounted? Has anyone ever tried roof mounting a GAP?

In my minds eye, a ground mounted antenna for 80m is one thing, a ground mounted antenna for 10m is quite another.

Bob
KD8WU

218. Re: Another GAP question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990403234555.15622.00001604@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 146705

I have a Gap Titan DX roof mounted and it works great. I have read the comlpaints about it posted here by some and have not found mine to have any problems with the exception of the 80 meter band where performance do lack a little compared to my inverted V. I have used the Titan DX on all bands except 160 and have always made my contact with good signal reports. The take off angle is such that local - out to say 300-400 miles- is difficult. but beyond that with legal limit it - TALKS! KK7HO
CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

219. HAMFEST 99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: shanks@francemel.com
Message-ID: <7e70i3$72$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146706

Hello Everybody,

I am a HAM with call sign VU2SPK India. we are organising the
annual All India event for amateur radio enthusiasts here in Mysore.

Kindly visit our web site www.hamfestindia.org for more details.

your aprticipation will be well appriciated.

regards

shanks
VU2SPK

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220. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dufus <noname@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <txHN2.70624$rs2.22356365@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 146707

Is this an ongoing update status of your endeavors? If so, nobody out here really cares about the methodology you may or may not have used. Gee...it has only been one day and I am tired of your "method" already...

221. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7e7lnnklj1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146708
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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J. A. Legris <jlegrix@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:3706DC94.7531@sympatico.ca...
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> >
>
> My question stems from pure ignorance. Nevertheless, it seems to me
> that, within practical limits, considering the fact that no filter is
> perfect, one would want to use a broadband noise source for such a
> measurement, which afterall, is intended to assess agreement between
> theory and practice.

Joseph ... the noise source can be wider than the IF bandwidth of your
system ... using a 100msps TxDAC, for example to generate noise at,
say 25 MHz, then mixing with a 45 MHz Xtal Osc to create a product
at 70 MHz, you could use a 70 MHZ filter much wider than your IF
bandlimiting filter(s) to eliminate the 45 MHz LO leak, the 25 MHz
noise source leak, and the 20 MHz unwanted mixing product.

This would leave a "clean" (if you can call noise "clean" :-), but
still rather wide band noise spectrum centered at 70 MHz ... this
would be summed with your pure desired signal at a controlled level
to "dial up" whatever C/N ratio you want.

73,

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222. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37076844.832662C4@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146709

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> really cares about the methodology you may or may not have used. Gee...it
> has only been one day and I am tired of your "method" already...

Gee, Dufus, 1 posting, about 15 seconds, and I'm already tired of you too.

223. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7e7sdf$aq3$2@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 146710

In article <txHN2.70624$rs2.22356365@client.news.psi.net>, "Dufus" <noname@nowhere.com> wrote:
>Is this an ongoing update status of your endeavors? If so, nobody out here
>really cares about the methodology you may or may not have used. Gee...it
>has only been one day and I am tired of your "method" already...

Give the guy a break! He's trying to learn the code. Your certainly not helping are you Mr. "noname"?

I have the 418, great unit. I'm up to 11wpm now and trying to get my speed up as well. Just keep at it for at least 15 minutes a day, maybe 2-3 15 minute sessions per day if you can. When you start getting frustrated STOP. It's not conductive to learning at that point so take a break.

Good luck!
73,
Tom

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Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

224. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <370768E4.FEF6F8CE@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146711

Kevin J. Margalis wrote:

> I've recently begun learning morse code. I'd appreciate it if
> you could critique the method by which I'm learning.
>

<snip>

Kevin,

If you have a receiver try listening to the W1AW code broadcasts once
you have the entire alphabet memorized. I found this very helpful.

73

Marv
KC0EGB

225. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <37077951.21359D4E@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146712

&#65533;

Dufus wrote:

> Is this an ongoing update status of your endeavors?&#65533; If so, nobody out here
> really cares about the methodology you may or may not have used. Gee...it
> has only been one day and I am tired of your "method"&#65533; already...

Obviously Dufus thinks the Newsgroup was designed with only him in mind. There are plenty who are interested in your learning.
Personally I'm not so keen on the Farnsworth meathod although there are many who learned code that way successfully.
I think your right in learning to copy solid, 100%, at a slower speed, the speed will increase naturally and if you can copy solid at 5-8 wpm you'll have a much easier go of it as your speed increases and you start having QSO's at faster rates.

GL,

Tim ka8ddz

226. Free code programs for mac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlillis@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <tlillis-0404990844580001@ip213.pascagoula3.ms.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 146713

I want to learn copy code is there a Program to Practice cw on the Macintosh?
if so where do I get it?
ben

227. Re: The official Yuselesslave Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony <shimi@NOSPAMhome.com>
Message-ID: <37077E3F.441F413A@NOSPAMhome.com>
Source record: 146714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> http://www.gov.yu/facts/facts.html
>
> "By its Constitution the FRY is a State of pluralistic, parliamentary
> democracy committed to the rule of law, free market economy, freedom of
> public activities, social justice, human rights, equality and welfare of all
> citizens.
>
> I think I just wet myself laughing...
>
> MFL

I think their Motto is: "FRY baby FRY"!!!!!
--
Remove "NOSPAM" from address for direct e-mail

228. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7e83c8$q4v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

In article <7dgjji$cf2$1@usenet46.supernews.com>,
ImNOT@home.now.net (I hate CB) wrote:
>
> This will keep CBers and other stupid people out of the ham bands and require
> more studying for a license. If we had had the 90% passing rule a long time
> ago then we wouldn't have any stupid people on the ARRL board of directors
> today.
> SEE BELOW..
> The two year non-renewable no-code license sounds like a great idea too!
I'll buy that.
> Save CW, Tell the ARRL to KISS OFF!

As a mugwump on the subject I say - You can save CW for TRADITION or kiss it
off but you should make more comprehensive theory exams for TECHNOLOGY. I am
an ARRL member. I do not blindly follow all of the ARRL leaders
concepts...but I do know that Hams need the ARRL just as the ARRL needs hams.

I must say that I agree that the above concept of 100% pass would be a step
in the right direction and as such it is not IMHO a bad idea. HOWEVER I do
not believe that it is enough to make future Hams much better qualified than
at present. If we continue to use fixed Q & A exams we will still have
applicants who can score 100% and not have the slightest idea of the meanings
of any of the questions or their answers. We will still have many who
believe that an answer is the correct choice only because it was the correct
answer in the Q & A pool book. Another important point IMHO is that we need
more classes.... that is Ham license classes... so that sequential exams can
be given with time between them for serious progressive study. Communication
technology can not be learned with only four exams or less...I suggest at
least eight. A final point that I must make here is that the content of the
exams and the level of the technology must be brought up to modern standards.
We can not just test for the current ham modes and technologies but should
test for the knowledge that you can expect of a Ham who is prepared to be a
modern day experimenter especially for the highest class Ham tickets. This
means that many of the people who now get involved in generating the Ham
exams may not be qualified themselves and we need to get more up dated people
involved. We need people who are at the level of understand Shannon and
information theory, for example, to write the questions or at least to decide
what types of questions are now important in the real world of electronic
communication. PLEASE keep thinking, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Hams
need more license classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (Idiots Logically Pass?) -- .-
-..- .. -- ---------- Sexy
girls will always pass tests when the professors remark on curves. --w2ilp--

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

229. Re: Free code programs for mac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3707870E.4556@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146716

Benaiah wrote:
>
> I want to learn copy code is there a Program to Practice cw on the Macintosh?
> if so where do I get it?
> ben

Hi Ben -- good luck with learning the Morse Code. You will find lots of
programs for MAC CW practice at URL:
http://www.ac6v.com/pageap.html#MAC

Click on each clickable -- then search each for the type of program you
want.

--
73 From Rod In San Diego

AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
FEATURING 88 PAGES, 400 INDEXED TOPICS, AND 3000 LINKS
Over 330,000 visits on the counter
http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

230. WTB Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Little <ve6ci@telusplanet.net>
Message-ID: <3707B417.8C2F5B89@telusplanet.net>
Source record: 146717

I am looking for a reasonably priced scanner for my radio shack,
preferably not cell blocked.

Thanks
Don\VE6CI

231. Swatch advertising on 2 meters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Pearl W4ABC <w4abc@gte.net>
Message-ID: <7e8f0n$gc1$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146718

Swatch is preparing 10 digitally recorded 'advertisements' to "Broadcast" on the 2 meter band from the Russian "Beatnik" satellite.

You can leave a message at their website that will float aloft for 30 days.

http://www.swatch.com/beatnik/send.php3

Judging from the comments on this page from the "Amateur Community," it would be better suited at the "Rated X" satellite.

Jon Pearl
W4ABC

232. FS: Radio Booklist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtravis@buncombe.main.nc.us
Message-ID: <7e8l9m$8ig$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146719

Somewhere here I mentioned that I have a Radio Booklist available
for you ...if you send me an email for it, please ask for the
Radio Booklist as I have other lists!! Thanks...there's really a lot
of ARRL, Other Technical, and old/rare electronic
books going back to the early 1900's..Here's my email:

jtravis@buncombe.main.nc.us

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233. Re: Another GAP question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Duncan <bduncan@HiWAAY.net>
Message-ID: <#vj$Gmuf#GA.229@newstoo.hiwaay.net>
Source record: 146720

BColenso wrote in message <19990403225401.29253.00002071@ng-fz1.aol.com>...
>So, my question is, is the GAP not a good antenna just because of its
design,
>or because it is ground mounted? Has anyone ever tried roof mounting a
GAP?
I had one of the original GAP Challenger verticals up on my roof for about
9 years, until an ice storm destroyed it. I used it on all bands (including
30m
and 17m) and used an antenna tuner to keep the SWR down. I was pleased
with the results, particularly on 40m.

The major problem with roof mounting is installation, as the 31' length is
difficult to raise and keep in place. I used a roof tripod, with lag bolts
screwed into the rafters. I also used guys half-way up. After years of
abuse by wind, it still worked fine, although some of the vertical rods on
the sides became twisted. After 8-9 years, it started getting too wobbly
to maintain in a true vertical position and it needed some maintenance.
However, before I could take it down (not an easy endeavor), we had a
severe ice storm and it bent over double at the base and died.

I used the roof mounting method because I didn't have a good open area
in my yard for the antenna. As far as 40m is concerned, it kicked butt
in contests. On 80m, my dipole worked better than the GAP, but on
the other bands the GAP was fine, although not nearly as good as my
A3S beam or a homebrew quad which I once had for 15/12/10.

I didn't know whether I'm going to get another GAP, as
I'm considering a Gladiator monobander for 40m andI don't need the
other bands. I'm also concerned about maintaining the short vertical
rods in a fixed position, as they kept moving around on my old Challenger
and looked pretty ugly after a while.

Bob
KC4TEO

234. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #403

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.403.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 146721
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3B9R DXPEDITION TO RODRIGUES ISLAND IS NOW ACTIVE. A team of nine operators representing the countries of Finland, Japan, Mauritius, Mexico and the United States is now active from Rodrigues Island (AF-017) of the Mascarene Islands group in the Indian Ocean unti April 11th. This will be an all mode operation, 160-6 meters with special emphasis on 160, 80, WARC and RTTY. Team members include Bruce/W6OSP, Kimo/KH7U, Jari/OH2BU/OH7RF, Victor/XE1VIC, Jacky/3B8CF, Garry/NI6T, Frank/AH0W/OH2LVG, Ned/AA7A and Yuuji/JA3IG/K1NT. QSL via: Joyce Johnson N7LVD, 5627 West Hearn Road, Glendale, Arizona 85306, USA. Pilot stations are: Andy/UA3AB (ua3ab@dateline.ru), Gary/K7ZD (k7zd@inficad.com) and Tom/N4XP (n4xp@juno.com). Interested DXers may submit inquiries during the DXpedition via any of these pilot station e-mail addresses. Thanks to Mr. Anton Vinokurov, an informational Web site is now on-line including information about the DXpedition, maps and photos of Rodrigues Island, frequency table, recognition of sponsors, interesting links, operating plans, and more. (On-line logs will NOT be available.) DXers are invited to sign the guest-book and submit comments at: http://www.dateline.ru/3b9/

3W, VIETNAM (Also VR, Hong Kong). Steve, K2WE, is returning to Vietnam with a stay in Hong Kong first. He plans to be in Hong Kong from April 16th through the 23rd. Steve has applied for a temporary license in VR-land. He will then continue on to Saigon from April 23rd through 27th. Steve will be operating from the XV300S station at the Kimdo Hotel in downtown Saigon. He has asked for a renewal of his 3W6WE callsign. Steve is again going to try 40 and 80 meters and hopes the noise won't be too bad. He will bring back all the logs for 3W6LI, 3W6KA and XV300S, so he

can answer the hundreds of cards waiting at his QTH. QSL again via his home callsign K2WE.

3W, VIETNAM. Look for Sugi, JA2BWH, to be active again from April 8-12th as 3W6BWH. His operations will include SSTV on 14240, 21346 and 28680 kHz. QSL via home callsign.

4F7, PHILIPPINES. The "DX News Sheet" reports to look for Gus, SM3SGP, to be active until May 6th as 4F7/SM3SGP from Cebu Island. Activity will be CW/SSB. QSL via SM3EVR.

4Z0, AKHZIV ISLAND (New Prefix, Rare Island). Jan, 4X1VF, informs OPDX that he will be leading a group of hams from Israel next Saturday, April 10th, to operate from this rare Israeli island (AS-100) bewteen 0530-1400z. Akhziv Island has not been on for many years. The callsign that they will be using is 4Z0A. (also a new prefix). They plan to operate 3 stations on 20/15/10 meters both CW/SSB using the IOTA frequencies. Jan states that they have to leave the island before dark.

BI5, DONGTOU ISLAND (NEW IOTA). The BI5D IOTA DXpedition to Dongtou Island in the Zhejiang Province Group (AS-???) will take place between April 29th and May 3rd. The team consists of BA1AA, BA1AJ, BA1DU, BA1FB, BA1HAM, BA1KA, BA4AA, BA4RD, BA4RF, BA4RX, BA4TA, BA4TB, BG4AGM, BG4RUC, BD5HAG, BD5RV, BG5BAC, BD6AA, BD6CQ, BA7IA, BA7JG, BA7JK, BD7IX, BD7JA, BD7NI and BD7NQ. They will operate on all bands 70cm - 160m. On HF bands, they plan to have six transceivers, three yagis and three amplifiers. Suggested frequencies for CW/SSB are: 1826, 3530, 3755, 7025, 7055, 10115, 14038, 14260, 18098, 18128, 21038, 21260, 24918, 24945, 28038, 28465 and 29280 kHz (FM only). Look for them on RTTY on or around 7040, 10140, 14080, 21080 and 28080 kHz. They will pay special attention to NA on the following bands, modes and time: 0000-0400z 15m, 17m and 20m on CW; 1100-1500z 40m on SSB/CW; 1100-1300z 75m on CW; 2200-0000z 15m, 20m and 40m on SSB/CW; and will especially work EU during 0700-1800z on several usable bands and modes. On VHF and UHF, they will used 4ELE HB9CV antenna on 6 meters, 13ELE yagi on 2 meters and 70 centimeters bands. The frequency will be 50.115 MHz (SSB/CW), 144.10 MHz (SSB/CW) and 432.20 MHz (SSB/CW). They will especially look for JA, HL and BV stations on 2 meters and 70 centimeters. QSL via P.O.Box 1713, Guangzhou city 510600, CHINA (direct only). Any suggestions, comments and questions should be sent to:
Alan BA1DU (ba1du@arrl.net) or Yang BD7JA (bd7ja@amsat.org).

CE9, SOUTH SHETLANDS. Ric, CE3HDI, will be active until April 23rd as CE9R from the Teniente Rodolfo Marsh base (and possibly President Frei Montalva base) on King George Island. Activity will be CW/SSB/RTTY/SSTV on 80-10 meters. QSL via home call.

CU, AZORES. Look for CU2ARA to be on the air April 10TH and 11TH. Activity will be on 15, 20, 40 and 80 meters on CW, SSB, SSTV and Packet.

IOTA NEWS.....
AS-042. Mike, UA3SDK, is active as UA3SDK/0 from Sredniy Island until

the end of April. QSL via RU3SD, P.O.Box 1, Ryazan 390000,
RUSSIA.

AS-049. Takeshi, JI3DST, reports that he will be active from Tokara
Archipelago (Kuchinoshima, Kogashima-Ken) from April 28th
through May 4th. Look for him to be active as JI3DST/6 (or
7N3UXO/6) on 17/15/12/10 meters SSB. QSL via JI3DST; Takeshi
Funaki, 2-18-26 Hannan-Cho Abeno-Ku, Osaka-City Osaka 545-0021,
JAPAN. His E-mail addresses are:
MXK00027@nifty.ne.jp or ji3dst@jarl.com

EU-094. Look for TM2WLH to be active on Penfret Island from May 6-9th.
Activity will be from a lighthouse (Lighthouse LH 0321 for
the Lighthouse Award) on all bands CW/SSB. QSL Manager is
F6HKS.

SA-029. A group of Brazilian operators will activate the following
islands during April 9-12th (Same IOTA number for all islands):
Itacuruca Island, Martins Island and Jaguanum Island. Activity
will be SSB and CW on all bands (160-6 meters). Suggested
frequencies:
SSB - 1850, 3755, 7055, 14260, 18128, 21260, 24950, 28360
and 28460 kHz
CW - 1835, 3530, 7030, 10115, 14040, 18098, 21040, 24920
and 28040 kHz
Also, please listen to the Brazil DX Net, Saturday and Sunday
from 1800 to 2100z on 14222 kHz. Look for the following
callsigns: PY1NEZ/p or PT1Z (Lima), PY1NEW/p (Pete) and
PY1LVF/p or ZX1Z (Vieira). QSL via home callsign or the PY1
QSL bureau.

J2, DJIBOUTI. "The 59(9) DXReport" reports that Phil, F5PHW, will be
active as J28BS until the end of April from the French Radio Club. He will
use a TS-440S plus available antennas on CW and maybe RTTY. QSL via F6KPQ.

JD, OGASAWARA. Yasu, JA9XBW, will be active as JA9XBW/JD1 from April
9-18th. Operations will be on CW/SSB/FM on 160-6 meters. QSL via home
callsign.

LV2, ARGENTINA. Look for the special callsign, LV2V, to be used by the
Radio Club General Roca for the next 5 years. QSL via LU3VAL.

NEW CANADIAN PREFIX. VY0 is the prefix for Canada's new Nunavut province.
The call would have been VE8XN prior to April 1st.

NEW SCOTTISH PREFIXES. To commemorate the new Scottish parliament, look
for the following special prefixes to be used by Scottish operators during
May 6th through July 31st: GMs can use 2S (ex. GM4FDM can sign 2S4FDM),
MMs can use 2A and 2Ms (Novice) can use 2T.

NEW WELSH PREFIXES. To commemorate the new Welsh Assembly, look for the
following special prefixes to be used by Welsh operators during May 6th
through July 31st: GWs can use 2C (ex. GW4FDM can sign 2C4FDM), MWs can

use 2X and Welsh Novices can use 2Y.

OH0, ALAND ISLANDS. OH0M operation will probably be QTH by the time you read this. Activity was to be done by the Finnish Radio Amateur League (SRAL) and was to active until April 5th. The operators are: Juha/OH1KAG, Mikko/OH3FM, Pertti/OHLQK and Jukka/OH3NLP. QSL via BUREAU to OH3LQK.

QSL INFO AND NEWS......
KL7FBI was operated by Mike, AL7KC, during March 30th through April 2nd, from Shemya Island (IOTA NA-037(, Semichi Group, Aleutians. QSL to KL7FBI via bureau or direct.

Serge, EK4JJ, reports that there is no QSL Bureau in Armenia, and it is too expensive to reply direct unless return postage is enclosed with a QSL card. It has been reported that Serge is a reliable and fast QSLer if you send return postage.

YC9WZJ QSL go to Joni Salim, PO Box 127, Sorong-98401, Irian Jaya, Indonesia.

Roger/G3SXW reports QSL requests already received for contacts with C21SX have now all been answered. Cards arriving daily are being handled within 48 hours. Over 1,000 contacts have already been confirmed direct. The address for direct QSLs is: Roger Western, G3SXW, 7 Field Close, Chessington, Surrey KT9 2QD, England. Nearly 200 contacts have so far been requested by E-mail. These cards will go to the bureau this week. If you wish to receive a card via bureau merely send QSO details and your call-sign to: G3SXW@compuserve.com PLEASE do not send your card by other routes as this defeats the purpose of saving time (your's, Roger's and the bureaux's) and money (your's and the bureaux's).

The following Web site http://dx.qsl.net/logs
has placed the following logs on-line this week:
PW1S (1999 CQ WPX SSB Contest)
PT1A (1999 ARRL DX SSB Contest)
PX1I (1998 ARRL 10m Contest)
FO0CI (1992 Clipperton Island DXpedition)
YC0LOW (thru 20-Mar-99)

ER0N QSLS. GENE, UT7ND, was active in the CQWW WPX SSB Contest as SOSB 28 MHZ from the village of Otaci, Moldova, as ER0N. He is also planning to be active from here in other upcoming contests using the same call. ALL ER0N QSLS are via the Ukrainian QSL Bureau or direct to UT7ND, Gene Chumakov, P.O. Box 5235, Vinnitsa, 286018, Ukraine. PLEASE DON'T SEND YOUR QSLS TO MOLDOVA.

Bob, K3BYV, reports that he is no longer the QSL manager for TG5ITS and KB0QMY/TI5 (both calls are the same person, op Tim). Bob will still be QSL Manager for these stations ONLY: PZ5JR, PZ5DX and P29ND.

ZZ7Z special callsign used in the CQ WPX SSB Contest can be QSLed via PR7AR, Irapuan de Sousa, P.O. Box 60, CEP.58200-970,

Guarabira-Paraiba-Brazil.

QSLs for both CE3/NE4Z and XR3Z now go to AJ4Y, Paul Womble, P.O. Box 1207, Highland City, FL 33846-1207. The old route to CE3SMN will no longer be any good.

R.O.A.R.S. SPECIAL EVENT. On April 10-11th, the "Radio Officers' Amateur Radio Society" will commemorate the "END of MARITIME CW" operations with a special event tribute to "Maritime Coastal Stations". Over 90 special event amateur stations representing historic maritime coastal stations will take part. For details and certificate information, please visit the Web page: http://homepages.enterprise.net/dbarlow/
The Marconi Radio Club W1AA/WCC will represent the WCC Cape Cod, MA coastal maritime station for the event.

S07, WESTERN SAHARA. Ross, CN2UN, was been active as S07UN this week on the 14247 DX net. He was there on a UN mission. He has recently left for Hong Kong and will return to Africa in three weeks. QSL via ZP6CU.
Meanwhile, the "DX News Letter" reports that Arseli, EA2JG, plans to operate as S09A on all bands for two weeks as of March 31. OPDX has spotted Arseli this past weekend on 40/20/15/10 meters SSB. Check around on the usual DX windows. QSL direct only via EA2JG, Arseli Etxeguren, Barrena 6, E-01480 Luyando Alava, Spain.

S7, SEYCHELLES. Babs/DL7AFS, Lot/DJ7ZG and Karl/DL2FAG will be active from April 11th to May 2nd from Mahe, as S79YL, S79ZG and S79FAG. They will be active on all bands, except 80 meters (which is not allowed in S7). If there are any possibilities, they will also try to activate one or two other IOTA islands. Their equipment will be the following: Kenwood TS850S, ICOM IC-706MK and FL2100Z-amplifier. Antennas will be a 3 element Yagi for 20/15/10 and Multiband-dipoles/triple legs for the other bands. They will be active on SSB, CW, RTTY and also possibly in PSK31, Amtor, Pactor. For the YL-award, Babs/DL7AFS will be again active (recently was C50YL) using the special callsign S79YL. QSL for all callsigns are via DL7AFS.

T8, PALAU. Look for Misao/JJ1DWB, Hide/JM1LJS and Hiro/7N1KAE to be active as T88MT, T88LJ and T88?? (Hiro applying now), respectively, from April 27th - May 7th (possibility that schedule may change little). Their activity will be on 80-6 meters SSB/CW/(29M-FM) and T88LJ will try to be on SSTV. QSL to the following addresses:
T88MT - JJ1DWB, Misao Tanzawa, 3-15 Yakata, Kofu, Yamanashi 400-0017, JAPAN
T88LJ - JM1LJS, Hideyuki Kai, 4-22-15, Takata-higashi, Kohoku-Ku Yokohama-City 223-0065, JAPAN
T88?? - 7N1KAE, Hiroyuki Yamada, 2-9-209, Chigusadai, Inage-Ku, Chiba-City 263-0013, JAPAN

TL, CENTRAL AFRICA. Gianni, IZ1CQD, will be active until April 20th as TL8CG from Markounda. His activity will be limited to his free time while working. Look for him on 40, 20, 15 and 10 meters SSB using only a 100 watts to a dipole with solar power. QSL via home callsign, bureau or

direct.

V4, ST. KITTS & NEVIS. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Jim, G0IXC, will be active again as V47XC, April 10-30th, from Nevis Island. Activity will be 40, 20, 15 and 10 meters SSB with a dipole and tri-band Yagi. QSL via home callsign.

VU3, INDIA. After waiting for many months Tom, KR4ZY, has received his VU callsign. He is now signing VU3TOM. QSL via KR4ZY.

ZS8D, MARION ISLAND. Excerpts from a press release: On Thursday, April 1st, the SAS Agulhas left Cape Town to take the 56th weather and biological research crew to Marion Island. This annual supply run includes a radio amateur! Deryck Yelverton, ZS6DE, has been licenced as ZS8D. While Deryck is not an experienced HF operator, he has spent much of the last few weeks in intense training. Deryck will not be active before mid-April at the earliest, as the ship sails in April, and the base handover will occupy his full attention. However, once he has all the hardware ready, he expects to be on regularly and to make lots of contacts. QSL to ZS6EZ, Chris R. Burger, Box 4485, Pretoria, 0001 South Africa. Requests with sufficient postage will be sent by bulk courier service, while the remainder will go via the bureau. SPECIAL NOTE: OPDX InterNet Subscribers will receive the complete press release as an additional bulletin.

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235. Re: Elmer: Building EMP-proof transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <923356914.573.55@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146372

Does this rule out battery operation for tube sets?

Thanks.

Michael.

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7eb4uu$a94$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> Yes tube equipment is considerably safer than modern solid state
devices.
> Of course this will require a source of 110v ac.

236. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3709594A.C9C05F37@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Get a life.

237. Re: More on Swatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <370959F9.4CD77257@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Get a life.

238. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB3KJX <wb3kjx@pc-intouch.com>
Message-ID: <37096f97.0@hiq.pc-intouch.com>
Source record: 146375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anything that affects our bands like this shoul dbe cross posted on all the amateur sites.... no matter if your interest is boatanchors or microwave, we'll all hams and need to stick together!

73's Scott WB3 KJX

239. FS: Motorola M75 TDMA Digital Cellular Phone w/HF Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#v6GnI9f#GA.241@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

$200.00 + Shipping for Phone, 2 Batteries, Sig adapter, Hands Free Kit.
For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail: ST1A55@msn.com

Thanks!!! Rich

240. FS: Motorola HT 600 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#EYQ9J9f#GA.154@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

$250.00 + Shipping Comes with Battery, Antenna, 1Hour Charger.
For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail: ST1A55@msn.com

Thanks!!! Rich

241. FS: Motorola Radios / Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#v3tvO9f#GA.160@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail: ST1A55@msn.com

Thanks!!! Rich

242. New Radio Club Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Cote <nh6zb@wans.net>
Message-ID: <37097067.B5059D01@wans.net>
Source record: 146379

The Rocky Mountain Navy Amateur Radio Club homebased out of Colorado Springs, Colorado proudly presents our new website at www.qsl.net/rmnarc. The site was put together to be able to bring amateur radio operators together in spreading the word about our wonderful hobby. Please come check us out and become a member today. Our goal is to have nationwide membership and expanding to worldwide. Thanks for reading this. Mike NH6ZB

243. Re: Sony ICF-SW55 Shorwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Denley <bdenley@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7ebsntekk1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 146380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have one of these beauties. It's a great travel radio and coupled with an
AN-LP1 is a terrific performer.
Brian Denley

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"There are only two ways to live your life: One is as though nothing is a
miracle. The other is as if everything is." - Albert Einstein

Andrew <xandrew@tropicom.net> wrote in message
news:370833B7.4BCCA472@tropicom.net...
> I have for sale a Sony Shortwave Receiver Model ICF-SW55 in brand new
> condition. Currently being offered on Ebay. See link below for
> complete item description, picture and current bid.
>
> AUCTION ENDS APRIL 7th at 11:50PM.
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=85471029
>
>
> --
> ********** DO NOT AUTOREPLY **********
>
> TO REPLY REMOVE THE 'X' FROM MY EMAIL
> ADDRESS. ANTI SPAM MEASURES IN EFFECT
>
> XANDREW@TROPICOM.NET
>
> **********
>
>

244. Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Fewkes <fewkes@pacifier.com>
Message-ID: <37097878.0@news.pacifier.com>
Source record: 146381

Does anybody know if there is a website that allows people to work code over the web with their computers? It would make for good practice and fun.

Dean
KG7MZ

245. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37099763.C30@ibm.net>
Source record: 146382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> 22. We modify section 15.121 to clearly prohibit the modification of scanning
> receivers to receive Cellular Service transmissions, regardless of the date
> of manufacture or number of units modified.

Don't canners receive cell phone transmissions on the image frequencies
without any modifications?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

246. Ham Radio Callsign Mugs. Your call on a mug.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaw Jabber <jawjabber@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7ec2l0klj1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146383
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

What better way is there to start off your morning except by drinking a cup of coffee using your very own CALLSIGN MUG. See at http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber
All mugs are made with quality control in mind. They are dishwasher and microwave safe and if after you receive your mug you are unsatisfied just send the mug back in its original shipping container and I will refund you the cost of the mug. See at http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber for details.
If you what to buy your personal callsign mug all you will have to do is send a check or money order for the amount of the mug plus $4.00 for shipping. Remember to send your callsign so I can place it on the mug.(The mug you see on my web sit is just a sample mug. Your callsign will be placed on the mug you order.) Please USA orders only. See at http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber
To see a picture of the Callsign Mug and to get the order forms please click on the link below.

http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber

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Georges Mug Shop
http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber

247. HAMFEST in Moulton AL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Yarbrough <medic@net-master.net>
Message-ID: <3709AFB9.625E@net-master.net>
Source record: 146384

Moulton Hamfest is Saturday May 1 1999 Admission is 3.00, inside tables
6.00. We will have testing, hourly door prizes and concessions.
contact;
Rex Free-256-905-0822, KN4CI@JUNO.COM

248. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7ec3en$8on$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 146385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

>Don't canners receive cell phone transmissions on the image frequencies
>without any modifications?
>73, Cecil, W6RCA

My Yaesu VX1-R does. Of course I can't legally listen to it...

249. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 800 Trunking Type I / Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ew9CIc$f#GA.276@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 800 Trunking Type I / Conv
Asking $200.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For Picture And Or More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com

250. FS: 4 Motorola New Vehical Adaptor Model NTN5612A HT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eQJEbe$f#GA.340@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

4 Motorola NEW IN BOX Vehicle Adapter Model NTN5612A
For HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios

Prices Vary For Picture And Or More Info Visit:
http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com

251. SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ebpkhjev1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote:

>On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 16:24:19 GMT, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

>> No one-way transmissions.

>Hmmmm... the last Sputnik did nothing but one way broadcasts, was this
>illegal?!? When FO-29 is in digitalker mode, it does one way broadcasts, is
>this illegal? What am I missing here?

>73 Jeff W4JEF

Don't forget those illegal six and ten meter beacons, that illegal beacon system on 14.100 sponsored by those guys in California, and all those repeater ID'ers that are illegally broadcasting callsigns all the time..... Oh, and don't forget all those packet stations sending beacons, those are illegal too....

What you are missing here, Jeff, it that some people are always looking for a cause. And you are missing the fact that a lot of people don't do their homework before they jump on the bandwagon.

The Russians throw a battery powered, handheld piece of space junk out of the window of MIR that will last for a whole 30 days and it's the end of the world.

Why, because it's an invasion of our Constitutional Rights to Own the ham bands.

Every day I turn on my HF radio, and I hear dozens of unlicensed Chinese, Indonesian, and Filipino stations on every HF band we have.

The digital satellites (UO-22, KO-23, and KO-25) are USELESS when they are over SE Asia because of all the QRM from unlicensed ground stations in the 2 meter band. These are real problems that aren't going to go away in 30 days, but nobody is putting web pages on about the problem, the Slims in SE Asia don't have email address we can complain to, like Swatch does, and AMSAT France can't use any of the satellites when the footprint is over SE Asia, so they don't know about it.

As Ceric says "Just because YOU can't see something, does NOT mean that it isn't there!".

These are real problems, but real problems need real solutions, and real solutions don't come from little boys with HT's and email addresses.

What I'd suggest we do, gang, is go to the Swatch web page at:

http://www.swatch.com/internettime/fs_comments.html

and READ the 'comments' from our fellow hams and then realize something. Every time we have one of these 'call to arms' regarding the ham bands, every time somebody starts posting email addresses for us to send 'comments' to, we wind up looking like a bunch of illiterate idiots, and we wind up pissing off a few more people who didn't know what ham radio was until we came along with our mindless, elementary school playground threats, none of which we can back up:

"I hope the US Military uses this satellite as a Star Wars systems test target!!"

"You are nuts. Look at the ill feeling you have already created. Read your own opinion polls! Who the hell has 146Mhz receivers anyhow? Only HAM operators, and they think you suck big TIME. BEAT it."

"Our Governments do not take kindly to this invasion of our (my) frequencies."

"I will encourage and support any possible litigation against your company to prevent this action or to seek damages as a result."

Sure you will, Lumpy, you'll be the first guy to kick in 10 grand to the VHF Legal Defense Fund.......

Wake up, children. It's 1999. We need to be thinking of ways to justify keeping what amateur frequencies we have, and the fact that we can send lots of mindless threats via email isn't a great justification.

If you want to send a note to Swatch, get somebody with a third grade education to compose it for you so you don't wind up looking like a total fool...... and when you send it, have enuff guts to sign your name to it, like my friend Carl Stevenson did......

If you read the 'history' of this 'problem', you will see that the French were 'duped' by the Russians. Did anybody every stop and think for a few milliseconds that maybe Swatch was too ?

Did anybody ever stop and think for a few milliseconds that maybe a nice explanation to Swatch that they have been duped into doing something they should not be doing might be just a TINY bit more effective than threatening to 'jam the uplink' ?

Of course not. When I passed the same test that Rebecca passed, I became the OWNER of the ham bands and I have the God given right to KEY the HT and nobody can ever take that away from me.

You guys are just too much..... probably 75% of you couldn't tell time if you had three Swatch Watches.....

73, Jim KH2D

P.S. To the pinhead in Ohio who told Swatch that they would be jamming the input to the local repeater 1) get a life and 2) get a VHF band plan......

252. send me your URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan.Cindric@g-box.fido.hr
Message-ID: <70f_9904061630@g-box.fido.hr>
Source record: 146389

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* Crossposted from: HamRadio.38 (CroatiaNet)

HI,
If you are amateurradio and you have personal home page
sent me your URL and I will update on my home page.
http://members.tripod.com/~CindricI

73 de 9A6GPP
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---------------------------------------------------------------------
- Fidonet: Ivan Cindric 2:381/102 -
- Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own. -
- G-Box, Samobor, Croatia +385 1 78-38-66 -
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253. Software Packet FREEWARE: PKT5MON 5.23 (english version!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: RadioClub de Teleco <rct@lostrego.uvigo.es>
Message-ID: <3708E415.338799EB@lostrego.uvigo.es>
Source record: 146390

Hello everybody!

We'd like to inform you that the freeware program PKT5MON has been translated into English language.

For those of you who don't know, PKT5MON is a program that, with a simple
HAMCOMM modem, decodes PACKET frames which are sent between DX CLUSTER stations.
It's very useful for those of you who can't access a local DX CLUSTER but
want to receive DX-spots and WWV reports, the same way if you could access
one.

You have mucho more information and a screenshot on the web page of the program:

http://lostrego.uvigo.es/pkt5mon/
(there is an English language version as well)

Of course this program is FREEWARE and as it has had so much success in our
local ham radio community, we thought about distributing it via the net so
that everybody could use it.

Greetings from EA1RCT (RadioLab at University of Vigo, Spain)

PS. (Feel free to forward this message to any other forum which may be interested in this software)

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RadioClub de Teleco - Vigo
EA1RCT - rct@lostrego.uvigo.es
http://lostrego.uvigo.es

254. Re: 10, 11 meter help?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka8tok@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eacu8$km5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146472

In article <7e5ld5$bsb@world6.bellatlantic.net>,
"Ray P" <raymare@bellatlantic.net> wrote:
> I was hoping to find out if the Uniden Lincold radio is still sold.
> If not, what is another good radio that can cover the 10 & 11 meter bands??
> Perhaps an 11 meter radio that can be modified to cover 10 meters?
> Ray
>
>

YES, The Lincolns are still Being Sold.. The other that you can get used that is Identical to the Lincoln is the HR-2510.. other radios for 10/11 meter are

RCI2950
2970
2980
2990

Galaxy, Northstar, Emperior, and any other radios out there that can or already is modified for it.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

255. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Monett <add@csolve.net>
Message-ID: <3708A939.1EE3@csolve.net>
Source record: 146473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Give 'em a bath in denatured alcohol or acetone. Do so in an open area.

Acetone may attack the plastics in the case. Alcohol will clean some
of the grime but not all.

The idea is to clean the oxides, grime, and non-conductive film from the
contacts, and leave a lubricating layer to prevent galling of the
contacts. The lubricating layer also prevents re-oxidation and the
formation of non-conductive films that caused the problem in the first
place.

The lubricating film is non-conductive, but the microscopic asperites on
the surface of the contact will punch through the film and provide a true
metal-to-metal contact. This can reduce the contact resistance by a
factor of ten and make it much more stable.

For example, "Fix Modem Problems",

http://www.csolve.net/~add/system/modemtip.htm

shows how ordinary vaseline can reduce the contact resistance on your
telephone.

Simply cleaning the contacts may provide temporary improvement, but
without protection, the problem will soon return.

Best Regards,

Michael R. Monett,
Automated Production Test
mailto:add@csolve.net

256. Re: Can radio waeves hurt pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eacvvkiu3@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146474

Nothing to worry about, NumbNuts. Real Hams don't use
Walky Talkies....... But I wouldn't recommend you spend
48 hours on the top of the tower during CQWW.......

73, Jim KH2D

"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>If cell phones might caues brain cancer on account of the radiation,
>what abouet ham radio or cb radio sets? Ham walke talkies have lots
>moer power than a cell phone and I wonder do hams get cancer moer than
>the rest of pple? It is a worry to me and thank you.
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

257. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las Vegas - Very Shabby Business Practices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: josumer@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7eag8inju1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146475

In article <37058b3d.150687398@cnews.newsguy.com>,
K6JMB@arrl.net wrote:
> ....didn't mean to condemn anyone Jeffrey. I was merely stating my
> opinion about the key, just as you've expressed yours. I have no
> interest at all in a replica of the Titanic's key.
>
> I placed the order with AES on the phone, so there were no typos from
> me; and the word "Titanic" wasn't ever used, nor the word "key".
> "Twin Paddles", model #TP-1 from catalog, and price were mentioned by
> me. It should've been pretty clear. I've been speaking English for 57
> years and have been doing business for at least 45 of those. I know
> how to place an order and also how to treat customers with respect.
>
> Why don't you give up trying to defend AES's rather poor customer
> treatment? You sound like you work for them or something. Too bad if
> you don't - they'd love your customer perspective.
>
> They made a mistake. People do that sometimes. They should have
> dealt with it better than they did. Bottom line, its been mostly
> corrected; but they lost a customer.
Jimmy are you going to get the high and mighty ARRL to boycott AES?
are you going to get QST to refuse their ads?

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

258. Re: *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eae3fjjo1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146476

Personally, I use a #2 ballpeen hammer and a cold chisel. Much faster,
and you don't have to worry about getting melted solder all over the
place....

73, Jim KH2D

jhulet@aol.com (JHulet) wrote:

>Hello,

>I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to
>modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First,
>what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this tool?
>What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of using a
>fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the diode?

>Is seems that so many modifications out there today require the removal of
>diodes that I am considering learning the trade...

>Thanks again for any light you can shed on the subject...

>Jason S. Hulet
>W1WOW

259. Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708bdad.14332129@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

URGENT!! Pass the word around on this one!

See: http://rob.carlson.org/swatch-protest

So I guess most hams are sleeping through this one?

OK, FYI, you can refer people quickly to go directly to:

http://www.swatch.com/beatnik/mission.php3?id=3

and then see http://www.swatch.com
for the overview of this awful travesty!!

What a disaster!

On 4 Apr 99 at 18:32, Dinelli, wrote:

> Go to http://www.swatch.com
>
> Click on Beatnik Mission in the center of the page
>
> In the left frame, click on Beatnik Mission
>
> In the right frame click on "3"
>
> You will find the following:
>
> <clip>
> The Beatnik will transmit the selected messages in the following bands:
>
> 145.800 to 146.000 MHz
>
> Thus allowing radio-rads worldwide to listen to your voice. You will be
> able to catch both voice and text messages (in the form of HTML pages) ;
> but hey, if you are not a radio-freak, you do not have to worry. You
> will be able to follow the Beatnik and its messages live right here on
> the tracking section of the website. <end clip>
>
> 73 de Mike, N9BOR
> FISTS NR 4594
> http://www.qsl.net/n9bor

> > To: Dinelli, Michael
> > Subject: RE: fwd Amateur boycott

> >
> >
> > WHERE does it say what frequencies they will be using?
> >
> > I can't find it!!
> >
> > On 4 Apr 99 at 16:51, Dinelli, wrote:
> >
> >
> > > That's what I thought too until I looked at the Swatch website. Take a
> > > look for yourself. http://www.swatch.com/
> > >
> > > 73 de Mike, N9BOR
> > > FISTS NR 4594
> > > http://www.qsl.net/n9bor

> > > > On 4 Apr 99 at 16:27, N5AIT wrote:
> > > >
> > > > > I received this through a local radio net and thought it
> > > > > important enough to pass along here. After all, you COULD be
> > > > > on two meters with a boatanchor!
> > > > >
> > > > > 73, Al N5AIT
> > > > > modsteph@acs.eku.edu
> > > > >
> > > > > -------- Original Message --------
> > > > > Subject: [ARES-RACES] Amateur operators to boycott Swatch AG
> > > > > Date: Sat, 3 Apr 1999 21:25:57 -0500 (EST)
> > > > > From: Rob Carlson <rcarls2@gl.umbc.edu>
> > > > > Reply-To: Rob Carlson <rcarls2@gl.umbc.edu>
> > > > > Organization: University of Maryland Baltimore County
> > > > > To: 2m@qth.net, ares-races@qth.net
> > > > >
> > > > > Dear editors, Loop readers, list readers, and assorted
> > amateur friends,
> > > > >
> > > > > Over the past week I have received an incredible response
> > to my query in
> > > > > the Hudson Division's Hudson Loop newsletter about a curious
> > > > > advertisement on the Swatch web-site. To help advertise
> > their new brand
> > > > > of "Swatch time" watches, they appeared to be launching a satellite
> > > > > which would broadcast the voice messages of web readers
> > into space and
> > > > > back to earth over radio on the frequencies from 145.800 to
> > 146.000 MHz.
> > > > >
> > > > > Thanks to the excellent researching skills of Stephan
> > Anderman, K2SMA,
> > > > > and Rick Lindquist, N1RL, I've discovered that Swatch in cooperation

> > > > > with the Russian space authorities have decided to use the two meter
> > > > > Amateur band for direct advertising via the "Beatnik" satellite (a
> > > > > mini-Sputnik and AMSAT-FR project formerly to be known as
> > RS-19) across
> > > > > the entire world.
> > > > >
> > > > > According to AMSAT-France, during the construction of the
> > satellite, the
> > > > > Russian space center had made a separate commercial
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> > > > > Swatch watch company to put its messages on the satellite. This was
> > > > > done in spite of AMSAT objections and contractual
> > agreements with them
> > > > > not to put commercial advertising content in the digital messages.
> > > > > AMSAT-FR couldn't back out of their own contract and had to
> > forward the
> > > > > parts on to the space center.
> > > > >
> > > > > Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, is doing his best to crack down on
> > > > > unlicensed
> > > > > and unbecoming operations within the jurisdiction of the
> > FCC, but soon
> > > > > an egregious violation of the non-commercial status of amateur radio
> > > > > will begin taking place just a few miles above our heads
> > when our two
> > > > > meter band is filled with advertisements for the latest
> > Swatch watches.
> > > > >
> > > > > Bernard Pidoux, F6BVP, writes that we should do our best to
> > ignore the
> > > > > satellite and not do anything to assist Swatch, such as tracking and
> > > > > publishing the Keplerian elements of this rogue mini-sat.
> > I completely
> > > > > agree, but I believe it's necessary to go even further than that.
> > > > >
> > > > > Just as we've successfully done in response to Little LEOs and APCO
> > > > > proposals in the past, it's time for amateur operators
> > around the world
> > > > > to let Swatch AG and the Russian space program know just
> > how precious
> > > > > our bands are to us.
> > > > >
> > > > > The first step is a comprehensive boycott of Swatch
> > products. If you
> > > > > were considering the purchase of a Swatch watch for you or
> > someone else,
> > > > > please take a moment to consider some of the other watch
> > manufacturers
> > > > > who are not stealing away ham frequencies.
> > > > >

> > > > > Next is to write a letter off to the Swatch company
> > explaining why you
> > > > > made your purchase decision away from their products, and
> > how you feel
> > > > > about this intrusion on the amateur bands. Use this
> > address from their
> > > > > web-site registration as a starting point. If anyone knows
> > the name of
> > > > > particular individuals within Swatch that the letters could be
> > > > > personally addressed to, please let me know.
> > > > >
> > > > > Swatch AG
> > > > > Jakob-Stampfli-Strasse 94
> > > > > 2504 Bienne
> > > > > CH
> > > > >
> > > > > As I understand it, the Russian space center will be able to upload
> > > > > voice data in ten message batches, so it's possible that
> > under pressure
> > > > > from Swatch, they could "pull" these commercial
> > advertisements off the
> > > > > ham bands at any time during the 30 day life, even while
> > the satellite
> > > > > is still operational. This is all the more reason to make
> > it clear to
> > > > > Swatch how strongly the amateur community feels about this
> > issue right
> > > > > now!
> > > > >
> > > > > Also, if you come across any amateur's page this month
> > containing the
> > > > > Keplerian data or any mention of the Sputnik-99, let them know what
> > > > > Swatch is doing and encourage them to remove them as soon
> > as possible.
> > > > >
> > > > > I'll be maintaining a web site concerning the latest news in this
> > > > > problem
> > > > > at http://rob.carlson.org/swatch-protest, which will start with this
> > > > > letter. More news will be posted here and placed on the
> > web site as I
> > > > > hear about it. If you have any information, please feel
> > free to e-mail
> > > > > me at rcarls2@umbc.edu or kc2aei@amsat.org, or call me at
> > (410) 455-3192
> > > > > at any time.
> > > > >
> > > > > Please forward this message as necessary so that we can
> > inform as many
> > > > > amateur operators worldwide as possible about this problem.
> > > > >

> > > > > 73 and good luck,
> > > > > Rob Carlson, KC2AEI
> > > > > rcarls2@umbc.edu

260. More on Swatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708c1fc.15435213@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

See also:
http://perens.com/Articles/Swatch.html

>Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz
>
>URGENT!! Pass the word around on this one!
>
>See: http://rob.carlson.org/swatch-protest

261. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7eaj2b$q3t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146479
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <370883D8.2FE2@olywa.net>,
"Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net> wrote:
> Can someone explain this?
>
> http://www.eagleflt.com/PRIS1.JPG
>
> http://www.newswatchmagazine.org/powpict/home.htm
>
> Fort Dix (allegedly)
>
> --
> Mr. & Mrs. Tate-West www.olywa.net/angels
> Expert PC Repair angels@olywa.net
> Legal Transcription Fax: (360) 923-2105
> Live & Recorded Music Olympia, Washington

Gee, no black helicopters? What a twit!

By the way, what would be an illegal transcription?

73, Hans, K0HB
Black Helicopter Pilot (You figure out which)

~~~
I called them mad, and they called me mad, but damn
them, they outvoted me.
~~~

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

262. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS - Off Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans K0HB <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7eajcm$q9l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146480
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37059698.6821@olywa.net>,
"Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net> wrote:
> Wouldn't we hear at least SOME radio traffic (encrypted or not) during
> an episode like this?
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Wally Brown <eagle2@farmsoap.com>
> To: olyzone@onelist.com <olyzone@onelist.com>
> Date: Friday, April 02, 1999 9:29 AM
> Subject: [olyzone] aerial spraying
>
> This morning, as I studied the skies as I have been doing lately, I saw
> horizon to horizon spraying that was laid down in the night time. I am
> in the Yelm area of Washington State, with Olympia to the immediate
> west. This must have been done by a multitude of very large aircraft as
> it almost completely covers the sky. Jen, up there in Vancouver, I bet
> you can also see it. It is slowly dissipating and falling. We haven't
> had but a handful of spray trails each day, probably because of
> unusually heavy rain and winds. Today would normally have been a
> beautiful day, but it is becoming hazy. I feel sorry for what is going
> on. People, birds and animals are going to get sick from this.
>
> --
> Mr. & Mrs. Tate-West www.olywa.net/angels
> Expert PC Repair angels@olywa.net
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So many idiots..... so few comets.... sigh........

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263. ATTN: Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH Re: Swatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708c551.16287632@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hey there, Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH!!

How about contacting SWATCH for us? (Grin!)

Maybe you could go on the air on 145.8 with a few KW and warn them!

On 4 Apr 1999 01:16:05 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Distributed to .misc, .policy, and .space. Follow-ups set to just .policy.
>
>Jeff WH6U
>--
>
>http://wmbc.umbc.edu/rob/swatch-protest/
>
>From Rob Carlson:
> Dear editors, Loop readers, list readers, and assorted
> amateur friends,
>
> Over the past week I have received an incredible response
> to my query in the Hudson Division's Hudson Loop newsletter
> about a curious advertisement on the Swatch web-site. To
> help advertise their new brand of "Swatch time"
> watches, they appeared to be launching a satellite which
> would broadcast the voice messages of web readers into space
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> mini-Sputnik and AMSAT-FR project formerly to be known as
> RS-19) across the entire world.
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> satellite, the Russian space center had made a separate
> commercial contract with the Swatch watch company to put
> its messages on the satellite. This was done in spite of
> AMSAT objections and contractual agreements with them not to
> put commercial advertising content in the digital messages.
> AMSAT-FR couldn't back out of their own contract and had

> to forward the parts on to the space center.
>
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> on unlicensed and unbecoming operations within the jurisdiction
> of the FCC, but soon an egregious violation of the
> non-commercial status of amateur radio will begin taking
> place just a few miles above our heads when our two meter
> band is filled with advertisements for the latest Swatch
> watches.
>
> [snip]
>
> From the SWATCH website:
> http://www.swatch.com
> We are collecting your written and voice messages (.wav)
> format to put them on our Beatnik satellite.
>
> Once in orbit, the satellite will transmit a selection of
> them to a worldwide audience (and beyond...) Voice messages
> have to be maximum 7" long or 0.08 of a Swatch.
> (sorry guys, there's not a lot of room in space...) while
> text messages can be up to 130 characters long. You can talk
> about anything you want; your mum, your boy/girlfriend, your
> latest project, how much you would like to go into space to
> discover new, sexy, friendly life forms, as long as the message
> contains the word "BEAT" it could be selected. Don't forget,
> we don't really know who is going to be listening out there,
> so help us give a good impression of the people living on
> our blue planet...
> Before sending us your messages, take time to check out our
> rules and regulations, to make sure that you are on the right
> side of interstellar laws.
>
> In the month of April, on a date to be defined that we will
> communicate on these pages, a fearless crew of Cosmonauts
> will be launching the Swatch .Beatnik loaded with a selection
> of your intergalactic messages into orbit from the MIR space
> station. The Beatnik will orbit earth and you will be able
> to track it around thanks to the pioneering technology of our
> website.
>
> Check out this space (no pun intended) for further information
> and more space-connected goodies.
>
> The Beatnik will transmit the selected messages in the
> following bands:
>
> 145.800 to 146.000 MHz
>
> Thus allowing radio-rads worldwide to listen to your voice.

> You will be able to catch both voice and text messages (in
> the form of HTML pages) ; but hey, if you are not a radio-freak,
> you do not have to worry. You will be able to follow the Beatnik
> and its messages live right here on the tracking section of
> the website.
>
>---
>submissions hiham@qth.net

264. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708c6c7.16662212@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Ah the quick buck again, eh?

Ham radio did fine without Swatch for decades Mike!

Sponsorships and "partnering" (i.e. being in bed with) commercial
concerns will NOT benefit amateur radio long-term.

Remember it is AMATEUR radio - not PAID COMMERCIAL radio.

Anyone agree?

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 07:55:50 -0400, "KF4FDJ (Mike in Ft. Myers, FL)"
<seven77@gate.net> wrote:

>Rob,
>
>As a matter of fact, I have been a large fan of both public radio and
>public television. You will notice that this partnership has increased
>the caliber of both entities over the years. What were once basement
>and local productions have evolved into some of the best, if not the
>best programming available on the airwaves. What is the tradeoff? At
>the top of the hour, the underwriting entity (read commercial concern)
>is allowed a few seconds to "advertise."
>
>Now we have a fairly benevolent corporation, willing to underwrite an
>amateur satellite. The caveat? The word "beat" will be included in
>some cosmic chatter from some real kids, real citizens. Harmless, and
>controlled.
>
>The unit is based on the same bus as the previous mini-sputniks. The
>voice controller contains static chips. The messages will NOT be
>dynamically altered every 24 hours as your web site seemed to report.
>Once the messages are burned into the chips, although capable of being
>"cycled," are static. New "commercials" will NOT be uploaded to the
>bird.
>
>Scanning my prediction sheet for the next pass of a usable bird, I have
>some time to pen this missive. I see a constellation of aging birds,
>with some literally ready to fall from the sky. I for one would welcome
>a symbiotic relationship with commercial concerns if it meant putting
>MORE amateur technology into space. It would have to be done
>tastefully, carefully, and with approval of the ITU.
>
>Bullying tactics will only serve to alienate any commercial concerns who
>have ever toyed with the idea of partnering with the amateur community.

>Let's take a tempered approach in dealing with this issue, and welcome
>dialogue from the private sector. Metered, sensible dialogue may well
>pave the way for an entire constellation of amateur satellites,
>underwritten by corporations, whose PRIMARY mission is an amateur
>payload.
>
>Knee jerk responses will only sully our reputations further. Open minds
>will usher the amateur space program into the 21st century.
>
>73, Mike in Fort Myers
>
>
>Rob Carlson wrote:
>> In my opinion, it's a slippery slope when we as amateurs start to be
>> underwritten by corporations. It's only a matter of time before the good
>> faith becomes a contract, and the contract becomes an obligation. Listened
>> to National Public Radio lately? What started out years ago as very
>> tasteful brief mentions of corporations and grants used to support the
>> show has expanded into what amounts to 45 or 60 second advertisements for
>> those companies, replete with contact numbers, web pages, slogans and God
>> knows what else. I have visions of the same thing happening to amateur
>> radio, if the bands aren't just out and out stolen first.
>
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> | . / ^ _ \ .
> | |\| (o)(o) |/|
> ^ --- * -----------------.OOOo--oo--oOOO.------------------- *
> ||| | | * Mike Gilchrist - KF4FDJ ..... AMSAT Area Coordinator *
> |X| | | * P.O. Box 763 .... AMSAT member #31884 *
> [X]~~~|k| * Fort Myers, FL 33902 .... ARRL member #1781549 *
> / \ |f| * http://www.gate.net/~seven77 telephone 941.772.7907 *
> | | |4| * kf4fdj@amsat.org .... EL96ap *
> | P | |f| * I.S. Professional ..... CNA .... Computer Consultant *
> | 3 |=|d| * AO10, AO27, FO20, FO29, RS13, RS15, MIR, E Layer *
> | D | |j| * Bringing Oscar demos to the Lee County Schools. *
> |_____|=| | *
> /*X*\ | | * Black holes were created when God divided by zero. *
> ________|_|_____________________________Oooo._________________________
> .oooO ( )
> ( )) /
> \ ((_/
> _)

265. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708c5ca.16408624@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Sun, 04 Apr 1999 21:33:36 -0400, "KF4FDJ (Mike in Ft. Myers, FL)"
<seven77@gate.net> wrote:

>Woah, wait a minute! I've looked at the web site. I've thought about
>the prospects. At best, I can see how you might find it distasteful,
>from a satellite op/ham operator point of view. However, I see nothing
>illegal, or for that matter wrong with Swatch sponsoring a satellite.

Sponsoring???

Next thing you know Burger King will be putting ads on every ham's 75m
SSB transmission, like a roger beep at the end of every transmission!

We have about as much use for your COMMERCIALS ON THE HAM BANDS idea,
as a FISH has use for a BICYCLE!!

Mike, we can soon kiss amateur radio goodbye if you, Swatch and the
Russian Pirates get your way!

266. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: BOB URZ <sound@inetnebr.com>
Message-ID: <3708E894.C62E6DA7@inetnebr.com>
Source record: 146484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Wow, some one must own stock in WD 40! In the Pro audio world, the caig cramolin r5/d5 is defiantly the way to go. I would not get caught dead spraying
WD 40 in an expensive mixing board. Leaves too much residue. I have seen boards with "customer repaired" using WD 40 with puddles of goo inside. A good
cleaner should clean and preserve. This leaves out just alcohol or other straight
petroleum products. If you clean a control in this matter, it will soon be noisy again.

Notes on cleaning switches:
If the switch is a knife type with a steel case, try to pry the back cover up to
expose the end of the switch slider. Put the switch in a vertical position and spray
D5/R5 in and work the control for 1 minute or so.
If the switch is a sealed plastic type..Do this only if there is no other choice.
Get a small shafted pencil soldering pencil. Burn a small hole with the pencil in
the back of the control. Make sure you work the control back and forth so none
of the melted plastic jams the control. Spray D5/R5 in the new hole. You then can
seal it with a dab of silicone sealer or equiv.

Ron Harshbarger wrote:

> What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The
> actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
> would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...
>
> 73
> Ron H. K3PID

267. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB7EQS <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7ealsjsgq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146485

Kevin,

Well, everyone else seems to have put in their $0.02 so I thought I might add mine. Everyone is different, so my experiences may not work for you, it's just a matter of finding a method that works for you.

I got my first license in 1966 and for years had a lot of trouble with code, even though I loved to use it. It wasn't until I discovered the Farnsworth method (I saw your correction from the Koch Method) that I was actually able to get my code speed up. I decided in January that, this was my year for upgrading. On March 6, I walked into the license testing facility as a Novice and walked out a General. On April 3, I walked in as a General and walked out as Advanced. I'm hoping to do a similar upgrade in May, to the Extra.

I don't necessarily recommend that you push yourself like this, because, taking two written tests, the Tech and the General, and the 13 WPM code test, all in one sitting, makes for a very nervous applicant. But, it worked for me.

In article <7e7blu$id1$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>,
gr349@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Kevin J. Margalis) wrote:
>
> I've recently begun learning morse code. I'd appreciate it if
> you could critique the method by which I'm learning.
>
> I've purchased a pocket morse code tutor (MFJ-418). I'm using it
> to learn the characters using the Koch Method. The characters
> are sent at 18wpm. The overall speed is 8wpm. I find that
> anything much faster than 8wpm tends to fluster me, and my
> accuracy suffers. This is particularly true when I'm writing
> down the characters -- but it's true to a significant extent
> when I'm doing it all in my head, too.
>
> My plan is to learn all the characters, then gradually
> (practice, practice, practice) build from 8wpm, to 9wmp, to
> 10wpm, and so on up to about 15wpm. Then take my 13wpm code
> test, hopefully sometime this summer. I tried learning the
> characters at 15wpm (sent at 18wpm, but 15wpm overall speed),
> thinking that this would enable me to progress more quickly,
> but like I said it just seems to be a bit too fast for me to
> handle.
>

One of the things that also worked for me was, finding out how the test was given. If you are taking your test at a testing facility, that

is associated with the ARRL, the 5, 13, and 20 WPM tests are given with 20 WPM character speed. At the slower speeds, 5 and 13 WPM, this gives you lots of time between characters for you mind to convert the sounds.

The other thing you need to know is that you don't need to have solid copy, to pass. After the test is given, you are given a set of 10 multiple choice questions to answer. You only have to get 7 correct to pass. Even if you miss some characters, you can still ace the test. If you get more than three wrong, then they look for one minute of solid copy. For the 5 WPM test you only need 25 characters in a row correct, and pro-signs count as 2 characters. For the 13 WPM test you would need 65 characters in a row.

Being able to copy 2 to 3 WPM faster, than the test requires, allows for the nervousness factor.

> I'm copying random code groups right now. I'm really looking
> forward to having learned all the characters, so that I can
> start copying actual words and made-up QSO's. They've got to
> be more interesting than "pseudo-words" like "KMMKKKM".
>

Randon code groups was good for me because it helped me stop anticipating the next character and allowed me to concentrate on the sounds of the characters. The groups should also be random in size, so you are not anticipating the break between the groups.

Also, I would recommend learning all of the characters, at the slower word rate, before trying to increase your word speed. (I think the Koch method works just the opposite of this.) Then, when you are able to copy 90% at a particular word speed, increase the word speed by one or two WPM. I found that I had to keep pushing myself to learn the sound of the characters rather than concentrating of how many dots and dashes I was hearing. Some of the characters, at first, are difficult to seperate, like U, V, and 4, but after a while, they distinguish themselves from each other. There will also be one or two characters that continue to give you trouble. For me it's the letter Z. I don't have trouble with G or 7, but Z drives me crazy.

> I work at this about 5 days per week. Usually 2 or 3 sessions
> of 20 minutes each. More than 20 or 25 minutes, and my
> concentration seems to suffer. (Maybe this will change once I
> can do QSO's, instead of meaningless groups of those few
> characters I currently know.)
>

With most people, a session, more than 15 or 20 minutes, is a waste of time. I'm one of them. I practice for no more than 15 minutes every day and only when I am most alert, which for me is in the mornings. That's also when I did my testing. I found a testing site that gave the tests in the morning.

It has also help me to be on the air. I work 90% CW on 40 and 15 Meters, so this helps me get in a little more practice. If you can just get your Novice license, time on the air will help reduce the nervousness factor that you will have during the test.

> I'm making steady progress, and really think that my goal of
> taking and passing the 13wpm exam sometime this summer is
> realistic. (I could probably pass the 5wpm exam much sooner,
> but 13wpm is what I'm really after.) Any comments on my
> method of learning morse would be appreciated.
>

My last recomendation would be to get yourself a copy of Morse Academy. I tried a lot of other code programs, but this was the one I liked the best. I found that most of the code programs had some kind of problem working under various operating systems and hardware configurations, so I created a bootable floppy, with only a basic DOS system, and just Morse Academy. Since most of the code programs were written to work from DOS, this worked out great. I can carry the floppy around and plug it into any computer, and it works great.

The biggest advantage that I found, with Morse Academy, is that it has the ability to generate sample code tests, for Novice, General, and Extra (the G option). These sample tests are exactly what you are going to hear, when you are sitting at the testing facility. I only used the G and the K options, with Morse Academy, and completly skipped the learn section, because it required keyboard feedback. I didn't want to add another level of translation. I figure, I already know how to write. But, try it, it might be good for you.

Well, I've rambled on long enough. Good luck. I'll be listening for you on 40 and 15 Meters. Even though I upgraded to Advanced, I still hang out in the Novice bands. Go figure.

Martin

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Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS
Engineer, Program/Project Specialist
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory. Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

268. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708cc6f.18110074@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146486
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

WOW! I would want this brought out and dealt with, whether I was
LEFT, RIGHT or in between!

HOW can they get away with covering something like this up
for almost SIX YEARS??

Are Americans SO DUMB that they let these people get away with
everything? Even murdering scores of people domestically?

I won't get into the claims about what RELIGION those people
were. That has nothing to do with it.

Seems like if government is not held accountable for this, we will
soon all be living in a terribly capricious, fascist police state.

On Sun, 04 Apr 1999 23:08:12 -0700, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>Hawke wrote:
>> I asked ylou in private, now I ask you in piblic;
>> where is your documentation?
>>
>> your statemens in public (and in priivate) either make you
>> appear to be paranoid, r an enemy terrorist.
>
>>From the display of illiteracy shown above, do you really
>expect us to believe that you can read evidence? I repeat
>the offer, but I am quickly running short of patience. You
>must specify the document. If not, we will all know that your
>tantrum is that and nothing else. Either specify the document
>or expose yourself as a deliberately ignorant whiner.
>
>Returning to the original point of this thread at:
>http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>
>FCC JAMS HAMS,
>the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
>engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
>a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.
>
>The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
>purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
>with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
>purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV

>broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
>station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
>Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
>emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
>As a result, appoximately 100 people died.
>
>FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
>Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
>allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
>Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
>website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
>FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
>Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
>that I have figured out what the nature and content
>of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
>verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
>that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
>point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
>have two of the documents, and stand ready to
>publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
>country, and post them from a safe place.
>
>Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
>FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
>documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
>FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
>purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
>described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
>pertaining to such classification at the time of
>classification.
>
>Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
>Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
>Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
>criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
>criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
>Force engaged in Communications Act violations.
>
>Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
>tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
>Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
>reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
>What decent person would be a member of such
>a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
>moral integrity demands you quit.
>--
>George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
>geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>----------

>Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)
>

269. VKE Digital Voice Keyer upgrade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stu Olson <solson@usa.net>
Message-ID: <7eakf4$f6v$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146487

VKE was updated yesterday and posted on my website for downloading. With Field Day coming upon us, be sure to grab and copy of VoiceKeyExpress. Let VKE call "CQ FielddDay" while you save your voice for doing more important things, like asking someone to bring you another cold one, etc.

If you have any questions about VKE, check out my website, and/or drop direct e-mail to me. (You can e-mail me directly from my website too.)

73 and good luck on Field Day

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Stu Olson N7QJP
http://home.earthlink.net/~n7qjp

270. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708d72d.20860897@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146488
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hey George,

I think you DO have something to say here, but we can't HEAR you for the VOLUME and INTENSITY of your OBNOXIOUSNESS!

If you could CALM DOWN and take that CORN COB out, we would LISTEN to what you have produced about WACO and the FCC / FBI law-breaking that may have occurred.

Trouble is, you are being RUDE!

You are not following the advice of your own religion's founders, one of whom told YOU to:

"SPEAK THE TRUTH IN LOVE."

When you speak the truth without any love, you are doing no better than the "devils" which believe and tremble."

Get a clue, bud!

SET VENOM=0
SET TRUTH=10
SET CHILL=10

Cedric

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 08:07:27 GMT, JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:

>George Zimmerlee wrote:
>
>> Well, my travel agent has repeated informed me that there
>> are nations, principalities, protectorates, territories
>> and some countries, but there are no COUNRTIES. Go back to
>> school and learn to spell, you illiterate DIPWAD.
>>
>> I am here because I have work to do here. That work is to
>> restore liberty to a bunch of ignorant, backward, willfully
>> stupid, God-hating vermin who wouldn't know freedom if it
>> bit them on the ass.
>>
>> I have read the Book of the Revelations, I know how this
>> episode of life ends, and your side loses. Really, how
>> could your side win? You can't even spell.
>>
>> I know that I will be accused of casting pearls before
>> swine...but I leave you with some wisdom. If you use

>> it, you could rise above verminhood to become a man.
>>
>> To transform the world, we must
>> begin with ourselves; and what is
>> important in beginning with our-
>> selves is the intention. The intention
>> must be to understand ourselves and
>> not to leave it to others to transform
>> themselves... This is our responsibility,
>> yours and mine; because, however
>> small may be the world we live in, if
>> we can bring about a radically different
>> point of view in our daily existence,
>> then perhaps we shall affect the world
>> at large."
>> -- J. Krishnamurti, "Self Knowledge,"
>> in The First and Last Freedom
>> --
>> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
>> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>> --
>> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
>> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
>> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
>> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)
>
>What a dumb-ass, like I said, go somewhere else, their lose will be our
>gain.

271. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <3708D9E9.AC38DE9B@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no violation of amateur rules. I wish someone would point out specifically what rules they are in violation of since they make no mention of advertizing the Swatch company but rather transmitting messages from readers of thier site. As long as these messages contain no profanity they are no different than any other 3rd party traffic.

Has anyone from the Queen Mary radio club ever described the boat? Since the Queen Mary is a commercial enterprize and they make space available for the radio club they are in essence sponsoring the club, is it in violation for an operator to talk about the ship and how much fun it might be to visit? Thus providing advertizing to a world wide audience over HF.�� This senario exists with many other corporate sponsered clubs, so why is so different for the Swatch Company? Note: Their site makes no mention of Swatch Advertising being transmitted from the satellite.

Tim ka8ddz

Cedric wrote:

> Sponsoring???
>
> Next thing you know Burger King will be putting ads on every ham's 75m
> SSB transmission, like a roger beep at the end of every transmission!
>
> We have about as much use for your COMMERCIALS ON THE HAM BANDS idea, as a
> FISH has use for a BICYCLE!!
>
> Mike, we can soon kiss amateur radio goodbye if you, Swatch and the
> Russian Pirates get your way!

272. Re: *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <%t5O2.362$qe1.684@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146490

On 5 Apr 1999 08:57:26 GMT jhulet@aol.com (JHulet) wrote:

> I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to
> modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First,

you have to be caerful because diodes can be dangeroius sometimes.
Make sure you have youerself fully grounded with soem of those
grounding strapps and then only touch diodes with one hand at a tiem.
Avalanche brakedown diodes can be realy nasty so use a diode tool.

> what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this tool?

it must be small and sharp on the ends and cut like sissors.

> What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of using a
> fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the diode?

if the diode goes into avalanche brakedown it cud be nasty for you.
Instead, power off everything and use some diagonal cutters to clip out
the diodes. you can clip just one end in case you want to resolder
later.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

273. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708e194.23524335@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:42:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no
>violation of amateur rules. I wish someone would point out specifically what
>rules they are in violation of since they make no mention of advertizing the
>Swatch company but rather transmitting messages from readers of thier site.
>As long as these messages contain no profanity they are no different than
>any other 3rd party traffic.

DUH!!

The following rules are planned to be violated:

No one-way transmissions.

No unlicensed operation.

No commercial advertising in the amateur bands.

Need I go on?

The President of AMSAT-France says you are DEAD WRONG,
so I suggest you go argue with him.

He can give you better answers than I can.

Also, the SPECIFIC RULE NUMBERS that will be violated are posted out
there on web pages I have cited if you want to read them...

I didn't post them. I will tell you who DID: Some of the MANY
THOUSANDS of amateurs who are outraged by this plan to STEAL our
amateur band for commercial purposes!

Deal with it!!

From:

http://perens.com/Articles/Swatch.html

How SWATCH Violates The Law® -

International Radio Regulations
Article 1 - Terms and Definitions
Section 3.34 Amateur Service:
A radiocommunication service for the purpose of self-training,
intercommunication and technical investigations carried out by
amateurs, that is, by duly authorized persons interested in radio
technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest.

Article 32: Amateur Service and Amateur-Satellite Service
Section I. Amateur Service
(2) It is absolutely forbidden for amateur stations to be used for transmitting international communications on behalf of thrid parties.
(3) The preceding provisions may be modified by special arrangements between the adminstrations of the countries involved.

U.S. Amateur Regulations
(This rule also appears in most nation's individual laws concerning Amateur Radio)
Section 97.113 Prohibited transmissions
97.113 (a) No amateur station shall transmit any communication the purpose of which is to facilitate the business or commercial affairs of any party.....
...
(c) No station shall transmit communications in order to engage in any form of broadcasting...

Would you do business with a corporation that knowingly and outrageous promotes violations of international and national laws?

http://www.hamradio-online.com/1999/apr/swatch2.html
= = =

Also, Tim:

See:
http://wmbc.umbc.edu/rob/swatch-protest/

= = =

If it is such an innocent and LEGAL thing for Swatch to break the International Law, with the help of RUssian Pirates, all of which you defend, then why is the French AMSAT President so concerned about this??

Please answer that after you read this letter:

This is a letter from AMSAT-France President Bernard Pidoux, F6BVP to the other AMSAT organizations detailing the situation with the new satellite.

Letter from Bernard Pidoux regarding Beatnik

Dear AMSAT colleagues,

AMSAT-Russia, with the help of SCSC (Space Flight Control Centre) in Moscow has contacted AMSAT-France in December 1998 for the design and manufacture of an RF module and electronic PCBs similar to the ones used on board RS-17 and RS-18 satellites. By contract we agreed that AMSAT-Russia was in charge of building the satellite frame, integrating the VHF and electronic modules into the frame and choosing and implementing the messages to be sent by the satellite. The contract signed by Vladimir Solovyev (SCSC) and Gerard Auvray F6FAO (AMSAT France) specifically mentionned under paragraph 8.2 that "the

voice messages and HTML pages transmitted by the satellite should comply with the international amateur rules. No direct advertising can be made on the air".

Soon after the contract had been signed, we discovered through the technical discussions we had with SCSC that they had made a separate commercial contract with the Swatch company in Switzerland. This company wanted to call the satellite "Beatnick" and to send voice and HTML messages about Internet Beat time. We said to SCSC that these message contents were not compliant with amateur radio ITU regulations. Oleg Volkov replied that they took all the responsibilities and that we could not cancel the contract with them or they would suit us.

Thus AMSAT-France was obliged to deliver the electronic modules with the software for CPU. The EPROM program comprized test messages and the ESD circuit was filled with pre recorded test voice messages by AMSAT France. Acceptance certificate of the work was signed by SCSC and Gerard Auvray. We received a copy of the voice message recorded by SCSC and we still think that they are not acceptable. The name of the satellite itself, "beatnik", indicates the identity of the sponsor. Some voice messages refers to the BEAT, a registered trade mark by Swatch. Thus we suggest that no AMSAT organization should describe the contents of the message or encourage listening to this non amateur compliant satellite using our amateur band. Furthermore we ask that keplerian elements of this satellite should not be published in the AMSAT keps bulletins. The batteries capacity of the satellite is however limited and the expected lifetime is 30 days.

I would like to tell you that AMSAT France is very sorry for this bad situation and hopes that you will understand that we did not want to achieve this. We had good relationship with the former team under the management of Viktor Kourilov, of the Astronautical Federation of Russia who was responsible of RS-17 and 18 projects and we did not realize the risks of contracting with a new one.

The character of the present satellite lead us to cancel our educational project. Formerly AMSAT-France has been deeply involved in the RS-17 and RS-18 projects, including technical support and flight model manufacture. With the help of French schools AMSAT-France is now developing his educational amateur satellite project.

I apologize for the trouble this project could make to the amateur satellite community and hope that you will help us to limit its impacts.

Best regards,
Bernard Pidoux, f6bvp

President AMSAT France
http://www.ccr.jussieu.fr/physio/amsat-france/
Homepage http://www.ccr.jussieu.fr/physio/f6bvp/

274. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3708DB75.490AA5F8@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146492

I just passed the 20 wpm this weekend. The method I used was a bit
different, but it worked for me.
I started with 18wpm character speed and 13 wpm overall speed from day
one.

BUT BUT BUT !!!
First when you have to learn the characters you will practice like EISH5
for a day, and then TMO0 for the next day
and so on, until you are familiar with the characters. Then I started to
include all characters, at this "high" speed, but I only send 2 - 3 groups
of 5 characters each time. That way I still had time to "think" when I
missed a character. After a few days I started to get almost 100% on these
3 groups, and I then increased number of groups slowly. After 3 weeks I
was copying 20 groups of 5 close to 100%, so now was the time to include
the numbers and comma, poeriod and slant bar, and it was like starting
over again. A lot of missed, because I now had to think again everytime I
received one of the new characters. But after another week I could copy
almost 100 % again, except for number 3-4-7-8, they stille give me a hard
time. Well now I felt ready for the examn, but I had one week left before
the exam, so for the last week I tried to work at 20wpm, and it's fast,
very fast. 18wpm is ok, but the last 2wpm are difficult. But after passing
13wpm, I gave 20wpm a shot, and passed, and I'm sure you can do the same.

If you want to use the program I used, you can get it from my homepage.
Its a '95 program using your soundcard.
its at www.qsl.net/oz1kto

Good Luck

vy 73
Jesper

>

> Why not get yourself to the 5wpm so you can get the plus ticket first?
> That way, you can practice 'on the air' for the faster speeds.
>
> Kevin J. Margalis <gr349@cleveland.Freenet.Edu> wrote in message
> news:7e7blu$id1$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu...
> >
> > I've recently begun learning morse code. I'd appreciate it if
> > you could critique the method by which I'm learning.
> >
> > I've purchased a pocket morse code tutor (MFJ-418). I'm using it
> > to learn the characters using the Koch Method. The characters
> > are sent at 18wpm. The overall speed is 8wpm. I find that

> > anything much faster than 8wpm tends to fluster me, and my
> > accuracy suffers. This is particularly true when I'm writing
> > down the characters -- but it's true to a significant extent
> > when I'm doing it all in my head, too.

275. Re: How much is a Yaesu FT-707 with tuner worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708e72f.24959769@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146493

On Sun, 04 Apr 1999 23:19:58 GMT, (CRT) wrote:

>All is in great shape. How much is it worth? Thanks.

Look it up on the Boneyard Bluebook!
Do a web search fo rit.

276. Re: Page Translator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <7eapco$6m7$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 146494

Sounds like Esperanto, The International Language, is being forgotten again!
Ho Ve!
Bil
W7WKM

In a previous article, helmsman@mindspring.com () says:

>Don't you just hate it when you go to a new ham page and you can't
>read it?
>
>The page says you must be using IE5. Or you can translate simple text
>at the same page.
>The page below has an AVPOWERTOOL for IE5.
>http://babelfish.altavista.digital.com/cgi-bin/translate
>If you put this on your IE5 Toolbar and trigger it,
>it translates the web page you are viewing to one of
>five languages including of course English.
>Kind of nifty and also FREE!
>I don't work for them, and it works GREAT on my machine.
>Have a good day!
>==================================
>http://www.mindspring.com/~helmsman
> KG8PM
>
--
Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

277. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <225862548464944NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>
Source record: 146495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 16:24:19 GMT, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

> No one-way transmissions.

Hmmmm... the last Sputnik did nothing but one way broadcasts, was this illegal?!? When FO-29 is in digitalker mode, it does one way broadcasts, is this illegal? What am I missing here?

73 Jeff W4JEF

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27	Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept
200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA
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278. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708e7cb.25115518@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:42:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no
>violation of amateur rules.

By the way, Tim: Just because YOU can't see something, does NOT mean
that it isn't there! (grin)

Cedric

279. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Irv Finkleman <finkirv@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <3708ECFC.A9F5F44E@cadvision.com>
Source record: 146497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Never had any "gummy residue" problems with WD-40.

Irv

Mike Monett wrote:

> Irv Finkleman wrote:
> >
> > WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
> > Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.
> > Irv VE6BP
>
> [...]
>
> Good Stuff! I find it works wonders on pots also.
>
> Some people have mentioned a conern about gummy residue buildup.
>
> Have you noticed any problems, or had units returned later because of
> WD-40?
>
> Best Regards,
>
> Michael R. Monett,
> Automated Production Test
> mailto:add@csolve.net

280. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <3708F074.B031BF9C@netdoor.com>
Source record: 146498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

The cleaner from radio shack is pretty good #64-4315 or the other one
64-4320. I can't see that one is any better than the other. the 64-4320
costs a dollar more.

Butch KF5DE

CommQuart wrote:

> Caig brand DeOxit.
> Pricey, but small can goes long way.
>
> Ron Harshbarger wrote in message ...
> >What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The
> >actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
> >would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...
> >
> >73
> >Ron H. K3PID
> >
> >

281. Pendleton (OR) Hamfest?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Dubner <dubner@comtch.iea.com>
Message-ID: <923334813.429.100@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146499

Anyone know anything about the Pendleton (Oregon) Hamfest this year?
Seems that it was about this time last year but the ARRL Hamfest
Calendar web page shows nothing scheduled.

73,
Joe, K7JD

Joe Dubner K7JD | P.O. Box 98 | dubner@iea.COM
| Liberty Lake, WA 99019 | +1 509 255-1102

(ASCII only please; no HTML/binary E-mail)

282. Kenwood TH-79...what gives?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: perkins@nome.net
Message-ID: <7eb0qo$6h3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146500

Six months ago, Kenwood jerked the then TH-79 Dual Band Handheld from the market. (or liquidated the stock of them; could buy a high power version for $278 from Amateur Radio Supply). I thought a new dual-bander was coming. Now, they have released the TH-79 AKSS....which appears to be the same radio..?? But what is with the $479 price? A hundred bucks more than a FT-51R? I don't think so! Can any of you Kenwood fans tell me what one gets for all this cash besides a very expensive HT?

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283. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708fbb7.30215870@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 16:46:30 GMT, Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote:

>On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 16:24:19 GMT, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:
>
>> No one-way transmissions.
>
>Hmmmm... the last Sputnik did nothing but one way broadcasts, was this
>illegal?!? When FO-29 is in digitalker mode, it does one way broadcasts, is
>this illegal? What am I missing here?

Apparently you want to close your eyes to all the rules violations
that are clearly detailed for you on the web pages I cited.

Apparently you think the French President of AMSAT is apologizing
for nothing when he points out how the Russian Pirates duped him into
helping with this illegal operation.

Apparently, you just don't care which commercial interests take over
2m band for 30 days at a time.

Well, enjoy the loss of your band!!

284. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3708fc7f.30416257@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>illegal?!? When FO-29 is in digitalker mode, it does one way broadcasts, is
>this illegal? What am I missing here?
>
>73 Jeff W4JEF

Jeff, you are missing the fact that the original SPUTNIK was not an
AMATEUR RADIO STATION!

Is that obvious enough for everyone?

285. Heathkit IO-4560 Schematic Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: datapro1626@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eb3o1$96h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146503

Looking for some help with an old Heathkit IO-4560 oscilloscope. I used to be a design engineer at good ol' Heathkit back in the 70's, and as such, I was recruited by my kid's science class to fix their ailing Heathkit scope. It is a model IO-4560. I don't have a schematic or a book as they bought it second hand. The problems seems to be at the low level input to the horizontal amplifiers. The drivers seem to be ok, as the dot will center when I disconnect the input to the amps.

Any help would be greatly appreciated. I only really need the schematic not the whole book.

Thanks and Regards
Don Peterson
Data Professionals
Don@D8aPro.com
925-426-8170

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286. Amateur Radio Spectrum Protection Act of 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3708F03D.172C45AA@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

ARRL Bulletin, 6 March 1999
HR 783 is to protect existing Amateur Radio spectrum against
reallocations to or sharing with other services unless the FCC provides
an equivalent replacement elsewhere in the radio spectrum.

To read the bulletin on the Ham Radio Online site the link is
http://hamradio-online.com/1999/mar/spectrum.html
I have wrote my state's congressmen asking them to support this bill,
and if your worried about losing ground in the 50MHz+ area you should
write your congressmen also!
--

"73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
<'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
email me at kb9tmp<AT>yahoo.com
on the web at http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
or http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/

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287. Heathkit IO-4560 Schematic Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: datapro1626@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eb466$9m2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146505

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288. Re: *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7eb4c0$9o3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146506

In article <19990405045726.17318.00002762@ng122.aol.com>,
jhulet@aol.com (JHulet) wrote:
> Hello,
>
> I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to
> modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First,
> what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this
tool?
> What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of using
a
> fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the
diode?
>
> Is seems that so many modifications out there today require the removal of
> diodes that I am considering learning the trade...
>
> Thanks again for any light you can shed on the subject...
>
> Jason S. Hulet
> W1WOW
>

Assuming you are refering to a non surface mount pc board...purchase
yourself some "solder wick". Preferably NOT the radio shack version. On
the solder side of the PCB place the solder wick (which looks like small
shield of coax cable), and then place the tip of the low power soldering
iron on top of it. With the solder joint under the solder wick. The wick
will "suck out" the solder and leave a nearly clean hole. Wiggle the part
to be removed and it will break away from the solder. Do this on both ends.
You may need to use a small screwdriver and slip it under the diode and
pressure it upward to remove it.

Dan/W4NTI

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289. Re: Elmer: Building EMP-proof transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7eb4uu$a94$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146507

In article <923298783.125.67@news.remarQ.com>,
"Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
> Dear Elmer:
>
> I am looking to build or acquire a transceiver with a strong likelihood
> of surviving EMP from a distant air-burst nuclear device. I'm not
> certain of my motivations in wanting to do so. I attribute these wild
> ideas to the little voice that has guided me through troubled times
> past. Whether I actually hear the voice or not is something I will share
> outside of therapy. Allow it to suffice that this is the same voice that
> drove me to brush up on my CW skills very recently.
>
> Are kits or designs available that do not make use of IC's? I am led to
> believe that tubes and discreet devices are not as susceptible to damage
> from EMP. Are there web resources that discuss EMP, and communications
> equipment that can survive in this environment? What effect can I expect
> a nuclear detonation to have the airwaves?
>
> I realize a public query of this nature will bring more than its share
> of crackpot responses. However, I am counting on the
> emergency-preparedness minded to help point a direction to start
> searching.
>
> Thanks.
>
> Michael.
>
>
If you can provide a "hardened site" i.e. something underground that will
block most if not all of the EMP then you should be able to use nearly any
equipment. Or get a rig and secure it underground and inside a metal box
and use it only when needed.

Yes tube equipment is considerably safer than modern solid state devices.
Of course this will require a source of 110v ac.

Dan/W4NTI

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290. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <37090F57.43089D45@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cedric wrote:

> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:42:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no
> >violation of amateur rules.
>
> By the way, Tim: Just because YOU can't see something, does NOT mean
> that it isn't there! (grin)
>
> Cedric

Well there is no question about that Cedric, I guess I was really looking for someone to point out what the violation was, since non-amateurs sending a message over an Amateur Satellite would be no different than Boy Scouts greeting each other during a Jamboree, or someone passing a message over a traffic net, and the fact that Swatch has made no mention of advertisements being transmitted. I just read another thread from the Russians and it looks like the whole things off anyway...

Tim ka8ddz

291. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Thompson <sdotctho@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <vL8O2.8791$fb4.10566@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 146509
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Escape and Evasion training facility pretty common at Basic Training
installations (like Fort Dix).
There was one at Lewis many years ago when I took Basic there (1967).

At Fort Benning, we had a whole company of men who would play
"Agressors" in training for the Infantry School courses (Ranger, OCS,
NCOC). They had their own insignia, uniforms, flags, camps . . .

As far as the Towers . . . real security watch-towers aren't slapped
together out of plywood and 1x8's.

And the portable "jails" look like parts of pre-fabricated building of
some sort. Why would all that head space extend beyond the "bars?"

As Buffalo Springfield said

"paranoia it strikes deep . . ."

Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West wrote in message <370883D8.2FE2@olywa.net>...
>Can someone explain this?
>
>http://www.eagleflt.com/PRIS1.JPG
>
>http://www.newswatchmagazine.org/powpict/home.htm
>
>Fort Dix (allegedly)
>
>--
>Mr. & Mrs. Tate-West www.olywa.net/angels
>Expert PC Repair angels@olywa.net
>Legal Transcription Fax: (360) 923-2105
>Live & Recorded Music Olympia, Washington

292. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7eb5d5$1bq$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 146510
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

My goodness, you have conversations with God!
We are duly impressed. Now, take you meds and
go to bed.

>Had God wanted me to carry out His work elsewhere, I would
>have been born elsewhere. Either live with it, or take your
>bellyaching to God and see what respect you get from Him.
>--
>George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
>geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>--
>Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)
>

293. Who's the control station? ;^)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bis Wichy <wichy@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <923342572.904.13@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

hmmm.... not to mention there are a number of non hams sending
comments....Wonder who the station control is ? If there is one?

- WD0HCO -

294. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7eb6k8$8vh$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 146512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Aa Peavy dealer told me the factory receives
quite a few damaged mixers that have had the WD40
treatment. I am not familiar with the type of slide pots used by
Peavy, but apparently WD40 will damage them.

Peter

BOB URZ wrote in message <3708E894.C62E6DA7@inetnebr.com>...
>Wow, some one must own stock in WD 40! In the Pro audio world, the caig
>cramolin r5/d5 is defiantly the way to go. I would not get caught dead
>spraying
>WD 40 in an expensive mixing board. Leaves too much residue. I have seen
>boards with "customer repaired" using WD 40 with puddles of goo inside. A
>good
>cleaner should clean and preserve.

295. Wanted: Pre-recorded 7" r2r tapes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Holcombe <n5zdf@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <%k9O2.467$727.1360@axe.netdoor.com>
Source record: 146513

Using a very fine 7" r2r here in ham shack to record off the air QSO's. Sure would like to acquire some good music tapes. Let me know what you have. Thanx muchly.

Gene

296. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: stereodoc1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990405165945.21601.00003789@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 146514

With most sliders, cleaners usually wash away the lubricate in the slider and make the slider stiff and sticky. They never work the same. I usually just replace the sliders.

As far as cleaners go, the Cramolin system is the best way to go, similar to the Caig cleaning system. It's a 3 step operation. There is the deoxidizer, the wash, and the preservative. All three are sprays. Caig used to use Cramolin as their main cleaning formulation but they have since changed their formulation to this DeOxIt stuff which is not the true Cramolin. I get my Cramolin from a place called JLI Electronics. You get 400ml for around $10.00, twice the amount compared to Caig which is 200ml for around $8.00.

bw

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>Aa Peavy dealer told me the factory receives
>quite a few damaged mixers that have had the WD40
>treatment. I am not familiar with the type of slide pots used by
>Peavy, but apparently WD40 will damage them.
>
>

297. Re: More on Swatch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <peerenbf@dma.org>
Message-ID: <IL9O2.45$3h2.11482@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What about third party traffic??? No control station??? Non-amateur message content??? Commercial content????

On a "Sputnik" amateur satellite???? I would also suggest that no ham give any parties any reports on heard signals either. Ignore the little bird. It will only live so long. Further, support no more birds by anybody else that try to pull this crap.

--
Fred

ke8tq@qsl.net
http://www.qsl.net/ke8tq
Cedric wrote in message <3708c1fc.15435213@news.earthlink.net>...
>See also:
>http://perens.com/Articles/Swatch.html
>
>>Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz
>>
>>URGENT!! Pass the word around on this one!
>>
>>See: http://rob.carlson.org/swatch-protest
>
>

298. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37092A1B.CB34B43E@erols.com>
Source record: 146516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

WD40 *is not* an electronic cleaner and should not be used on electronic or electrical equipment. You might get away with it but why would you want to try when there are perfectly good contact cleaners available? In addition, WD40 is flammable and *could* cause a fire if you use it around contacts that may arc. My son-in-law ruined a good alternator by spraying WD40 on the armature trying to lubricate the bearings.

CommQuart wrote:

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> treatment. I am not familiar with the type of slide pots used by
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> >good
> >cleaner should clean and preserve.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <3709293A.F6FCCEDE@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146517
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This may be for argument sake only as other threads have shown this may not happen anyway. But I disagree with your interpretations of some of the articles in Part 97 that you refer to.

Cedric wrote:

> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:42:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no
> >violation of amateur rules. I wish someone would point out specifically what
> >rules they are in violation of since they make no mention of advertizing the
> >Swatch company but rather transmitting messages from readers of thier site.
> >As long as these messages contain no profanity they are no different than
> >any other 3rd party traffic.
>
> DUH!!
>
> The following rules are planned to be violated:
>
> No one-way transmissions.

DUH, I better get my 6m beacon off the air before I lose my license... Try again.
P.S□ the last bird that AMSAT-F put up with the Russians a voice beacon, that's a one way transmission big guy.

> No unlicensed operation.

DUH, who said it was unlicenced?

> No commercial advertising in the amateur bands.

DUH, Where has Swatch indicated that there would be advertising on the amateur bands? They have only indicated that messages would be transmitted, they even suggest greetings to friends and relatives.

> □
> Need I go on?

Well you can if you want, but so far you haven't said anything relative to the issue and unless you've been having conversations with AMSAT-R you can't possibly know if operation will be under an amateur call or not and unless your talking to the marketing department of Swatch would have no first hand knowledge of whether advertisments were planned to be transmitted. Your mistaken completly about 1 way transmissions so that leaves you with a page full of nothing.
□

> The President of AMSAT-France says you are DEAD WRONG,
> so I suggest you go argue with him.

Hmm when did he say that?

> He can give you better answers than I can.

Let's not over state the obvious

> Also, the SPECIFIC RULE NUMBERS that will be violated are posted out
> there on web pages I have cited if you want to read them...
>
> I didn't post them. I will tell you who DID: Some of the MANY
> THOUSANDS of amateurs who are outraged by this plan to STEAL our
> amateur band for commercial purposes!

> &#65533;
> How SWATCH Violates The Law&#65533; -
>
> International Radio Regulations
> Article 1 - Terms and Definitions
> Section 3.34 Amateur Service:
> A radiocommunication service for the purpose of self-training,
> intercommunication and technical investigations carried out by
> amateurs, that is, by duly authorized persons interested in radio
> technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest.

If the messages transmitted from the satellite are identified with an amateur call and have no advertisments for the Swatch company then the above does not apply. Simply by Identifying the satellite as "Beatnik" or "The Swatch Beatnik Satellite" is not illegal, I've heard many corporate amature clubs identify as "This is the (insert corporate name here) amateur radio repeater" W8QQQ etc. If this were illegal it seems to me it would have been dealt with by now, but it's not, so it hasn't :)

> &#65533;
> Article 32: Amateur Service and Amateur-Satellite Service
> Section I. Amateur Service
> (2) It is absolutely forbidden for amateur stations to be used for
> transmitting international communications on behalf of thrid parties.
> (3) The preceding provisions may be modified by special arrangements
> between the adminstrations of the countries involved.

If this is true then you'd better call your buddy at AMSAT France and tell him,
G&#65533;rard Auvray, F6FAO, AMSAT
France engineering vice president's daughter recorded a message on the last
Sputnik, I never saw her call sign mentioned anywhere so perhaps she was a third
party?

> U.S. Amateur Regulations
> (This rule also appears in most nation's individual laws concerning
> Amateur Radio)
> Section 97.113 Prohibited transmissions

> 97.113 (a) No amateur station shall transmit any communication the
> purpose of which is to facilitate the business or commercial affairs
> of any party.....

Transmitting messages from individuals saying hello to friends and relatives is
not business or a commerical affair and that IS what Swatch was/is soliciting.
Let's not forget that the Boy Scout Jamboree goes on the air every year, Boy
Scouts discuss thier rank and Boy Scout related items over the air, and the Boy
Scouts ARE a commercial enterprise and not a non-profit organization.

> .
> (c) No station shall transmit communications in order to engage in any
> form of broadcasting...

You need to go read Part 97 and learn about the provisions for beacons, which are
of course 1 way transmissions exactly the same transmitted on the last
satellite, I suppose since the message on the last bird was recorded by a cute
French girl nobody seemed to mind.

> Would you do business with a corporation that knowingly and outrageous
> promotes violations of international and national laws?

So far you haven't shown that they intend to break any.

>
> If it is such an innocent and LEGAL thing for Swatch to break the
> International Law, with the help of RUssian Pirates, all of which you
> defend, then why is the French AMSAT President so concerned about
> this??
>
> Please answer that after you read this letter:

I'll be happy to, my comments are imbeded in the letter below.

> edit for brevity
>
> Thus AMSAT-France was obliged to deliver the electronic modules with
> the software for CPU. The EPROM program comprized test messages and
> the ESD circuit was filled with pre recorded test voice messages by
> AMSAT France. Acceptance certificate of the work was signed by SCSC
> and Gerard Auvray. We received a copy of the voice message recorded by
> SCSC and we still think that they are not acceptable. The name of the
> satellite itself, "beatnik", indicates the identity of the sponsor.

There are radio clubs on the campuses of corporatons all over the United States,
Since many of these identify themselves with a club name including the
corporation e.g the "Goodyear Amateur Radio Club*" does this not identify the
name of the sponsor?
Sure seems like it to me. If the Goodyear club came into some money and put up
thier own bird do you think they might call it the Goodyear Amateur Satellite?
Huh? Do ya think?
* for example only, it's a fine club.

> **>** **>** **>**

300. Re: where do I find 5wp CW to listen/learn on HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf6pjm@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990405174115.21675.00002008@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 146518

Dear Clark, I don't know, but if you find out, let me know. I too am studying for 5wpm exam. E-mail address: KF6PJM@AOL.COM. Thanks and good luck. Yvonne.

301. Re: where do I find 5wp CW to listen/learn on HF?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <37093D90.167EB0E7@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 146519

KF6PJM wrote:
>
> Dear Clark, I don't know, but if you find out, let me know.
> I too am studying for 5wpm exam. E-mail address: KF6PJM@AOL.COM.
> Thanks and good luck. Yvonne.

Right off the top you might try W1AW. The schedule can be gotten from "http://www.arrl.org/w1aw.html". It operates on 1.818, 3.5815, 7.0475, 14.0475, 18.0975, 21.0675, 28.0675 and 147.555 MHz.

There is also a W6 or K6 station that runs continuous code practice on 7.095 MHz, approximately. Their signal is almost always 20 over S9 at my QTH. I think it sends at 5, 10, 15, and 20 WPM in rotation.

Other than that, just tune around the novice portions of the bands and start copying.

Martin

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I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory. Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

302. Re: Diamond Monster 3DFX Card for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: NYLIFUN <nylifun@aol.com>
Message-ID: <LzbO2.838$BZ6.2661160@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 146520
Cross-posted to:
alt.ads.forsale.computers,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

No such thing as a 16MB Diamond Monster card. Sorry, try to get your racts
straight before you spam about your web site.

Alex Wolf wrote in message ...
>I sell em for $125 just go to my website and drop me an email mentioning
you
>saw this ad. Thats the 16MB version
>
>Alex Wolf
>Internet Solutions Worldwide
>http://isww.virtualave.net
>crusader <coco.pj@videotron.ca> wrote in message
>news:s2DM2.3982$hv4.4411@weber.videotron.net...
>> Try the Future shop at 150.00 can. funds
>> Crusader
>>
>>
>>
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>

303. Need help looking for a good dual band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Max and/or Cindy <cindymax@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <370946D3.3A3C@prodigy.net>
Source record: 146521

There are too many model numbers for me to learn about. I'd just like a good, used dual bander that can do cross-band repeating and has a removeable faceplate. Also, how much should I pay for it. Is there a place on the web where you can type in a model number and it'll tell you what features it has? Thanks,
- Max, K2MSG

304. OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-013

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <C%RN2.4946$o5.10399@news020.image.dk>
Source record: 146604
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-013 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

305. Re: Free code programs for mac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: tlillis@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <tlillis-0404991858290001@ip34.pascagoula3.ms.pub-ip.psi.net>
Source record: 146605

thank you very much

ben

In article <3707870E.4556@ix.netcom.com>, ac6v@ix.netcom.com wrote:

> Benaiah wrote:
> >
> > I want to learn copy code is there a Program to Practice cw on the
Macintosh?
> > if so where do I get it?
> > ben
> -----
> Hi Ben -- good luck with learning the Morse Code. You will find lots of
> programs for MAC CW practice at URL:
> http://www.ac6v.com/pageap.html#MAC
>
> Click on each clickable -- then search each for the type of program you
> want.
>
>
> --
> 73 From Rod In San Diego
> ----
> AC6V INDEX TO DX AND HAM RADIO
> FEATURING 88 PAGES, 400 INDEXED TOPICS, AND 3000 LINKS
> Over 330,000 visits on the counter
> http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
> http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

306. Re: Are sunspots dangerouis to pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7e9347$c1e$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 146606

This is total bull^$% of coarse. Such a flare has never happened and would never happen. But you mentioned "clairvoyants", and Art Bell so everyone knows already how much nonsense this is! No solar scientist would say what you've claimed.

73,
Tom

In article <37080456.6EC5173E@ix.netcom.com>, David Feustel
<feustel@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>There are scientists who now say that solar flares occasionally occur that
>are so large that they can kill almost all life on the planet.
>Such a flare (i.e. a flare that ejects so much plasma that it will actually
>hit the ground) has been predicted for earth in July.
>What makes this interesting is that several 'clairvoyants'
>with verifiably good track records have independently predicted
>planet-wide catastrophes occuring within 3 days of each other this summer.
>See Art Bell's website
>
>Robert Casey wrote:
>>
>> In article <19990401021601.29248.00000574@ng-fz1.aol.com> bcolenso@aol.com
> (BColenso) writes:
>> >>Scentists on tv are showing the sun with its big S spots and sayeing
>> >>that all kinds of hard radiaion coems out of them when they become sun
>> >>spots. They brake sattlites and mess up radios and I wonder if the
>> >>slower flares could hit us on the ground? There are pple in my trailer
>> >>park who are scared of that stuff and I thought I woud ask the experts.
>> >==============================
>> >
>> No need to worry about it. What gets thru the Earth's magnetosphere gets
>> stopped by the Earth's upper atmosphere. Life has long since evolved to
>> not be bothered by what does get to the surface over millions of years.
>> The Sun has been belching out this crap for billions of years.
>
>--
>David Feustel
>Fort Wayne, Indiana
>219-483-1857
>
>Wacha gonna du wen de cum 4 u
>
>http://www.geocities.com/Area51/Realm/9485/index.html#camps

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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

307. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990404222435.29257.00002423@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 146607

>From: gr349@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Kevin J. Margalis)
>Date: Sun, Apr 4, 1999 05:33 EDT
>Message-id: <7e7blu$id1$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
>
>
>I've recently begun learning morse code.
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GOOD FOR YOU, KEVIN. Keep up the good work. It sounds like you have a good grip on it right now.

Different methods work for different people. I like your method of several short sessions each day. The first couple days, 1 and 2 character letters, then 3 characters, then 4.

W1AW code practice is a good place to practice once you have all of the letters and numbers down (and some punctuation). They have slow and fast code, slow code consists of 5, 7 1/2, 10, 13, and 15 WPM, fast code is 10, 13, 15, 20, 25, 30, and 35 WPM. So you get 10, 13, and 15 WPM three times a day. See ARRL's site for more info.

And please, feel free to ask any questions at all. The only stupid question is the one you didn't ask.

Bob
KD8WU

308. GAP Titan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: candoandys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990404223124.00866.00002371@ng136.aol.com>
Source record: 146608

I have had my Titan roof mounted for over one year - great results. Well built antenna with simplicity. Andy, K6RYN

309. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Solarpower1watt@Juno.com
Message-ID: <9TVN2.5027$8Y3.423223@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 146609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

>>
>> WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
>> Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.

For the life of me, I don't see how anyone can have good results CLEANING switch contacts with a petroleum based lubricant. LUBRICANT is used to lubricate.... that is, it leaves a slick deposit to reduce friction of parts that tend to rub together and protect parts from air and oxidation. CLEANing solutions are designed to clean contacts; that is, remove all dirt and residue from surfaces. This is just the opposite of a lubricant. You can't have both unless you use extremely expensive conductive grease type materials. WD 40 is not a good conductor. I would not want to coat small fine switch contacts with this material.

Off-the-shelf TV tuner cleaner would be about the most easily obtainable cleaner you might find.

Personally, I have found in 30 years radio maintenance that the most reliable fix for an intermittent switch or pot is to replace it. Digikey is a good source for both.

Ed WB6SAT

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "watt" from my return address.
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310. Re: FS: Kenwood TS820S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffco-nospam@hevanet.com
Message-ID: <37081fdf.2435458@news.hevanet.com>
Source record: 146610
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

It might be helpful to post your true e-mail addr if you would like to
actually sell something.

On Wed, 31 Mar 1999 23:35:46 GMT, "Bobby" <someone@somedomain.com>
wrote:

>Near mint 160-10 Meter transceiver with digital display, CW filter,
>operator and service manuals. Very low hours...it still has the original
>final tubes. No problems, a few documented reversable mods added from
>Kenwood and QST hints and kinks. Two BNC connectors added on back to allow
>external reciever. Asking $350. Local pickup in the Detroit MI area
>preferred. I am the second owner (non smoker) and have had it since early
>eighties.
>Bob
>KB8TL

311. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Wenzel <wenzel@wenzel.com>
Message-ID: <37084481.740C@wenzel.com>
Source record: 146611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

I agree! Except stick with TriFlow. The contents have a much lower vapor pressure and the fix lasts for years. It is miraculous on pots, too. I suspect the antioxidants help. If you want a surprise, try it on motor brushes! I expected a burnt mess but the sparks disappear and the motor speeds up. I haven't seen any long-term downside yet - and I spray that stuff everywhere. :)

John Miles wrote:
>
> You might be surprised. Things like WD40 and TriFlow aren't conductors
> themselves, but they unquestiionably do aid in making good electrical
> contact. I had to convince myself of this -- I sprayed a deep puddle of
> TriFlow (which is basically WD40 with Teflon) on a piece of copper-clad
> board, then lightly brushed a single strand of #40 AWG (or something
> very close to it) through the puddle. An audible continuity tester
> showed the connection quality to be excellent -- the wire made much
> better, and more consistent, contact with the board surface underneath
> the pool of TriFlow than in a similar test where the wire and board were
> both left dry. I guessed the Teflon residue would interfere with
> conduction once the hydrocarbon carrier dried up, but that turned out
> not to be the case either.
>
> That's not to say there isn't better stuff out there, but both
> experiment and experience suggest that WD40 is unjustly maligned. For
> pots, yes, you usually have to replace them in the end. But for dirty
> wafer switches and such, there doesn't seem to be any real advantage to
> the more expensive stuff, as long as you're sure the WD40 won't attack
> any nearby components.
>
> The distinction between a cleaner and a lubricant is not an important
> one in this case. Something that reduces the friction between two
> surfaces will also tend to get rid of unwanted particulates between
> them.

312. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7e9gln$mj6@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146612
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Give 'em a bath in denatured alcohol or acetone. Do so in an open area.

313. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <DB6DF8F21B0D26BC.DA1B910DD5B30778.97AC12438FC67989@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146613
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West wrote:
> > Hanging is really to good for Clinton NAZIS.
>
> Don't take it personal, but isn't that a little exessive?

If it was not excessive at Nuremberg, then how is it excessive now? I understand that we cannot release prisoners who have done the same things that the Clinton NAZIS have done, even though the Clinton NAZIS are not punished. I suppose that to make justice fair and uniform we must find a way to unhang the Hitler's henchmen. Since this is impossible, I think you might be able to see a need for a uniform application of justice.

This places a burden of maturity and responsibility upon us, just as was placed upon the jury at Nuremberg. While no one looks with joy at this task, some things must be done in the defense of humanity against such genocidal monsters.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

314. Fourth Biannual Elmers Directory Mass-Ack In Progress

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pschleck@novia.net
Message-ID: <3TXN2.11788$mv3.771810@newscene.newscene.com>
Source record: 146614

Last month, I began the fourth biannual mass-acknowledgement and accuracy check of my Amateur Radio Elmers Resource Directory. As part of this check, I sent E-mail to every Elmer on my list at their last known address(es) asking them to reply to me and note any changes to their entries. Most change requests from respondents have been processed and may be viewed in "Amateur Radio: Changes to Elmers Resource Directory." Because of time constraints, not all changes have yet been posted (in particular, not all new HTML registration forms received to date have been applied). I hope to get these done by early summer at the latest.

The following Elmers did not reply (by the posting time of this message) and will be deleted from the directory sometime early this summer:

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If anyone has any information on Elmers whose mail has bounced (or who haven't responded), please write me at elmers-request@novia.net (the default Reply-To: of this message).

I'd like to thank those that did respond right away for their replies and continued assistance in keeping the list accurate and up-to-date (as well as a lot of positive and informative feedback about use of the list by the readership). As a result, the list will remain a usable net resource for some time to come.

(Apologies to disinterested parties. This will be my last post on the subject for at least another 2 years.)

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73, Paul W. Schleck, K3FU
pschleck@novia.net

Maintainer, Amateur Radio Elmers Resource Directory
http://www.novia.net/~pschleck/elmers/

315. Swatch Company to Spam Hams via Satellite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Perens <bruce@perens.com>
Message-ID: <3708593C.8D313A6A@perens.com>
Source record: 146615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: bruce.vcf

A Swatch promotion this month will broadcast commercial messages in the
satellite portion of the two-meter Amateur band.
This is, unfortunately, not an April Fool's joke. Please read
http://perens.com/Articles/Swatch.html , and tell your friends.

Thanks

Bruce Perens K6BP

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

316. Elmer: Building EMP-proof transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <923298783.125.67@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146616

Dear Elmer:

I am looking to build or acquire a transceiver with a strong likelihood of surviving EMP from a distant air-burst nuclear device. I'm not certain of my motivations in wanting to do so. I attribute these wild ideas to the little voice that has guided me through troubled times past. Whether I actually hear the voice or not is something I will share outside of therapy. Allow it to suffice that this is the same voice that drove me to brush up on my CW skills very recently.

Are kits or designs available that do not make use of IC's? I am led to believe that tubes and discreet devices are not as susceptible to damage from EMP. Are there web resources that discuss EMP, and communications equipment that can survive in this environment? What effect can I expect a nuclear detonation to have the airwaves?

I realize a public query of this nature will bring more than its share of crackpot responses. However, I am counting on the emergency-preparedness minded to help point a direction to start searching.

Thanks.

Michael.

317. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <37086160.293C@no.net>
Source record: 146617
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> Well, my travel agent has repeated informed me that there
> are nations, principalities, protectorates, territories
> and some countries, but there are no COUNRTIES. Go back to
> school and learn to spell, you illiterate DIPWAD.
>
> I am here because I have work to do here. That work is to
> restore liberty to a bunch of ignorant, backward, willfully
> stupid, God-hating vermin who wouldn't know freedom if it
> bit them on the ass.
>
> I have read the Book of the Revelations, I know how this
> episode of life ends, and your side loses. Really, how
> could your side win? You can't even spell.
>
> I know that I will be accused of casting pearls before
> swine...but I leave you with some wisdom. If you use
> it, you could rise above verminhood to become a man.
>
> To transform the world, we must
> begin with ourselves; and what is
> important in beginning with our-
> selves is the intention. The intention
> must be to understand ourselves and
> not to leave it to others to transform
> themselves... This is our responsibility,
> yours and mine; because, however
> small may be the world we live in, if
> we can bring about a radically different
> point of view in our daily existence,
> then perhaps we shall affect the world
> at large."
> -- J. Krishnamurti, "Self Knowledge,"
> in The First and Last Freedom
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> --
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

What a dumb-ass, like I said, go somewhere else, their lose will be our gain.

318. Re: Diamond Monster 3DFX Card for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex Wolf <swsun@flash.net>
Message-ID: <wL_N2.58$tz2.291@news.flash.net>
Source record: 146618
Cross-posted to:
alt.ads.forsale.computers,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I sell em for $125 just go to my website and drop me an email mentioning you
saw this ad. Thats the 16MB version

Alex Wolf
Internet Solutions Worldwide
http://isww.virtualave.net
crusader <coco.pj@videotron.ca> wrote in message
news:s2DM2.3982$hv4.4411@weber.videotron.net...
> Try the Future shop at 150.00 can. funds
> Crusader
>
>
>

319. NEW Amateur Radio Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: skbenjamin@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990405044603.04958.00001658@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 146619

DX Communications Network
http://www.qsl.net/ke6rmp

320. *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jhulet@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990405045726.17318.00002762@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 146620

Hello,

I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First, what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this tool? What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of using a fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the diode?

Is seems that so many modifications out there today require the removal of diodes that I am considering learning the trade...

Thanks again for any light you can shed on the subject...

Jason S. Hulet
W1WOW

321. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370883D8.2FE2@olywa.net>
Source record: 146621
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Can someone explain this?

http://www.eagleflt.com/PRIS1.JPG

http://www.newswatchmagazine.org/powpict/home.htm

Fort Dix (allegedly)

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Mr. & Mrs. Tate-West www.olywa.net/angels
Expert PC Repair angels@olywa.net
Legal Transcription Fax: (360) 923-2105
Live & Recorded Music Olympia, Washington

322. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <4294957857254844273 1NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>
Source record: 146322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 18:10:46 GMT, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (4-1000) wrote:

> Jeff, you are missing the fact that the original SPUTNIK was not an
> AMATEUR RADIO STATION!

Hmmm..... if it wasn't commercial/professional, it must have been
hobbyist/amateur. It was built by Amsat France wasn't it?

73 Jeff

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27	Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept
200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA
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323. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hans K0HB <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7eda8a$2vj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146323
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

geozim@atlcom.net wrote:

> Even though I am not an American citizen, I am a Christian
> and I was born here and I am extended the same rights as
> those who are American citizens, here defined as those
> disloyal to the country and her people, while supporting
> every criminal action the the FASCIST bastards carry out
> against Christians. If the crap fits, wear it.
>
> Had God wanted me to carry out His work elsewhere, I would
> have been born elsewhere. Either live with it, or take your
> bellyaching to God and see what respect you get from Him.
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

This guy is depriving a village somewhere else of their quota of idiots!

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

324. Re: *** How do you remove

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <GjqO2.907$qe1.1748@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146324

On Tue, 6 Apr 1999 01:12:45 -0500 "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> Why not simply take the wire-cutters to it?... Snip it as near to the
> pc-board as possible on both ends.

Dan is a very through guy. when he adds air to his tiers, he takes the
wheels off his car first.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

325. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <8pqO2.909$qe1.1694@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146325

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:03:56 -0600 Irv Finkleman
<finkirv@cadvision.com> wrote:
> Never had any "gummy residue" problems with WD-40.

most pple think it is a fine sexul aid, just as you have fouend out.

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326. Re: FOR SALE: GILFER-MODIFIED JRC NRD-535 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <FtqO2.911$qe1.1903@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146326

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 10:44:41 -0700 Don Putnick
<dputnick@alumni.caltech.edu> wrote:
> X-No-Archive: Yes
>
> For Sale: Gilfer-modified JRC NRD-535 receiver:

why wud anyone think that just because some golfer modefied soemthing
it is any good? that is kind of silly.

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327. Re: PLC Threatening Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <byqO2.916$qe1.1719@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146327

On Tue, 6 Apr 1999 14:59:23 +0200 "DTC" <dtc@muenster.de> wrote:
> PLC, e.g. the planned use of domestic power lines to carry high speed
> digital data, is the latest of a series of threats to HF amateur radio
> communications.

yes but that is in germaney. we doent care what happens in germaney.

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328. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <WDqO2.919$qe1.1913@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146328

On 4 Apr 99 13:15:03 GMT bfomsd@starmedia.com wrote:
> Do you believe in REINCARNATION?

yes.

> Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?

no. on account of I already know. I used to be a redneck in north
georgia, us of a.

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329. Re: Telegraphers Paralysis?? info pse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <_JqO2.923$qe1.1951@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146329

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 00:20:17 -0700 "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org> wrote:
> Any old-timers that can expound on the dreaded "Telegraphers Paralysis"?
> Is it something like Carpal Tunnel Syndrome? I wouldn't want to injure
> myself trying to carry on the finest tradition in communication.

I think it is real. Peewee Herman used to claim he had it til pple
found out different.

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330. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370A3847.2B14@olywa.net>
Source record: 146330
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> SET VENOM=0
> SET TRUTH=10
> SET CHILL=10

Huh-huh...

SET QUOTE=1

Heh-heh...

-Chuck

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Mr. & Mrs. Tate-West www.olywa.net/angels
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Live & Recorded Music Olympia, Washington
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331. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7edilc$a4s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

In article <7e9083$fit@chronicle.concentric.net>,
"CitySlicker" <mannod@concentric.net> wrote:
> This thread would be better on a Ham NG so please take it there.

The below messages were posted in: rec.radio.amateur.policy WHICH IS A HAM NG....I DON"T KNOW WHERE THE CITY SLICKER IS COMING FROM...IF HE IS A CBer AND wants no part of Ham Radio and he only wants to read CB postings ...WELLLL EXCUSE ME. Bob Wex w2ilp (I License People)

>
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
> <7e83c8$q4v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> :In article <7dgjji$cf2$1@usenet46.supernews.com>,
> : ImNOT@home.now.net (I hate CB) wrote:
> :>
> :> This will keep CBers and other stupid people out of the ham bands and
> require
> :> more studying for a license. If we had had the 90% passing rule a long
> time
> :> ago then we wouldn't have any stupid people on the ARRL board of
> directors
> :> today.
> :> SEE BELOW..
> :> The two year non-renewable no-code license sounds like a great idea too!
> :I'll buy that.
> :> Save CW, Tell the ARRL to KISS OFF!
> :
> :As a mugwump on the subject I say - You can save CW for TRADITION or kiss
> it
> :off but you should make more comprehensive theory exams for TECHNOLOGY. I
> am
> :an ARRL member. I do not blindly follow all of the ARRL leaders
> :concepts...but I do know that Hams need the ARRL just as the ARRL needs
> hams.
> :
> :I must say that I agree that the above concept of 100% pass would be a step
> :in the right direction and as such it is not IMHO a bad idea. HOWEVER I do
> :not believe that it is enough to make future Hams much better qualified
> than
> :at present. If we continue to use fixed Q & A exams we will still have
> :applicants who can score 100% and not have the slightest idea of the
> meanings
> :of any of the questions or their answers. We will still have many who
> :believe that an answer is the correct choice only because it was the

> correct
> :answer in the Q & A pool book. Another important point IMHO is that we need
> :more classes.... that is Ham license classes... so that sequential exams
> can
> :be given with time between them for serious progressive study.
> Communication
> :technology can not be learned with only four exams or less...I suggest at
> :least eight. A final point that I must make here is that the content of the
> :exams and the level of the technology must be brought up to modern
> standards.
> : We can not just test for the current ham modes and technologies but should
>
> :test for the knowledge that you can expect of a Ham who is prepared to be a
> :modern day experimenter especially for the highest class Ham tickets. This
> :means that many of the people who now get involved in generating the Ham
> :exams may not be qualified themselves and we need to get more up dated
> people
> :involved. We need people who are at the level of understand Shannon and
> :information theory, for example, to write the questions or at least to
> decide
> :what types of questions are now important in the real world of electronic
> :communication. PLEASE keep thinking, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Hams
> :need more license classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (Idiots Logically Pass?) -- .-
> :-..- .. -- ---------- Sexy
> :girls will always pass tests when the professors remark on
> curves. --w2ilp--
> :
> :-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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332. RFI problem - false alarm with smoke detectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John - WB5NUA <johnwunder@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7edkd6$bl8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146332

I have two photoelectric smoke detectors that are part of a monitored alarm system. I have determined that they are not RFI proof (not FCC part 15 either). They go into false alarm with 350 Watts on 20 meters (antenna is beam at 50 feet). I tested them temporarily on 9 volt battery power (not wired to system) and they still trigger at about 350 watts. Has anyone found solution for this? Are there any FCC part 15 detectors for monitored systems? I have contacted the manufacturer (ESL, Sentrol) and they are looking into this. They also make Ion Detector type units, that they believe are less sensitive to RF. I appreciate any info on your experience in this area. 73's -John/WB5NUA

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333. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bert Douglas <bertdNOSPAM@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <83sO2.3027$c57.998403@news2.mia>
Source record: 146333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Don't use WD-40 on anything that is high impedance. It conducts. I once sprayed it in the guts of a marine SSB transceiver and it killed the unit. I had to bake it for days in low-temp oven before it worked again.

Irv Finkleman wrote in message <37081C2C.D2EBD0C4@cadvision.com>...
>WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
>Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.
> Irv VE6BP
>
>Ron Harshbarger wrote:
>
>> What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The
>> actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
>> would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...
>>
>> 73
>> Ron H. K3PID
>

334. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370a4aaa.1553299@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Disagree with Part 97 all you want!

The authorities feel otherwise.

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 17:20:58 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>This may be for argument sake only as other threads have shown this may not
>happen anyway. But I disagree with your interpretations of some of the articles
>in Part 97 that you refer to.
>
>Cedric wrote:
>
>> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:42:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>>
>> >After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no
>> >violation of amateur rules. I wish someone would point out specifically what
>> >rules they are in violation of since they make no mention of advertizing the
>> >Swatch company but rather transmitting messages from readers of thier site.
>> >As long as these messages contain no profanity they are no different than
>> >any other 3rd party traffic.
>>
>> DUH!!
>>
>> The following rules are planned to be violated:
>>
>> No one-way transmissions.
>
>DUH, I better get my 6m beacon off the air before I lose my license... Try again.
>P.S the last bird that AMSAT-F put up with the Russians a voice beacon, that's a
>one way transmission big guy.
>
>> No unlicensed operation.
>
>DUH, who said it was unlicenced?
>
>> No commercial advertising in the amateur bands.
>
>DUH, Where has Swatch indicated that there would be advertising on the amateur
>bands? They have only indicated that messages would be transmitted, they even
>suggest greetings to friends and relatives.
>
>>
>> Need I go on?

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>Well you can if you want, but so far you haven't said anything relative to the
>issue and unless you've been having conversations with AMSAT-R you can't possibly
>know if operation will be under an amateur call or not and unless your talking to
>the marketing department of Swatch would have no first hand knowledge of whether
>advertisments were planned to be transmitted. Your mistaken completly about 1 way
>transmissions so that leaves you with a page full of nothing.
>
>
>> The President of AMSAT-France says you are DEAD WRONG,
>> so I suggest you go argue with him.
>
>Hmm when did he say that?
>
>> He can give you better answers than I can.
>
>Let's not over state the obvious
>
>> Also, the SPECIFIC RULE NUMBERS that will be violated are posted out
>> there on web pages I have cited if you want to read them...
>>
>> I didn't post them. I will tell you who DID: Some of the MANY
>> THOUSANDS of amateurs who are outraged by this plan to STEAL our
>> amateur band for commercial purposes!
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>> How SWATCH Violates The Law -
>>
>> International Radio Regulations
>> Article 1 - Terms and Definitions
>> Section 3.34 Amateur Service:
>> A radiocommunication service for the purpose of self-training,
>> intercommunication and technical investigations carried out by
>> amateurs, that is, by duly authorized persons interested in radio
>> technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest.
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>apply. Simply by Identifying the satellite as "Beatnik" or "The Swatch Beatnik
>Satellite" is not illegal, I've heard many corporate amature clubs identify as
>"This is the (insert corporate name here) amateur radio repeater" W8QQQ etc. If
>this were illegal it seems to me it would have been dealt with by now, but it's
>not, so it hasn't :)
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>> Article 32: Amateur Service and Amateur-Satellite Service
>> Section I. Amateur Service
>> (2) It is absolutely forbidden for amateur stations to be used for
>> transmitting international communications on behalf of thrid parties.

>> (3) The preceding provisions may be modified by special arrangements
>> between the adminstrations of the countries involved.
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>G�rard Auvray, F6FAO, AMSAT
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>Sputnik, I never saw her call sign mentioned anywhere so perhaps she was a third
>party?
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>> (This rule also appears in most nation's individual laws concerning
>> Amateur Radio)
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>> 97.113 (a) No amateur station shall transmit any communication the
>> purpose of which is to facilitate the business or commercial affairs
>> of any party.....
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>Transmitting messages from individuals saying hello to friends and relatives is
>not business or a commerical affair and that IS what Swatch was/is soliciting.
>Let's not forget that the Boy Scout Jamboree goes on the air every year, Boy
>Scouts discuss thier rank and Boy Scout related items over the air, and the Boy
>Scouts ARE a commercial enterprise and not a non-profit organization.
>
>> .
>> (c) No station shall transmit communications in order to engage in any
>> form of broadcasting...
>
>You need to go read Part 97 and learn about the provisions for beacons, which are
>of course 1 way transmissions exactly the same transmitted on the last
>satellite, I suppose since the message on the last bird was recorded by a cute
>French girl nobody seemed to mind.
>
>> Would you do business with a corporation that knowingly and outrageous
>> promotes violations of international and national laws?
>
>So far you haven't shown that they intend to break any.
>
>>
>> If it is such an innocent and LEGAL thing for Swatch to break the
>> International Law, with the help of RUssian Pirates, all of which you
>> defend, then why is the French AMSAT President so concerned about
>> this??
>>
>> Please answer that after you read this letter:
>
>I'll be happy to, my comments are imbeded in the letter below.
>
>> edit for brevity
>>

>> Thus AMSAT-France was obliged to deliver the electronic modules with
>> the software for CPU. The EPROM program comprized test messages and
>> the ESD circuit was filled with pre recorded test voice messages by
>> AMSAT France. Acceptance certificate of the work was signed by SCSC
>> and Gerard Auvray. We received a copy of the voice message recorded by
>> SCSC and we still think that they are not acceptable. The name of the
>> satellite itself, "beatnik", indicates the identity of the sponsor.
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>Since many of these identify themselves with a club name including the
>corporation e.g the "Goodyear Amateur Radio Club*" does this not identify the
>name of the sponsor?
>Sure seems like it to me. If the Goodyear club came into some money and put up
>thier own bird do you think they might call it the Goodyear Amateur Satellite?
>Huh? Do ya think?
>* for example only, it's a fine club.
>
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>> Some voice messages refers to the BEAT, a registered trade mark by
>> Swatch.
>
>So if an amateur? is on the Goodyear Club repeater and mentions how good the
>"Goodyear All Weather 100" series tires are, he is in essence advertising for the
>company on a company sponsored repeater. If we apply this rule to 2m repeater
>operations it would certainly change what could be said over the air don't you
>think? No more usage of trade mark names on the air? har har
>
>> Thus we suggest that no AMSAT organization should describe the
>> contents of the message or encourage listening to this non amateur
>> compliant satellite using our amateur band.
>
>Why do we not want anyone to know the contents of the messages?
>This seems to me to be the crux of the entire arugument sheesh... yea, let's keep
>everyone in the dark.
>
>> Furthermore we ask that
>> keplerian elements of this satellite should not be published in the
>> AMSAT keps bulletins.
>
>Brilliant, that will really stick it too em. Are they planning to sabatage the
>Swatch Website? It already has an online tracker.
>
>My dimes worth,
>
>Tim ka8ddz
>

335. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370a505c.3011250@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.antennas

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 15:30:31 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

Well there is no question about that Cedric, I guess I was really
looking for
someone to point out what the violation was, since non-amateurs
sending a
message over an Amateur Satellite would be no different than Boy
Scouts
greeting each other during a Jamboree,

Get a clue! The Scouts have a CONTROL operator there!
That operator is a LICENSED amateur. Please stop using repetition and
circular logic to try to buttress your flawed position!

That is NOT exactly like when a non-amateur puts a voice beacon on the
air and EVERY MESSAGE contains the Company (unlicensed remember, Tim!)
SAYING it's company name, on OUR amateur airwaves all over the globe
in violation of national and international rules.

You REALLY should begin THINKING about this one instead of
rationalizing away these acts of piracy from your comfortable spot in
the land that let off O.J and Bill!

You wouldn't recognize the violations in this, if they walked up to
you on the street and slapped you!

BTW - Swatch will have their check in the mail to you pronto!

336. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370a4ad9.1600303@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146336
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.antennas,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tim, I happen to think that you are wrong on most of this. I hope you
won't be offended by my rebuttal, but rather that you would THINK
about what I am saying more.

Try to think beyond having another knee-jerk reaction as you read this
one!

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 17:20:58 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>> No unlicensed operation.
>
>DUH, who said it was unlicenced?

Who said that it was? OK then, "little guy", what is the CALLSIGN of
the operation ??

>> No commercial advertising in the amateur bands.

>DUH, Where has Swatch indicated that there would be advertising on the amateur
>bands? They have only indicated that messages would be transmitted, they even
>suggest greetings to friends and relatives.

By unlicensed operators with no control operator in violation of
International law.

>> Need I go on?

>Well you can if you want,

Thank you, then I will. I obviously need to since you aren't getting
it! (grin!)

>but so far you haven't said anything relative to the
>issue

Assinine remark! WHICH issue WAS I talking about then?

>and unless you've been having conversations with AMSAT-R you can't possibly
>know if operation will be under an amateur call or not and unless your talking to
>the marketing department of Swatch would have no first hand knowledge of whether
>advertisments were planned to be transmitted. Your mistaken completly about 1 way
>transmissions so that leaves you with a page full of nothing.

Of course, the President of Amsat France is apolgizing for a page full
of nothing.

Your immature, combative attitude reveals just how unsure you are
about the whole thing!

>> The President of AMSAT-France says you are DEAD WRONG,
>> so I suggest you go argue with him.
>
>Hmm when did he say that?

FOR THE THIRD TIME, TIMMY, *GO READ* his letter!!

We have supplied the URL to you three times now. That sshould be
enough to get anyone who is awake to go do so!

>> Also, the SPECIFIC RULE NUMBERS that will be violated are posted out
>> there on web pages I have cited if you want to read them...
>>
>> I didn't post them. I will tell you who DID: Some of the MANY
>> THOUSANDS of amateurs who are outraged by this plan to STEAL our
>> amateur band for commercial purposes!
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>> amateurs, that is, by duly authorized persons interested in radio
>> technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest.
>
>If the messages transmitted from the satellite are identified with an amateur
>call and have no advertisments for the Swatch company then the above does not
>apply.

But of course you are ASSUMING this to be the case, even though they
have plainly stated their intention to have their trademark named
verbally & audibly in every message!

Non-commercil? FEH!!

> Simply by Identifying the satellite as "Beatnik" or "The Swatch Beatnik
>Satellite" is not illegal,

Ha! In your not-so-humble opinion maybe.

But Tim, YOUR OPINION to the contrary will not invalidate
international laws!

Most countries do NOT allow a product name to be NAMED OVER THE AIR on
the amateur bands, including all European countries.

You are defending something like your life depends on it and you don't
have a CLUE what you are talking about!

>I've heard many corporate amature clubs identify as

AMAT-E-U-R, Tim!!

An ARMATURE is part of an electric motor!!!

>"This is the (insert corporate name here) amateur radio repeater" W8QQQ etc. If
>this were illegal it seems to me it would have been dealt with by now, but it's
>not, so it hasn't :)

If you could park this pirate satellite over AMerica that would be OK<
I suppose.

But even if you COULD, that is NOT what it will say!

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>G�rard Auvray, F6FAO, AMSAT

Funny, but Tim, I don't see the word EXCEPT after that sentence at
all!!

(2) It is absolutely forbidden for amateur stations to be used for
transmitting international communications on behalf of thrid parties.
PERIOD!

>France engineering vice president's daughter recorded a message on the last
>Sputnik, I never saw her call sign mentioned anywhere so perhaps she was a third
>party?

Didn't your mother ever tell you this basic rule of life, Tim:

"TWO WRONGS DO NOT MAKE A RIGHT!"

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>> Amateur Radio)
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>> of any party.....

And that IS the whole point of this exercise.

>Transmitting messages from individuals saying hello to friends and relatives is
>not business or a commerical affair and that IS what Swatch was/is soliciting.

With their Trade Mark name included, yes.

>Let's not forget that the Boy Scout Jamboree goes on the air every year, Boy
>Scouts discuss thier rank and Boy Scout related items over the air, and the Boy
>Scouts ARE a commercial enterprise and not a non-profit organization.

Poor comparison, between a social service organization and a business.

>> (c) No station shall transmit communications in order to engage in any
>> form of broadcasting...

And there it is again! They break ALL these rules and TIm says it is
OK! Ah well, Tim. ANything goes, and it WILL if you get your way in
this one!

>You need to go read Part 97 and learn about the provisions for beacons,

It is NOT a beacon though, so again, you are TOTALLY barking up the
wrong tree.

A rule that allows tricycles, does not get used to justify the use of
motorcycles, hence, you are blowing smoke once agian just like all the
rest of your crap arguments in this matter!

How much is Swatch paying you, "little guy?"

>which are
>of course 1 way transmissions exactly the same transmitted on the last
>satellite, I suppose since the message on the last bird was recorded by a cute
>French girl nobody seemed to mind.

Funny, but irrelevant comment.

>> Would you do business with a corporation that knowingly and outrageous
>> promotes violations of international and national laws?
>
>So far you haven't shown that they intend to break any.

Bollocks! Pure bollocks Tim, and if you had half a brain (even one
tied behind your back) that still wouldn't make this fair for you!

>> If it is such an innocent and LEGAL thing for Swatch to break the
>> International Law, with the help of RUssian Pirates, all of which you
>> defend, then why is the French AMSAT President so concerned about
>> this??

>> Please answer that after you read this letter:
>
>I'll be happy to, my comments are imbeded in the letter below.

Your comments so far have been absurd drivel, and poorly reasoned so I
will expect nothing any better in the rest of this diatribe!

>> edit for brevity
>>
>> Thus AMSAT-France was obliged to deliver the electronic modules with
>> the software for CPU. The EPROM program comprized test messages and
>> the ESD circuit was filled with pre recorded test voice messages by

>> AMSAT France. Acceptance certificate of the work was signed by SCSC
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>corporation e.g the "Goodyear Amateur Radio Club*" does this not identify the
>name of the sponsor?
>Sure seems like it to me. If the Goodyear club came into some money and put up
>thier own bird do you think they might call it the Goodyear Amateur Satellite?
>Huh? Do ya think?

Obviously you only think one way, and it is a waste of time trying to
get you to think beyond the ALmighty Dollar that you love and the
selling out of Amateur Radio that you are helping to promote.

>* for example only, it's a fine club.
>
>> Some voice messages refers to the BEAT, a registered trade mark by
>> Swatch.
>
>So if an amateur is on the Goodyear Club repeater and mentions how good the
>"Goodyear All Weather 100" series tires are, he is in essence advertising for the
>company on a company sponsored repeater.

Correct. In most countries that is a violation of the law, for which
they would be prosecuted. Again, you want to force American values (or
lack thereof) on other countries.

Well, this is done insensitively in many other spheres of life,
especially in Asia, so I am not surprised to see someone advocate it
in the arena of Amateur Radio too. You think you own the planet, but
you don't!

>If we apply this rule to 2m repeater
>operations it would certainly change what could be said over the air don't you
>think? No more usage of trade mark names on the air? har har

Again, your parochial thinking prevents you from seeing beyond your
short-sighted vision of a world whose borders end at the AMERICAN
coastline!

>> Thus we suggest that no AMSAT organization should describe the
>> contents of the message or encourage listening to this non amateur
>> compliant satellite using our amateur band.
>
>Why do we not want anyone to know the contents of the messages?

Do we have to wear oit out to drum the reasoning into you Tim?
No, I suspect you are too dense to ever get it.

At least I CAN understand your reasoning evcen if I disagree with it.

You indicate that you can't grasp what Cedric or anyone else who
expresses concerns about this matter has said at all!

>This seems to me to be the crux of the entire arugument sheesh... yea, let's keep
>everyone in the dark.

Ha ha ha ha ha! Yeah, TIm! S-U-R-E! Tim, yeah, THAT is the crux!
What a dimwit comment!

>> Furthermore we ask that
>> keplerian elements of this satellite should not be published in the
>> AMSAT keps bulletins.
>
>Brilliant, that will really stick it too em. Are they planning to sabatage the
>Swatch Website? It already has an online tracker.

No, it is the PIRATES like SWATCH and the RUssians (amnd maybe you)who
think of such devious plots! NOT the decent people who express concern
about piracy.

Your time will come I expect. Hollingsworth may be looking for you
already for all we know.

Apparently, if it's illegal, Tim is for it!

>My dimes worth,
>
>Tim ka8ddz

Or maybe 1.5 cents anyway!

Be well, Tim ,and I hope you are not too offended by my well-reasoned
remarks about all of this.

You really should go do something else. This is obviously not even
beginning to dawn on you yet!

337. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370a529b.3585912@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 15:30:31 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

Anyway Tim, get a clue. The whole thing is an April fool joke!

338. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370a5251.3511998@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 14:56:09 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:

>Don't forget those illegal six and ten meter beacons, that illegal beacon system
>on 14.100 sponsored by those guys in California, and all those repeater ID'ers
>that are illegally broadcasting callsigns all the time..... Oh, and don't
>forget all those packet stations sending beacons, those are illegal too....

What an INCREDIBLY ignorant statement.

HOW did you get a license when you can't even tell the difference
between chalk and cheese?

339. Re: Can radio waeves hurt pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: phoenix@uhrad.com
Message-ID: <7edna6ear1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146339

In article <IKIN2.773$qT.1179@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> If cell phones might caues brain cancer on account of the radiation,
> what abouet ham radio or cb radio sets? Ham walke talkies have lots
> moer power than a cell phone and I wonder do hams get cancer moer than
> the rest of pple? It is a worry to me and thank you.

There has never been anything concrete that cell phones cause brain damage. There was a study done several years ago that hams had a higher incidence of cancer but the study was statistically flawed because the amateur population has a tendency to be older and older people are statisically higher to get cancer. There as never been shown a increase in cancer rates by people that work with HF VHF and UHF on a regular basis (AM, FM radio engineers, TV engineers, radio installers etc.) These people work with it alot more than the casual amount ham radio operators do.

Joe Molter N8IDA

I certainly would not worry if you follow the basic guidelines for RF by the FCC. The frequencies that you need to worry about are those in the microwave range and then if you stand in front of your antenna.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

340. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joel Jacobs <jacobsj@netzero.net>
Message-ID: <5%sO2.1656$XY4.166878@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 146340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Ron Harshbarger wrote in message ...
>What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The
>actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
>would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...
>
>73
>Ron H. K3PID
>
>
Most switch contacts are self cleaning if they switch enough current - the arc cleans them. However, sometimes when used in a very low current application they do get oxidized. I've had good luck by removing the switch from the circuit and putting it across a CURRENT LIMITED supply set at about an amp. Exercise the switch a few times - you'd be supprised how well it works.

Joel

341. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa4gz0@qsl.net
Message-ID: <370a5a14.5499929@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Amazing, now I see messages on the Swatch comments site claiming that it is all an April fool hoax. From someone named Tim(!) but maybe these are phoney? ButtheFrench guy also said it is a "poisson Avril!" What is that? April Poison?

Maybe that is French for April Fool!

I also see a bulletin is out now on the web saying -

Just in! In this memo from AMSAT Russia President Eugene Labutini, RA3APR, AMSAT-R apologizes for any trouble which was brought to amateur satellite community and hope that amateurs in the entire world will understand this situation and separate AMSAT-R and SCSC. He writes that in the future AMSAT-R will "stop any attempt from SCSC to use AMSAT-R in commercial projects".

This is a letter from AMSAT Russia Eugene Labutin, RA3APR, to the other AMSAT organizations apologizing for the situation with the new satellite.

Letter from Eugene Labutin regarding Beatnik

"Dear AMSAT colleagues,

I was very disappoint to receive message from Bernard Pidoux, f6bvp, president of AMSAT France.

I want to explain the situation on this matter.

Everything what happened does not have any relation to AMSAT-R. All discussion with Swatch Company in Switzerland was made by Space Flight Control Center (SCSC), Vladimir Solovyev and Serge Samburov singed all documents. They do not inform AMSAT-R that they going to sign this contract under the name of AMSAT-R. Everything was made behind AMSAT-R and I have got this information from only f6bvp message. More than this - only three persons of AMSAT-R have right to sign this type of documents - president and two vice presidents.

RA3APR, Eugene Labutin - president of AMSAT-R
RU3AIZ, Alex Matvietz - vice president of AMSAT-R
RA3APW, Karen Tadewosyan - vice president of AMSAT-R

Nobody of these persons was even informed that this contract was signed.

AMSAT-R very sorry for this bad situation, and very sorry that some people using AMSAT-R name in their commercial project.

AMSAT-R apologizes for any trouble witch was brought to amateur satellite community and hope that amateurs in the entire world will understand this situation and separate AMSAT-R and SCSC. AMSAT-R will stop any attempt from SCSC to use AMSAT-R in commercial projects.

Best Regards
Eugene Labutin, RA3APR.
President of AMSAT-R "
= = = =

Again, one has to wonder WHY everyone is apologizng when this operation will not be breaking ANY American Amateur Radio Rules!!

Why can't we just leave Swatch alone?

Anyway, it is probably just a trick on people like Cedric, Jeff. Tom and 4-1000, who just can't let it go!!

342. ARRL Speaks out about Swatch Broadcast

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370a6037.7071392@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For those who think that the whole thing was only an April Fool joke,
see this: (THANKS ARRL)

http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter/99/0402/

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343. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7edmgb$fd0@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146343
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Often, a bunch of fresh flowers or in severe cases, a dinner at a nice restaurant will temporarily reduce the level of noise generated by these devices.

73 DE Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

344. 6m CW questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicholas Geovanis <nickgeo@merle.acns.nwu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.93.990406142705.9220B-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>
Source record: 146344

In studying for the technician license, I noted that a technician has CW privileges on 6m. It seemed to me that making use of this might help prepare for the tech-plus upgrade and QRP DX by providing some CW experience before hitting real DX conditions, especially at low-power. Are there any "reserved" freqs or nets for this purpose on 6m?

Also: I have a number of QRP CW transmitter plans at home, but as far as I can tell, none intended for 6m. Is this caused by an FCC/United Nations conspiracy to pollute my purity-of-essence with overseas communist propaganda, or are there more complicated reasons? :-D Can anyone point me at some 6m CW QRP transmitter plans?

+--------------------->
| Nick Geovanis
| IT Computing Svcs
| Northwestern Univ
V n-geovanis@nwu.edu

345. Recommend, please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: samwriter@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ee0npmft1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146345

It's been a LONG TIME since I was on the air. Have kept my call (original W5 call) and am thinking of getting back on but wish to keep it simple. Please recommend a hand-held or mobile rig for idle chatting around town or on country roads. Not interested in DX or power. I remember fondly the days of noiseless six meters and two meters. Even bought a vintage Benton Harbor Lunch Kit (six) but haven't fired it up yet. Am I dreaming or is there a quiet corner out there for casual chatting. Thanks, Sam

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

346. Re: Can radio waeves hurt pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis CCR <curtisccr@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <7ee1h6$n3b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146346

In article <IKIN2.773$qT.1179@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> If cell phones might caues brain cancer on account of the radiation,
> what abouet ham radio or cb radio sets? Ham walke talkies have lots
> moer power than a cell phone and I wonder do hams get cancer moer than
> the rest of pple? It is a worry to me and thank you.

My favorite observation of this came from a co-worker at the office.

"Hell! RF exposure won't kill you! In fact it will make you live
forever...haven't you ever listened to 80 meters?"

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

347. Re: CAST YOUR VOTE IN MORSE POLL !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pirate <hkcomp@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <01be8074$55005780$7c3363cf@default>
Source record: 146347

There are some who say that the Morse code is useless....

Well here is what I have to say. And since I am K&#65533;nig Hugo IV (joke), this
is what shall occur...

Let us consider the conflict in Yugoslavia, or better yet, the poorly guarded Russian military bases containing nuclear missiles. Let us say that Milosevic or Saddam decides to send one of these "Nukes" into New York Harbor on a container ship.... Whoa... where's NYC? Now, think about the radiation.
Any FM communication in or around the former NYC area is useless... SSB? I don't think so... AM? Nope... Okay, now let us consider the telephones... Hmmmm.. that's a hard one.... Do I hear CW out there? Yes. Try talking to California from the East Coast via SSB on 10M at 12pm... Now use CW... A big difference in readability... well maybe, maybe not. But one thing is sure, a series of tones (think of 1s and 0s in a computer) is much easier to copy, and you can tell your friends that you use a digital mode.

Okay, some of yous guys might not agree.... but just because YOU hipocrates can not fathom using a mode that has been in use for over 100 years, don't ruin our FUN!!!! If you just want to jab w/ SSB then stay in your own section of the band, or better yet, don't participate in the hobby. The hobby is not for just YOU! It is enriched with just as much culture as the USA and it should not be racist. Didn't that end with MLKJr.? or better yet, the Civil War.

In short :), if you don't like the way I (yes me) drive, stay off MY sidewalk!

Der K&#65533;nig des Welts, Hugo IV. :) and also KC2BMG and a CW operator. Yes, I
participated in WPX SSB, but my main event is WPX CW..... oh yeah, and
Field Day..... cya guys...
Ultimate Networks <feedback@ultimate-networks.com> wrote in article
<7e0k0coni1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> Should Morse be dropped as a requirement for Operating on HF ?
>
> Visit http://www.dejanews.com/~radio
>
> And cast Your Vote !!!!
>
> ----------
> Get Your Free E-mail address at Ultimate Networks !
> http://www.ultimate-networks.com/
> ----------
>

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> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

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348. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "M.J.Powell" <mike@pickmere.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <D+gDOAAV$mC3Ew2A@pickmere.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146348
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>This places a burden of maturity and responsibility upon us,
>just as was placed upon the jury at Nuremberg.

There was no jury at Nuremburg.

Mike

349. Re: Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pirate <hkcomp@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <01be8074$cdbe1220$7c3363cf@default>
Source record: 146349

This man knows how to integrate the new FAD with an OLD mode..... you anti-CWers should take some pointers from people who differ in opinion.

And by the way, KG7MZ, I would be honored to practice CW with you over the Internet if you found a site... I'll look also :)

KC2BMG

Dean Fewkes <fewkes@pacifier.com> wrote in article <37097878.0@news.pacifier.com>...
> Does anybody know if there is a website that allows people to work code over
> the web with their computers? It would make for good practice and fun.
>
> Dean
> KG7MZ
>
>
>

350. Re: Can radio waeves hurt pple?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pirate <hkcomp@technologist.com>
Message-ID: <01be8072$3ed005c0$7c3363cf@default>
Source record: 146350

Well said...

Jim <kh2d@my-dejanews.com> wrote in article
<7eacvvkiu3@brokaw.wa.com>...
> Nothing to worry about, NumbNuts. Real Hams don't use
> Walky Talkies....... But I wouldn't recommend you spend
> 48 hours on the top of the tower during CQWW.......
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
>
> "numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>
> >If cell phones might caues brain cancer on account of the radiation,
> >what abouet ham radio or cb radio sets? Ham walke talkies have lots
> >moer power than a cell phone and I wonder do hams get cancer moer than
> >the rest of pple? It is a worry to me and thank you.
> >--
> >Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> >Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>
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>
>

351. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <DmKD0oBxlmC3Ew2b@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146351
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<7ec9ha$64a$1@sunnews.cern.ch>, Jeroen BELLEMAN <jeroen@psas01.cern.ch>
inimitably wrote:
>That last statement, about the difference of two noise sources being
>better than either source alone, could you elaborate on that a little?
>I mean, in the case of noise, what's the difference between the
>difference and the sum, if you get my drift?

The information comes from Bruel & Kjaer, the audio test-gear
manufacturers. I don't know the mathematical basis, but I trust the
source. You may be right about the equivalence of sum and difference for
pure noise, but I'm not sure it applies if the probability distributions
of positive and negative excursions from the avalanche diodes are not
equal. In that case, I think there is sum difference.
--
Regards, John Woodgate, OOO - Own Opinions Only.
Phone +44 (0)1268 747839 Fax +44 (0)1268 777124.
Did you hear about the hungry genetic engineer who made a pig of himself?

352. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <BmuD0tBhmmC3EwXe@jmwa.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 146352
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<370A0AE4.ED854391@mmm.com>, Roy McCammon <rbmccammon@mmm.com>
inimitably wrote:
>Its not whiter, but it is probably
>more Guassian.

I geuss so.
--
Regards, John Woodgate, OOO - Own Opinions Only.
Phone +44 (0)1268 747839 Fax +44 (0)1268 777124.
Did you hear about the hungry genetic engineer who made a pig of himself?

353. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Sjolin <sjolin@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <370A8560.D19A865B@swbell.net>
Source record: 146353
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> First, I am not a hater. But there is crime which I can
> not condone: infanticide. Most Americans have no problem
> with it, or the genocide that was carried out at Waco,
> and funded with your tax dollars. This is why I am not
> an American and I do not pay taxes which I do not owe.
>
> You are wrong about my true colors, I have only one:
> the shed blood of Jesus Christ. To Him alone I owe
> my allegiance and my life. I am here at His pleasure
> to do His work. If you have a problem with it, take
> it up with Him. I am here until God's work is done.
> If you desire me to leave quickly then you will have
> to overcome your redneck Jingoism and help me do God's
> work.

George, you are a kook and a good example of why conservatives are always getting tarred and feathered. Why dont you spend your time on Free Republic? There you fit in a little bit better but you would probably think that most of the kooks there were commy Clinton suck ups.

73 de Dave, N0IT

354. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7ee4vp$c43$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 146354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.roller-coaster

In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:

>Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>
>Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
>
>Click here -> http://orbita.starmedia.com/~luizhenrique/reincarnation.html
>ckomlojfcpuoeyhxcmxjvjegpbkwsrcproxsuflencueoisevxrzdwsmkdvwbu
>
>

Let's see, since we posting this stuff on rec.radio.shortwave...

My Drake SW8 was a Philco Tombstone in it's past life.

My Sony 7600G was a transistor AM back in the late 50's

My Sangean 818 was an 8-track player back in '73.

As for my Baygen, it was a detector back in 1915 !

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"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

355. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#yFTeyHg#GA.211@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

356. CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antonio Charron <tonys@epix.net>
Message-ID: <370A998D.677B0467@epix.net>
Source record: 146356

Stop in http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/

357. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370A9A71.28DE@olywa.net>
Source record: 146357
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

CommQuart wrote:
>
> My goodness, you have conversations with God!
> We are duly impressed. Now, take you meds and
> go to bed.

Don't make God kick your ass AGAIN!

What would Jesus do in this situation? Chill and be God-like, I guess as opposed to popping a forehead vein.

-Chuck

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Live & Recorded Music Olympia, Washington

358. FS: HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OrD$S4Hg#GA.126@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

359. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <unqVJ7Hg#GA.126@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

360. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370AA07E.89A@olywa.net>
Source record: 146360
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> "paranoia it strikes deep . . ."

Hey it just was a simple question. Just curious. Often thier are very simple answers and I expect them. I don't think I suggested some conspiracy. Those towers did look rickety and not to real. Either that or slapped up. Either way, I don't suspect anything shady.

-Chuck

"Everybody look what's going down"

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361. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370A9F78.38B4@olywa.net>
Source record: 146361
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> This guy is depriving a village somewhere else of their quota of idiots!

Ah, but he trims his replies unlike you. My definition of newsgroup/mail
idiots are people who don't trim the 100 lines of text when they make a
retarded, one sentance reply. Dig?

-Chuck

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362. Re: spamming; was 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <1swO2.1308$45.3135@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 146362
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Do you need a commercial web page?

I can sell you some space that would be more effective than
spamming the newsgroups.

Steve

Tech 55 wrote in message <#yFTeyHg#GA.211@upnetnews05>...
>2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
>
>For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech56/

363. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e7HzhDIg#GA.236@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146363
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping
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E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich
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364. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u2dMuDIg#GA.250@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
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Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

365. FS: Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ecSZyDIg#GA.250@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit
Asking $200.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich
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366. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <enBR3DIg#GA.261@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $250.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

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E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

367. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370AA1E6.4C96@olywa.net>
Source record: 146367
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> Gee, no black helicopters? What a twit!

I just asked what they are? Big forkin' deal. Yeah, I deserved to be
called a twit. Hi buddy! I want to be just like you! Can I, huh?

> By the way, what would be an illegal transcription?

I don't recall saying anthing about that...

> Black Helicopter Pilot (You figure out which)

The arrogant, obnoxious, judgemental, delusional type?

-Chuck

P.S.- You're arrl.org gives you away

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368. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370AA3E9.51C9@olywa.net>
Source record: 146368
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> See..... were all raceists ..... even you.

I hate everyone equally.

369. Help on 10 Meter conversion.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <370AA9CC.6A32E706@seidata.com>
Source record: 146369
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: CB.doc

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

370. Help on 10 Meter conversion.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <370AAAC8.7B28CF7A@seidata.com>
Source record: 146370
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: CB.doc

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

371. Help on 10 Meter conversion.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <370AAB12.1A5271C3@seidata.com>
Source record: 146371

I am thinking of converting a Sears RoadTalker 40 SSB radio
to 10 meters. It is model # 663.38100050. Is this a Uniden
(Cobra) with a Sears name on it? If so, what is the Cobra
model # for it? If not who made it and what is its equiv.
model #?
Thank you,
Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.

372. Updated homepage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Eichhorn <eichhorn@scopus.ch>
Message-ID: <370941A5.A9F6C65F@scopus.ch>
Source record: 146391

Hello,

Come and visit my updated homepage at :

http://www.respublica.fr/hb9uqx/index.htm

73 de Peter HB9UQX

373. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <21942548438881NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>
Source record: 146392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 18:08:29 GMT, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (4-1000) wrote:

> Apparently you want to close your eyes to all the rules violations
> that are clearly detailed for you on the web pages I cited.

No, I was simply pointing out that there amateur satellites that transmit one way communications, and guess what, they aren't illegal! Hmmm.... beacons, which we hams are familiar with operate as one way transmitters.

I'm not saying I'm happy with the Swatch situation, but I don't think we'll lose the 2 meter band over the situation either.

I'm sure I'll catch a few more flames over some of these statements, so fire away <grin>. At least I live somewhere I can state my opinions.

73 Jeff W4JEF

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27	Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept
200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA
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374. Re: Diamond Monster 3DFX Card for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex Wolf <swsun@flash.net>
Message-ID: <wScO2.947$tz2.1094@news.flash.net>
Source record: 146393
Cross-posted to:
alt.ads.forsale.computers,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Im terribly sorry sir but it is called the Diamond Monster Fusion, and yes
it is 16MB. so before you decide to say whos spamming what, i suggest you
do your research. Ive included a link to the Diamond home page about the
card.
http://www.diamondmm.com/products/current/monster-Fusion.cfm there now who
is wrong?
NYLIFUN <nylifun@aol.com> wrote in message
news:LzbO2.838$BZ6.2661160@news.optonline.net...
> No such thing as a 16MB Diamond Monster card. Sorry, try to get your
racts
> straight before you spam about your web site.
>
> Alex Wolf wrote in message ...
> >I sell em for $125 just go to my website and drop me an email mentioning
> you
> >saw this ad. Thats the 16MB version
> >
> >Alex Wolf
> >Internet Solutions Worldwide
> >http://isww.virtualave.net
> >crusader <coco.pj@videotron.ca> wrote in message
> >news:s2DM2.3982$hv4.4411@weber.videotron.net...
> >> Try the Future shop at 150.00 can. funds
> >> Crusader
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375. Swatch advertising on 2 metres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7ebsd5$u4u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146394

"Jon Pearl W4ABC" <w4abc@gte.net> wrote:

:Swatch is preparing 10 digitally recorded 'advertisements' to
:+ACI-Broadcast+ACI- on the 2 meter band from the Russian +ACI-Beatnik+ACI-
:satellite.

I think Russia uses metres. On American are stupid enough to use meters
for broadcasting.

What does "+ACI-Broadcast+ACI-" and "+ACI-Beatnik+ACI-" mean?

:You can leave a message at their website that will float aloft for 30
:days.

Cool.

:http://www.swatch.com/beatnik/send.php3 : :Judging from the comments on this
page from the +ACI-Amateur Community,+ACI- it :would be better suited at the
+ACI-Rated X+ACI- satellite.

What does "+ACI-Amateur Community,+ACI-" and "+ACI-Rated X+ACI-" mean?

:Jon Pearl
:W4ABC

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

376. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990405221441.02589.00003208@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 146395

>Anything that affects our bands like this shoul dbe cross posted on all the
>amateur sites....

Are you SURE this isn't an April Fool's joke. Why would someone spend money to advertise on frequencies which are not listened to on a regular basis?

I want the name of their marketing manager....so I WON'T hire him/her.

K5PF

377. ACS Newsletter for 05 April 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ebs1b$9lh@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.info,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!

>From the Editor's Desk:

The ACS Headquarters Training Unit is looking for a volunteer to serve as an ACS Plans/Programs Coordinator at the State level. This position involves developing plans, classes and training for the ACS program at the State level, assistance in the develo pment of the ACS Newsletter and EMCOMM Bulletin series. Most of the work required is conducted on the Internet and e-mail. Previous expwerience in emergency management and/or volunteer coordination is desirable. If you'd like to help, contact me at larton@garlic.com

Stay safe, everybody -- see you next week! Dave Larton, Editor
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Please Welcome:

Randy Long/WB6AVV <wb6avv@qsl.net>
Masonville, Colorado
Working as the emergency coordinator for ARES Colorado D-10. Covers Larimer, Weld and Jackson counties. Serving currently on the Larimer County Y2K steering and emergency response committees. Memeber of the Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) for Northeastern Colorado.

Pete E. Cammarata, KF6BVK (CHP Victorville, alternate)
<cotton@snowline.net> Pinon Hills,CA

Rhonda L. Giuffrida/Emergency Management Assistant
addr=<RhondaG@co.oswego.ny.us> Fulton, New York
I have worked for the Emergency Management Office for 18 years. I have worked closely with our RACES group for Oswego County. They are very dedicated men and women. I highly respect and admire the job they do for us and the community. The group have always shared your bulletins with our office and I enjoy them very much and it keeps me up-to-date on their roles, interests, new technology, etc. Keep up the good work you do!

Ken McTaggart N6KM
<n6km@arrl.net or n6km@amsat.org> Sonoma CA
Unit Leader, Sonoma Valley ACS Unit, Sonoma County....interested in reviving packet operations on VHF and activating HF digital freqs for ACS/RACES ops.

Tom Gibson
<w3eag@worldnet.att.net> Plymouth Meeting, PA
I am a long time member of ARES/RACES and APCO. I chair the volunteer resources committee for APCO-International.

Chuck Heron / KD7BWG
<kd7bwg@futureone.com> Payson, Arizona
I am DEC for Gila County Arizona ARES. Net meets on Wednesdays at 2000 Hrs. Not too many members yet...but growing. We use a local hilltop repeater at 145.17 MHz. PL, 162.2

Also, I am a member of Gila County RACES. This net meets on Thursdays at 1900 Hrs. It uses the Gila County RACES repeater on Signal Peak near Globe, AZ. Frequency is 146.74 MHz, PL 162.2

Randy Miltier/K7RPM
<miltier@mind.net> Ashland, Oregon
Hi Dave, long time no see! Your page was forwarded to me by a friend. He and I are going to try and get some ARES activity going here locally. It looks like there's some good information here and we're looking forward to the challenge. Let's see if I remembered anything from my Bay Area days. I guess this stuff kind of stays in your blood. Hope you're doing well...Randy
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>From the Mailbag:

From: "Christensen, Paul " <Paul.Christensen@mkg.com>

Nice artical on digital video to internet... I'd like to have that capability also. I was wondering if it was necessary to limit access to the video or web site, and if so, what method was used.

Has any consideration been given to a sister publication that contains how-to and possibly simple projects (or summary and where to find). I guess ACS newsletter is a place for "I'd like to have A..." type statements so I say...

I'd like to have A... detailed understanding of what steps CAP went thru and what methods ended up working best for them, ideally detailed enough so that I could duplicate the process. The debugging of a system is often a bigger problem than designing it. I am also interested in hardware, tips and gadgets. I suspect many of us have some items in our communication baggages that would be of interest to others.

One of my favorite gadgets results from a belief in using 'primary' batteries (Alkaline/Lithium) in emergency work because of their long shelf life and because its not always practical to recharge. Even the HT I use on a daily basis uses a shell containing rechargables so I can change to Alkalines whenever I run low. I make whatever I can operate on D and AA cells as it seems most prepared agencies stockpile these and its practical for me to stockpile them as well. To that end, I have modified a number of MagLite flashlights to power my HT, RF amplifier, videocam and other equipment. I have tried a number of connector types and built a number of prototypes before deciding what my personal standard would be and how I would access the battery power. This has happened over a period of years, and there are not enough years between emergencies for each of us to discover better ways of doing things without help from the larger community... But then you knew that, ergo the ACS newsletter.

pc wa6til, Oceanside, San Diego County, Ca.
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Current Events:

FROM: Steve Onines, AC6FR

Hello Dave, I wanted to report to you about an emergency communications exercise that we held here in the North Bay area on March 20th. It was sponsored by the Emergency Radio Response System (ERRS) of the LDS or Mormon church. The area involved stretched from San Rafael to Santa Rosa. There were 16 wards (congregations) and about 70 ham radio operators involved, making it the largest exercise of it's type held here. Additionally, we had several local hams with extensive disaster experience participate and observe.

It began at 0900 with each person departing from home and traveling to their church building. There, they established an emergency operations center, complete with operating radio station. An emergency communications net was established on the KC6NEO repeater (147.285). We used a series of questions and

responses rather than a disaster scenario. With that many units on the net, we really had to have strong net control!

The net continued until 1100, when we began an "on the air" debriefing. Each unit was able to talk about lessons learned and problems encountered. Later, a more informal debrief was also held at the local pizza spot.

Was it worth it? Everyone involved certainly thought so. We learned, for example, that "Murphy" is alive and living in Northern California. Radios overheated and broke, batteries failed, coax had the "wrong" connectors; you name it and it happened. Our learning curve seemed to go straight up.

Most of us want to do it again and soon. It was well worth our time and effort. The lessons learned were important and valuable preparation for an actual emergency.

We would recommend an exercise like this to any organization that wants to be ready for a disaster. I would be happy to provide copies of the operations order and scenario to any interested party that wants to hold a similar program.

Steve Onines AC6FR Santa Rosa Region, Assistant Emergency Communications Coordinator 114 Veronda Ave. Cotati, CA 94931 707 664-8199 <onines@jps.net> P.S. Dave, the ERRS replaced the MARA organization in the LDS Church.

REACT '99 CONVENTION INFORMATION

To all REACT members, by now all teams should have received a registration form and an information letter from the Nebraska '99 convention committee. (This information will also be in the next issue of the REACTER) The convention committee decided to mail these forms out to all teams (mailing list obtained through REACT International) due to the timeliness of the REACTER.

We would appreciate it if those who subscribe to this list would check to see if their teams have received the form and letter. Please xerox the registration form and pass it out to each of your team members if possible.

Concerns have been raised on some issues so we will pass along as much information as we can.

Travel info: Airline flights into and out of Grand Island are through commuter, UNITED EXPRESS. Your travel agents should be able to obtain this information and help you make arrangements. (Most major airlines will also have this information). There are two major cities to choose from when flying into and out of Nebraska; LINCOLN and OMAHA. Arrangements have been made to pick up (and bring back) every REACT member and shuttle them to Grand Island, unless you decide to rent a car and drive to Grand

Island, from either Lincoln or Omaha airports. This information will be obtained from your returned registration form.

Motel: The rates obtained were the best we could get. Considering the rates from previous conventions, (I'm sure these were the best they could get also) we felt pleased with the rates. These rates apply to up to 4 people in a room. Divided out this comes to about $13.00 or $14.00 per person. For those who attended the '98 convention in Janesville, this motel does give you a complimentary breakfast (and not just rolls) and they have an indoor swimming pool and hot tub.

Please feel free to e-mail either of us if you have any other further concerns or questions. Thanks,
Julie Brendle
(JBrendle@navix.net)
Jenny Jacobson (jj11851@navix.net)
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What's New on the Web:

Alameda County Sheriff's Office has developed a Web Page that is now accessible to the public and to staff, on the Internet. The Sheriff's Office Web Page is included as part of the Alameda County Web Site and may be accessed at the following address: www.co.alameda.ca.us

This address will provide access to the County of Alameda Home Page. Click on "Departments and Agencies." Arrow down to "Sheriff's Department." Click on "Sheriff's Department" to access the main page of the Sheriff's Office Web Page and access additional information by clicking on available "links."

To directly access the Sheriff's Office Web Page, utilize the following address www.co.alameda.ca.us/sheriff

This address will provide direct access to the main page of the Sheriff's Office Web Page and to the available "links."

Updates to the Sheriff's Office Web Page will occur routinely, at least monthly

From: Nguu V. Tran, Emergency Services Coordinator
Alameda County Sheriff's Office of Emergency Services
Dublin, California

From: "Bretsch, Katie" <KATIEB@bes.ci.portland.or.us>

At our recent local CBD COM exercise, a number of questions came up about how the federal Centers for Disease Control would get involved with a local public health emergency. I haven't looked at this link yet, but I assume it has some good information and contacts one could use to satisfy one's curiosity.
http://www.cdc.gov/

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Katie Bretsch
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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC178 Attitude Makes the Difference 1/2
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

EMC178 Attitude Makes the Difference 1/2 For release 4/5/99

We thank those who send us their newsletters as it provides an enlightening panorama of people helping people. It certainly makes for interesting reading and offers many ideas and assists.

There are many ways that those with communications skills are serving their communities. This series is about one such unit.

A newsletter that came was from a unit celebrating 20 years of service. Congratulatory letters included the President of the United States, the Commander of the Los Angeles California Highway Patrol Communications Center, radio stations KFI/ KOST/KACE radio Traffic Center and the Airwatch Team.

Their "volunteer communications service serves in many ways, depending on the requirement: parking and crowd control, directions and information, VIP shadowing, first aid, radio contact with police, fire, ambulance, FAA, coordination between different radio systems, gate and perimeter security, vehicle or foot patrol, lost and found, observation/reporting of traffic conditions, reporting scores of competitive events, and short range TV coverage."

In their 20 years of service they discovered an essential principle: "Attitude makes the difference."

So let's take at look at the largest REACT unit in the United States, Crest REACT #4252, California.

"In l978, in the middle of the CB radio craze the unit started when a few men and women got together to form a team of volunteers to monitor CB Channel 9 emergency channel."

They "began with 20 people and became known as the Corona-Norco REACT Team. A major freeway corridor they traveled became a chain of communicators. Every half hour or so someone from one of three communities (Riverside, Norco or Corona) would be leaving the house enroute to work with the CB on. Reports were relayed back to those following as to what roads were jammed, what lane the accident was in, etc.

Than along came GMRS and a whole new jargon to learn: repeater, tone, input, dip switch. Many obtained a GMRS license for personal and team use. At the time ham radio was not really popular in the REACT organization." (Later that changed).

Soon it was determined they "needed a repeater and they applied for a grant and were awarded $3500" which went to put a repeater in the San Bernardino Mountains.

Like other units, that team was not excused from the ups and downs of the time regarding membership. At about the time that the CB craze was diminishing, and the team was trying to survive, there was a Repeater Users Group formed to serve Southern and Central California, portions of Arizona and Nevada. Not long after there were 20 repeaters in the GMRS system from San Diego to north of Bakersfield and Fresno."

Continues, Please see EMC179 next week.

To subscribe to bulletins, use the Subscription Services web page at <http://acs.oes.ca.gov/subscribe.html>. If you don't have web access, just send an e-mail message to <mailto:emcomm-bulletin-sub@harthaven.com>.

- For training assistance contact the ACS Training Officer at the web site or send an email to larton@garlic.com
- Submit suggestions, topics or comments on the bulletins to cary.mangum@macnexus.org or cary_mangum@oes.ca.gov

Bulletins are on the ACS Web page: http://acs.oes.ca.gov -and a Landline BBS: 916-262-0856 (graphical & standard interface); and a FTP Archive: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/packet/tcpip/incoming for some bulletins. For earlier ones: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/races

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Please let others in the emergency services field know of the newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions, suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

Dave Larton N6JQJ
State ACS Training Officer

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The subject and body of the message will be ignored.

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The subject and body of the message will be ignored.

You'll receive an e-mail message to the account from which you sent the message requesting confirmation of the action; you must reply to this message within 24 hours in order to make the action happen.

If you have tried this procedure and can't get it to work, please contact <listmaster at harthaven.com> and place "Manual request" in the subject line. Be sure to include both your old and new addresses, if applicable.

378. Swatch sattelite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7ec030$140$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146397

At least one message on the Swatch website www.swatch.com has suggested
that amateurs deliberatly transmit on the satellite frequency so that
interested listeners will be denied the fun of hearing the Swatch
sattelite. If I am unable to hear the sattelite due to amateur radio
interferance I will be most annoyed.

Instead of encouraging immature amateurs from posting silly messages
to the website you should be encouraging people to post useful information
on how and when to hear the satelitte. In this case the FCC has no
authority so why not go with the flow? It's not as if the whole band
is going to be rendered useless by this fun project.

I just hope that Swatch don't consider a boycott by a few radio amateurs
to be anything to worry about.

I would like to know what sort of setup I need to hear the sattelite and
what specific frequency and mode I need to listen on.

Enjoy.
Barry

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

379. FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ec065$14d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

All these Clintonian fascist rules because scrambling would cost money. Talk about your paranoid conspiracy theorists- they all found jobs in the cell phone industry. If they can't get Milosevic for war crimes, try FCC violations, Hollingsworthless....

22. We modify section 15.121 to clearly prohibit the modification of scanning receivers to receive Cellular Service transmissions, regardless of the date of manufacture or number of units modified. The Commission's rules specify that any modification of a scanning receiver that changes its operating characteristics voids the equipment certification. We find that modifying a scanning receiver to receive Cellular Service signals changes its operating characteristics, invalidates the equipment certification, and results in equipment that does not comply with the Commission's rules...

I'll call Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworthless and turn myself in right away.......

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

380. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <37097a97.342578004@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 146399
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 17:29:40 -0800, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>This is a classic example of liberals who have no
>knowledge of the issues, but this never seems to
>prevent them from embarrassing themselves by showing
>how little that they know.

ah, as always, the cracker crowd pulls themselves out of their dukes
of hazards coloring books long enough to slop something on the
screen...

381. Re: Diamond Monster 3DFX Card for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: NYLIFUN <nylifun@aol.com>
Message-ID: <KhfO2.879$BZ6.2792543@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 146400
Cross-posted to:
alt.ads.forsale.computers,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I know very well about the Fusion...though that's not quite the same thing
as a diamond monster. Actualy, it's a pathetic excuse from 3DFX to immitate
NVIDIA. It shows how little you know to be reccomending that over one of
the TNT cards. You should realize, being a reseller and all, that very few
ppl bought into the diamond cards.

Oh yeah, and while we're trying to make people look STUPID...why not check
the price of the Diamond Monster Fusion you have listed on your
(ahemCRAPPYahem) web page. It certainly is *NOT* listed for $125.
Jeesh...some people thing just because they can use frontpage they're
qualified to run a web business.

Alex Wolf wrote in message ...
>
>Im terribly sorry sir but it is called the Diamond Monster Fusion, and yes
>it is 16MB. so before you decide to say whos spamming what, i suggest you
>do your research. Ive included a link to the Diamond home page about the
>card.
>http://www.diamondmm.com/products/current/monster-Fusion.cfm there now who
>is wrong?
>NYLIFUN <nylifun@aol.com> wrote in message
>news:LzbO2.838$BZ6.2661160@news.optonline.net...
>> No such thing as a 16MB Diamond Monster card. Sorry, try to get your
>racts
>> straight before you spam about your web site.
>>
>> Alex Wolf wrote in message ...
>> >I sell em for $125 just go to my website and drop me an email mentioning
>> you
>> >saw this ad. Thats the 16MB version
>> >
>> >Alex Wolf
>> >Internet Solutions Worldwide
>> >http://isww.virtualave.net
>> >crusader <coco.pj@videotron.ca> wrote in message
>> >news:s2DM2.3982$hv4.4411@weber.videotron.net...
>> >> Try the Future shop at 150.00 can. funds
>> >> Crusader
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382. Ham Radio Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7ec497$4ev$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146401

Hello All,

I have a Ham Radio & Electronics page
that has lots of info on Satellites, Satellite Tracking,
Yaesu, FT-847, HF, VHF/UHF, a Ham Radio Resources Page with
tons of USEFUL links, My own HF rig reviews, plus other interesting info.
Come and check out my page, and drop a message off to my Guest Book.
The URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

383. Re: FS:RS PRO-62 HH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Little <ve6ci@telusplanet.net>
Message-ID: <37098776.C89B2B80@telusplanet.net>
Source record: 146402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,red.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Is it cell blocked ?

Don/VE6CI

Andrew wrote:

> Radio Shack Hand Held Scanner - includes, supplied antenna, rechargable
> nicads (that hold a good charge), and a wall charger.
>
> Unit is in excellent condition with the exception of a few tiny surface
> scratches in the display that you can only see if you hold the radio on
> an angle, it does not affect seeing the display at all.
>
> Receives:
> 30-54
> 118-136.975
> 137-174
> 380-512
> 806-823.9875
> 849.0125-868.9875
> 894.0125-960
>
> I will sell this for $125 + shipping to anywhere in the continental US.
>
> This radio is guranteed to work 100% on arrival and be in the exact
> condition as stated.
>
> --
> ************** DO NOT AUTOREPLY *************
>
> TO REPLY REMOVE THE 'X' FROM MY EMAIL
> ADDRESS. ANTI SPAM MEASURES IN EFFECT
>
> XANDREW@TROPICOM.NET
>
> **

384. QSLs On The Web Corrective Post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred Doob <fdoob@solder-it.com>
Message-ID: <370987AE.6E94058F@solder-it.com>
Source record: 146403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is a repost of an earlier message with a corrected link ---
thanks, KB1CGA for your observation and notification.

Lots of new entries for your voting at http://www.solder-it.com/qsl.htm

And lets have YOUR QSL card or pix for a chance to win a Deluxe
Micro-Jet Torch. You do not have to visit our site to enter or to vote.

Entries to:

QSLs On The Web
Solder-It Co.
Box 20100
Cleveland, OH 44120-0100

Include "Permission to post."

Votes to vote@solder-it.com

73,

Fred, K8PP
Solder-It Co.
Dayton Booths # 5 Main Arena and #1404 in the Tent

385. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeroen@psas01.cern.ch
Message-ID: <7ec9ha$64a$1@sunnews.cern.ch>
Source record: 146404
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <GBQydqAUwRB3Ew8r@jmwa.demon.co.uk>,
John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk> wrote:
>That's becuase 6 V diodes are more or less true zener diodes. What is
>needed is an *avalanche* diode, which is why I specified a 12 V part,
>and added the info. about using the *difference* between the noise
>voltages of two such diodes, which is more accurately white noise than
>either noise voltage alone.

Hi John,

That last statement, about the difference of two noise sources being
better than either source alone, could you elaborate on that a little?
I mean, in the case of noise, what's the difference between the
difference and the sum, if you get my drift?

Jeroen Belleman
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386. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3709B422.1F63@pacbell.net>
Source record: 146405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Ed wrote:
>
> >>
> >> WD-40 -- Cleans and lubes at the same time. Used it for years as a Sony
> >> Factory Service Tech and it beat everything else.
>
> For the life of me, I don't see how anyone can have good results CLEANING
> switch contacts with a petroleum based lubricant. LUBRICANT is used to
> lubricate.... that is, it leaves a slick deposit to reduce friction of parts
> that tend to rub together and protect parts from air and oxidation. CLEANing
> solutions are designed to clean contacts; that is, remove all dirt and
> residue from surfaces. This is just the opposite of a lubricant. You can't
> have both unless you use extremely expensive conductive grease type materials.
> WD 40 is not a good conductor. I would not want to coat small fine switch
> contacts with this material.

> Ed WB6SAT

Ed WB6SAT:

You are generally quite right. But....

WD-40 is cheap, and the lighter, more aromatic components of it, when pressure blown onto a contact, will do a pretty credible job of cleaning oils, dust, cigarette tars and mouse piss. And most of the WD-40 will evaporate. But yes, there is an oily residue that remains. And this residue will hold airborne contaminants very well. So, the WD-40 does a good clean-up quickly, but it leaves a residue that actually accelerates future contamination.

Now, if we're talking cleaning a switch contact, we not only want to wash away the gunk, but we want to remove the metal surface oxidation and sulfides. The metal chosen for contacts are a compromise between conductivity, melting point, hardness, and oxide formation. Ideally, you would like a contact that deforms slightly, to make a wiping action when it makes and breaks, thus breaking surface oxide skins. You would also look for a metal with a soft and relatively conductive oxides. So tin is better than aluminum.

If you want to truly clean a contact, you need to either chemically etch the contact, or mechanically abrade it. And once it's clean, then you want to slather on some compound that keeps the contact wetted (submerged in a protective goop) to prevent contact with the oxygen in the air.

Most home jobs aren't critical enough to go the full contact renewal route. I usually wash with WD-40, then wash with rubbing alcohol (and remember, this also leaves an oil film). If I have to burnish the terminal, I'll wash it again with the rubbing alcohol, and follow up with a small squirt of isopropyl alcohol (no oil).

No isopropyl? Wet a cotton swab with high proof vodka.

Ed
WB6WSN

387. Re: FS:RS PRO-62 HH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <rbulea@erienet.net>
Message-ID: <3709B6D8.9CA@erienet.net>
Source record: 146406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,red.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Don Little wrote:
>
> Is it cell blocked ?
>
> Don/VE6CI
>
> Andrew wrote:
>
> > Radio Shack Hand Held Scanner - includes, supplied antenna, rechargable
> > nicads (that hold a good charge), and a wall charger.
> >
> > Unit is in excellent condition with the exception of a few tiny surface
> > scratches in the display that you can only see if you hold the radio on
> > an angle, it does not affect seeing the display at all.
> >
> > Receives:
> > 30-54
> > 118-136.975
> > 137-174
> > 380-512
> > 806-823.9875
> > 849.0125-868.9875
> > 894.0125-960
> >
> > I will sell this for $125 + shipping to anywhere in the continental US.
> >
> > This radio is guranteed to work 100% on arrival and be in the exact
> > condition as stated.
> >
> > --
> > ********** DO NOT AUTOREPLY **********
> >
> > TO REPLY REMOVE THE 'X' FROM MY EMAIL
> > ADDRESS. ANTI SPAM MEASURES IN EFFECT
> >
> > XANDREW@TROPICOM.NET
> >
> > **
Don,

Look at the specs he gave. The 823 to 849 is the cell phone transmit.
They are missing. The 868 to 894 are the cell tower transmit. They are
missing. This scanner cannot recieve cell frequencies. Do not buy it

thinking that you can modify it because you can't. You could use a down converter however. It is still a very good 200 channel scanner. I have had 2 of them and the price is very good. If you really want cellular buy a cell capable scanner to begin with.
Good Luck
Rick

388. it's (73's)!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3709B33B.B7040743@parg.org>
Source record: 146407

I was shocked to see a old qsl card that Hiram Percy Maxim then 1AW, had signed "73's". Guess the" know it all's" that write in to SST, don't. I wonder if he used Q signals on the Fone and said "1AW for ID" HA. or should I say HI? HA.

389. Telegraphers Paralysis?? info pse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3709B5B1.2D214D1@parg.org>
Source record: 146408

Any old-timers that can expound on the dreaded "Telegraphers Paralysis"?
Is it something like Carpal Tunnel Syndrome? I wouldn't want to injure
myself trying to carry on the finest tradition in communication.

390. New software for CW transmitting and receiving

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: amx@i.am
Message-ID: <3709cf27.22319884@news.cis.ru>
Source record: 146409

Hi, all!

I want to attend your attention to my programs:

UA9OSV CwType - My terminal program to transmit morse code
(Windows95).
It allows to send CW both from the keyboard and from the paddle
connected to the joystic interface(or any other
hardware port). At sending from the paddle it supports yambic mode,
memory of an element of a char... It is able
to co-operate with AAlog logger.

UA9OSV CwGet - My program to receive morse code via sound card
(Windows 95).
The sound card should be able to work in a "mono-16bit-10025Hz" mode.
Program was tested with the IBM K6-233
processor. It is very interesting to me to learn about running of this
program on weaker computers.

http://ua9osv.virtualave.net

73!
Sergei,
UA9OSV

391. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7ecn9q$6r8$1@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146410
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

wf3h@ptd.net wrote in message <37097a97.342578004@news.ptd.net>...
>On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 17:29:40 -0800, George Zimmerlee
><geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>
>ah, as always, the cracker crowd pulls themselves out of their dukes
>of hazards coloring books long enough to slop something on the
>screen...
>

Man.... you condemn Racism ..... and then make a statement like that.

See..... were all raceists ..... even you.

392. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <3709de40.1752209@news.planet.net>
Source record: 146411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 22:10:59 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:

>mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> 22. We modify section 15.121 to clearly prohibit the modification of scanning
>> receivers to receive Cellular Service transmissions, regardless of the date
>> of manufacture or number of units modified.
>
>Don't canners receive cell phone transmissions on the image frequencies
>without any modifications?

Yes, not all of them, but many do.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

393. Re: *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: k4jdh@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ecsrs$nq0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146412

Check the article in QST/April page 33. You should also seek the instruction
of a friend followed by practice. Soldering is almost art.

In article <19990405045726.17318.00002762@ng122.aol.com>,
jhulet@aol.com (JHulet) wrote:
> Hello,
>
> I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to
> modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First,
> what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this tool?
> What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of using
a
> fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the diode?
>
> Is seems that so many modifications out there today require the removal of
> diodes that I am considering learning the trade...
>
> Thanks again for any light you can shed on the subject...
>
> Jason S. Hulet
> W1WOW
>

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

394. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <3709EF24.81EAA26C@arrl.org>
Source record: 146413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

Bill Sohl wrote:
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> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 22:10:59 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
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> >> of manufacture or number of units modified.
> >>
> >Don't canners receive cell phone transmissions on the image frequencies
> >without any modifications?
>
> Yes, not all of them, but many do.

That topic was addressed by this proceeding, BTW. See paragraphs 12-14
of:
http://www.arrl.org/announce/et98-RandO.html

Jon
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Jon Bloom, KE3Z
jbloom@arrl.org
Electronic Publications Manager
(CD-ROM publications, software products and Web site)

395. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill sloman <bill.sloman@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <370A0AC1.D4245079@ieee.org>
Source record: 146414
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"J. A. Legris" wrote:
>
> Gary Coffman wrote:
> >
> > On Thu, 01 Apr 1999 13:42:46 -0600, Artur Leung <aleung@ittc.ukans.edu> wrote:

<snip>

> > I know this is heresy, but why not just use a PN source driving a
> > simple D/A directly at the levels you want? With a sufficiently
> > long and well chosen sequence, the noise spectrum should be
> > acceptably "white" for your purposes.
> >
> I don't think it's heresy, maybe just too expensive. To produce white
> noise at 70MHz requires a very fast D/A.

You don't need a D/A. You do need a shift register shifting at faster
than 70MHz, which is possible in the faster flavours of TTL. I'd use
ECL but then I take any chance I get to use ECL ....

Bill Sloman, Nijmegen

396. What do I need for an wirelles internet connection ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ersin Gen&#65533;t&#65533;rk <ersin@marun.edu.tr>
Message-ID: <7ecvf6$e7g$1@efe.ulakbim.gov.tr>
Source record: 146415

I am interesting in the subject of wireless internet connection ! I am new
to apr ! what do I need radio software and others ! I have nothing and I
want to buy some electonics for this !
what can I do ? thanx!

397. PLC Threatening Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7ed0fjlup1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 146416
Cross-posted to: aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

PLC, e.g. the planned use of domestic power lines to carry high speed digital data, is the latest of a series of threats to HF amateur radio communications.

The spectrum that will be re-radiated from the unscreaned power lines will extend from near DC up to about 30 MHz.

Considering the above, DTC has addressed all institutions and HF band users aiming to prevent the HF bands to become useless in any domestic environment.

The full text of the message ist available at our homepage.

73 es agbp de Frank, DL1YDL, DTC 030, Editor der DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

398. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rbmccammon@mmm.com
Message-ID: <370A0AE4.ED854391@mmm.com>
Source record: 146417
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeroen BELLEMAN wrote:
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> In article <GBQydqAUwRB3Ew8r@jmwa.demon.co.uk>,
> John Woodgate <jmw@jmwa.demon.co.uk> wrote:
> >That's becuase 6 V diodes are more or less true zener diodes. What is
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> >and added the info. about using the *difference* between the noise
> >voltages of two such diodes, which is more accurately white noise than
> >either noise voltage alone.
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> Hi John,
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> That last statement, about the difference of two noise sources being
> better than either source alone, could you elaborate on that a little?
> I mean, in the case of noise, what's the difference between the
> difference and the sum, if you get my drift?

I think John means the noise is more symmetric in amplitude
distribution. The negative peaks look like the
positive peaks. Its not whiter, but it is probably
more Guassian.

Opinions expressed herein are my own and may not represent those of my employer.

399. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9jvo@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ed5e2usp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146418
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article
<BE385F90B4AFC489.D196AA14E90BF7D8.98693318EAA1B48F@library-proxy.airnews.net
>, geozim@atlcom.net wrote:

>Go back to
> school and learn to spell, you illiterate DIPWAD.
>
> I am here because I have work to do here. That work is to
> restore liberty to a bunch of ignorant, backward, willfully
> stupid, God-hating vermin who wouldn't know freedom if it
> bit them on the ass.
>

Is this how Jesus preached to the people of his day? By definition, Christian
is to be Christ like. I have yet to read anywhere in the bible any remarks
made by Jesus that were as hatefull and mean-spirited as yours. Rick - N9JVO

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

400. Re: FS:RS PRO-62 HH Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe K7JOE <K7JOE@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <370A170E.FD1E788A@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,red.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I agree. This is a bullet proof receiver - triple conversion -- very
good sensitivity, especially 800 Mhz. Used one as a remote receiver
for a repeater in a high intermod area, and the receiver was seldom
impacted by all the RF. Not bad for a radio shack handheld scanner!
Joe

> Don,
>
> Look at the specs he gave. The 823 to 849 is the cell phone transmit.
> They are missing. The 868 to 894 are the cell tower transmit. They are
> missing. This scanner cannot recieve cell frequencies. Do not buy it
> thinking that you can modify it because you can't. You could use a down
> converter however. It is still a very good 200 channel scanner. I have
> had 2 of them and the price is very good. If you really want cellular
> buy a cell capable scanner to begin with.
> Good Luck
> Rick

401. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonesy <jonz@rmi.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <7ed52jaht1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 146420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

In rec.radio.amateur.equipment Ed Price <edprice@pacbell.net> wrote:
: ... I'll wash it again with the rubbing alcohol, and follow up
: with a small squirt of isopropyl alcohol (no oil).

: No isopropyl? Wet a cotton swab with high proof vodka.

Is there any other kind?

Jonesy W3DHJ

402. B'hamFest 5/1/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon Snider <leons@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ed665jpu1@mtinsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146421

Info: http://www.bro.net/barc/

403. Rochester Minnesota Hamfest April 4

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Gibson <kgibson@isl.net>
Message-ID: <370AB7D1.F1C25E14@isl.net>
Source record: 146422

Rochester Minnesota Hamfest
and Electronics Show

The Rochester Hamfest will be held on Saturday, April 10, 1999. The
Hamfest is an annual computer and electronics show event sponsored by
the Rochester Amateur Radio Club, Inc. located in Rochester, Minnesota.

Our 22nd RARC Hamfest
Event!

When: Saturday, April 10, 1999.
Where: Graham Arena East on the Olmsted
County Fairgrounds
Time: Doors open for public at 8:00 a.m.
Ham radio, electronics and computer dealers
Commercial vendor and flea market table space

Hourly door prize drawings
VEC testing on the same day as the hamfest
Free parking available around the site on the
fairgrounds
Food service in the building and immediate
vicinity

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404. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eed0ibue1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (4-1000) wrote:

>On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 14:56:09 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:

>>Don't forget those illegal six and ten meter beacons, that illegal beacon system
>>on 14.100 sponsored by those guys in California, and all those repeater ID'ers
>>that are illegally broadcasting callsigns all the time..... Oh, and don't
>>forget all those packet stations sending beacons, those are illegal too....

>What an INCREDIBLY ignorant statement.

>HOW did you get a license when you can't even tell the difference
>between chalk and cheese?

What an INCREDIBLY ignorant statement.

1. Go to http://www.facstaff.bucknell.edu/rbeard/diction.html
2. Type in 'SARCASTIC'
3. Click SEARCH.

How did you ever get on Usenet when you can't follow a discussion ?

73, Jim KH2D

405. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS - Kosovo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. @ Mrs. Tate-West" <angels@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <370ABF6E.16D1@olywa.net>
Source record: 146424
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

THE USE OF CLUSTER BOMBS TYPE BLU/AB

source - http://www.gov.yu/

Along with the most diverse and latest destructive weaponry used in air to ground operations, NATO forces
have been using cluster bombs as well. I have here a sample, rather the remains of a bomb that our experts
have neutralized. You won't be able to see the triggering charge and the explosive content for safety reasons.

This is an American made BLU/97 AB cluster bomb. Each plane can carry two containers with 210 individual
bombs each. This means that in a single passing an area some 100-150 meters wide and about 1000 meters
long is showered with 420 single bombs.

The cluster bomb is primarily intended for attacks on unsheltered troops, on columns of vehicles and other
technical devices, as well as buildings.

The destructive effect of the bomb has on troops, is primarily due to the explosion of the metal jacket with a
range of about 150 meters. The Shattered shrapnel are large enough and have sufficient energy to pierce an
armored plate 6.4 mm thick at a distance up to 11 meters, and to disable vehicles at a distance of up to 75
meters. At the site of impact, both cumulative and piercing effects take place. An interesting accompanying
effect is the presence of a fireball 16 meters wide produced with a special inflammable mixture of zirconium
and cycloton.

The use of this type of weaponry indicates without any doubt that the aggressor intends to inflict large
casualties. They are quite imprecise and it is not possible to control their drop site. According to reports from
the localities targeted until now the most vulnerable are civilians. Injuries caused by these bombs are multiple:
mutilation due to fragmented action and burns which make medical treatment more complex and provoke
permanent disability. Until now they have been used on various localities most of which were not military
targets.

Essentially it is is a highly inhuman weapon intended for mass
destruction and casualties. This is particularly
aggravated by the fact that some 20-30% of the bombs dropped remain in
the targeted area for deliberate
delayed action making the civilian population particularly vulnerable.

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406. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370ABEE6.A091A0B4@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I removed this from antennas, it really doesn't belong there so I hope you don't mind.

First let me say, you can't possibly offend me, and I'll try to respond in a more humble fashion if it
will help to show more clearly my opinion on the matter. This is getting quite large so it's edited.

> >DUH, who said it was unlicenced?
>
> Who said that it was? OK then, "little guy", what is the CALLSIGN of
> the operation ??

So we'll agree that neither of us know for sure whether it's licensed or unlicensed operation. Since it wouldn't require much effort at ALL to have an amateur tack his call onto the 10 minute ID timer, lets assume it will have a valid callsign for the purpose of our discussion. If it didn't have an amateur call their wouldn't be much left to discuss and I would concur that it would be in violation.

> > No commercial advertising in the amateur bands.
>
> >DUH, Where has Swatch indicated that there would be advertising on the amateur
> >bands? They have only indicated that messages would be transmitted, they even
> >suggest greetings to friends and relatives.
>
> By unlicensed operators with no control operator in violation of
> International law.

No control operator is necessary, since it's being operated as a beacon. The same as the last RS-18 or Dove-17 or any other satellite that is transmitting as a beacon and transmitting one way.

 97.203 Beacon station.
(a) Any amateur station licensed to a holder of a Technician, General, Advanced or
Amateur Extra Class operator
license may be a beacon. A holder of a Technician, General, Advanced or Amateur Extra
Class operator license
may be the control operator of a beacon, subject to the privileges of the class of
operator license held.
(b) A beacon must not concurrently transmit on more than 1 channel in the same amateur
service frequency band,
from the same station location.
(c) The transmitter power of a beacon must not exceed 100 W.
(d) A beacon may be automatically controlled while it is transmitting on the
28.20 28.30 MHz, 50.06 50.08 MHz,
144.275 144.300 MHz, 222.05 222.06 MHz or 432.300 432.400 MHz segments, or on the

33 cm and shorter wavelength bands.
(g) A beacon may transmit one-way communications.

Key points, automatically controlled means no control op present at the transmitting site.
A beacon may transmit one-way communications.

If I put a beacon on the air with my sons voice that says "Hello From Detroit Michigan" he is a 3rd party, is not a control op, and is unlicensed. As long as the beacon i.d's with my call sign the station is perfectly legal.

> >and unless you've been having conversations with AMSAT-R you can't possibly
> >know if operation will be under an amateur call or not and unless your talking to
> >the marketing department of Swatch would have no first hand knowledge of whether
> >advertisments were planned to be transmitted. Your mistaken completly about 1 way
> >transmissions so that leaves you with a page full of nothing.
>
> Of course, the President of Amsat France is apolgizing for a page full
> of nothing.

I don't doubt the President of AMSAT is appologizing, I only question whether Swatch's proposed operation is going
to be legal or not. There is no doubt that AMSAT-F felt as though they had been duped, but their apology doesn't effect one way or the other whether the transmissions would be legal or not.

> Your immature, combative attitude reveals just how unsure you are
> about the whole thing!

Ok so I post to the newsgroups some thoughts on what may or may not be legal about this project and all of a sudden I'm immature? Heh heh, go read the comments sent to Swatch.

> >> International Radio Regulations
> >> Article 1 - Terms and Definitions
> >> Section 3.34 Amateur Service:
> >> A radiocommunication service for the purpose of self-training,
> >> intercommunication and technical investigations carried out by
> >> amateurs, that is, by duly authorized persons interested in radio
> >> technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest.
> >
> >If the messages transmitted from the satellite are identified with an amateur
> >call and have no advertisments for the Swatch company then the above does not
> >apply.
>
> But of course you are ASSUMING this to be the case, even though they
> have plainly stated their intention to have their trademark named
> verbally & audibly in every message!

Yes I am assuming this, I suppose I like to give someone the benefit of the doubt instead of thrashing their web site with hateful, threatening e-mail. Even if they did pull it off, the time to protest is after the operation, do it formally with

information about what was said, callsigns used or lack there of etc. Since no one knows for sure exactly what arrangements Swatch had made I think it's ridiculous to nail them to the cross without having any details.

If at the end of each transmission I decide to say "and boy do I love Pepsi" while it might be a bit strange it is not illegal,
if my son who is unlicensed and a 3rd party decides to say "boy do I love Pepsi" at the end of each transmission it is not illegal.
If it is, please site the violation number so I can better understand.

> Non-commercil? FEH!!
>
> > Simply by Identifying the satellite as "Beatnik" or "The Swatch Beatnik
> >Satellite" is not illegal,
>
> Ha! In your not-so-humble opinion maybe.
>
> But Tim, YOUR OPINION to the contrary will not invalidate
> international laws!

Well O.K. to hell with my opinion, site the law that prohibits me from calling my station anything I want, as long as the appropriate call sign is used. e.g. "From ARRL Headquarters, Newington, CT" hammy now did the FCC assign the callsign W1AW or did the assign the call "ARRL Headquarters". Now if you want to tell me that it's illegal for the Swatch Satellite to identify itself as "Beatnik" along with an amateur call then I guess we'll have to put a stop to the ARRL's illegal station I.D as well.

> Most countries do NOT allow a product name to be NAMED OVER THE AIR on
> the amateur bands, including all European countries.

I have no knowledge of this, could you name some of the countries where this law exists?

> You are defending something like your life depends on it and you don't
> have a CLUE what you are talking about!

Whoa hold on there pahhhd ner, I'm not defending anyone, I'm just interested in knowing whether Swatch was indeed going to break the law or not. As far as having a clue, you need to get one with respect to international 3rd party traffic.

> ?
> (2) It is absolutely forbidden for amateur stations to be used for
> transmitting international communications on behalf of thrid parties.
> PERIOD!

Well according to you perhaps but the FCC, and the government who issued my license tells me otherwise, I'll bet if you take a second look at the ITU reg your quoting you'll find the exceptions. By the way the ARRL has a web page which shows a list of all the countries we have third party traffic agreements with, you are full of it.
http://www.arrl.org/field/regulations/io/3rdparty.html

? 97.115 Third party communications.
(a) An amateur station may transmit messages for a third party to:

(1) Any station within the jurisdiction of the United States.
(2) Any station within the jurisdiction of any foreign government whose administration has made arrangements with the United States to allow amateur stations to be used for transmitting international communications on behalf of third parties. No station shall transmit messages for a third party to any station within the jurisdiction of any foreign government whose admin-istration has not made such an ar-rangement.

> >> U.S. Amateur Regulations
> >> (This rule also appears in most nation's individual laws concerning
> >> Amateur Radio)
> >> Section 97.113 Prohibited transmissions
> >> 97.113 (a) No amateur station shall transmit any communication the
> >> purpose of which is to facilitate the business or commercial affairs
> >> of any party.....
>
> And that IS the whole point of this exercise.

Newp, sorry no business is being conducted, the ole agument was won long ago, yes Virginia you can order a pizza using the 2m autopatch, and when the Pizza shop picks up the phone and says "Pizza Magic" it is not a violation and that has been written about in QST. Now if the Pizza shop get's on the air from thier shop and says "Come on down to Pizza Magic, we have a special tonight" were talking about a different senario, simply using a trademark name on the air does not hold up. All this of course depends on the content of the messages and whether an amateur call is used on the satellite.

> >Transmitting messages from individuals saying hello to friends and relatives is
> >not business or a commerical affair and that IS what Swatch was/is soliciting.
>
> With their Trade Mark name included, yes.

> >Let's not forget that the Boy Scout Jamboree goes on the air every year, Boy
> >Scouts discuss thier rank and Boy Scout related items over the air, and the Boy
> >Scouts ARE a commercial enterprise and not a non-profit organization.
>
> Poor comparison, between a social service organization and a business.

The BS of A is a business, with paid employee's. They have a financial interest in promoting their organization.

> >> (c) No station shall transmit communications in order to engage in any
> >> form of broadcasting...
>
> And there it is again! They break ALL these rules and TIm says it is
> OK! Ah well, Tim. ANything goes, and it WILL if you get your way in
> this one!

No not quite, you seem to be drifting again. Because I question the interpretation of a particular regulation you seem to feel as though I have an "anything goes" attitude and your very very wrong, for one I'm not trying to "get my way" I don't support the

commercial use of the amateur bands either, all I'm saying is that before we publicly
hang the Swatch company we should:
A) Know whether the transmission will be identified with an amateur call
B) Know the content of the messages being sent

> >You need to go read Part 97 and learn about the provisions for beacons,
>
> It is NOT a beacon though, so again, you are TOTALLY barking up the
> wrong tree.

> Hmm well that's the way the FCC defines it, do you have a different definition?

> How much is Swatch paying you, "little guy?"

Nothing, I'm just sharing my thoughts on the interpretations of radio regulations.
What are you doing?

> >which are
> >of course 1 way transmissions exactly the same transmitted on the last
> >satellite, I suppose since the message on the last bird was recorded by a cute
> >French girl nobody seemed to mind.
>
> Funny, but irrelevant comment.

Well how is it irrelevant? Since you claim it is illegal to transmit third party
international traffic "period" I wonder why AMSAT-F would have allowed this?

> >> Would you do business with a corporation that knowingly and outrageous
> >> promotes violations of international and national laws?
> >
> >So far you haven't shown that they intend to break any.
>
> Bollocks! Pure bollocks Tim, and if you had half a brain (even one
> tied behind your back) that still wouldn't make this fair for you!

Again, since AMSAT-F doesn't seem to want to share exactly what these messages are,
and since neither of us know whether an amateur call will be used should we just
assume it's illegal without having any details? Also you make comments like
"knowingly" promotes violations of international law, really? You know for a fact that
the Swatch company is doing this knowing they could be in violation and not a simply
misunderstanding of radio regulations? You must be clairvoyant as well.

> >> If it is such an innocent and LEGAL thing for Swatch to break the
> >> International Law, with the help of RUssian Pirates, all of which you
> >> defend, then why is the French AMSAT President so concerned about
> >> this??
>
> Your comments so far have been absurd drivel, and poorly reasoned so I
> will expect nothing any better in the rest of this diatribe!
>
> >> edit for brevity
> >>

> >> Thus AMSAT-France was obliged to deliver the electronic modules with
> >> the software for CPU. The EPROM program comprized test messages and
> >> the ESD circuit was filled with pre recorded test voice messages by
> >> AMSAT France. Acceptance certificate of the work was signed by SCSC
> >> and Gerard Auvray. We received a copy of the voice message recorded by
> >> SCSC and we still think that they are not acceptable. The name of the
> >> satellite itself, "beatnik", indicates the identity of the sponsor.
> >
> >There are radio clubs on the campuses of corporatons all over the United States,
> >Since many of these identify themselves with a club name including the
> >corporation e.g the "Goodyear Amateur Radio Club*" does this not identify the
> >name of the sponsor?
> >Sure seems like it to me. If the Goodyear club came into some money and put up
> >thier own bird do you think they might call it the Goodyear Amateur Satellite?
> >Huh? Do ya think?
>
> Obviously you only think one way, and it is a waste of time trying to
> get you to think beyond the ALmighty Dollar that you love and the
> selling out of Amateur Radio that you are helping to promote.

Instead of accusing me of selling out amateur radio why not respond to the proposed scenario, If a third party makes a comment on the Goodyear* Amateur Repeater and says "I love Goodyear Tires" is this in violation? Even though the club may have paid for all the equipment privatly, if it's on the campus or even off site, but Goodyear pays for the room the club is in then they in essence are sponsoring the club. Soooo now we have a Corporation, sponsoring a club repeater, with a third party traffic making a comment about the Goodyear company. Do you think this is in violation? Simple question, nothing to do with Almighty dollars or selling out ham radio.

> >* for example only, it's a fine club.
>
> Correct. In most countries that is a violation of the law, for which
> they would be prosecuted. Again, you want to force American values (or
> lack thereof) on other countries.

Really? Most countries? Please name a few for me that would prosecute a radio amateur for mentioning a brand name on the air, I'm dying to see the list. I haven't worked a DX station yet that hasn't mentioned the brand name of his station equipment, sheesh talk about absurd drivel, where are you getting this from?

>
> Well, this is done insensitively in many other spheres of life,
> especially in Asia, so I am not surprised to see someone advocate it
> in the arena of Amateur Radio too. You think you own the planet, but
> you don't!

You know, I enjoy discussing the topic of whether the Swatch satellite project violates ITU radio regs but your comments are beginning to annoy me, where in my commentary do I bring you to the conclusion that I think I own the planet? Let's stick to the discussion if you can.

> >> Thus we suggest that no AMSAT organization should describe the
> >> contents of the message or encourage listening to this non amateur
> >> compliant satellite using our amateur band.
> >
> >Why do we not want anyone to know the contents of the messages?
>
> Do we have to wear oit out to drum the reasoning into you Tim?
> No, I suspect you are too dense to ever get it.

O.k lemme spell it out for you, AMSAT-F claims the messages they heard were unacceptable, really? OK why not share them with the rest of the amateur community, of course I'm not making any decisions on what's going to happen with the satellite but I'd rather be permitted to make up my own mind whether the messages are unaceptable or not. I suppose if AMSAT-F says it's no good that's just fine with you, but not for me.

> Ha ha ha ha ha! Yeah, TIm! S-U-R-E! Tim, yeah, THAT is the crux!
> What a dimwit comment!

Dimwit comment? Your whole argument has been that these messages are of a commercial nature, how would you know whether or not they are unless they were published or made available, tell me what about that is so dimwit please? Like many you seem to be good with the name calling but come up short when asked to site references.

> Your time will come I expect. Hollingsworth may be looking for you
> already for all we know.

My time will come for what? Because I decide to engage in a discussion about whether the Swatch satellite project is legal or not my time will come? Why would Hollingsworth be looking for me? Talk about dimwitted remarks.

> Apparently, if it's illegal, Tim is for it!

Apparently you have difficulty understanding the discussion, I never once said I was in support of Swatch at all, show me in a previous post where I did and I'll eat my words. I simply had a difference of opinion, regarding issues like whether or not it was a beacon transmitter and whether the content was in violation of amateur regulations.

> You really should go do something else. This is obviously not even
> beginning to dawn on you yet!

Look here's the bottom line , you seem to be more interested in attacking me personally that you do discussing the issue. This whole thing was handled completly wrong which is why I even got started in this discussion, someone finds a web page where Swatch is planning to transmit messages from a satellite launched from space, now instead of organizing ourselves and having AMSAT-NA or the ARRL or any other organization of your choice contact Swatch and ask what their specific intentions are, a few individuals jump the gun and post the address with instructions to tell Swatch how you feel!

Well, they sure did, go read the pages. Nothing but hatefull threatening letters. What might we have gained by approaching Swatch when AMSAT-F learned what had happened? Explaining that they could potentially be in violation of ITU regulations and that the world wide ham community would strongly oppose this. Perhaps offer a win win solution

where Swatch would provide links or a page containing ham radio informaton and we as an amateur community would help promote Swatch (off the air) in exhange for messages of amateur content on the satellite. But noooo were gonna jump right in and tell Swatch how were gonna f*** em and boycott their products, all this to a company who may simply not have known specifics of the frequency of choice. Now take a look at the AMSAT page and take note where they talk about how big of an endeavor Phase III is going to be and how they really need some money now. Har har, yea go hit up Swatch for a contribution, they should be real excited about working with the amateur community by now. Under the heading "Donations" go to:
http://www.amsat.org/amsat/amsat-na/orginfo.html
Swatch may have indeed been contacted by AMSAT, but if they were nothing was made public and the first comment's from AMSAT-F were to boycott Swatch.

Tim ka8ddz

407. Hamcomm HCD214 Hook-up question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: SwTempo <swtempo@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <PDAO2.694$s4.3951434@rsnws01.mn.mediaone.net>
Source record: 146426

I was planning on using this device with my Pro 2006 scanner. I have the "FM Discriminator" mod completed and was wondering if I could plug that into the Hamcomm HCD214 interface? The hook-up instructions I saw at the web page (www.radioamateur.com) said it could be plugged into the speaker jack for it to work. But, I have read here and in other newsgroups and web pages, that you have to use the "FM Discriminator" to be able to properly decode the signals. Please post or email your replies and any advice/help is greatly appreciated!!

email: swtempo@yahoo.com

408. Re: shocking interference from PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <please_dont@qsl.com>
Message-ID: <7eelju$6gh$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 146427

Hamish Moffatt
>I also found that, depending on which antenna I'm using, my mobile phone
>charger puts nice 2 Hz pulses on lots of bands too, particularly 10 MHz,
>14 MHz, 18 MHz. If the phone is removed from the charger, it makes
>constant static instead of pulses. Time to relocate it; too bad I can't
>relocate the PC.

How about just plugging the charger and the PC into a switchable power strip,
and turning the strip off when you operate...

409. FT-100 Mods?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matt Nelson, N5TKN" <n5tkn@nccinternet.com>
Message-ID: <htBO2.2159$7_6.18806@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 146428

Does anyone have the mods for the Yaesu FT-100 Multi-mode mobile
HF/6m/VHF/UHF transceiver?

73,
Matt - N5TKN
n5tkn@n5tkn.com

410. Re: CAST YOUR VOTE IN MORSE POLL !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cincpac <cincpac@nightmail.com>
Message-ID: <370AF230.9B30D322@nightmail.com>
Source record: 146429

No need to go anywhere. I vote NO right here.

411. Re: CAST YOUR VOTE IN MORSE POLL !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cincpac <cincpac@nightmail.com>
Message-ID: <370AF31B.9A06AB93@nightmail.com>
Source record: 146430

IF, IF, IF...ad infinitum, ad nauseum, Yawn. *IF* only summer would get here so the FCC can implement the NPRM abolishing morse code. IF only hams would enter the 21st century.

412. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: cincpac <cincpac@nightmail.com>
Message-ID: <370AF44B.63B4472D@nightmail.com>
Source record: 146431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

All these Clintonian fascist rules...::It seems to me that Clinton and fascism are diametrically opposed. IMHO, LtCol Oliver North more aptly fits the label of fascist than Bill.

413. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eervimop1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Y ?

"No-Code International TM is a organization dedicated
to the abolition of the Morse code testing requirement
as a prerequisite for any class of Amateur Radio license."

Were they gonna send those Swatch messages with
Morse Code ?

73, Jim KH2D

"Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:

>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
>Hash: SHA1

>No Code International has lodged formal complaints with the
>FCC, the US State Department, the ITU, and both Swiss and
>Russian radio regulatory agencies, protesting the announcement
>of the impending commencement of messages of a commercial
>nature on frequencies allocated to the Amateur Radio Service
>and the Amateur Satellite Service by The Swatch Group Ltd.,
>of Switzerland, using what was supposed to be an educational
>amateur radio satellite.

>- --
>Carl - wa6vse
>wa6vse@fast.net
>http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
>NCI #1052
>Join No Code International!
>Hams for the 21st century.
>Support the modernization of ham radio and help
>to assure its survival into the 21st century!
>http://www.nocode.org

>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
>Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3

>iQA/AwUBNwrlcZe+N6+q84HiEQJJfQCg9eqtAtDG9UKhlIRDlueJlln7y9oAoIAh
>sSSJE6Tu82AAg1uJRphjTA4C
>=1s1K
>-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----

414. FS:Dacron ant rope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken <bdapple@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <370B0025.1284CC3C@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146433

Have black Dacron/Polyester double braided antenna rope for sale as follow:

3/32" Dia (260+pounds) $6.00 /100ft +shipping
1/8" Dia (420+pounds) $7.50/100ft + shipping
3/16 Dia (770+pound) $101/100ft. + shipping

415. Rochester Minnesota Hamfest April 10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Gibson <kgibson@isl.net>
Message-ID: <370ABA17.C00E3BC4@isl.net>
Source record: 146434

Rochester Minnesota Hamfest and Electronics Show

The Rochester Minnesota Hamfest will be held on Saturday, April 10,
1999.

When: Saturday, April 10, 1999.
Where: Graham Arena East on the Olmsted County Fairgrounds
ime: Doors open for public at 8:00 a.m.
Ham radio, electronics and computer dealers
Commercial vendor and flea market table space
Hourly door prize drawings
VEC testing on the same day as the hamfest
Free parking available around the site on the fairgrounds
Food service in the building and immediate vicinity

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416. Telegraphers' Paralysis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: F B Siher <burt@gill.net>
Message-ID: <jPOO2.171$K%.338@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146222

It is also know as rigor mortis.

F B Siher
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

417. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: geezer@nursing.home
Message-ID: <370daff0.6695989@news.cyberhighway.net>
Source record: 146223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

"Richard Neuschaefer" <rich556@mindspring.com> wrote:

>Clinton(s) expound fascism. Medical reform ring a bell.

Oh, horseradish. You have something against medical reform?

>Ollie North is just an asshole.

True story.
--
glenq@cyberhighway.net
http://www.cyberhighway.net/~glenq/

"I found this site through a network of other shit-holes."
---some luser manages to penetrate our defenses.

...hangin' in #Geezer when I'm on IRC.

418. Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "3.950 Monitor" <3950mon@aol.com>
Message-ID: <370BBA48.15F3BF34@aol.com>
Source record: 146224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

The above listed jammers continue their feeble attempt at spinning, their law breaking
activities on 3.950, shortwave amateur radio.

Their goal is to disrupt the legal and public communications of other law abiding
amateur radio operators. The reason that these 'opponents of free speech' jam 3950,
is because they disagree with some of the views expressed on this frequency.

Some of the jammers (K5BLB and KK7HO) are so full of hatred that they have
openly discussed killing other amateur radio operators on this frequency. The
danger is that as these criminals get more and more angry, and violent because
of their extreme beliefs, someone will likely get killed or maimed.

I only wish that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth would put an end to their activities
before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine, which should have
been prevented.

419. FA: Motorola M75 TDMA Digital Flip Phone W/HF Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O8iYsbTg#GA.71@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

AT Ebay
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=88048013

Thanks!! Rich

420. Re: Help on 10 Meter conversion.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <hqPO2.193$K%.332@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146226

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 19:41:48 -0500 Randy and Cara Randall
<crrandal@seidata.com> wrote:

SSBhbSB0aGlua2luZyBvZiBjb252ZXJ0aW5nIGEgU2VhcnMgUm9hZFRhbGtlciA0MCBTU0Ig
> cmFkaW8NCnRvIDEwIG1ldGVycy4gIEl0IGlzIG1vZGVsICMgNjYzLjM4MTAwMDUwLiAgSXMg

I guess youer keyboard stuck because that kind of stuff come out.
Maybe you need to trie again.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

421. Re: TEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: arrl_official_observer <oo@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <ujPO2.187$K%.260@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146227

This e-mail is to inform you that you are in violation of Part 97 of
the Communications Act of 1934 as amended.

Specifically, you have used amateur radio to sell commercial goods on
the air or provide a commercial service. Please take steps to correct
this violation in the future.

73

The ARRL OO system is provided as a public service to the Amateur Radio
Service and is coordinated by the ARRL on behalf of the CIB of the FCC.
Questions regarding this notice should be directed to the ARRL,225 MAIN
STREET, NEWINGTON, CT 06111.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

422. ARRL and Sumner Jump onto the Bandwagon, Seek Public Credit for Work of Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7egkeoriq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.dx

This bunch of timid Timmys didn't do shit until after the ball was rolling, aided by myself, Jeff Herman and others who pointed out there was a box to leave messages in. That forward looking bunch in Newington had to check with counsel first, as usual, before they took a stand. Must've needed to be sure it wasn't a division of Yaesu or some other contest gear company the ARRL ass kisses...

SB SPACE ARL ARLS002
ARLS002 ARRL Advises Swatch to Cancel "Beatnik" Launch

The ARRL has weighed into the burgeoning controversy over messages gathered by the Swatch watch company and programmed for transmission on 2 meters from the mini-Sputnik satellite. In a fax today, League Executive Vice President David Sumner, K1ZZ, suggested to Swatch Group CEO Nicolas E. Hayek that the Swiss firm cancel the launch of the "Beatnik" satellite and use a commercial satellite for its project instead.

Thanks for nothing, Baldthonia.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

423. Re: *** How do you remove

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <IhPO2.185$K%.300@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146229

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 05:41:29 GMT pgoody@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Jason, I am an expierenced radio electronics technician (25+ years) so I will
> see if I can answer your questions.

wow. what a long, self serving answer.

> I would not recommend you try this, unless you
> can afford the mistakes, without a couple months of training/practice. Some
> will disagree but I will gladly fix those mistakes for $65 per hour plus
> parts and shipping.

if the guy needs to take a certiefied course on useing a hammer, then
you may be right. otherwise, he shud just buy a small pair of dikes
and snip off one end of the diode. he can alwayes resolder later or
hire you for $65 per hour.

Oh. Haeve you ever sold hammers to the govnerment?

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

424. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: markv@pixar.com
Message-ID: <7egmjdtks1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3708fc7f.30416257@news.earthlink.net>,
sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com wrote:
> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 16:46:30 GMT, Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote:
>
> >On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 16:24:19 GMT, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:
> >
> >> No one-way transmissions.
> >
> >Hmmmm... the last Sputnik did nothing but one way broadcasts, was this
> >illegal?!? When FO-29 is in digitalker mode, it does one way broadcasts, is
> >this illegal? What am I missing here?
> >
> >73 Jeff W4JEF
>
> Jeff, you are missing the fact that the original SPUTNIK was not an
> AMATEUR RADIO STATION!
>
> Is that obvious enough for everyone?

He didn't say the `original Sputnik', he said the last one, which was a 200mw
beacon hand launched from Mir.

Mark
>
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

425. Re: CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@amsat.org
Message-ID: <370bcfe9.361558477@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146231

Antonio Charron <tonys@epix.net> wrote:

>Stop in http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/
>
3.950 monitor =Phuck you!!

426. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <370bd9de.59824205@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 146232
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 11:17:09 -0700, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>n9jvo@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>A literate person would know that Christ required
>his people to stand a weapons inspection (Luke 22.38).
>
>Being a Christian, by definition, means first knowing
>who Christ really is, not believing what the
>Judaizers want you to believe. Emotion has nothing
>to do with reality.

of course the bible approves of slavery (ephesians and colossians) so
its no wonder it also approves of jew hatred (gospel of john, chapters
7&8 especially)

427. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <370bda37.59912827@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 146233
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 10:44:51 -0700, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>wf3h@ptd.net wrote:
>> ah, as always, the cracker crowd pulls themselves out of their dukes
>> of hazards coloring books long enough to slop something on the
>> screen...
>
>As if following a formula, the liberal DIPWADS pull
>themselves away from Das Kapital just long enough
>to embarrass themselves over what they think they
>know. Wake up, emotion is not reality. Liberals
>are all emotion and feeling, but without logic.\

ah, as always, a well reasoned argument from the folks who think
integration is a commie plot...not one coherent point made, but lots
of ad hominem in lieu of any logic...

428. Re: FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: nexus@ametro.net
Message-ID: <7egl1v$j66$1@osh1.datasync.com>
Source record: 146234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com (ST1A55@email.msn.com) hath said:
:
: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
: Asking $200.00ea + Shipping
: For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/
:
: E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
: Thanks !!! Rich

Are these Type I only, or do they do Type I, II as well? I'm looking
for some mactraxs that do Type II for public safety.
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---------------------------- / Heartbeat of America /
---------------------------- / http:// www.ametro.net/nexus /
--------------------------- /_____________ __________/
|_______|

429. Re: 6m CW questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nicholas Geovanis <nickgeo@merle.acns.nwu.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.HPP.3.93.990407165144.24476A-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>
Source record: 146235

On Wed, 7 Apr 1999 Tom@astro.net wrote:

> Nick,
> Cw can also be used on 2m, just a reminder. The 98-99 repeater directory
> lists 50.0-50.1 for cw,beacons, 50.1-50.3 for ssb,cw
> 50.3-50.6 all modes.

OK, thanks. Same questions for 2-meters then:
Any schedule or gentleman's-agreement-bandplan for Technician
code-practice? Any homebrew 2-meter (QRP or not) CW transmitter plans?

> 73,
> Tom
>
> In article <Pine.HPP.3.93.990406142705.9220B-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>,
> n-geovanis@nwu.edu wrote:
> >In studying for the technician license, I noted that a technician has CW
> >privileges on 6m. It seemed to me that making use of this might help
> >prepare for the tech-plus upgrade and QRP DX by providing some CW
> >experience before hitting real DX conditions, especially at low-power. Are
> >there any "reserved" freqs or nets for this purpose on 6m?
> >
> >Also: I have a number of QRP CW transmitter plans at home, but as far as I
> >can tell, none intended for 6m. Is this caused by an FCC/United Nations
> >conspiracy to pollute my purity-of-essence with overseas communist
> >propaganda, or are there more complicated reasons? :-D Can anyone point me
> >at some 6m CW QRP transmitter plans?
> >
> >+-------------------->
> >| Nick Geovanis
> >| IT Computing Svcs
> >| Northwestern Univ
> >V n-geovanis@nwu.edu
> >
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>
>

>

+-------------------->
| Nick Geovanis
| IT Computing Svcs
| Northwestern Univ
V n-geovanis@nwu.edu

430. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dennis W. Ostrowski" <dwostrowski@lucent.com>
Message-ID: <370BDBCD.EFA8FA1A@lucent.com>
Source record: 146236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> As a mugwump on the subject I say - You can save CW for TRADITION or kiss it
> off but you should make more comprehensive theory exams for TECHNOLOGY. I am
> an ARRL member. I do not blindly follow all of the ARRL leaders
> concepts...but I do know that Hams need the ARRL just as the ARRL needs hams.

Boy did you just say a mouthful!

And I agree completely!

I also believe that every HAM operator be required to periodically
re-certify or upgrade.

> I must say that I agree that the above concept of 100% pass would be a step
> in the right direction and as such it is not IMHO a bad idea. HOWEVER I do
> not believe that it is enough to make future Hams much better qualified than
> at present. If we continue to use fixed Q & A exams we will still have
> applicants who can score 100% and not have the slightest idea of the meanings
> of any of the questions or their answers.

I believe that we have some of them frequently posting to this
newsgroup.

> We will still have many who
> believe that an answer is the correct choice only because it was the correct
> answer in the Q & A pool book. Another important point IMHO is that we need
> more classes.... that is Ham license classes... so that sequential exams can
> be given with time between them for serious progressive study. Communication
> technology can not be learned with only four exams or less...I suggest at
> least eight.

I'm really beginning to like this guy!

> A final point that I must make here is that the content of the
> exams and the level of the technology must be brought up to modern standards.
> We can not just test for the current ham modes and technologies but should
> test for the knowledge that you can expect of a Ham who is prepared to be a
> modern day experimenter especially for the highest class Ham tickets.

Right on!

> This
> means that many of the people who now get involved in generating the Ham
> exams may not be qualified themselves and we need to get more up dated people
> involved. We need people who are at the level of understand Shannon and
> information theory, for example, to write the questions or at least to decide

> what types of questions are now important in the real world of electronic
> communication.

Sounds like a good plan.

Call me when you get it in place and I'll be one of the first to take
the test.

Dennis

#12

431. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: brewsterc@excite.com
Message-ID: <brewsterc-0704991753350001@pm6-202.msp.infi.net>
Source record: 146237

Marv Luse wrote:

> If you have a receiver try listening to the W1AW code broadcasts once
> you have the entire alphabet memorized. I found this very helpful.

My problem with the W1AW practice is that the text isn't much like what people actually send on the air, and certainly not like a QSO or an FCC test. In fact I have trouble finding examples that are really similar to the test. The MFJ 418 is good because it has QSO practice (with enough randomness that you can't memorize everything), but a few things aren't like the test. It never uses some of the prosigns that are on the test (AR, slant, etc) and it repeats callsigns, names, etc. Of course I can just discipline myself not to take advantage of the repeated parts. My suggestion to MFJ would be to "teach to the test"-- make their practices include everything that's tested.

Request: If you respond to this posting, please send me a copy. My net access is intermittent. Many thanks...

Christopher Brewster, kc0evq
Plymouth Minnesota
brewsterc@excite.com

432. Coin with Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: brewsterc@excite.com
Message-ID: <brewsterc-0704991813460001@pm6-202.msp.infi.net>
Source record: 146238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.collecting.coins

A Canadian friend of mine who collects coins sent me a 1944 Canadian "nickel" that has a message in Morse around the edge. Its says "We win when we work willingly." (Looks like a W exercise for code practice.) The code is a bit strangely spaced and some of the detail is obscured on mine. The number of cents is represented by the roman numeral V to double as the victory kind of V. The coin I have is what we used to call a "steely" and it comes complete with certified-genuine WWII-era rust.

If you find one of these, the message starts at the bottom. You'll need a good magnifier and something to hold the coin.

Maybe the coin collectors can tell me more about this coin-- what years was it made? Were they all steel?

Request: If you respond to this posting, please send me a copy. My net access is intermittent. Many thanks...

Christopher Brewster, kc0evq
Plymouth Minnesota
brewsterc@excite.com

433. Re: TEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <QRRO2.304$K%.215@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146239

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 22:40:55 GMT root@warez.phantom.com (Dave) wrote:
> On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 20:34:34 GMT, arrl_official_observer <oo@arrl.org> wrote:
> : This e-mail is to inform you that you are in violation of Part 97 of
> : the Communications Act of 1934 as amended.
>
> Oh, what the heck. This post of course came from talkway.com and anybody
> could claim to be "oo@arrl.org". However, I suspect that the real arrl.org
> would take a dim view of you impersonating them as would talkway itself.

why are you so cross? werent you young once? pple here on talkway
just waent to have fun and talk abouet stuff. we doent imprisonate
anyone on pourpise.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

434. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <u2SO2.313$K%.357@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146240

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 22:21:56 GMT wf3h@ptd.net wrote:

> ah, as always, a well reasoned argument from the folks who think
> integration is a commie plot...not one coherent point made, but lots
> of ad hominem in lieu of any logic...

but I doent understand what this has to do with the fcc jaeming hams.
and anyways integration and discrimination was furst thought up by
isaiic newton when he rote his science fiction book on fluxions. later
a germain guy tried to say he invented that stuff but you know how
those guys are.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

435. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <U7SO2.316$K%.355@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146241

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 22:20:14 GMT wf3h@ptd.net wrote:

>
> of course the bible approves of slavery (ephesians and colossians) so
> its no wonder it also approves of jew hatred (gospel of john, chapters
> 7&8 especially)

which makes your hatred okay?

--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

436. WTB Manual for kenwood MC-50 mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Tracy <tnt@tri.net>
Message-ID: <370BEEB2.7AC6EDE4@tri.net>
Source record: 146242

Hi Everyone,

I am looking to buy a manual or copy of a manual for a Kenwood MC-50

mic. Really all i need to know is , what position the plug on the mic
needs to be in for hi or low impedance?
Thanks , Doug kb0pgi

437. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Ireland <direland@drdale.com>
Message-ID: <7egtbo$4uu$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 146243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

First off, anyone with a HOTMAIL account has no right to protest spam, commercialism, or violation of our rights. HOTMAIL is the biggest spam factory alive. AND

Jamming the project in any form is arrogant, and far more unethical and counter productive than the "perceived" intrusion into the space that a few amateurs seem to think they own personally.
The same bigoted attitude of the CB world has moved to space. The sputnik replica may bring a number of new people into the hobby. The threats against it are degrading to everyone associated with amateur radio. They make us all look very bad. Of course Musat and the other Sputnik replicas were not spam, uh, right? How much has amsat France paid to launch "their" satellite?
Get your facts straight before making threats.
See ya on down the road jack_ _ _ _'s

438. HELP: Crossband Rptpr for IC-W32A. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: WILLY <kb0p@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7eg8rc$ad8$1@news.mr.net>
Source record: 146244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I own an Icom IC-W32A handheld xcvr. How do I turn on the crossband
repeater function? The operating manual does NOT cover this feature.

Please email me or post....thanks,--
---Willy, KB0P
email: kb0p@hotmail.com

439. FA kenwood th-79A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Paul Merrell <k6jxy@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <370C029C.3AFDE799@earthlink.net>
Source record: 146245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

here is a pretty good deal the normal list price of this radio is
$379.95. with what you get its a good deal.
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=86300408
good luck.

--
Richard Paul Merrell
k6jxy@earthlink.net
rpaulmerrell@netzero.net
http://home.earthlink.net/~k6jxy
ICQ: 32544231

440. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eh007$43h$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedricsson) wrote:

>Finally a sane voice in this absurd conflict.

The only place it's a conflict, 4-1000, is between
your ears.

73, Jim KH2D

441. Re: HELP: Crossband Rptpr for IC-W32A. How?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: SwTempo <swtempo@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6LTO2.712$s4.4615456@rsnws01.mn.mediaone.net>
Source record: 146247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

WILLY <kb0p@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:7eg8rc$ad8$1@news.mr.net...
> I own an Icom IC-W32A handheld xcvr. How do I turn on the crossband
> repeater function? The operating manual does NOT cover this feature.
>
> Please email me or post....thanks,--
> ---Willy, KB0P
> email: kb0p@hotmail.com
>
>
CROSS BAND REPEATER
1) Turn on Radio
2) Lock the keyboard (look in owners manual on how to do this)
3) Turn off Radio
4) Press and hold [SQL] & [MAIN] & [BAND] & turn the power on

To stop cross band repeat
1) Turn off radio
2) Unlock keyboard

442. Re: A no-code license should be two year, non-renewable.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matt Nelson, N5TKN" <n5tkn@nccinternet.com>
Message-ID: <370bfa6b.0@main>
Source record: 146248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Although I have now passed my 5 wpm code, I was a no-code technician for 8+ years, right after it became available. I have now passed my general written test TWICE, only to still fail at 13 wpm. I must take exception to the person who originally wrote this post (and was too chicken to put his REAL name in) and the second follow up, who also didn't leave a name. I and many others served our communities well with our no-code licenses. I did and still do volunteer with the Office of Emergency Services, the American Red Cross Disaster Relief Services division, as well as functioning as a trained severe weather spotter. I have been as asset to my community, as a reliable communications resource in emergencies. (and I have worked MANY), remember all the tornadoes in March 1997, and 20-30 + so far this year. Unlike you, I do not sit around moaning that the hobby is not what I want it to be, I get out and make it what I want it to be. Sure, I would like to see code done way with, or at least the maximum requirement dropped to either 5 or 13 wpm, but I don't sit around whining about it like many of you who want code mandatory do. There are bad hams who are no-code techs, and there are just as many Extras who are filthy both in person and on the air as well in their language and many are just plain terrible operators in general. Passing morse code does not automatically make one a saint. (Sorry to burst your bubble there, but deny it all you want, it HAS been burst, as you all know this is the truth.)

You can go on believing you are right and I am wrong, but you will fade away and crumble to dust, just like CW, while the rest of us continue to improve and expand our hobby and get on with our lives.

Signed,
Matt Nelson
N5TKN

Cold Steel <No.SP@M.net> wrote in message
news:ekBF2.17$xv.619@newscene.newscene.com...
>
> In article <7c6m16jsj1@usenet45.supernews.com>, Save CW <LEARN@CW.Net>
> wrote:
> >
> >If someone can't learn the code in two years time, then they're too
Stupid
> >& Lazy to be a ham and We don't want'em! Let'em work DX with a cell
phone!
> >
> >The ARRL screwed the hobby, you just wait and see.
> >
> >

> >
> If the people and the arrl would be willing to pull their head out of
their
> ass we wouldn't have a problem with cw and No codes should only use cell
> phones, that way you won't have to hear them whinning on the repeaters.
>
> 73

443. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7eh2f9$12i$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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Jim <kh2d@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message news:7eervi$mop$1@brokaw.wa.com...
> Y ?

Because it's necessary to defend amateur frequencies from
commercial intrusion ... that should be obvious.

>
> "No-Code International TM is a organization dedicated
> to the abolition of the Morse code testing requirement
> as a prerequisite for any class of Amateur Radio license."
>
> Were they gonna send those Swatch messages with
> Morse Code ?

It doesn't matter if they send them in 1024QAM, they have
no business in the amateur satellite band.

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3

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444. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <DDBE8407A61E70D6.13C4EC4C90C536E1.CCE5C5EC7E2E86F9@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146250
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

JJ wrote:
> Yeah, you really display a Christ-like attitude.
> Your are the kind of 'christian' that turns people
> off to Christianity.

And so was Jesus Christ. This brings us back to the
root causes of Waco: a deep and bitter hatred of
Christians on the part of those CIA MK-ULTRA operators
who made up the Cult Awareness Network who were the
only advisors to the FBI at Waco. Satanist and Marxist
just cannot stand Christians.

Returning to the original point of this thread at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
that I have figured out what the nature and content
of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
have two of the documents, and stand ready to
publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□

country, and post them from a safe place.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your☐
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

445. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eh6orbrm1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:

>Jim <kh2d@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message news:7eervimop1@brokaw.wa.com...
>> Y ?

>Because it's necessary to defend amateur frequencies from
>commercial intrusion ... that should be obvious.

O. I C.

It's necessary to rid the world of AIDS too. Is NCI (TM) doing
anything along those lines ?

Has NCI (TM) lodged any formal protests with the government
in Yugoslavia about the problems over there ?

Personally, I would think you jumped on the band wagon for
a little P.R. but that's only my opinion. Anyway, maybe you
you can get Cedric to sign up.

Keep up the good work. What amateur radio needs are
organizations like NCI (TM) to save us from disposable hand
launched Russian space junk. Thousands of lives will be
saved if you can stop the Russians from beaconing 1 watt
voice messages for 30 days.......

73, Jim KH2D

446. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "N. Totenberg" <ntoten@uunet.com>
Message-ID: <370C157A.2EC8AAAC@uunet.com>
Source record: 146252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

This guy must be distrubed. His response to the charges? "lickacrotchy"
nonsense.
Hardly the reply of an innocent man. I've heard these bozos in action, and I
agree
with the original post. These guys have a real potential to do great bodily harm,

given their violent - hatefull and extreme nature.

I understand that the recording of KK7HO's death threats have been posted and
delivered to the authorities. Frankly, I'm surprised that he's still on the air.

Where are you Mr Hollingsworth??

KK7HO wrote:

> Ah bullshit. Why don'y you and your other lickacrotchy net member use a call or
> name. AOL doesn't allow the use of numbers first in the screen name and the
> headers in your post are dead give aways. Grow Up
> CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

447. Re: Coin with Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Norton <sn@ssax.com>
Message-ID: <370C284A.F4976AA@ssax.com>
Source record: 146253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.collecting.coins

Hi Chris,

The Torch & V design was started in 1943 to promote the war effort. 24 million coins were made in 1943 of an alloy called tombac (88% copper, 12% zinc). In 1944 and 1945, about 29 million more were made in steel (nickel and chromium plated). Apparently the plating was applied to the strips of sheet metal and then the blanks were punched out, so while the fields of the coin are well protected, the edges rust easily. A lot like the 1 and 2 pfennig coins of Germany (copper plated steel strips, coins punched from that).

Anyway, you're exactly right about the morse code message. Most coin shops should have one or two of these for sale in excellent condition for about $1 US.

Christopher Brewster wrote:
>
> A Canadian friend of mine who collects coins sent me a 1944 Canadian
> "nickel" that has a message in Morse around the edge. Its says "We win
> when we work willingly." (Looks like a W exercise for code practice.) The
> code is a bit strangely spaced and some of the detail is obscured on mine.
> The number of cents is represented by the roman numeral V to double as the
> victory kind of V. The coin I have is what we used to call a "steely" and
> it comes complete with certified-genuine WWII-era rust.
>
> If you find one of these, the message starts at the bottom. You'll need a
> good magnifier and something to hold the coin.
>
> Maybe the coin collectors can tell me more about this coin-- what years
> was it made? Were they all steel?
> ---
> Request: If you respond to this posting, please send me a copy. My net access is intermittent. Many thanks...
> ---
> Christopher Brewster, kc0evq
> Plymouth Minnesota
> brewsterc@excite.com

448. ten tec model 1210 $100.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <MRVO2.1102$%K3.4874@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 146254
Cross-posted to: 24hoursupport.helpdesk,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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ten tec model 1210 2 meter transverter
10 meters in 2 meters out
excellent condition was factory built....$100.00 plus shipping
73 jack n9iif
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449. Re: Coin with Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Locke <lockem@scrserv.com>
Message-ID: <370C4684.5BF5@scrserv.com>
Source record: 146255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.collecting.coins

Some additional notes:
The V design was engraved by hand directly onto the master
die.

A batch of the chrome-nickel-steel planchets were produced
sans chrome. These look like ordinary nickel 5 cent pieces.

Steve Norton wrote:
>
> Hi Chris,
>
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> million coins were made in 1943 of an alloy called tombac (88% copper,
> 12% zinc). In 1944 and 1945, about 29 million more were made in steel
> (nickel and chromium plated). Apparently the plating was applied to the
> strips of sheet metal and then the blanks were punched out, so while the
> fields of the coin are well protected, the edges rust easily. A lot
> like the 1 and 2 pfennig coins of Germany (copper plated steel strips,
> coins punched from that).
>
> Anyway, you're exactly right about the morse code message. Most coin
> shops should have one or two of these for sale in excellent condition
> for about $1 US.
>

--
S'later, Mike Locke karenml@rahul.net or lockem@scrserv.com
Mike is EAC #4357, LSCC #1636, JRCS #841, ANA #R-170301, CCS #F11
SPPN life member, Australian N.S. #1747, CNS #19309

Visit http://www.rahul.net/karenml for Calgold info and other stuff

450. send me your URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan.Cindric@g-box.fido.hr
Message-ID: <000_9904081630@g-box.fido.hr>
Source record: 146256

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* Crossposted from: TechNet (Public, HAM Conference)

Hi,
If you are amaterradio and have personal home page,
send me your URL and I will add on my home page.
http://members.tripod.com/~CindricI

73 de 9A6GPP
--
---------------------------------------------------------------------
- Fidonet: Ivan Cindric 2:381/102 -
- Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own. -
- G-Box, Samobor, Croatia +385 1 78-38-66 -
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451. FS: Yaesu FT-8100R, FTS-22, YSK-8100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <gaDO2.457$Pw.59255@news21.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146272
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

All above are brand new in boxes with warrantee registration card, manuals, and all other literature. Never mounted. Asking for $475 and shipping for the COMPLETE set. Some have emailed that it is too much but they didn't realize the FTS-22 and YSK-8100 are $75 each. Serious responders only. Thanks.

Jarrod
N5JBB

452. Re: shocking interference from PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hamish Moffatt <hamish@rising.com.au>
Message-ID: <7ef122fqa1@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>
Source record: 146273

Jones <please_dont@qsl.com> wrote:
> Hamish Moffatt
>>I also found that, depending on which antenna I'm using, my mobile phone
>>charger puts nice 2 Hz pulses on lots of bands too, particularly 10 MHz,
>>14 MHz, 18 MHz. If the phone is removed from the charger, it makes
>>constant static instead of pulses. Time to relocate it; too bad I can't
>>relocate the PC.

> How about just plugging the charger and the PC into a switchable power strip,
> and turning the strip off when you operate...

That's an option, but I'd like to use the computer at the same time.
I use the computer all day. And I'd like to operate RTTY, PSK31 etc too.

Hamish
--
Hamish Moffatt Mobile: +61 412 011 176 hamish@rising.com.au

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Internet: http://www.rising.com.au/

453. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: franczabkar@ozeemail.com.au
Message-ID: <370a137e.12234110@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 146274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

On Sun, 4 Apr 1999 18:12:42 -0500, Ron Harshbarger put finger to
keyboard and composed:

>What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches? The
>actual slide surface is not visable but there are holes in the case that
>would allow a spray nozzle extension to be pushed in...

I find that Philips Contact Cleaner, 390CCS, p/n 4822 389 50125 (?) is
excellent for this purpose.

-- Franc Zabkar

Please remove one 'e' from my address when replying by email.

454. Motorola Speaker Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <370B1736.9C07956D@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 146275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment

I picked up a Motorola Speaker Mic, part no. NMN6128C, at a recent hamfest. I need the pin-out for this mic. As I received it, the mic has a "modular" type connector, that appears it would mate with its intended HT by sliding/snapping into place. There are five insulated wires, and one bare stranded wire (ground?). I want to use the mic with my Yaesu FT-50 HT. Any idea where I can find the correct pin-out information?

Motorola's web site is vast and unfriendly to retail customers. I searched in vain for an hour, and don't expect a reply to my email to them until maybe October (of 2003). Thanks for reading, and tres-thanks for replying.
--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

455. CQ DE UE4CAA, special callsign

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Victor S. Bersenev" <rk4cwa@rada1.saratov.su>
Message-ID: <ABUzmpwyZE@rada1.saratov.su>
Source record: 146276

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Hello, all,

UE4CAA is the special callsign,
the station will operate from the field.
dates: 9-12 April, 1999, 0am - 12pm
bands: HF/VHF
modes: CW, SSB (HF), FM (VHF)
QTH: 40km SE from Saratov, Russia, left bank of the Volga river,
the field where Vostok-1, the 1st manned spaceship,
piloted by Yuri Gagarin, landed.
grid loc: LO21XG
in commemoration of: the 38th anniversary of the first manned
spaceflight.
crew: radio amateurs of Saratovskaya Oblast ARC
QSL via: RK4CWA, P.O.Box 5, Saratov 410601 Russia
ex calls: UK4CAA/p, RG4C, RE4C, R4CG, RE92C, RI4C

Welcome everybody for a QSO!

73, de RK4CWA
--
Victor Bersenev, Saratovskaya Oblast Amateur Radio Club +7 8452 50-8572
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456. Re: Noise Generator Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lasse Langwadt Christensen <fuz@kom.auc.dk>
Message-ID: <370B37B3.9BF7E770@kom.auc.dk>
Source record: 146277
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.design,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

John Woodgate wrote:
>
> <7ec9ha$64a$1@sunnews.cern.ch>, Jeroen BELLEMAN <jeroen@psas01.cern.ch>
> inimitably wrote:
> >That last statement, about the difference of two noise sources being
> >better than either source alone, could you elaborate on that a little?
> >I mean, in the case of noise, what's the difference between the
> >difference and the sum, if you get my drift?
>
> The information comes from Bruel & Kjaer, the audio test-gear
> manufacturers. I don't know the mathematical basis, but I trust the
> source.

B&K should be reliable :)

> You may be right about the equivalence of sum and difference for
> pure noise, but I'm not sure it applies if the probability distributions
> of positive and negative excursions from the avalanche diodes are not
> equal. In that case, I think there is sum difference.

I just tried a quick'n'dirty test in Matlab,

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x1=randn(10000,1); %make 10000 random (normal dist.) numbers
x2=randn(10000,1);

y1=(sign(x1).*(1.00001.^x1-1)); % a hack to make it asymmetric
y1=y1-mean(y1); % make sure theres no DC

y2=(sign(x2).*(1.00001.^x2-1));
y2=y2-mean(y2);

plot(y1+y2,'*');
figure
plot(y1-y2,'*');
```

The difference was very clear, y1+y2 is asymmetric around 0, just as y1
and y2 alone,
but y1-y2 is symmetric.

--L2C
--___--_-_-_----_--_-_--__---_-_--__---_-_-_-__--_----
Lasse Langwadt Christensen, MSEE (to be in 1999)
Aalborg University, Department of communication tech.
Applied Signal Processing and Implementation (ASPI)
http://www.kom.auc.dk/~fuz , mailto:langwadt@ieee.org

457. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Neuschaefer <rich556@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <7efe3e$em2$2@camel15.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

cincpac wrote in message <370AF44B.63B4472D@nightmail.com>...
>All these Clintonian fascist rules...::It seems to me that Clinton and
>fascism are diametrically opposed. IMHO, LtCol Oliver North more aptly
>fits the label of fascist than Bill.

Clinton(s) expound fascism. Medical reform ring a bell.
Ollie North is just an asshole.

r556

458. Re: CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@amsat.org
Message-ID: <370b3a0e.323190499@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146279

JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:

>Antonio Charron wrote:
>>
>> Stop in http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/
>
>Why would anyone here want one of those splatter boxes?
I have forwarded this to:www.fcc.gov/cib

459. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e#1#jrOg#GA.59@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping
For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich
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460. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e$WH#rOg#GA.254@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

461. FS: Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u40eNsOg#GA.254@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit
Asking $200.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich
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462. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OWbpbsOg#GA.306@upnetnews05>
Source record: 146283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $250.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

463. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b4b6f.768393@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tim, some people just like to yap senselessly and argue over anything.

If the other guy says "black!" they will say "white!"

Apparently you are one of those argumentative folks who doesn't think beyond just saying the opposite of what the other person says.

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 01:24:31 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>I did not say this, I never once mentioned unethical,

OK< if you want to pick nits, you did not use those exact words, but you DID heavily criticize amateurs for speaking out on their own recognisance and for not waiting until the League spoke for them.

Correct?

Your strong implication was that their behavior was unethical.

You may not have used those EXACT words TIm, but any 3rd grader could figure out that that WAS what you were saying.

Loks like you are incapable of deductive reasoning. At least, not when it doesn't suit you!

464. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb9dnn@gmx.net
Message-ID: <370b3d1b.98079921@news.hasler.ascom.ch>
Source record: 146285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 19:07:27 GMT, wa4gz0@qsl.net (WA4GZ0) wrote:

> Amazing, now I see messages on the Swatch comments site claiming that
> it is all an April fool hoax. From someone named Tim(!) but maybe
> these are phoney? ButtheFrench guy also said it is a "poisson Avril!"
> What is that? April Poison?

I first thought that, too. The fact, that this story started March
20th, makes it unlikely, that this is an April fool.
BTW: poisson != poison. Poisson means fish. "Poisson Avril" is an old
tradition in France. On April 1st You attach paper fish on the back of
people (preferrably in a way, that they won't notice).
>
> Maybe that is French for April Fool!
>

Exactly.

> AMSAT-R apologizes for any trouble witch was brought to amateur
> satellite community and hope that amateurs in the entire world will
> understand this situation and separate AMSAT-R and SCSC. AMSAT-R will
> stop any attempt from SCSC to use AMSAT-R in commercial projects.

If this is true, AMSAT was cheated by SCSC. I do not wonder that, at
the moment Russian companies try to make money from everything You
could dream of. If You want to make business with Russia and Russian
companies, You have to know that.

> Why can't we just leave Swatch alone?

They ARE breaking international treaties, if they use amateur radio
frequencies. I could not find even a single word in their web pages
about operating under a licenced call sign. Instead they even want to
transmit messages from non licenced people adding their (Swatch) name
to every message.
Under these circumstances I can't beleive this NOT to be a commercial
abuse of the strictly NON commercial 2m amateur band.

BTW. I had a phone call yesterday with a guy from BAKOM (Bundesamt
fuer Kommunikation, the Swiss FCC, http://www.bakom.ch/). They haven't
heard of that up to then. As far as the guy knew, Swatch did not
contact the BAKOM about that. It puzzles me, however, that no Swiss
amateur has contacted the BAKOM up to now. Aren't they concerned about
this intrusion?
IMO there are two possibilities:
1. Swatch has made a contract with SCSC without knowing that operating

a commercial satellite on amateur frequencies is illegal. Although I tend to give them a chance (in dubio pro reo) I think this case is unlikely.
2. Swatch simply ignores that they ar doing something illegal claiming responsibility is at SCSC (the operator) and they have a right to transmit their spam (they paid for that right).

The fact, that there is no public statement from Swatch after nearly three weeks of comments sent to their comments page makes me believe, that they try to wait for the complaints to end (one more reason to keep complaining) and that 2. is the most likely case.

BAKOM will investigate the case and (hopefully) keep me informed (as I asked them to do so). If I get new information I will post it to rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc and rec.radio.amateur.policy.

I hope this will come to a happy end. Maybe we even can convince Swatch to support AMSAT in general (this might be the best promotion for them). To convince them to do so we should avoid, however, to send them profane mails with harrassing comments (e.g. the never ending preposterous comparisons with Hitler and Nazi-Germany, which tell actually more about the character of the poster).

Hope this helps

Best 73

Robert HB9DNN
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Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN

465. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b4c51.993765@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 01:24:31 -0400, in ONE paragraph, Tim
<ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

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>persueded
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Hewt on foniks werkt for me, Tym!

466. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b4cc6.1111516@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 01:32:41 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

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>
>Cedric wrote:
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> On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >Well, they sure did, go read the pages. Nothing but hatefull threatening
> letters.
> >
> >Tim ka8ddz
>
> Sigh! What a pathetic exaggeration/lie...
>
> Tim, I have told you a MILLION times NOT to exaggerate!
>
> When you tell Swatch, no more Swatch products in my house ever again, that's a
> threat.
> When you refer to someone as hubris, that's hateful.
> Is this an exaggeration?

YES!

Not only is it an exaggeration, but you have now revealed that it is a
deliberate lie!!

You said that there was QUOTE:

" Nothing but hatefull threatening letters."

Those are YOUR words, Tim!
YOUR Lie!

Did you read it THIS time?????

*** THICK AS A BRICK!! ***

OK, Tim, since you are SOOOOO incredibly dense, I will spell it out
for you.

You apparenly don't realize that WORDS HAVE MEANING!

You apparently are SO emotionally distraught that you do not realize
you are lying to try to over-emphasize (hype) your idea to us!

There were MANY, MANY non threatening messages!

There were even compliments.

There were requests for information.

Tim, you are behaving SO stupidly. Why don't you grow up and stop LYING to try to buttress your faulty position here???

There were no MEAN messages that I saw, and only a small number that said they would actually boycott Swatch!

Most of the messages I saw on there yesterday were just guys politely asking them to reconsider.

Please stop lying Tim, it make your bad reasoning look even worse than it already is, when you do that!

467. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b4df4.1412690@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Tim wrote brainlessly:

>> On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>>
>> >Swatch may have indeed been contacted by AMSAT, but if they were nothing was made
>> >public and the first comment's from AMSAT-F were to boycott Swatch.

((READ THE WORDS TIMMY: Boycott SWATCH... are you WITH US SO FAR??))

(((Wonders of Tim even knows what the word Boycott means!)))

>> >Tim ka8ddz
>>
>> Oh Tim, puhleez stop misrepresenting things!
>>
>> AMSAT never asked amateurs to boycott Swatch!

((NOTE THE WORDS, Tim: BOYCOTT SWATCH))

>From the ARRL page:
>Pidoux apologized for the situation and called on AMSAT organizations to refrain from
>describing the
>contents of the satellite's messages and to discourage listening "to this
>nonamateur-compliant satellite
>using our amateur band." He also asked that the Keplerian elements not be published by
>AMSAT
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>In other words, boycott the satellite. Perhaps a quick look in the dictionary would
>help you to better understand
>what a boycott is.

Ha ha ha ha! THAT is not the point Tim.

YOU have NOT-SO-CLEVERLY changed the subject from
BOYCOTT SWATCH (i.e. not buy thier products) To
BOYCOTT THE SATELLITE!!

Sorry Tim. You fail again. The rest of us DO know how to READ and we
spot your stupid human tricks very easily!

Same tactic as you have used every day this week:
1) Time loses argument
2) Tim changes subject or lies to try to cover up.

Won't work.

>> Some individual hams in the USA did that.
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>And so did AMSAT-F in the letter published on the ARRL site

They did NOT. You are a repetitive LIAR!

The PResident of AMSAT-F did NOT ask amateurs to boycott SWATCH.
You are LYING and you have been CAUGHT in that lie.

>> You really should get a clue!
>
>Perhaps if after reading the above quote you'll have one too.

If you think getting a clue means to accept your lies, then...

SORRY... NO!

468. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <37116343.9110755@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 146289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 07:25:24 -0400, Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org> wrotf:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>
>> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 22:10:59 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>>
>> >mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> >> 22. We modify section 15.121 to clearly prohibit the modification of scanning
>> >> receivers to receive Cellular Service transmissions, regardless of the date
>> >> of manufacture or number of units modified.
>> >
>> >Don't canners receive cell phone transmissions on the image frequencies
>> >without any modifications?
>>
>> Yes, not all of them, but many do.
>
>That topic was addressed by this proceeding, BTW. See paragraphs 12-14
>of:
>http://www.arrl.org/announce/et98-RandO.html
>
>Jon

At least it appears they are not going to make manufacturers embed the
frequency control section in epoxy which would likely render the unit
un repairable without exchanging an expensive entire circuit board.
Sounds like the masked ROM will suffice. Since most amateur radio
transceivers are " type certified " under FCC Part 15 as scanning
receivers this will catch them up in this also.
Gary Fiber
Copyright 1999
Washington State Resident

469. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <v1JO2.1485$qe1.2488@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146290

On 7 Apr 1999 02:13:15 GMT tbone107@aol.com (Tbone107) wrote:
> Sorry, I can't help you, Larry, with the proper pricing of this equipment
> you're selling, but I just want to comment about at least two people who
> responded to your query. I'm pretty certain I'm not alone when I say these 1st
> two responders are jerks. Guys, come on. The poster, the guy asking for some

I just wanetd to comment on you. You said in the thread abouet
Mcdonalds that you sodomised sum guys sister and raped his mother. And
you have the guts to corect sumone else? You must be a Serb.

Pple who live in glass houses shuld not undress.

--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

470. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370B5D16.87220DFC@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

> On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 01:24:31 -0400, in ONE paragraph, Tim
> <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
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> > exaclty
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> >sponser
> >benifited
> >stiffle
>
> Hewt on foniks werkt for me, Tym!

Of course your reply is in line with the rest of your posts, thanks for the spelling check, I suppose I could have spent the time that you did and made sure the comments were grammatically correct but I'm more interested in the discussion than poking fun at misspelled words which you seem to have mastered. I notice once again you come up short on answering the question. Do you have an answer or reply that might add to the discussion or do you just want to sling mud? You never really reply to the questions but rather write cute one liners like "quit while your ahead" and "Hewt on foniks werkt for me, Tym"

The question regarding Swatch was, considering the alternatives, that is, possibly partnering with Swatch to benifit them and the amateur community, what have we accomplished by attempting to stop the Swatch satellite project?

471. Re: Breathing some new life into a club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jabba <vk4wss@NOSPAMqsl.net>
Message-ID: <370b6012@grissom.powerup.com.au>
Source record: 146292

Me to!

danr@izzy.net wrote in message <7e5t5a$423$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I've read through many of the posts on here about amateur radio dying out,
>and while I'm not quite so pessimistic as some, amateur radio is certainly
>not what it was even 10 or 15 years ago. I don't want to bemoan that fact,
>but try to figure out what to do about it.
>
>Specifically, I want to breathe some new life into our club. It would be
>a shame to see this club go under, as it operates several local repeaters
>and provides communications for several local events, as well as works
>with the Red Cross in emergency situations.
>
>So, if any of you have ideas which can help us increase our membership
>and encourage the membership to be more active, I'd love to hear them.
>
>Thanks and 73,
>
>Dan KB6NU
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

472. TESTTESTTEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Snortum Fartsmeller <stinky@farts.com>
Message-ID: <wmJO2.1497$qe1.2659@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146293

TESTTESTTEST
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

473. HEATHKIT METEO STATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN PAUL <F5QE@CSI.COM>
Message-ID: <#7GNCwPg#GA.148@nih2naac.compuserve.com>
Source record: 146294

Help I wanted no theentire doc but only the values for adjustement
to the wind speed... model ID 1590E station meteo ..

I think the luxer model using the same procedure for speed wind
adjustemnt .. If you are the old doc send me only " how many number
ti the front panel in miles for 50 hz line..

Or any way for this info.. merci 73 jean paul F5QE@CSI..COM

474. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370B6359.ECD3AF81@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

> On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 01:24:31 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >I did not say this, I never once mentioned unethical,
>
> OK< if you want to pick nits, you did not use those exact words, but
> you DID heavily criticize amateurs for speaking out on their own
> recognisance and for not waiting until the League spoke for them.
>
> Correct?

Yes that is correct, congratulations, you've correctly interpreted my statement this time without changing the meaning.
Cedric, why do you think we have organizations like AMSAT and the ARRL? In Washington, the ARRL speaks FOR us their comments carry a lot more weight and that's why you organize, I suggested that an organized reply to Swatch would have been more appropriate than the comments sent to Swatches web page and instead of commenting on the subject you bring up first amendment rights and the fact that we live in America. So instead of putting words in my mouth why not comment on my suggestion. Do you feel that AMSAT or the ARRL contacting Swatch directly and suggesting a win win situation would have been more appropriate and accomplished more for the amateur community, or do you think that the comments sent directly to the web page siting international law violations and threats of boycotting Swatch products were better. A simple question Cedric.

Tim

475. Re: spamming; was 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: nexus@ametro.net
Message-ID: <7efoeg$ut6$1@osh1.datasync.com>
Source record: 146296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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Steve Sampson (ssampson@usa-site.net) hath said:
: Do you need a commercial web page?
: I can sell you some space that would be more effective than
: spamming the newsgroups.
: Steve
:
: Tech 55 wrote in message <#yFTeyHg#GA.211@upnetnews05>...
: >2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
: >For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech56/

Something happen to his site? Its not there anymore and
the userid 'radio' is denied when accessing channel21's web
server. They must not like him or something :)
--
,---. Dialup Networking could not negotiate a compatible set
CO-|| Y of network protocols you specified in the server type
O || | settings. Check your network configuration in the control
| D J panel and try the connection again.
// /"""' -- Welcome to Windows 95
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476. Re: Motorola Speaker Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <370B6E3A.627C4CED@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I don't have the schemetic for that mic, however it is for
the Saber series radios. Listed below are the radio connector
pin outs that the mic mates to. You could also remove the back
of the mic and trace the wires and figure it out that way.
Watch out for differences in mic/spkr impedances between
the Yaesu and the Motorola product.
btw, I did this same thing once and "gutted" the Motorola
mic and "gutted" the mic that I wanted to use and just swapped
out the mic and spkr, retaining everything else including the mic
cord so that I didn't have to rewire a new cord, this retained the
original mic cord "look".
. This ensured that I had the same mic and spkr and
it worked great.
Per Motorola Manual # 68P81045C75-0;
pin 1= spkr
pin 2= spkr
pin 3= data
pin 4= mic
pin 5= we*
pin 6= busy
pin 7= opt sel
pin 8= opt b+
pin 9= key/fail*
pin 10= keyload*
pin 11= aux tx/kid*
*Note: some of the pins listed support the encryption equipment
for the radio, and others support eeprom programming of the radio.
Hope this helps. Duane WA6EIK

Will White wrote:

> I picked up a Motorola Speaker Mic, part no. NMN6128C, at a recent
> hamfest. I need the pin-out for this mic. As I received it, the mic has
> a "modular" type connector, that appears it would mate with its intended
> HT by sliding/snapping into place. There are five insulated wires, and
> one bare stranded wire (ground?). I want to use the mic with my Yaesu
> FT-50 HT. Any idea where I can find the correct pin-out information?
>
> Motorola's web site is vast and unfriendly to retail customers. I
> searched in vain for an hour, and don't expect a reply to my email to
> them until maybe October (of 2003). Thanks for reading, and tres-thanks
> for replying.
> --
> Will White, KD7BFX

>
> to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

477. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370B6E9D.1DFF46C8@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

> Tim wrote brainlessly:

> >From the ARRL page:
> >Pidoux apologized for the situation and called on AMSAT organizations to refrain from
> >describing the contents of the satellite's messages and to discourage listening "to this
>
> >nonamateur-compliant satellite using our amateur band."

> He also asked that the Keplerian elements not be published by
> >AMSAT
> >
> >In other words, boycott the satellite. Perhaps a quick look in the dictionary would
> >help you to better understand what a boycott is.
>
> Ha ha ha ha! THAT is not the point Tim.
>
> YOU have NOT-SO-CLEVERLY changed the subject from
> BOYCOTT SWATCH (i.e. not buy thier products) To
> BOYCOTT THE SATELLITE!!

Really? I never mentioned not buying thier products in this post, I did talk about the posts by other amateurs boycotting thier products but didn't mention it with respect to the comments from AMSAT-F, only that they suggested a boycott.

The word Boycott, according to Webster

Boycott (boikot) v. To abstain from buying OR USING to express protest

AMSAT-F is discouraging listening to the satellite. Since the Satellite is sponsored by
Swatch that's a boycott.
You conveniently added (i.e not buy thier products), again I never said that.

> >Swatch may have indeed been contacted by AMSAT, but if they were nothing was made
> >public and the first comment's from AMSAT-F were to boycott Swatch.

Now if someone suggests to you not to listen to K-Rock, and you don't are you not boycotting the radio station?
If someone suggests you don't read the New York Times and you don't are not boycotting the newspaper.
If someone suggests you don't listen to advertisments from Swatch are you not boycotting Swatch?

> Sorry Tim. You fail again. The rest of us DO know how to READ and we
> spot your stupid human tricks very easily!

I just wonder about your comprehention. Tell me Cedric, by discouraging amateurs from listening to the commercials on the Swatch sponsored satellite are you saying that this is not suggesting a boycott? Again, just a simple question. Do you have an answer or more comments about lies and cover ups?

> Same tactic as you have used every day this week:
> 1) Time loses argument
> 2) Tim changes subject or lies to try to cover up.

Ha ha ha, this my favorite. When all else fails let's point out that the other guy is losing the argument, like everyone reading this can't decide for themselves and have to be told by you. har har har

> Won't work.
>
> >> Some individual hams in the USA did that.
> >
> >And so did AMSAT-F in the letter published on the ARRL site
>
> They did NOT. You are a repetitive LIAR!

Yes they did, they discouraged listening to the satellite, that's a boycott.

> The PResident of AMSAT-F did NOT ask amateurs to boycott SWATCH.
> You are LYING and you have been CAUGHT in that lie.

He discouraged amateurs from listening to the satellite, that's called a boycott.

478. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b7793.12069440@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 09:26:46 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
> You never really reply to the questions

Another one of your lies, Tim.

>The question regarding Swatch was, considering the alternatives, that
>is, possibly partnering with Swatch to benifit them and the amateur
>community, what have we accomplished by attempting to stop the Swatch
>satellite project?

Since you didn't read the answer the first time, Tim, I am going to
give it to you ONE LAST TIME. If you don't read it THIS time, I will
not repeat it again for you!

What we have accomplished by attempting to stop someone from breaking
International Laws, is we have stood up for what is right, UNLIKE YOU
who has condoned it like an oaf!

479. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b7834.12230409@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 10:41:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

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Well, "Webster Junior", it is a LITTLE BUT HARD to USE something if
you don't POSSESS it or BUY it in the FIRST PACE!

Ha ha ha ha ha!

You lose again! You LIED when you said AMSAT-F had asked Amateurs to
boycott SWATCH.

You just don't have the balls to admit it!

480. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b7605.11671586@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Finally a sane voice in this absurd conflict. And from an HB9 in
Switzerland, no less!!

Thank you for bringing a voice of reason to an otherwise crazy
situation, to which a few hams choose to turn a blind eye.

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 12:12:48 GMT, hb9dnn@gmx.net (Robert M. Ganter)
wrote:

>On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 19:07:27 GMT, wa4gz0@qsl.net (WA4GZ0) wrote:
>
>> Amazing, now I see messages on the Swatch comments site claiming that
>> it is all an April fool hoax. From someone named Tim(!) but maybe
>> these are phoney? ButtheFrench guy also said it is a "poisson Avril!"
>> What is that? April Poison?
>
>I first thought that, too. The fact, that this story started March
>20th, makes it unlikely, that this is an April fool.
>BTW: poisson != poison. Poisson means fish. "Poisson Avril" is an old
>tradition in France. On April 1st You attach paper fish on the back of
>people (preferrably in a way, that they won't notice).
>>
>> Maybe that is French for April Fool!
>>
>
>Exactly.
>
>> AMSAT-R apologizes for any trouble witch was brought to amateur
>> satellite community and hope that amateurs in the entire world will
>> understand this situation and separate AMSAT-R and SCSC. AMSAT-R will
>> stop any attempt from SCSC to use AMSAT-R in commercial projects.
>
>If this is true, AMSAT was cheated by SCSC. I do not wonder that, at
>the moment Russian companies try to make money from everything You
>could dream of. If You want to make business with Russia and Russian
>companies, You have to know that.
>
>> Why can't we just leave Swatch alone?
>
>They ARE breaking international treaties, if they use amateur radio
>frequencies. I could not find even a single word in their web pages
>about operating under a licenced call sign. Instead they even want to
>transmit messages from non licenced people adding their (Swatch) name
>to every message.

>Under these circumstances I can't beleive this NOT to be a commercial
>abuse of the strictly NON commercial 2m amateur band.
>
>BTW. I had a phone call yesterday with a guy from BAKOM (Bundesamt
>fuer Kommunikation, the Swiss FCC, http://www.bakom.ch/). They haven't
>heard of that up to then. As far as the guy knew, Swatch did not
>contact the BAKOM about that. It puzzles me, however, that no Swiss
>amateur has contacted the BAKOM up to now. Aren't they concerned about
>this intrusion?
>IMO there are two possibilities:
>1. Swatch has made a contract with SCSC without knowing that operating
>a commercial satellite on amateur frequencies is illegal. Although I
>tend to give them a chance (in dubio pro reo) I think this case is
>unlikely.
>2. Swatch simply ignores that they ar doing something illegal claiming
>responsibility is at SCSC (the operator) and they have a right to
>transmit their spam (they paid for that right).
>
>The fact, that there is no public statement from Swatch after nearly
>three weeks of comments sent to their comments page makes me believe,
>that they try to wait for the complaints to end (one more reason to
>keep complaining) and that 2. is the most likely case.
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481. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370b7663.11765683@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Robert, you have spoken the truth!

Here is an update, and you can now see what the attitude of SWATCH
is about the whole thing:

THANKS TO ROB CARLSON for his excellent work on this matter.

Rob got the FACTS instead of just OPINIONS and GUESSWORK, which is
all that most of the rest of the radio amateurs appear to have
bothered to do, especially a certain person who has been making
strident comments and dishonest claims in this newsgroup.

Forwarded Bulletin follows:

Date sent: Wed, 7 Apr 1999
From: Rob Carlson
Subject: Swatch replies, disrepects the amateur community
Organization: University of Maryland Baltimore County

SWATCH PROTEST AND BOYCOTT BULLETIN
April 7, 1999 10:45 EDT
http://rob.carlson.org/swatch-protest

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"Thousands of people from all over the world have sent us their messages
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In case you didn't get that the first time, let me boil away the double-talk with my interpretation of Swatch's words:

"We think we are doing a good thing, and we needed some frequencies, so
we took yours. But since we're doing it for "hope, peace and brotherhood" and "freedom of communication", we didn't think you'd mind
and frankly, we're astonished you're making a big deal out of this."

All I can say to swatch is: Surprise! Amateur radio operators don't take
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fall to earth would be an unintended consequence. Just one mouse click
away, however, on the page:

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they write that their use of the amateur frequencies will "[allow] radio-rads worldwide to listen to your voice." Radio-rads. Worldwide.
So which is the intended audience for the satellite? Space, or the "radio-rads" of Earth? Perhaps Swatch can clarify this contradiction.

Since I saw the reply this morning, the thought on my mind has been, "Wow,
we did it. Now what?" The question now is where do we go from here?

Both myself and Ron Hashiro, AH6RH, had anticipated that once Swatch understood the nature of the applicable international laws and the underlying spirit of the amateur space service, that they would rush to
cancel the project. However, this has turned out not to be the case.

Ed Mitchell, KF7VY, wrote to me yesterday that, "It is hard to imagine that during what must have taken six months or more of negotiations and
contract executions between SWATCH and the Russian Space Agency, the legal
issues of this never came up. They had a lot of time to understand the issues." Now it's obvious that the issues were understood, and ignored.

A single sentence paragraph in Swatch's letter to amateur operators reads,
"It is a great opportunity for Amateur Radio to gain an even wider audience." That's all well and good, except this morning's letter is the
first mention that the Swatch company has made of the amateur community
since I first visited their web site on February 20, 1999. If amateur radio operators had not responded with such dedicated ferocity over the
last four days, I don't believe that Swatch had any intention of including
the amateur community in their Beatnik marketing campaign.

If Swatch continues to be so cavalier and unapologetic over their use of
the amateur spectrum, it's clear that official action will have to be taken in order to prevent future abuses by their company, and others who
might follow their lead.

Andrew Reynolds, WD9IYT, believes that the most effective step is to directly file a formal complaint about this illegal operation with the ITU
via the FCC. They might not be able to fine Swatch, or the Russian space
concern that is helping them, but they inquire with the respective governments, and make them pay attention to this issue. He says that

"A
boycott of Swatch products would be a non-event if it is only hams
(remember, there just ain't that many of us), and writing them
nastigrams
is something that they're probably going to just ignore. Smack' em
across
the face with a government enquiry and they're gonna wonder what hit
them."

Tony, K4KYO, also suggested writing letters to the Swiss Embassy in
Washington, DC, quoting applicable regulations and ITU treaty
provisions
protesting the misuse of the ham bands for commercial purposes. I
have no
specific information or addresses for the Embassy, but if anyone does
please send them to me at rcarls2@umbc.edu.

Ed Mitchell, KF7VY, has detailed the ITU violations on his web site:

http://hamradio-online.com

and writes, "The ITU has a prohibition on third party traffic (except
where agreements exist between countries) of the type planned by
SWATCH,
regardless of whether it is commercial or not, in nature. Even if this
were to be turned into non-commercial messages, the use of Amateur
satellite and Amateur frequencies in this manner is clearly beyond the
realm of reasonable."

"If SWATCH can set up an ad campaign around this theme, and, SWATCH
can
use Amateur frequencies to transmit non-commercial messages as a
matter of
"Good will" - where does it stop? Imagine if other companies adopt
this
scheme - collecting non-commercial messages in association with the
marketing of a new product and transmitting them from satellite . . .
In
effect, Amateur satellite frequencies can be legally commandeered for
use
by corporations engaged in bona fide marketing activities. And that
would
be the end of the use of Amateur satellite frequencies by Amateurs."

Ron Hashiro, AH6RH, writes, "The actual on-the-air activity is a third
party traffic that has one requisite word within the message content."

"However, the word (a registered trademark) and what it supports (as
revealed by the current web and marketing campaign) supports a
financial
interest that is advanced by a message given on-the-air within the
amateur

radio service, which violates the SPIRIT of the ITU rules. One would never expect this type of activity to occur on any amateur radio band anywhere within the world."

"More importantly than just the on-the-air activity, it diverts the voluntary efforts and unpaid contributions of many amateurs into an effort
that they were not aware would have an immediate commercial outcome which
violates the above spirit of ITU rules. I believe these licensed amateur
technicians/operators have strong feelings about the project as originally
conceived as they would not willingly advance a commercial venture with a
trademark message that is being sent on-the-air."

One suggestion I have received is to begin other amateur operations on the
Beatnik frequency of 145.815 such as digipeaters, beacons, and simplex communication. Remember that as far as FCC and (I believe) ITU regulations are concerned, unlicensed operations on the amateur frequencies have no rights as far as use and interference complaints and
are essentially non-existent.

However, I can't endorse this course of action since the impact on other
frequencies in the amateur satellite portion of the two meter band isn't
really certain, and I doubt that Swatch is too concerned about if anyone
actually hears the message, as long as they're thinking about Swatch all
the while they're trying.

Other suggestions have been similar and include overloading the satellite
uplink. I've been told that the actual makeup of the satellite digital
audio circuit is almost identical RS-17 and RS-18. In my first alert message, I misunderstood the following quote from an AMSAT bulletin:

"Up to ten messages will be transmitted by the tiny, battery powered satellite. Each message will be 7 seconds long and include a 7 second pause."

Now I realize that it referred to ten total pre-recorded messages on the
satellite, and that the satellite could be programmed to cycle through these ten messages by changing to another one every 24 hour period. There

is no uplink frequency because their is no uplink, and the satellite cannot change or remove the messages at any time during the operational
life of the unit. I apologize for the confusion.

At this point my opinion is that we should try one last time to encourage
Swatch to do the ally themselves with the amateur community. The following suggestions come again from Ron Hashiro, AH6RH, on the steps that we should tell Swatch to take:

* Immediately communicate to AMSAT-FR and the amateur community that it
now understands the full magnitude of the spirit underlying the applicable
international law and is willing to remedy the situation by modifying the
project, with AMSAT-FR's approval.

* Would like to reposition the project in part as a corporate sponsor of
amateur radio and the amateur radio space service. (It may also find other adjoining ways to reposition the project appropriately.)

* Acknowledge and thank AMSAT-FR, other AMSAT type organizations including
AMSAT-Russia and the amateurs that makes amateur radio satellites possible.

* Obtain assurances from the Russian agency that it would not solicit future corporate clients in the previous fashion that would expose future
clients to adverse public reaction.

* Publicly thank the Russian agency for their part in making the "revised" project possible.

* Update their web-site and marketing campaign accordingly.

* Acknowledgement by all sides that the lesson learned is that the message
content of an on-the-air operation within the amateur radio service should
not advance the financial interests of commercial companies.

73 and good luck,
Rob Carlson, KC2AEI

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From: larrygat@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eg15gaia1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146303

In article <7e5o4k$5d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
rwhipkey@netzero.net wrote:
> I am looking for the Fall 98 issue of "Communications Quarterly" magazine.
...

Just a little related FYI on Magazines - found at great subscription site at:

http://nbaf.com

well worth a look, selection/value - Lar

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

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Message-ID: <7efuch$i27$2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146304
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hb9dnn@gmx.net (Robert M. Ganter) wrote:

>> Why can't we just leave Swatch alone?

>They ARE breaking international treaties, if they use amateur radio
>frequencies. I could not find even a single word in their web pages
>about operating under a licenced call sign.

Ponder this for a minute, Robert. Who does the satellite belong to ?
And who launched it ?

If the pizza store up the road paid me $50 to advertise their pizza
on a VHF repeater, and every 5 minutes I announced on the VHF
repeater "THE PIZZA STORE UP THE STREET HAS GREAT PIZZA -
CALL THEM AT 555-1212 FOR FREE DELIVERY", who will the FCC
issue the violation notice to, me or the pizza store ?

Hello AMSAT Russia.......

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sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

>((READ THE WORDS TIMMY: Boycott SWATCH... are you WITH US SO FAR??))

>(((Wonders of Tim even knows what the word Boycott means!)))

Hey Cedric, why don't you and Tim exchange email addresses so
you two can piss on each other without getting the rest of us wet.
This is long past a Swatch discussion, in case you haven't noticed.

Amazing what some people think is important........

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hb9dnn@gmx.net (Robert M. Ganter) wrote:

>I hope this will come to a happy end. Maybe we even can convince
>Swatch to support AMSAT......

Fat chance after all the nice 'comments' they have received
from the amateur community.

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Message-ID: <AB008FE4E70CADF1.5634A3080312DDAB.D1869F1C44D55733@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 146307
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

n9jvo@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> By definition, Christian is to be Christ like.
> I have yet to read anywhere in the bible any
> remarks made by Jesus that were as hatefull
> and mean-spirited as yours. Rick - N9JVO

That is because you are illiterate!!!

A literate person would know that Christ told
the Jews that they are the spiritual offspring
of Satan.

A literate person would know that Christ required
his people to stand a weapons inspection (Luke 22.38).

Being a Christian, by definition, means first knowing
who Christ really is, not believing what the
Judaizers want you to believe. Emotion has nothing
to do with reality.

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wf3h@ptd.net wrote:
> ah, as always, the cracker crowd pulls themselves out of their dukes
> of hazards coloring books long enough to slop something on the
> screen...

As if following a formula, the liberal DIPWADS pull
themselves away from Das Kapital just long enough
to embarrass themselves over what they think they
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are all emotion and feeling, but without logic.

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Let me remind you that Jesus made his people
stand a weapons inspection in the Garden of
Gesemane (Luke 22:38) and was executed for
leading a band of insurgents. He also very
rudely beat the moneychangers with a whip.

Your efforts to change the true nature and
character of Christ have failed. Emotion
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Cedric wrote:
> Trouble is, you are being RUDE!
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to
cancel the project. However, this has turned out not to be the case.

Ed Mitchell, KF7VY, wrote to me yesterday that, "It is hard to imagine that during what must have taken six months or more of negotiations and contract executions between SWATCH and the Russian Space Agency, the legal issues of this never came up. They had a lot of time to understand the issues." Now it's obvious that the issues were understood, and ignored.

A single sentence paragraph in Swatch's letter to amateur operators reads, "It is a great opportunity for Amateur Radio to gain an even wider audience." That's all well and good, except this morning's letter is the first mention that the Swatch company has made of the amateur community since I first visited their web site on February 20, 1999. If amateur radio operators had not responded with such dedicated ferocity over the last four days, I don't believe that Swatch had any intention of including the amateur community in their Beatnik marketing campaign.

If Swatch continues to be so cavalier and unapologetic over their use of the amateur spectrum, it's clear that official action will have to be taken in order to prevent future abuses by their company, and others who might follow their lead.

Andrew Reynolds, WD9IYT, believes that the most effective step is to directly file a formal complaint about this illegal operation with the ITU via the FCC. They might not be able to fine Swatch, or the Russian space concern that is helping them, but they inquire with the respective governments, and make them pay attention to this issue. He says that "A boycott of Swatch products would be a non-event if it is only hams (remember, there just ain't that many of us), and writing them nastigrams is something that they're probably going to just ignore. Smack' em across the face with a government enquiry and they're gonna wonder what hit them."

Tony, K4KYO, also suggested writing letters to the Swiss Embassy in Washington, DC, quoting applicable regulations and ITU treaty provisions protesting the misuse of the ham bands for commercial purposes. I have no specific information or addresses for the Embassy, but if anyone does

please send them to me at rcarls2@umbc.edu.

Ed Mitchell, KF7VY, has detailed the ITU violations on his web site:

http://hamradio-online.com

and writes, "The ITU has a prohibition on third party traffic (except where agreements exist between countries) of the type planned by SWATCH,
regardless of whether it is commercial or not, in nature. Even if this were to be turned into non-commercial messages, the use of Amateur satellite and Amateur frequencies in this manner is clearly beyond the realm of reasonable."

"If SWATCH can set up an ad campaign around this theme, and, SWATCH can
use Amateur frequencies to transmit non-commercial messages as a matter of
"Good will" - where does it stop? Imagine if other companies adopt this
scheme - collecting non-commercial messages in association with the marketing of a new product and transmitting them from satellite . . . In
effect, Amateur satellite frequencies can be legally commandeered for use
by corporations engaged in bona fide marketing activities. And that would
be the end of the use of Amateur satellite frequencies by Amateurs."

Ron Hashiro, AH6RH, writes, "The actual on-the-air activity is a third party traffic that has one requisite word within the message content."

"However, the word (a registered trademark) and what it supports (as revealed by the current web and marketing campaign) supports a financial
interest that is advanced by a message given on-the-air within the amateur
radio service, which violates the SPIRIT of the ITU rules. One would never expect this type of activity to occur on any amateur radio band anywhere within the world."

"More importantly than just the on-the-air activity, it diverts the voluntary efforts and unpaid contributions of many amateurs into an effort
that they were not aware would have an immediate commercial outcome which
violates the above spirit of ITU rules. I believe these licensed amateur
technicians/operators have strong feelings about the project as originally
conceived as they would not willingly advance a commercial venture with a

trademark message that is being sent on-the-air."

One suggestion I have received is to begin other amateur operations on the
Beatnik frequency of 145.815 such as digipeaters, beacons, and simplex
communication. Remember that as far as FCC and (I believe) ITU
regulations are concerned, unlicensed operations on the amateur
frequencies have no rights as far as use and interference complaints and
are essentially non-existent.

However, I can't endorse this course of action since the impact on other
frequencies in the amateur satellite portion of the two meter band isn't
really certain, and I doubt that Swatch is too concerned about if anyone
actually hears the message, as long as they're thinking about Swatch all
the while they're trying.

Other suggestions have been similar and include overloading the satellite
uplink. I've been told that the actual makeup of the satellite digital
audio circuit is almost identical RS-17 and RS-18. In my first alert
message, I misunderstood the following quote from an AMSAT bulletin:

"Up to ten messages will be transmitted by the tiny, battery powered
satellite. Each message will be 7 seconds long and include a 7 second
pause."

Now I realize that it referred to ten total pre-recorded messages on the
satellite, and that the satellite could be programmed to cycle through
these ten messages by changing to another one every 24 hour period. There
is no uplink frequency because their is no uplink, and the satellite
cannot change or remove the messages at any time during the operational
life of the unit. I apologize for the confusion.

At this point my opinion is that we should try one last time to encourage
Swatch to do the ally themselves with the amateur community. The
following suggestions come again from Ron Hashiro, AH6RH, on the steps
that we should tell Swatch to take:

* Immediately communicate to AMSAT-FR and the amateur community that it
now understands the full magnitude of the spirit underlying the
applicable

international law and is willing to remedy the situation by modifying the
project, with AMSAT-FR's approval.

* Would like to reposition the project in part as a corporate sponsor of
amateur radio and the amateur radio space service. (It may also find
other adjoining ways to reposition the project appropriately.)

* Acknowledge and thank AMSAT-FR, other AMSAT type organizations including
AMSAT-Russia and the amateurs that makes amateur radio satellites
possible.

* Obtain assurances from the Russian agency that it would not solicit
future corporate clients in the previous fashion that would expose future
clients to adverse public reaction.

* Publicly thank the Russian agency for their part in making the
"revised" project possible.

* Update their web-site and marketing campaign accordingly.

* Acknowledgement by all sides that the lesson learned is that the message
content of an on-the-air operation within the amateur radio service should
not advance the financial interests of commercial companies.

73 and good luck,
Rob Carlson, KC2AEI

490. Re: Swatch proposes to begin advertising on 2m via satellite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Ireland <direland@drdale.com>
Message-ID: <370B89FA.DC4DCA0F@drdale.com>
Source record: 146311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> If you bothered to read the Swatch site you would know they don't plan to transmit
> ANY ads.

What about the endless HI HI from Musat and some other inane amateur spams that everyone seems so proud of. This project may be beneficial by creating interest in the hobby among a much wider group than is usually reached. I know a number of people who got excited about amateur radio and satellites after hearing the first Sputnik40 replica on scanners.
A few arrogant individuals seem to think they own the airwaves just like the internet hackers who think they own the net and slowed it down when one of them got jail time.

"Jamming" this project in any form is a very "low brow" response. Who gave you the right to speak for everyone.

Dale Ireland
47.7N 122.7W
Astronomy web page http://www.drdale.com
Comets, Eclipses, Satellites, Photography, Fabrications
mailto:direland@drdale.com

491. Re: shocking interference from PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <please_dont@qsl.com>
Message-ID: <7eg1m8$l7o$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 146312

Hamish Moffatt wrote
>That's an option, [power strip switch] but I'd like to use the computer at the same time.
>I use the computer all day. And I'd like to operate RTTY, PSK31 etc too.

If all you need is RTTY, PSK31, logging, ect, then try picking up an older slower computer. I've found that some of the old 286/386/486's were much better shielded than the newer ones. Further the slower speeds (25, 33, ect) didn't seem to produce as many birdies. Also much of the RFI is caused by the monitor. An old laptop with an LCD screen solves this. The old laptop power supplies were separate boxes that you could move away from your equipment, although I never had any trouble with RFI from them. The prices are amazing. I recently picked up a working 386 for $20 at a swapmeet. It was capable of most ham activities and had an LCD orange screen. It had no RFI at all (at my place, locations may vary)...

492. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy's Player Piano Service <tempola@i1.net>
Message-ID: <QkMO2.161$U5.4256547@news1.i1.net>
Source record: 146313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.roller-coaster

I used to not believe in reincarnation.....
however, your posting convinced me of this:

I do believe, Because I dont think you could become so dumb in just ONE
lifetime!
Andy
Trent Phillips wrote in message <7ee4vp$c43$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
>
>In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
>
>>Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>>
>>Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
>>
>>Click here -> http://orbita.starmedia.com/~luizhenrique/reincarnation.html
>>ckomlojfcpuoeyhxcmxjvjegpbkwsrcproxsuflencueoisevxrzdwsmkdvwbu
>>
>>
>
> Let's see, since we posting this stuff on rec.radio.shortwave...
>
>
>
> My Drake SW8 was a Philco Tombstone in it's past life.
>
> My Sony 7600G was a transistor AM back in the late 50's
>
> My Sangean 818 was an 8-track player back in '73.
>
> As for my Baygen, it was a detector back in 1915 !
>
>
>--
>"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
>----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

493. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eg3ke$imn@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric <sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com> wrote and wrote and wrote and wrote...

Tim, quit teasing Cedric. You know how excited he gets.

494. WANT YOUR OWN FREE HAM RADIO WEB PAGE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1qq@qsl.net
Message-ID: <370b9ca4.449036@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146315

You can get a FREE Ham Radio web page at QSL.NET..!!

NOW...Do you need help putting one up?? I can make one for you, and
put the web page up for you! You just have to give me the information
for FTP upload to your page..

All I ask is a 'donation' for my time.. Let me know if you want to
discuss this further.....

Check out my Ham Radio Page as an example.....

n1qq@qsl.net

N1QQ

495. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mshannon@[nospam]
Message-ID: <370b9479.137021276@news.istep.com>
Source record: 146316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.roller-coaster

On 6 Apr 1999 23:22:33 GMT, jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent Phillips) wrote:

>
>In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
>
>>Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>>
>
Yes.
I believe you will be reincarnated as the only tree on a planet populated exclusively by dogs.

496. gear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <I3OO2.1013$%K3.5021@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 146317
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

i am relisting some gear i have for sale.the qrp rig is again for sale due
to deal fell thru.
sorry i didnt keep the old e-mails on others who wanted it.
so here goes:

index labs qrp plus s/n o678 excellent condition works great....$225.00

atlas 210x hf rig 80-10 solid state with slide in console works great good
shape....$175.00..o.b.o

ten tec model 1210 factory assembled transverter, 10 meters in 2 meters out
excellent cond....$150.00..o.b.o.

thanks jack n9iif

497. Re: CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "3.950 Monitor" <3950mon@aol.com>
Message-ID: <370BAAFB.F2CC9B7F@aol.com>
Source record: 146318

''Donnie'' wrote:

> JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:
>
> >Antonio Charron wrote:
> >>
> >> Stop in http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/
> >
> >Why would anyone here want one of those splatter boxes?
> I have forwarded this to:www.fcc.gov/cib

Nobody likes a snich. (except KK7HO, that is...)

498. Re: Extra & Advanced study-guides?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <370BB12D.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 146319

BD wrote:
>
> Hmm.. My local Radio-Shack doesn't carry those.. ;)
> Does Gordon West, or someone else, have 'em?
> I'm still studying for the Plus (hopefully get that one this
> weekend!) and General license, but just wanted to 'browse'...

Have you asked the sales people, at the Radio Shack store,
if you could order them? They are usually pretty good at that
kind of thing.

Another source would be Amateur Electronic Supply. They have
them listed on their web site, "http://www.aesham.com/",
for $11 each.

When you think you are ready for one of the written tests, try
this site:

AA9PW's Amateur Radio Exam Practice Page at
http://www.biochem.mcw.edu/Postdocs/Simon/radio/exam.html

You can get a real good idea of whether you are really ready
for one of the tests. It really helped me through the Tech,
General, and Advanced tests. I'll let you know how it does for
the Extra test in May.

Another site would be the following, but I like the first one
the best.

Ham Exam: Amateur Radio Practice Exams
http://w5ac.tamu.edu/ham-exam-v2/ham-exam.html

Here is a few more sites that might be of interest:

Morse Code Practice Java Applet
http://www.teklasoft.com/java/applets/morse/morse.htm

I haven't tried it yet, but it might be nice.

Ham/Morse Academy - AH0A
http://www.speroni.com/AH0A.html

This is a great program for studying your code.

Martin

--
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Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT

Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory. Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

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499. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370BA523.436B@no.net>
Source record: 146320
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

George Zimmerlee wrote:
>
> n9jvo@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > By definition, Christian is to be Christ like.
> > I have yet to read anywhere in the bible any
> > remarks made by Jesus that were as hatefull
> > and mean-spirited as yours. Rick - N9JVO
>
> That is because you are illiterate!!!
>
> A literate person would know that Christ told
> the Jews that they are the spiritual offspring
> of Satan.
>
> A literate person would know that Christ required
> his people to stand a weapons inspection (Luke 22.38).
>
> Being a Christian, by definition, means first knowing
> who Christ really is, not believing what the
> Judaizers want you to believe. Emotion has nothing
> to do with reality.
>

> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> --
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

Yeah, you really display a Christ-like attitude. Your are the kind of
'christian' that turns people off to Christianity.

500. Most hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: F B Siher <burt@gill.net>
Message-ID: <PLOO2.167$K%.328@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146321

Most hams are dead but don't know it yet.

F B
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

501. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370aa321.24203499@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146435
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

How DARE you insult the Dukes like THAT!?

They were just some good ole boys!

:-)

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 03:08:57 GMT, wf3h@ptd.net wrote:

>On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 17:29:40 -0800, George Zimmerlee
><geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>
>>This is a classic example of liberals who have no
>>knowledge of the issues, but this never seems to
>>prevent them from embarrassing themselves by showing
>>how little that they know.
>
>ah, as always, the cracker crowd pulls themselves out of their dukes
>of hazards coloring books long enough to slop something on the
>screen...
>

502. Re: 6m CW questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7ee8mv$b5n$2@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 146436

Nick,
Cw can also be used on 2m, just a reminder. The 98-99 repeater directory
lists 50.0-50.1 for cw,beacons, 50.1-50.3 for ssb,cw
50.3-50.6 all modes.

73,
Tom

In article <Pine.HPP.3.93.990406142705.9220B-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>,
n-geovanis@nwu.edu wrote:
>In studying for the technician license, I noted that a technician has CW
>privileges on 6m. It seemed to me that making use of this might help
>prepare for the tech-plus upgrade and QRP DX by providing some CW
>experience before hitting real DX conditions, especially at low-power. Are
>there any "reserved" freqs or nets for this purpose on 6m?
>
>Also: I have a number of QRP CW transmitter plans at home, but as far as I
>can tell, none intended for 6m. Is this caused by an FCC/United Nations
>conspiracy to pollute my purity-of-essence with overseas communist
>propaganda, or are there more complicated reasons? :-D Can anyone point me
>at some 6m CW QRP transmitter plans?
>
>+-------------------->
>| Nick Geovanis
>| IT Computing Svcs
>| Northwestern Univ
>V n-geovanis@nwu.edu
>

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

503. Re: Swatch sattelite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7ee8f0$b5n$1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 146437

In article <7ec030$140$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
>At least one message on the Swatch website www.swatch.com has suggested
>that amateurs deliberatly transmit on the satellite frequency so that
>interested listeners will be denied the fun of hearing the Swatch
>sattelite. If I am unable to hear the sattelite due to amateur radio
>interferance I will be most annoyed.
>
>Instead of encouraging immature amateurs from posting silly messages
>to the website you should be encouraging people to post useful information
>on how and when to hear the satelitte. In this case the FCC has no
>authority so why not go with the flow? It's not as if the whole band
>is going to be rendered useless by this fun project.
>
>I just hope that Swatch don't consider a boycott by a few radio amateurs
>to be anything to worry about.
>
>I would like to know what sort of setup I need to hear the sattelite and
>what specific frequency and mode I need to listen on.
>
>Enjoy.
>Barry

It's 200Mw signal is said to be 145.815. A scanner and good antenna should
pick it up. Mode is FM. If they actually advertise over the air with it I
think it's wrong however.

73,
Tom

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Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

504. KH2D Live for 2 Things

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: a_real_hip_serb_dude@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eeglr$3hg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146438

Food and DX net obsessions. Why not then see to it that Unslim Jim make substance reductions of both, then maybe fat ass will vanish like the weight watching.

Not all of NATO Air Farce "friends" in states can run the big linears and not all are the prickers who put towers in their properties. So too do not all Euros need to show size of their artificial penises through ham radio toys.

Better even, you jump into water off Guam where sharks eat your porkbutt try then to swim to Asia and if you make it work satellites that you say are QRMed so we never hear you against.

Swatch sucks NATO MILSPEC MRE meat jerky rods.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

505. TEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous@anonymous.anonymous
Message-ID: <370aae7e.850503@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 146439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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http://www.radiotelephone.net/mcgill/
http://www.radiotelephone.net/immigration/ (UNDER CONSTRUCTION)
For Sale: leotard.net & radiotelephone.net $5,000 US each.
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506. shocking interference from PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hamish Moffatt <hamish@rising.com.au>
Message-ID: <7eedgr$4ia$1@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>
Source record: 146440

I've recently discovered some new exciting sources for QRM in my shack.

Lately WWV(B?) in Hawaii is a 155, rather than a 579. I can't hear a damn thing on 20m. Turns out, this interference is being caused by the switch-mode power supply in my PC. Unplugging it fixes everything, but since it's ATX, it runs even when the PC is not actually switched on. Actually the inteference is much worse when the PC is off!

The power supply also whistles when not switched on. It's less than 3 months old, but has whistled since day 1. Any solutions other than just replacing it?

I also found that, depending on which antenna I'm using, my mobile phone charger puts nice 2 Hz pulses on lots of bands too, particularly 10 MHz, 14 MHz, 18 MHz. If the phone is removed from the charger, it makes constant static instead of pulses. Time to relocate it; too bad I can't relocate the PC.

Hamish
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507. Re: 10 meter info needed...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406215716.15607.00003882@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 146441

>I am looking for a 10 meter mobile & base radio that will allow me to modify
>to cover 10 & 11 meters like the Uniden 2510.
>Any suggestions??

My suggestion, spend a few minutes a day learning enough FCC rules, regs, electronic theory and (dare I say) morse code then take a test and get your amateur radio license, then you won't have to run the risk of messing up a nice radio by potentially screwing-up a mod. I have heard it's easier to modify a CB to work the gray-band or the freeband than it is to modify a ham rig to go there. Have fun. Happy law breaking!

de Tom KB2FIK

508. How to Protest Swatch Ham Band Broadcast

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990406220113.17319.00003531@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 146442

The Swatch company intends to transmit commercial messages in the 2-Meter Amateur band, as you have read in other posts. It is confirmed in a recent ARRL Letter.

If you feel this is an inappropiate thing for Swatch to do, send a message using this URL: http://www.swatch.com

On the web page, go to the lower right corner and click on The Club. Then choose Forum. You can type a message in the space provided. Include your name and call letters.

Points you might mention:

1. This may cause harmful interference.
2. This is not in keeping with international radio allocations, and their country is a signing party to the applicable treaties.
3. The "audience" is this portion of the radio spectrum will be extremely limited. If they are paying to advertise between 145.8 and 146.0, somebody seriously misrepresented the impact and number of "impressions" to the manufacturer.

73,
K5PF

509. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406221315.15607.00003889@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 146443

Sorry, I can't help you, Larry, with the proper pricing of this equipment you're selling, but I just want to comment about at least two people who responded to your query. I'm pretty certain I'm not alone when I say these 1st two responders are jerks. Guys, come on. The poster, the guy asking for some help just lost his father and he's asking for simple but real help. After the BS out of these two jerks, I would not blame this guy in the least for just tossing his dads equipment in the trash. Way to go guys...lots of people are down on hams because they thinks we're just a bunch of glorified CBers. You just proved it to this man.

Larry, you might want to see if a local school has or wants to start a radio club, or see if there's a local club (not school-affiliated) in your area and donate your dads gear to them.

Sorry for your loss.

Tom KB2FIK
Tbone107@aol.com

510. Re: CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406221634.21634.00002846@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 146444

wrong newsgroup

511. Re: I work at mcdonalds and spit on the buns!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406221756.15607.00003890@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 146445

That's fine...while you're at McDonalds spitting on burgers, I'm wiping your mothers spit off my love rocket and wiping your sisters butt to get my secret sauce off it. What I do with your wife is out little secret...but I'll give you a hint...you chose the name, not me.

512. 75th anniversary QSO party

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eeg6n$bd7@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dear OM:
&#65533;
There will be a HAM activity from Argentina, celebrating the 75th anniversary of the contact between Carlos Braggio, r-CB8, at Buenos Aires, Argentina, and Ivan O'Meara, z-2AC, at Gisborne, New Zealand, that established the world record of distance in 1924.
&#65533;
The Radio Club Argentino, LU4AA, will celebrate this anniversary between 16 and 23 of may of 1999.
&#65533;
1) The official station of RAC, will use during this period, the special callsign L75CB;&#65533; every QSO with this station, will be confirmed with an special QSL card.
&#65533;
2) At 21st. of may (the day of the anniversary), L75CB will transmit continously (24 hours), on CW, the mode used by Braggio and O'Meara during that contact.&#65533; Stations contacting L75CB on this mode, that day, will receive, also, an award.
&#65533;
L75CB QSL’s via LU4AA. Bureau or P.O.Box 97 - Zip Code 1000 - Buenos Aires, Argentina
&#65533;
3) During this period, between 0000 hours of 16 of may, and 2400 hours of 23 of may of 1999, every amateur radio station in Argentina is allowed to use an Special International Prefix.
&#65533;
Stations beggining with LU, will use L2.&#65533; LU4AA will use L24AA
Stations beggining with LW, will use L3.&#65533; LW8EZU will use L38EZU
Stations beggining with AZ, will use L4.&#65533; AZ1AAA will use L41AAA
&#65533;
There will be a program of diplomas to work at this period.&#65533; If you want to receive it, just ask me and I will send it.
&#65533;
Every question, or comments, should be sent to lu4aa@lu4aa.org, the e-mail address of the RCA, LU4AA
You can also visit LU4AA's web page, at http://www.lu4aa.org
&#65533;
Javier O. Retorto - LW8EZU - Junin, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

513. Re: Telegraphers Paralysis?? info pse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990406224938.20198.00003508@ng121.aol.com>
Source record: 146447

>
>Any old-timers that can expound on the dreaded "Telegraphers Paralysis"?
>Is it something like Carpal Tunnel Syndrome? I wouldn't want to injure
>myself trying to carry on the finest tradition in communication.
>
>

That's exactly what it is, Tom, although they didn't have the modern name for it. The only time I ran across the TP term was in a 1930's brochure for Vibroplex semi-automatic telegraph keys. It said the Vibroplex would help one avoid Telegaphers Paralysis.

As a former professional CW operator standing 8 hour shifts, I can attest that your wrist takes a beating. At my station (KLC), we removed the rubber feet from the Vibroplex bugs and re-did the holes to accept rubber suction cups. As you came on duty, you spit on the cups and stuck the bug to the desk. It would remain there until you were finished--and sometimes that was 16 hours later if the relief didn't show!

To emphasize the beating one's wrists took, keep this in mind. It was a straight 8-hour sift. No lunch hour. Every two hours, you banged out a Traffic List for five to 15 minutes. Once or twice during the shift, you included the weather forecasts--which added another ten to 15 minutes of steady brass pounding.

And when you were not hitting the key to transmit, you were copying messages on a manual typewriter.

It was not a place for "sissies". (grin)

Paul K5PF

514. Re: CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370AC47D.3E85@no.net>
Source record: 146448

Antonio Charron wrote:
>
> Stop in http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/

Why would anyone here want one of those splatter boxes?

515. Re: Swatch proposes to begin advertising on 2m via satellite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370acb0e.34425933@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:27:29 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>> No one should condone hateful messages directed at Swatch.
>> However, no one should condone what the non-amateurs at that SCSC
>> organization did by SELLING usage of an amateur radio satellite to a
>> commercial concern!

>Agreed, but since AMSAT-F won't share the content of the messages with anyone
>it's a bit difficult to know whether Swatch was/is truly in violation or perhaps
>bending the rules without breaking them.

Oh well, no worries then, Tim! If you read the ARRL site, you know by
now that AMSAT-R in Russia have announced that they will not allow the
project to proceed. Apparently some non-amateur employees made the
deal behindtheir back!

516. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370accd1.34877306@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>> But Tim, YOUR OPINION to the contrary will not invalidate
>> international laws!

>Well O.K. to hell with my opinion
>Tim ka8ddz

FINALLY, he wises up!

517. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370acd0c.34936072@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>> Most countries do NOT allow a product name to be NAMED OVER THE AIR on
>> the amateur bands, including all European countries.

>I have no knowledge of this, could you name some of the countries where this law
exists?

>Tim ka8ddz

You see, Tim, therein lies the rub. You have been speaking with
authority about things that you know little about!

Try Great Britain, Germany and France for starters!

Ask ANY G station about their rules.

518. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370acbeb.34647600@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>(d) A beacon may be automatically controlled while it is transmitting on the
>28.20-28.30 MHz, 50.06-50.08 MHz,
>144.275-144.300 MHz,

>Tim ka8ddz

Maybe I am just stupid, Tim, but please 'splain to me how
145.80 to 146.00 MHz is in the "BEACON BAND" that you are touting to
us?

"Sometime, I sits an' I thinks...
and sometimes, I just sits!"

519. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370acdc7.35123368@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>I'm just sharing my thoughts on the interpretations of radio regulations.
>What are you doing?

>Tim ka8ddz

Apparently arguing with a totally clueless fellow-amateur who does not
READ the messages he repsonds to on Usenet, because he is so busy
thinking about what HE is going to say next.

You still have not even begun to grasp the basic thoughts I have been
conveying to you, because you ALWAYS have to have an answer whether it
is right or wrong.

THATis why you blindly consider it acceptable to go fly a satellite
over someone else's sovereign territory and violate their laws, AND
violate international treaties to which America, Russia and France are
all signatories.

Your justifications for your reasoning are absolutely laughable, Tim!

You should quit while you are ahead, before you embarrass yourself
even further with this absurdity!

520. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370acf27.35475576@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>Your whole argument has been that these messages are of a commercial
nature,

>Tim ka8ddz

This is eaither a patent and deliberate LIE, OR you are indicating
once again that you are so clueless that you just DO NOT read the
messages you are purporting to respond to!

What a poor debater you are! You just cannot read!

521. Re: How to Protest Swatch Ham Band Broadcast

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406233719.17646.00003229@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 146455

There are several COMMENT areas on the web site. Fill up all of them so they get the message!

Wonder how long it will take to "get it" that this was a poor idea?

522. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406234200.17646.00003235@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 146456

>On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 11:42:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
>>After reading all of the information on the Swatch web page I can see no
>>violation of amateur rules. I wish someone would point out specifically what
>>rules they are in violation of since they make no mention of advertizing the
>>Swatch company but rather transmitting messages from readers of thier site.

The point is that this is non-Amateur communication. You can't make it "right"
by claiming it is 3rd party traffic.

Did you notice the caution that messages must not violate interstellar rules?
Ha. What about the rules here on Earth?

523. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370ad153.36030902@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>Swatch may have indeed been contacted by AMSAT, but if they were nothing was made
>public and the first comment's from AMSAT-F were to boycott Swatch.
>
>Tim ka8ddz

Oh Tim, puhleez stop misrepresenting things!

AMSAT never asked amateurs to boycott Swatch!

Some individual hams in the USA did that.

You really should get a clue!

524. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370ad098.35844058@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>Well, they sure did, go read the pages. Nothing but hatefull threatening letters.
>
>Tim ka8ddz

Sigh! What a pathetic exaggeration/lie...

Tim, I have told you a MILLION times NOT to exaggerate!

525. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370ad0e8.35924289@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>But noooo were gonna jump right in and tell
>Swatch how were gonna f*** em and boycott their products,

Tim, your own sexual behavior with Swiss companies is your own
business.

Please don't project your feelings onto the amateur radio community,
OK?

:-)

526. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370acfac.35608117@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146460
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
switched topics yet again and wrote:

>Look here's the bottom line , you seem to be more interested in attacking me
personally that you do discussing the issue. This whole thing was
handled completly
wrong which is why I even got started in this discussion, someone
finds a web page
where Swatch is planning to transmit messages from a satellite
launched from space,
now instead of organizing ourselves and having AMSAT-NA or the ARRL or
any other
organization of your choice contact Swatch and ask what their specific
intentions are,
a few individuals jump the gun and post the address with instructions
to tell Swatch
how you feel!

>Tim ka8ddz

OK, if THAT is the bottom line, then your argument has several
different bottom lines (at least according to you)...

Responding then to the CURRENT "Tim's-bottom-line-whim-of-the-moment"
let me say that I am flabergasted that you can't think and act for
yourself. You claim it is unethical for people to state their point of
view to one another unless they let some large organization speak for
them! STRANGE! I have nothing against ARRL speaking to Swatch about
this! But I see nothing inherently "wrong", illegal or dangerous if
someone wants to give their point of view to Swatch.

This is America Tim! We have a First Amendment here. We AREA allowed
to speak for ourselves!

You are SOOOO Paranoid about what someone might say!

527. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990406234652.17646.00003240@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 146461

>. I just read another thread from the Russians and it looks
>like the whole things off anyway...
>
>Tim ka8ddz
>

Can you share this, Tim?

Yrac
".....'splain, Lucy!"
-----Ricky, in the I Love Lucy, television show

528. Re: *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: pgoody@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eer67bmf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146462

Jason, I am an expierenced radio electronics technician (25+ years) so I will see if I can answer your questions. Solid state diodes are a single p-n junction device, they allow current flow in only one direction, or in the case of a Zener at a certain breakdown potential. Each require different techniques to remove them without damaging the underlying circuitry, they are normally not static sensitive but the surrounding circuitry can be, so use anti-static straps or workstation. Diodes come in a couple of flavors, radial lead, axial lead, and surface mount. Radial, looks like a two lead transistor, metal or plastic can, very heat sensitive, leads penetrate the circuit board, requries a method of solder extraction, pump, vacuum extractor, or wick, too much heat and you throw away the board, if you wish to save the removal,(for later reinstallation), you need to use a good heat sink clip on the leads. I use a vacuum solder extractor, they cost $1000+ for a good temperature control unit. Axial lead, looks like a resistor or capacitor with a glass, metal, or plastic body with a white red or black band on one end, the same tools are needed to remove these as the radial however they are usually somewhat smaller and require more care to prevent damage. Now for the newer stuff, most are surface mount, and depending on the equipment can be as small as .5x1mm, little plastic rectangle with one end white or silver. Musts are a good benchtop magnifier, or low-power(3x-5x) microscope, tweezers, and an electronics vise. The extraction method is a micro-extractor, or a hot-air extractor, the latter will run $1200+, if you are very expierenced you could use wick and a micro-pencil iron, the problem with surface mount is ROOM and too much heat, as both ends have to be desoldered AT-THE-SAME-TIME, very hard unless you have specialized equipment. Unless you are very careful you will DESTROY the diode and maybe the underlying trace. If you can, take a trade class on the subject, check your community college/IBEW Unit. I would not recommend you try this, unless you can afford the mistakes, without a couple months of training/practice. Some will disagree but I will gladly fix those mistakes for $65 per hour plus parts and shipping.

Pat Goodyear (KF6PBN goody@surfari.net) http://www.surfari.net/`goody
PLG Designs.
In article <19990405045726.17318.00002762@ng122.aol.com>,
jhulet@aol.com (JHulet) wrote:
> Hello,
>
> I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to
> modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First,
> what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this tool?
> What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of using
a
> fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the diode?

>
> Is seems that so many modifications out there today require the removal of
> diodes that I am considering learning the trade...
>
> Thanks again for any light you can shed on the subject...
>
> Jason S. Hulet
> W1WOW
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

529. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More! - Beacon band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AE11D.3C73859B@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Cedric wrote:

> On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
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> >(d) A beacon may be automatically controlled while it is transmitting on the
> >28.20-28.30 MHz, 50.06-50.08 MHz,
> >144.275-144.300 MHz,
>
> >Tim ka8ddz
>
> Maybe I am just stupid, Tim, but please 'splain to me how
> 145.80 to 146.00 MHz is in the "BEACON BAND" that you are touting to
> us?

Yep, thanks for pointing that out, I quoted the wrong portion of Part 97,
Note below 144-146Mhz, and one way transmissions are permitted. If you need any
further 'splanations I'll be glad
to help in anyway I can.

&#65533; 97.207 Space station.
(a) Any amateur station may be a space station. A holder of any class operator
license may be the control operator of a space station, subject to the privileges
of the class of operator license
held by the control operator.
(b) A space station must be capable
of effecting a cessation of transmissions by telecommand whenever such cessation
is ordered by the FCC.
(c) The following frequency bands and segments are authorized to space stations:
(1) The 17 m, 15 m, 12 m, and 10 m bands, 6 mm, 4 mm, 2 mm and 1 mm bands; and
(2) The 7.0&#65533;7.1 MHz, 14.00&#65533;14.25 MHz, 144&#65533;146 MHz, 435&#65533;438 MHz, 1260&#65533;1270
MHz, and 2400&#65533;2450 MHz, 3.40&#65533;3.41 GHz, 5.83&#65533;5.85 GHz, 10.45&#65533;10.50 GHz, and
24.00&#65533;24.05 GHz segments.
(d) A space station may automatically retransmit the radio signals of
Earth stations and other space stations.
(e) A space station may transmit one-way communications.
(f) Space telemetry transmissions

530. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AE169.F1F0DE6@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

> On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
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> >> But Tim, YOUR OPINION to the contrary will not invalidate
> >> international laws!
>
> >Well O.K. to hell with my opinion
> >Tim ka8ddz
>
> FINALLY, he wises up!

Cute, but taken out of context.

531. NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7eeol0$1fj$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146465
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
Hash: SHA1

No Code International has lodged formal complaints with the
FCC, the US State Department, the ITU, and both Swiss and
Russian radio regulatory agencies, protesting the announcement
of the impending commencement of messages of a commercial
nature on frequencies allocated to the Amateur Radio Service
and the Amateur Satellite Service by The Swatch Group Ltd.,
of Switzerland, using what was supposed to be an educational
amateur radio satellite.

The satellite is reportedly scheduled to be launched from
the Russian space station MIR some time this month and would
transmit in the 145.8-146 MHz Amateur Satellite Service sub-
band.

NCI has also sent messages to the directors and officers of
the ARRL, TAPR, AMSAT, and the IARU, asking them to join in
the effort to stop this commandeering of amateur frequencies
for broadcast messages of a commercial nature.

For more information, links to articles on the subject, and
to view a copy of NCI's formal statement of protest, see:

http://www.nocode.org/articles

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Carl - wa6vse
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NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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532. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AEC0E.55682380@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

> Responding then to the CURRENT "Tim's-bottom-line-whim-of-the-moment"
> let me say that I am flabergasted that you can't think and act for
> yourself.

> You claim it is unethical for people to state their point of
> view to one another unless they let some large organization speak for
> them!

I did not say this, I never once mentioned unethical, and never once mentioned "unless they let some large organization speak for them" I suggested that we might have benifited by having AMSAT-NA or the ARRL contact Swatch and explain that they may be in violation of radio regulations and that a win win situation may have come from this by convincing Swatch that amateurs might help promote thier publicity stunt (off the air) in exchange for message by amateurs with amateur content. As opposed to threatening them with boycotts of thier product. Do you feel that your point will be better made by misquoting me?

> STRANGE! I have nothing against ARRL speaking to Swatch about
> this! But I see nothing inherently "wrong", illegal or dangerous if
> someone wants to give their point of view to Swatch.

I don't think it's illegal or dangerous either Cedric, just a poorly managed response by the amateur community.

> This is America Tim! We have a First Amendment here. We AREA allowed
> to speak for ourselves!

Absolutly

> You are SOOOO Paranoid about what someone might say!

Paranoid? Not hardly, Tell Swatch exaclty how you feel, but in the end if Swatch could have been persueded to work WITH the amateur community and sponser the satellite without the commercial content we could could have benifited greatly. Instead amateurs sent threatening emails of boycotts in an attempt to stiffle the whole project. So while your ready to throw your first amendment rights in my face, consider the alternative and then tell me what we have accomplished.

533. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AEDF8.2BCA88F@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:

>Well, they sure did, go read the pages. Nothing but hatefull threatening
letters.
>
>Tim ka8ddz

Sigh! What a pathetic exaggeration/lie...

Tim, I have told you a MILLION times NOT to exaggerate!

When you tell Swatch, no more Swatch products in my house ever again, that's a
threat.
When you refer to someone as hubris, that's hateful.
Is this an exaggeration?

-from the Swatch site:
You have violated ME, As well as my license. No Swatch products in my house ever
again!
How to beat the illegal use of Ham bands.
1. Boycott swatch.
2. Use the frequencies so their message does not get through.
Turn your beams to the bird...if you cant beat em ... jam em!
What hubris allows the SWATCH (planned-obsolecense timepieces) to usurp a public HAM
frequency? Is that a boycott rising now?

534. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AF00E.4C6B0CEA@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedric wrote:

> On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >Swatch may have indeed been contacted by AMSAT, but if they were nothing was made
> >public and the first comment's from AMSAT-F were to boycott Swatch.
> >
> >Tim ka8ddz
>
> Oh Tim, puhleez stop misrepresenting things!
>
> AMSAT never asked amateurs to boycott Swatch!

From the ARRL page:
Pidoux apologized for the situation and called on AMSAT organizations to refrain from describing the
contents of the satellite's messages and to discourage listening "to this nonamateur-compliant satellite
using our amateur band." He also asked that the Keplerian elements not be published by AMSAT

In other words, boycott the satellite. Perhaps a quick look in the dictionary would help you to better understand
what a boycott is.

> Some individual hams in the USA did that.

And so did AMSAT-F in the letter published on the ARRL site

> You really should get a clue!

Perhaps if after reading the above quote you'll have one too.

535. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AEE3D.F01E11FA@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

&#65533;

Cedric wrote:

> On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 22:11:51 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >I'm just sharing my thoughts on the interpretations of radio regulations.
> >What are you doing?
>
> >Tim ka8ddz
>
> Apparently arguing with a totally clueless fellow-amateur who does not
> READ the messages he repsonds to on Usenet, because he is so busy
> thinking about what HE is going to say next.

This of course was in response to his question "How much is Swatch paying you?" to which I replied, "Nothing, I'm just sharing my thoughts on the interpretations of radio regulations" How about quoting the entire question&#65533; and answer next time Cedric

> You still have not even begun to grasp the basic thoughts I have been
> conveying to you, because you ALWAYS have to have an answer whether it
> is right or wrong.
>
> THATis why you blindly consider it acceptable to go fly a satellite
> over someone else's sovereign territory and violate their laws,&#65533; AND
> violate international treaties to which America, Russia and France are
> all signatories.

No I do not blindly consider anything, I responded with comments about RS-18, which by the way transmitted a message celebrating Air and Space, not ham radio which was also sponsored by a French Aeronautical organization, not ham radio.
I also pointed out that at least under Part 97 beacon transmissons are allowed and are appropriate on those frequencies. I also pointed out that 3rd party international traffic IS permitted and sited the ARRL page that showed the countries that allow it. This was in response to his statement that International 3rd party traffic is not permitted PERIOD.

> Your justifications for your reasoning are absolutely laughable, Tim!
>
> You should quit while you are ahead,&#65533; before you embarrass yourself
> even further with this absurdity!

&#65533;

536. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <370af283.572396@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 146470
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 6 Apr 1999 05:25:05 -0500, "William Lee"
<n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:

>
>wf3h@ptd.net wrote in message <37097a97.342578004@news.ptd.net>...
>>On Fri, 02 Apr 1999 17:29:40 -0800, George Zimmerlee
>><geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>>
>>ah, as always, the cracker crowd pulls themselves out of their dukes
>>of hazards coloring books long enough to slop something on the
>>screen...
>>
>
>Man.... you condemn Racism ..... and then make a statement like that.
>
>See..... were all raceists ..... even you.
>
>
wasnt aware that 'dukes of hazard' was a race...do tell!

537. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370AF66D.B3770ED3@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146471

Yrac wrote:

> >. I just read another thread from the Russians and it looks
> >like the whole things off anyway...
> >
> >Tim ka8ddz
> >
>
> Can you share this, Tim?

Well it sounds like AMSAT-R would stop any attempt, but depending on how you interpret it, it may simply mean that they would stop any attempt to use AMSAT-R and not nessesarily stop the project. Damn it's 2 AM. This was a letter posted to the AMSAT reflector.

I was very disappoint to receive message from Bernard Pidoux, f6bvp, president of AMSAT France.

I want to explain the situation on this matter.

Everything what happened does not have any relation to AMSAT-R. All discussion with Swatch Company in Switzerland was made by Space Flight Control Center (SCSC), Vladimir Solovyev and Serge Samburov singed all documents. They do not inform AMSAT-R that they going to sign this contract under the name of AMSAT-R. Everything was made behind AMSAT-R and I have got this information from only f6bvp message. More than this - only three persons of AMSAT-R have right to sign this type of documents - president and two vice presidents.

RA3APR, Eugene Labutin - president of AMSAT-R
RU3AIZ, Alex Matvietz - vice president of AMSAT-R
RA3APW, Karen Tadewosyan - vice president of AMSAT-R

Nobody of these persons was even informed that this contract was signed.

AMSAT-R very sorry for this bad situation, and very sorry that some people using AMSAT-R name in their commercial project.

AMSAT-R apologizes for any trouble witch was brought to amateur satellite community and hope that amateurs in the entire world will understand this situation and separate AMSAT-R and SCSC. AMSAT-R will stop any attempt from SCSC to use AMSAT-R in commercial projects.

Best Regards
Eugene Labutin, RA3APR.

President of AMSAT-R

538. ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: cwdxer@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ehhop$k2c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I have had the misfortune of watching ARRL as a member for a decade now.

ARRL is pursuing a typical party line. While there must not be profane, political or blatant advertising messages, God forbid some undesirables (read that as hams under 30) be attracted to the HOBBY. And that's what it is- a HOBBY.

ARRL has an unspoken agenda to not advertise the hobby in public. SWATCH violated this. ARRL advertises for new hams in QST ! Who gets QST ? ARRL members ! And don't sell me that newsstand BS, read the USPS release in QST, no one gets it that way. So who will ARRL attract ? Friends and relatives of hams.

This isn't surprising as that's how ARRL hires. Check out December 1998 QST and see who works there. Relatives, friends and contester friends. The Carcias, 3 Wolfgangs, N1DG, KB1HY, K1ZZ, N1RL, KB1BE, the list goes on. Anyone who doesn't fit the above category is given the 5th degree before being hired, to the point of harassment. Superior education, achievement and experience are nothing, who you know in YCCC or PVRC is everything.

Anyone who criticizes this (literal) Old Boys Club gets summarily dismissed, ridiculed and in many cases blacklisted.

But experience is the best advertiser. I have had 2 interested professional, educated parties ask me about ham radio. I told them the above and the direct and veiled ridicule of small stations by obsessed nutcase hams. I spoke of outrageous stations and dangerous RF power like K1ZM, W4ZV and W3LPL. These people spend money on attorneys fees and WASTE THE COURTS' TIME so they can put up not one, but multiple towers in excess of 150 feet because the 50 or 75 feet towns offered them won't do ! COMMERCIAL STATIONS WITH A QUARTER OF THE DIRECTIONALITY OF THEIR ANTENNAS AND ERP ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE RF WARNING SIGNS !

Would K1ZM live next door to himself ? Does the cost of a Mercedes S class sound like an investment you'd make in ham radios ? I told them my personal dealings with the many nosey hams on VHF, many if not most of whom are in reality antisocial freaks whose last hope for friendship is others like themselves. The 2 walked the other way from the hobby.

Yes, Virginia, revenge is sweet.

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539. Re: PLC Threatening Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7ehl8kgmo1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 146123

helmsman@mindspring.com wrote in:
<370c7f71.3957342@news.mindspring.com>...

:>yes but that is in germaney. we doent care what happens in germaney.
:Germany today here tomorrow! If it works (and it Does) there and there
:is no cost for running new lines what makes you think it won't be here
:tomorrow?

Right ! But no earlier than tomorrow? Perhaps look what ARRL's Dave
Sumner, K1ZZ, wrote in QST of February this year about
"Pollution": it has already arrived, is not just knocking at US
doors... and more than just one US company is paving the way by
offering PLC systems "...for high speed internet distribution at
practically no cost..."-> "No cost" is an all too good argument to
forget about all those crazy HF folks that might degrade big business
profits... A calm palce might not stay calm if you stay calm !

73 DL5QE, Martin, Chairman of the DTC

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

540. Re: Extra & Advanced study-guides?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <370C6AAC.8BDA9D0E@ibm.net>
Source record: 146124

Why not go to the www.arrl.org and see if you can download the tests
there. You get the questions and answers for nothing.

BD wrote:
>
> Hmm.. My local Radio-Shack doesn't carry those.. ;)
> Does Gordon West, or someone else, have 'em?
> I'm still studying for the Plus (hopefully get that one this weekend!) and
> General license, but just wanted to 'browse'...

541. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#u7FnPag#GA.187@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping
For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

542. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <extpnPag#GA.236@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

543. FS: Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eRICoPag#GA.236@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit
Asking $200.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich
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544. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e1JboPag#GA.226@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $250.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

545. QSTs/H.Radio/73 on eBAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtravis@buncombe.main.nc.us
Message-ID: <7ei12gke1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146129

Have posted a lot of QSTs/73/ CQ Mags/Ham Radio mags on ebay...some expire on the 8th and many on the 11th and 12th....

these are from the 50's on. go to www.ebay.com, click on Search, and insert hambone4 under "seller search".....thanks W4QCF

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546. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb9dnn@gmx.net
Message-ID: <370c7997.179102686@news.hasler.ascom.ch>
Source record: 146130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 04:41:50 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:

> Ponder this for a minute, Robert. Who does the satellite belong to ?
> And who launched it ?

The satellite fas built by amateurs and therefore belongs to them.
The russian space agency launched/will launch it and may have a
contract with AMSAT to use it for ballistic experiments. (In that case
this is a win-win situation for AMSAT and SCSC). This gives SCSC by no
means the right, however, to sign a commercial contract with anybody
and abuse amateur radio frequencies to transport unlicenced or even
commercial messages.

> If the pizza store up the road paid me $50 to advertise their pizza
> on a VHF repeater, and every 5 minutes I announced on the VHF
> repeater "THE PIZZA STORE UP THE STREET HAS GREAT PIZZA -
> CALL THEM AT 555-1212 FOR FREE DELIVERY", who will the FCC
> issue the violation notice to, me or the pizza store ?
>
> Hello AMSAT Russia.......

In that case they would issue it to You, because You agreed to
transport that message. AMSAT-R never has signed a commercial contract
with Swatch, this was (illegally) done by some members of SCSC. In
that case it is SCSC and/or Swatch, which will get into trouble.

73

Robert HB9DNN
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Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN

547. Re: ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7eht7v$23gh@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 146131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

cwdxer@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7ehhop$k2c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...

>I have had the misfortune of watching ARRL as a member for a decade now.

Yes, it sounds as if your very existence is a bit of a "misfortune". - You sound pretty miserable to me.

Fact is, the ARRL does a lot of good. Sure there's a few bozos in there, but overall the ARRL appears to be made up of pretty decent folk. The ARRL is not perfect... Surprise surprise! Most adults can handle realities like that without throwing a hissy-fit, and getting their panties in a twist.

I think you're full of farina, right to the brim.

73 DE Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

548. ? MRF 477

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Guido.Schulz@t-online.de
Message-ID: <7ei1mg$k4j$1@news08.btx.dtag.de>
Source record: 146132

Ii¿½m looking for HF-Trans. MRF 477. Who knows where to get it? Many thanks!

549. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Kling <rkling@home.com>
Message-ID: <370C9F66.18A2C979@home.com>
Source record: 146133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

I have read the ARRL interpretation of the new FCC regulations and it sounds like my 746 is included in the "crackdown'. It says any receiver capable of receiving above 30MHz and outside of the HAM bands with the ability to scan is considered a scanner and must be made un-modifiable. Literally this means I would not be able to add any component that changes the receivers receiving characteristics. I think this would include filters!

These regulations have the net effect of trying to drink water from a screen bottomed cup. There still is not any enforcement on the listening of cellular phone conversations. All these regulations have done is to place an unfair burden on hardware Mfg because the services sector do not want scramble their frequencies. When we are all done with the regulations the cell co's will have implemented scrambled technologies and we will have radios that will not be able to be modified to hear the scrambled signals. Stupid! Stupid, in the fact that is places a burden on the legitimate manufacturers of amateur radio products. As a purchaser of these products it increses my costs and decreses my flexibility. The people own the airwaves that the governemnt regulates, together we can change any law and reverse any regulation! But the amatuer radio community is somewhat fragmented and small so it is easy to turn down our volume.

Rob Kling

N8YBV

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> All these Clintonian fascist rules because scrambling would cost money. Talk
> about your paranoid conspiracy theorists- they all found jobs in the cell
> phone industry. If they can't get Milosevic for war crimes, try FCC
> violations, Hollingsworthless....
>
> 22. We modify section 15.121 to clearly prohibit the modification of scanning
> receivers to receive Cellular Service transmissions, regardless of the date
> of manufacture or number of units modified. The Commission's rules specify
> that any modification of a scanning receiver that changes its operating
> characteristics voids the equipment certification. We find that modifying a
> scanning receiver to receive Cellular Service signals changes its operating
> characteristics, invalidates the equipment certification, and results in
> equipment that does not comply with the Commission's rules...
>

> I'll call Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworthless and turn myself in right
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550. Re: ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Ireland <direland@drdale.com>
Message-ID: <7eieo0pot1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 146134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pretty accurate analysis and you didn't even touch on the racist tendencies

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551. Re: Coin with Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Rea <noone@home.com>
Message-ID: <370CB10B.2FAE0E43@home.com>
Source record: 146135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.collecting.coins

Christopher Brewster wrote:
>
> A Canadian friend of mine who collects coins sent me a 1944 Canadian
> "nickel" that has a message in Morse around the edge. Its says "We win
> when we work willingly." (Looks like a W exercise for code practice.) The
> code is a bit strangely spaced and some of the detail is obscured on mine.
> The number of cents is represented by the roman numeral V to double as the
> victory kind of V. The coin I have is what we used to call a "steely" and
> it comes complete with certified-genuine WWII-era rust.
>
> If you find one of these, the message starts at the bottom. You'll need a
> good magnifier and something to hold the coin.
>
> Maybe the coin collectors can tell me more about this coin-- what years
> was it made? Were they all steel?
> ---
> Request: If you respond to this posting, please send me a copy. My net access is
intermittent. Many thanks...
> ---
> Christopher Brewster, kc0evq
> Plymouth Minnesota
> brewsterc@excite.com

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This 5-cent piece was struck in tombac, a brass alloy, in 1942 and in
chrome plated steel in 1944 and 1945. The normal beaver reverse was
resumed in 1945 in pure nickel. The beaver reverse was also stuck in
tombac in 1942

--Tom Rea
Nemo me impune Lacessit

reply to: tom.rea@caves.org

552. Motorola Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adam Hardy <ahardy@mvnet.com>
Message-ID: <tA3P2.16$1U2.550@typhoon-la.pbi.net>
Source record: 146136
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have just been given two Motorola Maxtrax radios, but I don't have any information about them. They are obviously two channel units, but I don't know what band they operate in or what mode (trunked or conventional)

Both units have two model numbers on separate labels on them; HUD1745A2 and D43MJA73A5CK.

Motorola's web site was of little use.

Anybody know what these are?

553. Re: Motorola Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu>
Message-ID: <370CC727.41C6@eece.maine.edu>
Source record: 146137
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a quick question about Motorola radios. It seems that I see alot of them for sale in this ng, but they always seem to be about the same price as normal ham ht's, or priced higher. What makes these Motorolas attractive to people? I dont' have much experience with them, but they seem to have less options than the newer ht's. Thanks.

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KB1CKT Tech Plus
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554. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay Zero Half Baked <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7eikat$f8f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

kh2d@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> What you are missing here, Jeff, it that some people are always looking for
> a cause. And you are missing the fact that a lot of people don't do their
> homework before they jump on the bandwagon.
>
> The Russians throw a battery powered, handheld piece of space junk out
> of the window of MIR that will last for a whole 30 days and it's the end
> of the world.

Jim,

On many (maybe most?) issues I agree with your views because you have a
well-developed ability to cut through the peripheral crap, and get at the
real nut of the issue. In this case, I think you've missed the real issue.

This is not about some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE Asia rain-forest;
it is about a deliberate and well financed commercial promotion by
an international corporation arrogantly using the amateur bands to
advance their pecuniary interests.

K1ZZ, in a fax to the CEO of Swatch, got right to the *real* issue
her. He said:

"While it could be argued that a single, limited-lifetime satellite
would have a negligible impact on the usefulness of the band for
amateur pursuits, if commercial satellites were to become more
common the interference would be intolerable. Therefore, the
amateur radio community must stand against the "beatnik" satellite
because it represents such an undesirable precedent."

73, de Hans, K0HB

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I called them mad, and they called me mad, but damn
them, they outvoted me.
~~~

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555. 1200 FM Repeaters in New England

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Hennigan <dennis@monad.net>
Message-ID: <7eikg7$g3v$1@news.monad.net>
Source record: 146139
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.uwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> Looking at the various FM repeater directories for New England, there
should
> be dozens of 1296 repeaters on the air... Yea right!!!
>
> If you know of any 1296 FM repeaters ACTIVE and on the air in New England
> please send me the info... I just installed a FM rig in the shack and
have
> a 1296 yagi ready to install on the tower(first tower project of the
> season!!). I would like to know where to point the beam!!!
>
> Thanks
> Dennis Hennigan WA1HOG
> Rindge NH FN42as
> ARRL NH TC
> wa1hog@nh.arrl.org
> dennis@monad.net
>
>

556. Re: ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990408122257.26772.00000083@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 146140

From CWDXER:
>ARRL has an unspoken agenda to not advertise the hobby in public.

Not so. One reads about Amateur radio frequently in places other than QST. The league encourages favorable press.

>Check out December 1998 QST
>and see who works there. Relatives, friends and contester friends.

Perhaps this is a function of who APPLIES for a job at HQ. This is not a career path for "normal" people. You'd be lost at HQ without a strong interest in ham radio. Kinda like all those hams who work for the FCC.

> I have had 2 interested professional,
>educated parties ask me about ham radio. I told them the above and the direct
>and veiled ridicule of small stations by obsessed nutcase hams. I spoke of
>outrageous stations and dangerous RF power like K1ZM, W4ZV and W3LPL.

Good start, Old Timer. What else did you share about how great ham radio is?

> I told them my personal
>dealings with the many nosey hams on VHF, many if not most of whom are in
>reality antisocial freaks whose last hope for friendship is others like
>themselves.

Oh. Not the kind of sales pitch I give for Amateur radio. Never mind....what happened?

> The 2 walked the other way from the hobby.

Gee, fellow CW operator......are we surprised? Why would you present ham radio is such a negative way? Have you somehow been burned by the ARRL?

>
>Yes, Virginia, revenge is sweet.
>
>

Thanks for clearing this up. Thank goodness you drove these two away. We don't need any more "professional, educated parties" hanging out at the lower edge of the band and snagging all the good DX in pile ups.

73,
K5PF
ARRL Member

557. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <370ed4a8.4476388@news.erols.com>
Source record: 146141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim's point is valid. We have to look at this violation in the light of all the other dumb violations we hear every day.

SWATCH should have known better than to try and sneak this on to RS19, the French AMSAT folks should learn to read contracts better, and the Russians, well the Russians are hungry. What do you expect?

In the scheme of the things we hear every day, this ain't much.

Think about those illegal 10 Meter taxi cab operations on converted CB radios in NY, think about those spy stations, how about all the South American operations you hear that can't possibly be ham radio related?

The folks you should really get mad at are the very people who made your appliance radio. Do you really think they sell exclusively to ham radio operators? Do you really believe that when an insurrection takes place, or in a place where laws aren't enforced, that the folks out there are ignoring a cheap source of radio communications equipment?

Of course not!

So SWATCH decides to carry out an Advertising campaign on the ham bands. Maybe we can petition the Swiss Government to slap these folks on the wrist and tell them not to do it again. That's about all you can hope for ladies and gentlemen.

The reality of international allocations of the radio bands is that cooperation is usually more profitable than confrontation. However, no country cooperates just for cooperation's sake. If there's a motive or profit to be made by breaking international law, most countries won't hesitate.

Maybe we need to recast the hobby in such a way that international motives are better aligned. Maybe we should allow for this sort of thing in return for something, such as better funding of future satellites.

Think about it. Think hard. Then try posting a message. I'd like to see something intelligent come from this debacle.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

558. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <370CDA0F.41C67EA6@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 146142

Christopher Brewster wrote:
>
> Marv Luse wrote:
>
> > If you have a receiver try listening to the W1AW code broadcasts
> > once you have the entire alphabet memorized. I found this very
> > helpful.
>
> My problem with the W1AW practice is that the text isn't much
> like what people actually send on the air, and certainly not
> like a QSO or an FCC test. In fact I have trouble finding examples
> that are really similar to the test. The MFJ 418 is good because
> it has QSO practice (with enough randomness that you can't
> memorize everything), but a few things aren't like the test.
> It never uses some of the prosigns that are on the test
> (AR, slant, etc) and it repeats callsigns, names, etc. Of
> course I can just discipline myself not to take advantage of
> the repeated parts. My suggestion to MFJ would be to "teach
> to the test"-- make their practices include everything
> that's tested.
> ---
> Christopher Brewster, kc0evq

Christopher,

You are correct, none of the code practice sessions, sent on the
air, are going to be anything like the FCC test. You could move
up to the novice portions of the band and copy some QSOs there,
but you have the same problem. None of the QSOs would be
just like the FCC test.

I see, from Buckmaster's, that you are currently a Tech+, so I
assume you are working towards the 13 WPM test. I passed the
General tests in March, the Advanced last weekend, and to
prepare for the code portion I used Morse Academy, on my PC.
I found that Morse Academy comes as close as you can get
the the FCC exam. When the code test started, it sounded like
I was sitting at home working at my PC. I will see how well
it prepares me for the 20 WPM test, next month.

There is an option, "G", that generates simulated QSOs, with
all of the prosigns, and contains the kind of information that
will be on the FCC test. These QSOs can then be played back
using the "K" option, at any speed you like.

You can get a copy from:

Ham/Morse Academy - AH0A
http://www.speroni.com/AH0A.html

Morse Academy is written for DOS and sometimes has trouble
with certain hardware configurations, but then they all do.
To avoid any problems I made a bootable floppy and installed
it there. It works great that way and is portable to any
computer that's handy. I've tried it on 486's and 586's. It
should work on the old 286's and 386's.

If you need something that runs under Unix, I have that as well.

Martin

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Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

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559. NEW Icom IC-2800H with TFT color LCD display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bo Chan <VE7WBC@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <370ce3cb@carrera.intergate.ca>
Source record: 146143
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dear all,

Please subscribe and discuss at Icom IC-2800 community!!

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New top-of-the-line dual bander adds video excitement to audio excellence. Advanced features and a unique, 3" (diagonal) TFT color LCD display await you. View GPS and APRSTM maps, catch SSTV or broadcast TV,... even watch digital camera and VHS images. Experiment! The high visibility screen accepts NTSC video input (PAL in the European model) via a simple connection port that accepts most standard camera plugs. A 6-pin data port makes the '2800H 9600bps data ready. ICOM's popular independent band controls are here, making it easy to work V/U, U/V, or cross band repeat. Also get: CTCSS encode/decode, simple band scope, fast scanning, 232 memory channels, air band reception, and much more. The control head is totally separate from the main unit, with a connection cable and independent mounting brackets included as standard equipment. Explore SEEING as well as hearing more of today's amateur activity.

Best Regards,
Bo

560. Kenwood TK-930 and 940 Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald E. Smith" <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <370CE358.C71D91EE@innercite.com>
Source record: 146144
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is there anybody out there with a manual for the Kenwood TK Series. I need the pinout of the mike connector to make up a programming cable. Please respond by email. Thanks Don KB6GQA

561. Re: Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Pearce" <depearce@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <370CE4EF.9978570D@netscape.net>
Source record: 146145

http:http://www.teklasoft.com/java/applets/morse/sfiles.htm

562. Re: Code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D.Pearce" <depearce@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <370CE571.FA5A7278@netscape.net>
Source record: 146146

lets try this again

http://www.teklasoft.com/java/applets/morse/sfiles.htm

563. WB2OTK says it and Clinton acts it out in public buildings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eisu8prb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

FCC Official Acknowledges OOs Really Are "Official"

WRONG. I'D RATHER HAVE NO HAM RADIO THAN A BUNCH OF FEDERAL SANCTIONED ILLEGAL SNITCHES, SO I'VE WRITTEN MY REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS TO URGE THE ELIMINATION OF THE ARS AS A TROUBLE MAKING UNNECESSARY SERVICE AND WASTE OF SPECTRUM.

WASHINGTON, DC, Apr 8, 1999--The FCC's top amateur enforcer, Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says that hams who receive notices from ARRL Official Observers should take them seriously or take the consequences. "Failure to take the notices seriously and to take corrective action where possible will not be tolerated by the Commission," Hollingsworth said in an enforcement-related letter to a South Carolina amateur. "The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical element of the Commission's enforcement program," he said, adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines and other sanctions.

OO's ARE NOT SWORN OFFICERS OF THE FEDERAL COURT AND THEIR "EVIDENCE' IS INADMISSIBLE, UNLIKE FCC EVIDENCE.

According to the FCC letter, the Commission has received "numerous complaints" about Whiten "regarding profanity, obscenity, broadcasting extreme racial slurs, deliberate interference and failure to properly identify." Hollingsworth also said he'd heard complaints that Whiten had played recordings over the air "for the purpose of harassment or deliberate interference."

1.INTERFERENCE IS ILLEGAL
2.IGNORANCE AND FREE SPEECH IS NOT (SEE FIRST AMENDMENT)

Hollingsworth noted that Whiten had "apparently ignored notices from Official Observers," and pointed out that the volunteer OOs work "in accordance with an agreement between the Commission and the ARRL and in accordance with our statutory authority."

THE FCC HAS NO AUTHORITY TO DELEGATE THESE POWERS TO UNSWORN AGENTS WHO ARE NOT OFFICERS OF THE COURT.

And, don't get me started about why it is the President can have fellatio performed on him in a public building with someone he isn't married to, but we will hang Whiten because he said nigger, fuck, and "spear chuckers" on the air.

Ironic, hmm ? Whiten says it and Clinton acts it out in public buildings. Since when are words given more weight than deeds ? Since the New World Order's very own Mutt and Jeff, Clinton and Blair, took over.

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564. Jehosophat.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7gproj.4gv.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 146148

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You are invited to visit Jehosophat.com on the Web.

New articles uploaded today.

http://www.jehosophat.com/

Vy 73,
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jeff, n9avg
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565. WB2OTK rides again.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hugh_janus@juno.COM
Message-ID: <19990408.130340.-389033.2.hugh_janus@juno.com>
Source record: 146149

The FCC has set aside the grant of the vanity call sign W2OTK to
Michael Whiten, changed his callsign back to WB2OTK, and said his
license
expiration date remains October 15, 2001.

The FCC also hinted that renewal at the expiration date might be the
subject
of scrutiny.

Ain't life a bitch!

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or call Juno at (800) 654-JUNO [654-5866]

566. Testing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce..N4ZEZ" <17727051@alaweb.com>
Message-ID: <7eiub2$d1a$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 146150

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Testing to see if I can post here
Bruce..N4ZEZ
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567. Re: Motorola Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37140b44.109706494@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 146151
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 11:11:35 -0400, Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu> wrote:
>I have a quick question about Motorola radios. It seems that I see alot
>of them for sale in this ng, but they always seem to be about the same
>price as normal ham ht's, or priced higher. What makes these Motorolas
>attractive to people? I dont' have much experience with them, but they
>seem to have less options than the newer ht's. Thanks.

They're legal to use in the commercial and public safety bands as
well as on the amateur bands. Ham rigs are not. Thus folks who want
a legal dual use radio are interested in them. There is also a mystique
about Motorola radios, that they're tougher and better built than ham rigs.
That's not always true, but perceptions aren't always shaped by truth.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

568. FS: Pair (2) Motorol Tallkbout 280 SLK radios NiMH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: yc@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <370f283f.18213269@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 146152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi

I have a pair (2) of *almost new* Motorola 280 SLK FRS radios with
NiMH batteries for sale. Starting bid only $89.00 Look here:

http://auctions.yahoo.com/auction/4036691

569. Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmontcal@capecod.net
Message-ID: <7ejdij$7fp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146153

Richard Whiten - W2OTK (aka WB2OTK) has finally been nailed by the FCC....See the news on the ARRL WEB Page - "For Members Only".....

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570. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Carling <AF4K@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01be820c$cc5fc740$7a490b26@computer>
Source record: 146154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 11:17:09 -0700, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>A literate person would know that Christ told
>the Jews that they are the spiritual offspring
>of Satan.

This is a misrepresentation. He told SOME individuals that.
Those individuals HAPPENED to be Jewish.

Please take your anti-semitism elsewhere!
I think it is probably off-topic for:
rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.polic
y

571. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Carling <AF4K@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01be820c$fb7c5340$7a490b26@computer>
Source record: 146155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 11:09:18 -0700, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>Let me remind you that Jesus made his people
>stand a weapons inspection in the Garden of
>Gesemane (Luke 22:38) and was executed for
>leading a band of insurgents.

Yet, He did NOT tell them to attack ANYONE with those swords, did He!

To the contrary - in fact, He rebuked them for cutting off someone's
EAR and then He healed the injured party.

>He also very
>rudely beat the moneychangers with a whip.

That is a untrue!

The word WHIP is not even IN the New Testament ANYWHERE!

If you are going to hide behind o cloak of "Christianity" - at least
learn to do a more convincing job of lying!

Your efforts to change the true nature and
character of Christ have failed.

The trouble is still that you are being RUDE!

Also, this political/religious lunacy does not belong in:

rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.polic
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572. 9600 baud digital voice - Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: S&#65533; <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7ej9mg$re2@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146156

I'm thinking of designing a digital voice "vocoder" to run digital voice in and out of a 9600 baud packet connection on a ham radio. Does this break the codes and ciphers rule of Part 97?

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S&#65533;

573. Re: ARRL and Sumner Jump onto the Bandwagon, Seek Public Credit for Work of Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Carling <AF4K@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <01be820c$8fadc0e0$7a490b26@computer>
Source record: 146157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.dx

He he he he he!

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 21:58:54 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>This bunch of timid Timmys didn't do shit until after the ball was
rolling,
>aided by myself, Jeff Herman and others who pointed out there was a
box to
>leave messages in. That forward looking bunch in Newington had to
check with
>counsel first, as usual, before they took a stand. Must've needed to
be sure
>it wasn't a division of Yaesu or some other contest gear company the
ARRL ass
>kisses...
>
>
>SB SPACE ARL ARLS002
>ARLS002 ARRL Advises Swatch to Cancel "Beatnik" Launch
>
>The ARRL has weighed into the burgeoning controversy over messages
>gathered by the Swatch watch company and programmed for transmission
>on 2 meters from the mini-Sputnik satellite. In a fax today, League
>Executive Vice President David Sumner, K1ZZ, suggested to Swatch
>Group CEO Nicolas E. Hayek that the Swiss firm cancel the launch of
>the "Beatnik" satellite and use a commercial satellite for its
>project instead.
>
>Thanks for nothing, Baldthonia.

Who?
He he!

574. Christie Aponte (WP4MTI) Update - Back in hospital....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: admin@ultranet.com
Message-ID: <EzaP2.930$BJ.612760@petpeeve.ziplink.net>
Source record: 146158

Feel free to forward this message to any interested parties.....

Those of you who have been following the progress of ham radio operator Christie Aponte, WP4MTI,will be interested in the following update.

Christie is the young, ham operator who was severely injured when a drunken driver collided with her family's automobile. She has undergone multiple surgeries here in the states, and faces the prospect of many more in the future. Hams around the globe donated money and equipment to replace her ham station that was stolen during one of her trips to Boston for surgery.

Christie emerged from surgery yesterday to repair her hip, tendons and abdominal muscles. Doctors were happy with her progress, but she is a bit discouraged and depressed. She is also in a great deal of pain.

If you'd like to cheer her up, send one of your QSL cards or a greeting card with a get well message to:

Christie Aponte
c/o Jamie Aponte
Royal Sonesta Hotel
5 Cambridge Parkway
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02142
USA

Christie will probably be at the hotel until the 19th, so please act without delay.

Thanks for your help.

Kip
N1AUP
at amsat.org

575. For sale: FCC Frequency Database CD-ROM, 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: lily@abive.net
Message-ID: <371033cc.21170261@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 146159
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.scanner,alt.radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For sale on Ebay:

The Mr. Scanner CDROM (vol 3, 1998) contains the entire USA frequency
and callsign allocation plan for Commercial, state and local
government, public service/utilities, and special event systems.
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state and service. Supports DOS, Windows and Windows 95/NT systems.
Special POLICE listings help you find the most active frequencies in
your area. Listed frequency ranges: 30 to 1000 MHZ.

Only $19.99! GO HERE:

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=88639687

576. For sale: FCC Frequency Database CD-ROM, 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: yc@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <371134b0.21398889@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 146160
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.scanner,alt.radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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577. Help: Choosing a good mobile CW keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: clair <clair@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <370D38BF.EF172B49@gateway.net>
Source record: 146161

Hi,
Anyone have any info on what is a good mobile cw keyer?? I am using the
hand mic on a IC-706mk2 now. works ok but something better is needed.
Tnx!(NI9X)

578. Need ICOM 706 MKII adjustments on the main board.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <Hey@screw.your.spam.com>
Message-ID: <7ejeqb$7uf$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146162
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Gang
Would anyone have any information on the Adjustments on the main
board for a 706 MKII? The owners manual is very sparse on this.
If you have any information you would like to share you may send it to me via
E-mail at D.R.Abshire@att.net

Anyway my 706MKII is only putting out about 65-70 watts PEP on HF and 20-30
on 6 meters. 2 meters seems to be OK. Oh by the way I did check this into a
dummyload.......

TNX & 73's

Dave

579. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: proudhawk <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <370D4C2A.17CDF0BF@uswest.net>
Source record: 146163
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

ok,
I'll specify the documents: ALL.

Secondly, it does not matter how I read them (ain't technology
wonderful?)

Failure to put up what is requested can only serve to make you look like

a liar and a fool.

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> Hawke wrote:
> > I asked ylou in private, now I ask you in piblic;
> > where is your documentation?
> >
> > your statemens in public (and in priivate) either make you
> > appear to be paranoid, r an enemy terrorist.
>
> >From the display of illiteracy shown above, do you really
> expect us to believe that you can read evidence? I repeat
> the offer, but I am quickly running short of patience. You
> must specify the document. If not, we will all know that your
> tantrum is that and nothing else. Either specify the document
> or expose yourself as a deliberately ignorant whiner.
>
> Returning to the original point of this thread at:
> http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>
> FCC JAMS HAMS,
> the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
> engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
> a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.
>
> The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
> purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
> with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
> purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
> broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
> station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
> Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
> emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
> As a result, appoximately 100 people died.
>

> FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
> Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
> allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
> Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
> website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
> FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
> Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
> that I have figured out what the nature and content
> of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
> verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
> that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
> point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
> have two of the documents, and stand ready to
> publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
> country, and post them from a safe place.
>
> Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
> FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
> documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
> FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
> purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
> described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
> pertaining to such classification at the time of
> classification.
>
> Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
> Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
> Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
> criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
> criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
> Force engaged in Communications Act violations.
>
> Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
> tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
> Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
> reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
> What decent person would be a member of such
> a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
> moral integrity demands you quit.
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> ----------
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

580. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7ejhoqedn1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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Jim <kh2d@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message news:7eh6or$brm$1@brokaw.wa.com...
> "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>
> >Jim <kh2d@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7eervi$mop$1@brokaw.wa.com...
> >> Y ?
>
> >Because it's necessary to defend amateur frequencies from
> >commercial intrusion ... that should be obvious.
>
> O. I C.
>
> It's necessary to rid the world of AIDS too. Is NCI (TM) doing
> anything along those lines ?

That's an important issue, but it has nothing to do with
ham radio ... NCI is a ham radio organization ... but
you knew that ... you just want to troll for flames ...
sorry, no deal. :-)

> Has NCI (TM) lodged any formal protests with the government
> in Yugoslavia about the problems over there ?

That's an important issue, but it has nothing to do with
ham radio ... NCI is a ham radio organization ... but
you knew that ... you just want to troll for flames ...
sorry, no deal. :-)

> Personally, I would think you jumped on the band wagon for
> a little P.R. but that's only my opinion.

Personally, I don't much care what you think, Jim ...

> Anyway, maybe you can get Cedric to sign up.

Maybe so ... how about it Cedric ... would you like
to join NCI and help us to modernize ham radio?
(and when the occasion arises, defend its spectrum)

> Keep up the good work.

We intend to ...
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- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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581. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS - Off Topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: proudhawk <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <370D4E41.5775E7B@uswest.net>
Source record: 146165
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Didn't Heavans gate go out last year?
Hans K0HB wrote:

>
> So many idiots..... so few comets.... sigh........
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

582. Re: Motorola Speaker Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd <todd510@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7ejol2$1ut@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.equipment

Will White wrote in message <370B1736.9C07956D@asu.uswest.net>...
>I picked up a Motorola Speaker Mic, part no. NMN6128C, at a recent
>hamfest. I need the pin-out for this mic. As I received it, the mic has
>a "modular" type connector, that appears it would mate with its intended
>HT by sliding/snapping into place. There are five insulated wires, and
>one bare stranded wire (ground?). I want to use the mic with my Yaesu
>FT-50 HT. Any idea where I can find the correct pin-out information?
>--
>Will White, KD7BFX
>
I'm not familiar with that specific part number, but personally, I would
open it up and use my ohmmeter to determine the circuit configuration. I've
done this several times with other units and have successfully
"reverse-engineered" the circuit.

RTD

583. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ejp26$96j$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kay Zero Half Baked <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:

>This is not about some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE Asia rain-forest;
>it is about a deliberate and well financed commercial promotion by
>an international corporation arrogantly using the amateur bands to
>advance their pecuniary interests.

I don't really believe that, Hans. How many companies like Swatch
would buy into 'illegal' world wide advertising ? I would bet they had
no idea what ham radio was when they signed the contract with the
Russians.

I see the entire deal as grossly insignificant. What saddens me
the most is that again we have proven that we are totally incapable
as a group of responding intelligently to a common threat.

73, Jim KH2D

584. Re: ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <370D6ED1.15DE37D2@jump.net>
Source record: 146168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

cwdxer@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I have had the misfortune of watching ARRL as a member for a decade now.
>
> snip-

> And that's what it is- a
> HOBBY.

snipThere's the rub. I see it now. It used to be a SERVICE. We got to play with our radios, and many genuinely "advanced the radio art" while we payed for the frequencies by providing communications when called upon. This still happens. I took my general exam in April of 1964 in Dallas after a bus ride from Waco. I was 14. You could NOT study the question pool back then. Extras drew schematics.
If it's now just a "hobby" that is a great loss.
H.
WA5IGW
By the way, when I took my 1st phone (remember that?) in 1971, I made 100%.
First try.
I added the Advanced Amateur Radio then for the hell of it.
Gotta get that 20 WPM

585. Re: Help: Choosing a good mobile CW keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <370D6E38.26691C5C@parg.org>
Source record: 146169

Of all the "paddles" I've tried I like the Bencher about the best. I'm sure you can get used to any of them. Trying to drive and use the up and down buttons was a stunt I decided to pass on. If you're looking for a "mini" paddle to strap to your leg, E mail me and I will pass along the url. Not sure if I'm supposed to be listing that kind of thing here.

clair wrote:

> Hi,
> Anyone have any info on what is a good mobile cw keyer?? I am using the
> hand mic on a IC-706mk2 now. works ok but something better is needed.
> Tnx!(NI9X)

586. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Ireland <direland@drdale.com>
Message-ID: <923630074.460.14@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You idiots don't seem to realize that Swatch is making monkeys out of you by letting you post all your threats and spew on their comments page. When any unbiased person looks at that page who do you think they will see as wackos, Swatch or the HAM's who leave threats, spam, and abuse in their public posts.

Also, we went through this argument years ago when public broadcasting started taking commercial funding. It helped public broadcasting without compromising their ethics or freedom and you don't see blatant advertising on PBS.

587. Re: Need ICOM 706 MKII adjustments on the main board.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: clair <clair@gateway.net>
Message-ID: <370D4B89.F22A3A65@gateway.net>
Source record: 146171
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dave, check your swr. The 706 starts cutting back in power output as the swr increases. I am sure you know that,but the 706 is specially sensitive to any swr.Even a small amout of swr will cut back the power output considerably.
P.S I love my IC-706mk2....

> Dave wrote:
>
> Hi Gang
> Would anyone have any information on the Adjustments on the main
> board for a 706 MKII? The owners manual is very sparse on this.
> If you have any information you would like to share you may send it to
> me via
> E-mail at D.R.Abshire@att.net
>
> Anyway my 706MKII is only putting out about 65-70 watts PEP on HF and
> 20-30
> on 6 meters. 2 meters seems to be OK. Oh by the way I did check this
> into a dummyload.......
>
> TNX & 73's
>
> Dave
>
>

588. W2OTK, AF2Y, KA2ECA, KA6URA = Distrubed Jammers on 14.313!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rec_radio_shortwave1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7egt9q$3ef$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146257

The above people keep jamming,

When will Mr. Hollingsworth will put and end to thier childishness, slandering other hams on the frequncy and so forth. They are deeply distubed by KV4FZ, and the fact that HE has not lost his license yet, and WILL NEVER LOOSE HIS TICKET! Say what you want, Porkbutt, you are next!

Mr. Hollingsworth needs to do his job, and clean up 20 meters!!!!

Rick B.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

589. Polite complaints about Swatch plan!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370bf76f.13975081@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Complaints to the Swiss Embassy, should be polite and should cite the specific International Telecommunications Treaty Provisions that are being violated:

Phone is 202-745-7900. Address is: Swiss Embassy, 2900 Cathedral Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20008. Various email addresses:

Commercial Section: trade@was.rep.admin.ch
Science & Technology: science@was.rep.admin.ch
Defense Attache's Office: jwalser798@aol.com
All Other: vertretung@was.rep.admin.ch

590. Re: How to clean contacts??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve376@aol.com23232323
Message-ID: <19990407205121.03443.00003469@ng153.aol.com>
Source record: 146259

>>What's the best way to clean contacts inside push button switches?

I use a brand called LPS No Flash contact cleaner it cleans well and it is non conductive so you can clean contacts that are powered up with no problems. They also have a line of lubricants LPS 1, LPS 2, LPS 3, all are diffrent grade of lubricant.

That's my take and i'm out !!

591. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dosvoan Klsev <tutasza@kevnet.eu.net>
Message-ID: <01be815c$7ad1d9a0$27a12399@85j82d949b943f>
Source record: 146260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

3.950 Monitor <3950mon@aol.com> wrote in article <370BBA48.15F3BF34@aol.com>...

> Some of the jammers (K5BLB and KK7HO) are so full of hatred that they
> have openly discussed killing other amateur radio operators on this
> frequency. The danger is that as these criminals get more and more angry, and violent
> because of their extreme beliefs, someone will likely get killed or maimed.

You could also "help them", meaning the radio jammers, by making a
phone call to their local law enforcement. Police tend to take a dim view of
threats of bodily or property harm, either by telephone or via other "electronic
means" - such as Ham Radio for instance. It's called " Terroristic Threats "
by legal terms, and can get one arrested *on-the-spot* if deemed serious enough.

Give a call to the local Sheriff or PD in their home town when their on the air
jamming and making threats, then hear them shi+ their pants when the Men
in Black knock on their front door asking for an explanation of their anti-social
behaviour. (give it a try eh?)

> I only wish that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth would put an end to their
> activities before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine, which
> should have been prevented.

Hopefully these QRM'ers will do it to themselves via a stroke.

Also, they don't have
the BALLS to confront anyone else. Of this I am SURE. If you walked
up to one of them unannounced and asked if they were a ham or mentioned 3950
they'd shi+ their pants and shrink away in fear in a mili-second.

592. Neat callsign idea ! (I think anyway)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "http://www.ultimate-networks.com/" <feedback@ultimate-networks.com>
Message-ID: <7eh0b0$fr1$1@nclient5-gui.server.ntli.net>
Source record: 146261

Greetings,

I got fed up with my private e-mail address being hit, by crazy junk
mails..!!
So I discovered a handy way of changing that..!!

Instead of Listing my private e-mail address, I got a free e-mail address
from Ultimate Networks..
That way, all the junk mail went into their folder..I picked out the mails
that I wanted, and bingo. I didn`t have to use my private e-mail for
anything other than that.>!!

I also got to customise my address, so it reflected my callsign..!!
I found out as well that the facility would notify me whilst I was on
ICQ(TM) and let me know when I had mail..
All at a remarkably low price of FREE..!!!

so 73`s and good luck!

gi7vuf@un.zzn.com

****
Get your FREE customised e-mail address at Ultimate Networks !
http://www.ultimate-networks.com/
****

593. Re: 6m CW questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7eh191$6ta$1@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 146262

In article <Pine.HPP.3.93.990407165144.24476A-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>,
n-geovanis@nwu.edu wrote:
>On Wed, 7 Apr 1999 Tom@astro.net wrote:
>
>> Nick,
>> Cw can also be used on 2m, just a reminder. The 98-99 repeater directory
>> lists 50.0-50.1 for cw,beacons, 50.1-50.3 for ssb,cw
>> 50.3-50.6 all modes.
>
>OK, thanks. Same questions for 2-meters then:
> Any schedule or gentleman's-agreement-bandplan for Technician
>code-practice? Any homebrew 2-meter (QRP or not) CW transmitter plans?

2m - 144.05-144.10 CW and weak signals

73,
Tom

>> 73,
>> Tom
>>
>> In article <Pine.HPP.3.93.990406142705.9220B-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>,
>> n-geovanis@nwu.edu wrote:
>> >In studying for the technician license, I noted that a technician has CW
>> >privileges on 6m. It seemed to me that making use of this might help
>> >prepare for the tech-plus upgrade and QRP DX by providing some CW
>> >experience before hitting real DX conditions, especially at low-power. Are
>> >there any "reserved" freqs or nets for this purpose on 6m?
>> >
>> >Also: I have a number of QRP CW transmitter plans at home, but as far as I
>> >can tell, none intended for 6m. Is this caused by an FCC/United Nations
>> >conspiracy to pollute my purity-of-essence with overseas communist
>> >propaganda, or are there more complicated reasons? :-D Can anyone point me
>> >at some 6m CW QRP transmitter plans?
>> >
>> >+-------------------->
>> >| Nick Geovanis
>> >| IT Computing Svcs
>> >| Northwestern Univ
>> >V n-geovanis@nwu.edu
>> >
>>
>>
>> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>>

>> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
>> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
>> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>>
>> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
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>| Nick Geovanis
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594. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990407215705.02087.00003731@ng148.aol.com>
Source record: 146263

I don't think that would happen. The person walking up might just shit their pants. Later Children.

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

595. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370c0fc7.20208105@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 7 Apr 1999 21:57:40 -0400, "Carl R. Stevenson"
<wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:

>It doesn't matter if they send them in 1024QAM, they have
>no business in the amateur satellite band.

That is correct!

http://www.hamradio-online.com/1999/apr/swatch2.html

596. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370C0EF1.7A1B@no.net>
Source record: 146265
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

George Zimmerlee wrote:
>
> JJ wrote:
> > Yeah, you really display a Christ-like attitude.
> > Your are the kind of 'christian' that turns people
> > off to Christianity.
>
> And so was Jesus Christ. This brings us back to the
> root causes of Waco: a deep and bitter hatred of
> Christians on the part of those CIA MK-ULTRA operators
> who made up the Cult Awareness Network who were the
> only advisors to the FBI at Waco. Satanist and Marxist
> just cannot stand Christians.

You really need to get a life.

597. Lots of Equip. 4 Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiodoc37@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990407231330.17653.00003763@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 146266

Kenwood TS530s HF Transceiver, kenwood MC50 Mic and Manual $400.00 SOLD

Kenwood TS 430S, AM filter, general coverage TX/RX, stock mic, Manual,
Some scrathes on cover, face excellent, No FM board. $425.00

Cubic/Swan 102 BX solid state HF transceiver, Dual PTO tuning Dials, Passband indicator,
speech processor etc..Matching Power supply /Speaker. Manuals. $380.00

Qty 2 Tram D201s each in need of minor repairs, with Sams $150.00 each

Tram D201, good condition, Great AM tx and rx, SSB receive a bit weak,
probable needs a tube, have not had time to work on it, with manual and SAMs
$250.00

Kenwood TH315 220 Handheld, Leather case, wall charger, Speaker Mic $225.00
SOLD

Redco Digi Scan -5, RDS-02, I think it's for use with a O2A PLL $60.00

Eico 720 HF CW transmitter, Cabinet need painted, Inside is super clean,
Untested $75.00

Homebrew 10 Meter amplifier, uses three 24 volt versions of the 6146 tube, Made
from a military transceiver PA section. Separate power supply made from Mil
parts. Fairly compact modules, Peak readings of 200 watts. $150.00

Bearcat 210 scanner $30.00 SOLD

D&A Mfg. T-600 , 10 tube amplifier Later version of the Phantom 500, Black,
in excellent condition
10-20-40-80 meters, all tubes in great shape, Keys 500 watts swings 1000 Pep, a
super clean unit
$400.00

D&A Mfg. Maverick 250 , 8 tube 10 meter amplifier, tubes all in good shape,
6LQ6's recently replaced with NOS stock $300

Phantom 500 10 meter amplifier, Needs 10 6LQ6s (Ouch!) $150.00 Sold

Texas Star Killer Bee HD250V, 10 meter amplifier, Class C, Direct keyed only
$85.00

Varmint XL350, 3 tube, 10 meter amplifier, With the famous "Super Mod" switch,
Clean,
Tubes 80% or better Swings 500 pep on YS-60 peak meter. $250.00

Heathkit SB201 10-20-40-80 Linear amplifier, Fresh 572B Tubes, Manual, Works
great $375.00

HTX202 RadioShack 2 meter handheld, Speaker Mic, Box, Manual, Wall charger $100 SOLD

Crate Stealth 60 Tube Guitar amp, In great condition. Manual $200.00

Yamaha 12 string acoustic, beautiful guitar with case!! $500.00

Yamaha RX11 Drum Machine $100.00

Rack mount Lab power supply, Power Ten Inc. Model 3300D-10010, 0-100 VDC, 0-10 Amps,
Voltage and current LCD read outs, Clean $200.00

Bird 4391 Analyst, Microprocessor controlled CW power / Pep Power / Modulation /
and more, uses bird 43 slugs. Carrying case, manual, $400.00

Bird slug 50-125 Mhz, 5,000 W Peak mode / 1000W Max average Power $60.00
Like new, low use

Bird slug 50-125 Mhz, 10,000 W Peak mode / 1000W Max average Power $60.00
Like new, low use

Siltronics model 90 VFO -6 $85.00 Clean

Alan CTE HQ135 25-29 Mhz Wattmeter 10/100/1000 watt scales, illuminated, Low use like new in box $40.00

Alan CTE 36" apartment dwellers antenna, adjustable swr, Low use Like New $25.00

Alinco DJ-S11 Mini 2 meter hand held, in box, low use, slight scratch on front $65.00

Cushcraft R5 five band Vertical, uses short counterpoise radials $150.00

Radio Shack Digital SWR/Power meter RMS and PEP 0-30 Mhz $30.00

Watts 0-160 PSI precision Regulator & Sub-regulator filter block assemblies NEW $100.00 Ea.

Recoton CBM430 Amplified Desk Mic $20.00

Mirage B3016 2 meter FM/SSB amplifier, with preamp, 30 in 160 Watts out. $200.00 Sold

SBE Trinidad AM Base, Excellent condition with Manual and D104 Mic $120.00

Realistic TRC459, AM/SSB 40Channel CB ,unique flat console design, dial a watt, Stock Mic. $130.00

Sears Road talker 40 AM/SSB 40 channel Mobile, In box, Low usage, No Manual, Clean No Mods $100

Sears Road talker Base/Mobile 40 channel AM/SSB, In box, Low usage, No Manual , clean, No Mods $100 SOLD

Uniden HR2600 with chipswitch modification, 575-M6 mic, Manual and chipswitch manual $260.00

Yaesu FRG 7 SW receiver, good condition $160.00

Ameritron AL 811 HF Amplifier uses 3 811 tubes, minor flaw on face plate, 7.5 to 8 on condition, works perfect, full output with manual $400 SOLD

Complete ammunition reloading set up, 2 Presses, scale, several dies, tumbler, Case trimmer, books, Brass, 2 powder drops, trickler, A whole lot of stuff ...dies for 223, 45 long colt, 7mm Rem mag, 30-30, 308, 22 hornet, 30 carbine and others $320.00

Craftsman compressor 4 HP 30 Gal, In good condition, with hose and regulator/seperator setup $200 Local pick up only in the Simi Valley Ca. area

Roland 4 track multi-tracker recording system, Higher end model, Nice mixer/EQ section. Not sure of the model #, must check in storage. $300.00 Clean condition, with manual

* I buy, sell and trade vacuum tubes

Will possibly trade above items for:
Drake equipment and accessories
Bird 43
Bird HF slugs
Digital camera
Yaesu Y0 100 scope
Yaesu FV101 VFO
Electro Voice Mics
Johnson Viking II with Johnson VFO
Collins 30L1 in good condition
Collins R390A
MFJ antenna analyzer. The one with resistance read out
Drake RV-7 VFO
Power supply for the Drake TR 7
Yaesu FT-7 in very good condition
or ??? what do you have?
Astatic 10DA SSB mic head
Astatic Night Eagle
Yaesu FL2100B

JPG Pictures available on some items *

--The stuff that will never make it to the bench for repair--
Below sold as is:

Siltronics Albatrose 23 channel AM/SSB mobile with big ol venier slider knob $25.00 Works, Occasional Intermittent TX

Pierce Simpson Bengal AM/SSB 23 channel base SSB works AM doesn't $30.00

Zachery T AM Base No TX week RX $30.00

President Washington w/ freqs and slider (Worked perfect before UPS got ahold of it) Came back from
Hawaii , No TX or RX, Possible damaged loop mixer crystal $60.00

Robyn tiger 23C Needs Audio transistor $10.00

Messenger 250 23 channel base CB, beautiful gold and brown, good cosmetic condition, Possible power supply problem $40.00

Icom IC230 2 meter parts radio, No Knobs $20.00 TX works.

*All items do not include shipping.
*Shipping Via UPS ground unless otherwise stated
*All items guaranteed to work unless otherwise stated.
* Most larger items are professionally packaged and double boxed.
* Buyer splits packing charges.
* Most prices negotiable.
* Use of 10 meter amps on 11 meters is illegal.
* References available upon request.

598. Re: CB linears for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eh70d$eub@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146267

3.950 Monitor <3950mon@aol.com> wrote:

>> >Why would anyone here want one of those splatter boxes?

>> I have forwarded this to:www.fcc.gov/cib

>Nobody likes a snich.

You mean "snitch"? Too bad. There are plenty of us on here. We also
DF jammers then turn all collected data over to the FCC.

Jeff WH6U

599. ARRL Responds to Swatch--Part 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990407235241.04362.00000397@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 146268

Paul --

Thanks for your letter concerning the Swatch Watch Co. activities on the two meter band. The ARRL is aware of the activities of Swatch in this regard and we have faxed a letter protesting the commercial use of amateur frequencies.

73, Rod Stafford W6ROD

At 10:31 PM -0400 4/6/99, K5pf@aol.com wrote:
>Hope the ARRL will take a position in this matter. This is an e-mail I have
>sent to about a dozen hams:
>
>Quote:
>The Swatch company intends to transmit commercial messages in the 2-Meter
>Amateur band, as you have read in Amateur Newsgroups on the Internet. It is
>confirmed in a recent ARRL Letter.
>
>If you feel this is an inappropiate thing for Swatch to do, send a message
>using this URL: http://www.swatch.com
>
>On the web page, go to the lower right corner and click on The Club. Then
>choose Forum. You can type a message in the space provided. Include your
>name and call letters.
>
>Points you might mention:
>
>1. This may cause harmful interference.
>2. This is not in keeping with international radio allocations.
>3. The "audience" in this portion of the radio spectrum will be extremely
>limited. If they are paying to advertise between 145.8 and 146.0 MHz,
>somebody seriously misrepresented the impact and number of "impressions" to
>the manufacturer.
>
>73,
>Paul Folmsbee, K5PF

600. ARRL Response to Swatch--Part 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990407235357.04362.00000398@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 146269

ZCZC AS02
QST de W1AW
Space Bulletin 002 ARLS002
From ARRL Headquarters
Newington, CT April 7, 1999
To all radio amateurs

SB SPACE ARL ARLS002
ARLS002 ARRL Advises Swatch to Cancel "Beatnik" Launch

The ARRL has weighed into the burgeoning controversy over messages gathered by the Swatch watch company and programmed for transmission on 2 meters from the mini-Sputnik satellite. In a fax today, League Executive Vice President David Sumner, K1ZZ, suggested to Swatch Group CEO Nicolas E. Hayek that the Swiss firm cancel the launch of the "Beatnik" satellite and use a commercial satellite for its project instead.

"The Amateur Radio community must stand against the 'Beatnik' satellite because it represents such an undesirable precedent," Sumner said. He proposed that Swatch cancel the launch, planned for April 16 from the Russian Mir space station, and fulfill its commitment to transmit messages from space using excess capacity on a commercial satellite.

Over the past week, an increasing number of voices from among the amateur community have been raised in protest against plans for the mini-Sputnik to transmit messages related to the Swatch company's campaign to establish the "Swatch Beat" as a new "global concept of time." Via its Web site, Swatch reports it has solicited more than 5000 messages--including voice and text files--for possible transmission on the new satellite. Messages selected for use were supposed to include a reference to the "beat" theme.

Sumner pointed out that international regulations define the amateur service as one engaged in by "duly authorized persons interested in radio technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest." He told Swatch that canceling the launch and owning up to its mistake would "go a very long way toward repairing the damage that has been done to your company's image."

Swatch has acknowledged the amateurs' complaints and has included several on its Web site. It also has opened an e-mail comment box to gather opinions on "Should we send your messages into space?" But the company says the messages the satellite will send "are not advertising and do not contain the brand name Swatch." The company

asserts that its campaign also provides "a great opportunity for Amateur Radio to gain an even wider audience." The company has promised to post the "final list" of messages sent for transmission by the satellite.

AMSAT-France has distanced itself from the soon-to-be-launched mini-Sputnik. AMSAT-France President Bernard Pidoux, F6BVP, has apologized for AMSAT-France's role in the situation and called on AMSAT organizations to refrain from describing the satellite's messages and to discourage listening "to this nonamateur-compliant satellite using our amateur band." AMSAT-France had contracted with AMSAT-Russia--with help from the Russian Space Flight Control Center (SCSC)--to build the RF and electronics modules for the new satellite. AMSAT-Russia was responsible for building the satellite frame, integrating the electronics, and programming the messages the satellite would transmit on 2-meters, Pidoux said.

After the contract was signed, Pidoux said, AMSAT-France found out that the SCSC had made a separate commercial contract with Swatch to put its "beat" messages on the satellite. AMSAT-France protested, citing contract provisions prohibiting "direct advertising" on the air, but it completed its part of the contract to avoid a lawsuit, Pidoux said.

AMSAT-Russia President Eugene Labutin, RA3APR, said the Space Flight Control Center signed the Swatch contract "under the name of AMSAT-R" and did not inform AMSAT-Russia what they were doing. He apologized on behalf of AMSAT-Russia.

The new Sputnik-99 satellite arrived on Mir aboard a Progress rocket April 4. It will carry a 100-mW transmitter and transmit on or about 145.815 MHz. The satellite will have an approximately 30-day life span. It will be able to transmit up to 10 different voice messages in addition to digital messages and telemetry. Data will include battery voltage and internal temperature.
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/EX

601. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3dqu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990408004303.29253.00003844@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 146270

Jim - roger what u sed...Jay N3DQU.

602. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <370c3d24.85249070@news.ptd.net>
Source record: 146271
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 21:27:51 -0700, George Zimmerlee
<geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:

>JJ wrote:
>> Yeah, you really display a Christ-like attitude.
>> Your are the kind of 'christian' that turns people
>> off to Christianity.
>
>And so was Jesus Christ. This brings us back to the
>root causes of Waco: a deep and bitter hatred of
>Christians

since the branch davidians werent xtians what makes you think christ
had anything to do with it?

on the part of those CIA MK-ULTRA operators
>who made up the Cult Awareness Network who were the
>only advisors to the FBI at Waco. Satanist and Marxist
>just cannot stand Christians.

of course, xtians have murdered more than their fair share of 'pagans'
over history. the leading cause of death among xtians is other xtians.

see how they love one another.

603. Illinois Ham Reflector (e-mail list)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mike1@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <MPwP2.1378$%K3.7781@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 146022

Amateur radio operators (hams) residing in Illinois (or anyone interested)
for the purpose of enhancing communication throughout the state.

* Hamfests
* Upcoming Meetings
* Gossip
* Elmering
* Coordination
* Emergencies, assistance
* Hams, Experimenters, Hobbyists
* Newbies, Wannabees, Old Timers
* Anything IlHam Related

For additional information, please visit http://www.qth.net

TO: majordomo@qth.net
SUBJECT:
BODY: subscribe ilham

You may only subscribe to this list from an e-mail account that you can send
from. You may NOT subscribe to IL Ham from a forwarding account (e.g.
qsl.net, arrl.org, etc.).

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604. Re: A passing score on written exams should be 90% minimum.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <polecat@stinker.com>
Message-ID: <923706010.203.102@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb

I say: Take away your net browser and your search engine
and your windows and go back to dos and surfing the net
with long hand address entries. This will keep ham'ers and
other stupid people out of this NG.

>
>This will keep CBers and other stupid people out of the ham
bands and require
>more studying for a license. If we had had the 90% passing
rule a long time
>ago then we wouldn't have any stupid people on the ARRL board
of directors
>today.
>
>The two year non-renewable no-code license sounds like a great
idea too!
>
>
>Save CW, Tell the ARRL to KISS OFF!
>

605. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7em838egl1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7ekant$qmi@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >Maybe so ... how about it Cedric ... would you like
> >to join NCI and help us to modernize ham radio?
>
> "...modernize ham radio" by eliminating the code tests, correct? But
> you'd still view code as an archaic mode of communication, correct?
> So we can only conclude that your modernization of ham radio couldn't
> be complete without then working to eliminate code. You'll of course
> deny that conclusion, but your goals are quite transparent.

Jeff ... you can try telling the same lie over and over in hopes
that some might believe it, but it just 'aint the truth.

> It must really eat at your insides when you tune across the HF bands
> and hear that about 50 percent of the QSOs are conducted using Morse.

That's a complete pile of dung/wishful thinking on your part,
Jeff ...

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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606. WTB: MOTOROLA RADIOS : VISAR, SPECTRA, MT2000, HT1000, GM300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sparky_Prog@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370EA99B.1427@hotmail.com>
Source record: 146025
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.fm,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio

Looking for :
Motorola (UHF):
VISAR (UHF/ VHF) (Can have DTMF or not)
MT 2000 (Can have DTMF or not)
HT 1000
GM 300
SPECTRA (DASH MOUNT)

All radios must be in working condition and contain everything need for proper operation (Bat, Mic, Power Cables, Ant etc...). Also Must be to work within the 470 - 512 Mhz.

Contact me with an asking price if you have any of the above that you are willing to let go of.

Let me know
Kevin, N3JMD

607. Re: Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17370-370EB461-46@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146026

THREE CHEERS FOR RILEY!!!

HIP HIP HURAAY!!!
HIP HIP HURAAY!!!
HIP HIP HURAAY!!!

608. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <YQzP2.3900$ai2.147530@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146027

Has anyone noticed that for some companies, fiscal year 2000 started April 1, 1999, and we have heard not a single peep out of anyone? If Y2K is going to bring the world crashing down on us, why have we not heard of any problems with FY 00 so far?

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

numbnuts62 wrote in message ...
>today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
>when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
>side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
>instead of a number.
>
>if you have yaesu gear you shud be real careful with it today.
>
>
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>

609. Re: CW saves stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <370ECAE2.2CA72DA7@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146028

numbnuts62 wrote:

> boy you liek to strech things a little. blinking a flashlight is not
> what pple usual mean when they talk about continuious wave. if they
> screamed "help" and got pple to come, would the phone guys be saying
> "phone saves stranded fishingmen"? no I doent think so.
>
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

Your analogy sucks almost as bad as your spelling. Think about it.

Marv
KC0EGB

610. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - KK7HO, K5BLB, WA9KJI, K5MVK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mikey Morgenstern <mmorgen@aol.com>
Message-ID: <370ECA1C.6E40DA98@aol.com>
Source record: 146029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Not a bad attempt at spinning Tim, but the truth will get you
again! Since you are appear to be the defacto spokesman for the
3950 criminals, let's look at your position in detail.

KK7HO spun:
> Deeply disturbed at the take-over and Jamming practices of that "So Called"
>net. The net members jam harass, heckle, make noises every damn night. They
>want control of 3950 They want to be the ONLY ones to operate there.

The Liberty net is one of 1000's of regularly scheduled weekly amateur
radio nets. For 14 years the Liberty Net has been on it's known frequency
of 3.950 mHz.

Amateur radio is (was) known as a hobby for gentlemen, and it's common
courtesy to yeild a frequency of a recognised net to the net control operator.
This is tradition goes back to when the hobby started in the early part of
this century.

Not to be confused with 'gentlemen', you actively disrupt the normal use
of the frequency by any means available to you, including death threats.

In fact, you have become so efficient at your harassment and jamming
that you've driven the normal Liberty Net members down to 3.948 to
escape you and your threats. Now, you complain that the transmissions
from 3.948 are interfering with your jamming on 3.950.

This is the first indication that you are loosing your grip on reality, Tim.

You have threatened the lives of two net participants on the air. And there
is concern that your extreme views and hatred is driving you mad, Tim.

>Deeply disturbed at the net at the net members running down our military at a
>timelike this let alone ANY time. Deeply disturbed that something has not been
>done by now.

More spin. But evidence that it's the CONTENT of what's said that upsets you
despite your claims to the contrary. You don't agree with the statements made
about our military in Kosovo, so you openly jam and threaten anyone that
attempts to raise an issue that you disagree with.

>We can only hope that Hollingsworth is aware of all the jamming and harassing
>being done by this group. This thread is an example. The want 3950 as THEIR
>"PRIVATE" BROADCAST FREQUENCY. They cannot stand to see 3950 put to
>normal amateur use.

I'm sure that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth are aware of your death threats
and continual harrassment on the HF bands. Again you are attempting to paint

the victims of your harrasment as the perpetrators. It won't work Tim.

>And again this thread they started is an example. They will Lie, slander and
>defame. They go to almost no end to get 3950 free of anyone who want to use it
>normally.

Still trying to reverse roles, and create confusion about who the bad guys are. But all one needs to do is just tune into 3.950, and hear you and Sid swearing and acting like the fools that you are. It won't be long now, and you will be off the air. I can't wait!

611. Re: Guy rope-type?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bigdunk2000@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12449-370EC6E7-12@newsd-241.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 146030

Minor point:it is called guide-rope,not guy-rope.

"You are either part of the problem or part of the solution"Eldridge
Cleaver

612. FS: Motorola M75 Digital TDMA Cellular Phone W/HF Kit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oa8aZkxg#GA.346@upnetnews03>
Source record: 146031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

613. WTD: UHF mini-plexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <s8IP2.17399$R3.145629@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146032
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for a UHF mini-plexer, anyone have one they would like to part with? Please E-mail me with details...

Mike

mjs@nolnet.net

614. Mods Kenwood TM732 & TH48

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7els91cco2@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 146033
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

On my Webpage you will find Amateur Radio Mods for the following radio's:

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Motorola GM300
Motorola McMicro
How to make a programming interface (RIB) for your GP300 and GM300.
Yaesu FT847
Kenwood TM732
Kenwood TH48
Standard C510

The URL is:

http://web.jet.es/colinlowe/index.htm

73 de Colin EB/G1IVG
Barcelona Spain.

615. Mods Yaesu FT847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7els96cco3@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 146034
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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616. Motorola GP300 & GM300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7els90cco1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 146035
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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617. Mods Motorola McMicro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7els99cco6@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 146036
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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Barcelona Spain.

618. Motorola RIB design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7els98cco5@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 146037
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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Barcelona Spain.

619. YAESU VX-1R and ADMS-1D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mosquera <mosquera@udc.es>
Message-ID: <7em6qv$mj3$1@salico.udc.es>
Source record: 146038

I would you be so kind as to send me file vxpatch.exe (01/16/98
or later) for modernize the program ADMS-1D for YAESU VX-1R.
The server of RT Systems is out.
To send directly to mosquera@udc.es
Thank you very much in advance.
Call Sign EA1BGF

620. Re: Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <370d4841.13402692@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146172

On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 23:19:52 GMT, lmontcal@capecod.net wrote:

>Richard Whiten - W2OTK (aka WB2OTK) has finally been nailed by the FCC....See
>the news on the ARRL WEB Page - "For Members Only".....
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

For those of us who aren't members, please post the jest of the
article.

621. Re: WB2OTK says it and Clinton acts it out in public buildings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990408210508.14647.00000385@ng100.aol.com>
Source record: 146173

> "Failure to
>take the notices seriously and to take corrective action where possible will
>not be tolerated by the Commission,"
>

OH BBWWWAAAAHAHAHAHAHAHA!!!!

Now THAT's a real whopper! So far, almost all of Hollingsworth's threats and warnings have turned out to be nothing more than some sort of public relations ploy. If
the FCC doesn't start taking some REAL action against the
jammers and miscreants, and soon, his so-far milquetoast
attitude towards them will only embolden them to new heights of lawlessness.

622. WTB UTC Transformers, WE111C, Triad RA6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: MarkHugh@aol.com
Message-ID: <7ejo52$g6n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146174
Cross-posted to: in.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

WTB UTC Transformers, WE111C, Triad RA6

Want to buy or trade for the following UTC transformers:
A-10,11, 12, 16, 17, 18,19, 25, 26
HA-100, 100X,133
LS-10, 12,14, 19, 21, 52, 55, 56, 57, 63

A24,
O1

Western Electric Repeat Coils 111C
Triad RA6 Power Transformers

markhugh@aol.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

623. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Kling <rkling@home.com>
Message-ID: <370D6B8C.BC8422C6@home.com>
Source record: 146175
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uhhh! Beware of people who think that everyone else is stupid and that they are omniscient. This guy needs to get the cork out of his ass and realize that americans occupy very little space on this planet that in fact we are outnumbered! Once he realizes how small his corner of the world really is then he might gain some humility. This is somewhat surprising since he sounds well traveled. This is the ugly american syndrome at its worst. I am the greatest and everyone else is shit!

There my nickel and keep the change!

Rob Kling

George Zimmerlee wrote:
>
> JJ wrote:
>
> > Then I suppose you have already booked your flight to
> > another counrty. Their loss is our gain.
>
> Well, my travel agent has repeated informed me that there
> are nations, principalities, protectorates, territories
> and some countries, but there are no COUNRTIES. Go back to
> school and learn to spell, you illiterate DIPWAD.
>
> I am here because I have work to do here. That work is to
> restore liberty to a bunch of ignorant, backward, willfully
> stupid, God-hating vermin who wouldn't know freedom if it
> bit them on the ass.
>
> I have read the Book of the Revelations, I know how this
> episode of life ends, and your side loses. Really, how
> could your side win? You can't even spell.
>
> I know that I will be accused of casting pearls before
> swine...but I leave you with some wisdom. If you use
> it, you could rise above verminhood to become a man.
>
> To transform the world, we must
> begin with ourselves; and what is
> important in beginning with our-
> selves is the intention. The intention
> must be to understand ourselves and
> not to leave it to others to transform
> themselves... This is our responsibility,

> yours and mine; because, however
> small may be the world we live in, if
> we can bring about a radically different
> point of view in our daily existence,
> then perhaps we shall affect the world
> at large."
> -- J. Krishnamurti, "Self Knowledge,"
> in The First and Last Freedom
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> --
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

624. Re: ARRL and Sumner Jump onto the Bandwagon, Seek Public Credit for Work of Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990408230805.15751.00000326@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 146176

>That forward looking bunch in Newington had to check with
>counsel first, as usual, before they took a stand. Must've needed to be sure
>it wasn't a division of Yaesu or some other contest gear company the ARRL ass
>kisses...

Wrong. They backed me in my stand against Kenwood's bright idea of selling
Amateur gear in truck stops.

K5PF

625. Re: ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990408232244.28207.00000377@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 146177

>I told them the above and the direct
>and veiled ridicule of small stations by obsessed nutcase hams. I spoke of
>outrageous stations and dangerous RF power like K1ZM, W4ZV and W3LPL.

Sounds like a case of Penis Envy, except this time its those big (long)
antennas and the powerful (lots of thrust) radios!

Yrac

626. Re: 9600 baud digital voice - Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.117746b5946f679c9896a3@news>
Source record: 146178

In article <7ej9mg$re2@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>,
kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com says...
> I'm thinking of designing a digital voice "vocoder" to run digital voice in
> and out of a 9600 baud packet connection on a ham radio. Does this break the
> codes and ciphers rule of Part 97?

I would imagine that so long as you ID that station in a recognized
manner, you can send anything you want using the emission characteristics
specified for that band.

Tony

KD1NR

627. Thoughts on MFJ-1798 antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <923639324.497.18@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146179

I'm looking for more information on the MFJ-1798, top-loaded 80m-2m vertical. There's a strange dearth of information in dejanews; is this a new model? I'm looking for subjective and quantitative comparisons to other multi-band verticals, such as Cushcraft's R7000. I've seen MFJ's literature, and read through their on-line manual. The hyperbole claims that it's the "all time best multi-band vertical" performance wise, but don't put any numbers on it.

Thanks.

Michael.

628. Re: CAST YOUR VOTE IN MORSE POLL !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990409024252.12540.00000414@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 146180

I want to get back on HF.

So, I bought a TS-830s, and sold the MC30 mic that came with it so I could buy a Bencher BY2 paddle. I'll get a keyer and antenna tuner with my next (over time) paycheck.

Bob
KD8WU

629. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ekant$qmi@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Maybe so ... how about it Cedric ... would you like
>to join NCI and help us to modernize ham radio?

"...modernize ham radio" by eliminating the code tests, correct? But you'd still view code as an archaic mode of communication, correct? So we can only conclude that your modernization of ham radio couldn't be complete without then working to eliminate code. You'll of course deny that conclusion, but your goals are quite transparent.

It must really eat at your insides when you tune across the HF bands and hear that about 50 percent of the QSOs are conducted using Morse. (That of course contradicts the definition of "archaic.")

73, Jeff KH6O (ex WH6U, KH6OO, et cetera)

630. QTC No.11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7ekcctcqf1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 146182
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,fido.belg.ham,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

QTC No. 10 of the Deutscher Telegrafie Clubs e.V.

GM DR OPs = NW QTC wid 4 pts =

pt 1 =
CQ ALL CW OPS: WE ARE CURRENTLY REQUESTING YOUR OPINION ON HOW MORSE CODE EXAMS SHOULD BE AT OUR WEB SITE = URL HTTP://WWW.MUENSTER.ORG/DTC = ALSO YOU MAY SEND YOUR OPINION BY POST CARD TO OUR SECRETARY = 60 OR 40 LPM? = OR ANY OTHER
SPEED? = AS IT IS OR QSO TESTS ONLY? = RESULTS WILL BE PUBLISHED IN MAY = SECRETARY / THOMAS KOENIG / RINCKLAKEWEG 43 / D-48153 MUENSTER

pt 2 =
YOUR OPINION REGARDING MORSE EXAMS MAY ALSO BE FORWARDED VIA PR TO DF0DTC@DB0EA.#NRW.DEU.EU =

pt 3 =
OUR CLUB FORWARDED IT'S OPINION REGARDING RADIATION HAZARDS (PACEMAKERS AND ELSE) TO THE BODIES IN CHARGE = MORE INFOMATION IN NEXT ISSUE OF THE CW-JOURNAL =

pt 4 =
DF0DTC WAS ACTIVE PROVIDING THE SPECIAL DOK DCW IN THE MARCH VHF CONTEST = MNI TNX ES CONGRATS TO ALL OPS WID DO-PREFIX =

End of QTC =

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This QTC is repeated in English every third Sunday of the month at 09:30 CET/CEST on 7033 kHz (+/- QRM).

73 es agbp de Frank, DTC 030, Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

631. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990409045008.08967.00000479@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 146183

>
>You idiots don't seem to realize that Swatch is making monkeys out of you by
>letting you post all your threats and spew on their comments page. When any
>unbiased person looks at that page who do you think they will see as wackos,
>Swatch or the HAM's who leave threats, spam, and abuse in their public
>posts.

I disagree about how hams will come across. The majority of comments seem well stated. Meanwhile, you can post to the Club Forum section. It is not public, and probably gets to the head people faster via Marketing and Public Relations.

go to:
www.swatch.com

By the way, thanks for calling us "idiots" for trying to head this off. We really appreciate your support! Ha!

Public Radio is not a good analogy. When they made a change, they stayed in control of the situation. How would you feel if the advertisers had started "riding in" on the signals without permission? And how disciplined would advertisers have been if nobody keep a tight rein on them?

It is much easier to stop something in the earliest stages rather than later after it's gathered momentum.

632. Re: 9600 baud digital voice - Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: anonymous@anonymous.anonymous
Message-ID: <370de033.1194566@news.sprint.ca>
Source record: 146184

De Fri, 09 Apr 1999 04:08:07 GMT,
<MPG.117746b5946f679c9896a3@news>,
nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com (Tony Pelliccio)
a écrit dans le message (Re: 9600 baud digital voice - Legal?)...

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>> I'm thinking of designing a digital voice "vocoder" to run digital voice in
>> and out of a 9600 baud packet connection on a ham radio. Does this break the
>> codes and ciphers rule of Part 97?

>I would imagine that so long as you ID that station in a recognized
>manner, you can send anything you want using the emission characteristics
>specified for that band.

other amateurs will complain. government will not likely.

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I will give you 10% commission when you successfully sell !!

633. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <370E060C.5279@ibm.net>
Source record: 146185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> So we can only conclude that your modernization of ham radio couldn't
> be complete without then working to eliminate code.

You got a mouse in your pocket, Jeff? I seriously doubt that you are
correct, but even if you are, what difference does it make? Someone
"working to eliminate code" will not eliminate code. Only the FCC
can eliminate code.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

634. Re: WB2OTK says it and Clinton acts it out in public buildings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7ekv0h$5r$1@camel0.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

>1.INTERFERENCE IS ILLEGAL
>2.IGNORANCE AND FREE SPEECH IS NOT (SEE FIRST AMENDMENT)
>

You forgot that harrasment is also illegal.
>
>And, don't get me started about why it is the President can have fellatio
>performed on him in a public building with someone he isn't married to, but
>we will hang Whiten because he said nigger, fuck, and "spear chuckers" on
the
>air.
>

The difference is intent.
If you can not see the difference then you are too ignorant to have it
explained to you.

William Lee

635. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990409093859.09443.00000327@ng153.aol.com>
Source record: 146187

Taken out of context, anything typed can be edited to construde any meaning anyone else wants. Apparently, you chose to edit what was said to meet your needs. Next time, at least be fair about things...when responding to a post, be man enough to quote the ENTIRE quote so it is a true and accurate account of what was said, not just the portion that provides you with some type of personal soap box that you think will cause people to listen to whoever is on it. Have a nice day...and thank you for spending your time reading and responding.

636. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990409094132.09443.00000329@ng153.aol.com>
Source record: 146188

AND ANOTHER THING...I do live in a glass house and I love to run around naked...it keeps the bears out of my garbage and the deer out of my begonias! :)

637. need help with ramsey ele. tvt-1 transmitter (need instructions/manual)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dakota <dakota@ccwf.cc.utexas.edu>
Message-ID: <7el00t$ef1$1@geraldo.cc.utexas.edu>
Source record: 146189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

ramsey no longer has any information on theis board !!!!

please contact me if you can make me a copy of your manual, instrructions
or schematic.

I cant get this thing to tune up all transistors check OK but I dont
know if they are in the right positions.

i got this in a trade - I got taken I believe - if you have any instructions
then please send me a copy -

I will reimburse your copy and mailing costs

thanks

richard friedrich
wd5--hrp

638. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370E08EA.EF178F46@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedricsson wrote:

> On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 10:41:33 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
>
> >The word Boycott, according to Webster
>
> >Boycott (boikot) v. To abstain from buying OR USING to express protest
>
> Well, "Webster Junior", it is a LITTLE BUT HARD to USE something if
> you don't POSSESS it or BUY it in the FIRST PACE!
>
> Ha ha ha ha ha!
>
> You lose again! You LIED when you said AMSAT-F had asked Amateurs to
> boycott SWATCH.
>
> You just don't have the balls to admit it!

Cedric, Cedrisson, 4-1000 or whom ever you are today. Your comments seem to get more and more bizzarre, I suppose if a group chooses to boycott a radio station and not listen to it, it's really not a boycott according to you since you don't possess the radio station or choose not to buy the radio station? Now that's funny.

If a group decides not to watch a particular news network and discourages others from watching is that not boycotting the network? What would you call it? I'm dying to know, but I doubt you'll answer. As far as balls go, I didn't know whether or not you have them had anything to do with debating an issue, but I suppose that's all you have left to share on the topic. One question though, how big do your balls have to be to post from an anon email account?

Tim ka8ddz

639. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <370E0C2F.E79E8B96@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 146191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cedricsson wrote:

> On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 09:26:46 -0400, Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com> wrote:
> > You never really reply to the questions
>
> Another one of your lies, Tim.
>
> >The question regarding Swatch was, considering the alternatives, that
> >is, possibly partnering with Swatch to benifit them and the amateur
> >community, what have we accomplished by attempting to stop the Swatch
> >satellite project?
>
> Since you didn't read the answer the first time, Tim, I am going to
> give it to you ONE LAST TIME. If you don't read it THIS time, I will
> not repeat it again for you!
>
> What we have accomplished by attempting to stop someone from breaking
> International Laws, is we have stood up for what is right, UNLIKE YOU
> who has condoned it like an oaf!

So that brings us back around to the point I made early in the discussion, since AMSAT-F won't share exactly what the messages are and since no one knows exactly what was going to be transmitted how do you know they were breaking international laws? I'm not condoning anything, I was debating the interpretations of the regulations which you seem to have a problem understanding, and since I question the interpretation you make comments like "If it's illegal Tim's for it!" and assume I condone what Swatch is doing. I suppose if I question the Constitution of the United States I should be hung for treason eh?

By the way, are you totally unable to discuss an issue without name calling? You seem unable to post without calling me a liar, an oaf, and running spell checks on my posts. I bet you were the pride of your college debat team.

Tim ka8ddz

640. Re: Need help looking for a good dual band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrw7, <>, yahoo.com
Message-ID: <370fd7f0.10195031@news.clara.net>
Source record: 146192

The FT8100 fits the bill nicely as far as I'm concerned Max, I'm very happy with mine :-)

Don't know about the price in the US, but in the UK it's about 350 UKP.

--

7 3 for now, Nick G7COC

g7coc at nrw
.
clara dot net
Also @ GB7CYM

On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 19:27:15 -0400, it was observed that Max and/or Cindy
<cindymax@prodigy.net> said:

() -There are too many model numbers for me to learn about. I'd just like a
() -good, used dual bander that can do cross-band repeating and has a
() -removeable faceplate. Also, how much should I pay for it. Is there a
() -place on the web where you can type in a model number and it'll tell
() -you what features it has? Thanks,
() -- Max, K2MSG

641. Re: Swatch advertising on 2 metres

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: nrw7, <>, yahoo.com
Message-ID: <371913c0.25509441@news.clara.net>
Source record: 146193

Jon Pearl needs to set up Outlook Express properly !

Next time you send a message, go to the Format>language menu and set it to Western Alphabet.

Even better, find a copy of Forte Agent, - not the Free version, - and spend $29 to register it.

I have nothing to do with Forte, I'm just a VERY contented user :-))
--

7 3 for now, Nick G7COC

g7coc at nrw
.
clara dot net
Also @ GB7CYM

On Tue, 06 Apr 1999 02:43:50 GMT, it was observed that barryo@fastlink.com.au said:

() -"Jon Pearl W4ABC" <w4abc@gte.net> wrote:
() -
() -:Swatch is preparing 10 digitally recorded 'advertisements' to
() -:+ACI-Broadcast+ACI- on the 2 meter band from the Russian +ACI-Beatnik+ACI-
() -:satellite.
() -
() -I think Russia uses metres. On American are stupid enough to use meters
() -for broadcasting.
() -
() -What does "+ACI-Broadcast+ACI-" and "+ACI-Beatnik+ACI-" mean?
() -
() -:You can leave a message at their website that will float aloft for 30
() -:days.
() -
() -Cool.
() -
() -:http://www.swatch.com/beatnik/send.php3 : :Judging from the comments on this
() -page from the +ACI-Amateur Community,+ACI- it :would be better suited at the
() -+ACI-Rated X+ACI- satellite.
() -
() -What does "+ACI-Amateur Community,+ACI-" and "+ACI-Rated X+ACI-" mean?
() -
() -:Jon Pearl
() -:W4ABC
() -
() ------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------

() -http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

642. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7el5gr$1gc$1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 146194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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>SNIP<
>ham radio ... NCI is a ham radio organization ... but
>you knew that ... you just want to troll for flames ...
>sorry, no deal. :-)
>SNIP<
Jim is as clueless as a my deaf cat.
Jut put him in your kill file and his trolls will vanish.
If everyone does this, then the trolls will stop getting their shrunken
little egos stroked and will go back to looking for alt.naked.kids sites.
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643. 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <n4pP2.500$uy.608@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146195

today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
instead of a number.

if you have yaesu gear you shud be real careful with it today.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

644. Source for odd 4-conductor plugs for FT-50R??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgravatt@falcon.cc.ukans.edu
Message-ID: <7el9ci$o36$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello all, I know this came up before, but I lost my note to myself on the subject. Can anyone out there give me the name/address/url for suppliers of the oddball 4-conductor speaker-mic plugs that mate with the Yaesu FT-50R handheld? I want to run packet through my FT-50R and don't want to sacrifice a speaker-mic by chopping its head off. Thanks in advance de N2PRC.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

645. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <1apP2.506$uy.967@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146197

On 9 Apr 1999 13:38:59 GMT tbone107@aol.com (Tbone107) wrote:
> Next time, at least be fair about things...when responding to a post, be
> man enough to quote the ENTIRE quote so it is a true and accurate account of
> what was said, not just the portion that provides you with some type of

okie dokie. here is the fielth you posted with my advance apologies to
any kids reading it:

==begin quote==

Subject: Re: I work at mcdonalds and spit on the buns!!!
Date: 7 Apr 1999 02:17:56 GMT
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com

That's fine...while you're at McDonalds spitting on burgers, I'm wiping
your mothers spit off my love rocket and wiping your sisters butt to
get my secret sauce off it. What I do with your wife is out little
secret...but I'll give you a hint...you chose the name, not me.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

646. OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <mGpP2.536$uy.996@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146198

On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 18:35:53 GMT mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> FCC Official Acknowledges OOs Really Are "Official"
>
> WRONG. I'D RATHER HAVE NO HAM RADIO THAN A BUNCH OF FEDERAL SANCTIONED
> ILLEGAL SNITCHES, SO I'VE WRITTEN MY REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS TO URGE THE
> ELIMINATION OF THE ARS AS A TROUBLE MAKING UNNECESSARY SERVICE AND WASTE OF
> SPECTRUM.

once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.

so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
had complained about him.

couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.

OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.

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647. FS: Icom IC-551d with IC-PS20 P/S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC4NYH <chainsaw1@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <7el99a$gq6$1@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146199
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hello to the group,
I have a nice 6 meter rig for sale. It is an Icom IC-551d and it comes with the matching power supply IC-PS20. The rig does AM,CW, SSB, and puts out a full 80 watts and is very clean. The rig does not have the FM board in it. It comes with the Icom optional low noise hand mic all gear is a 9 out of a scale of 10 and ready for delivery. The rig also comes with the separate standard power cord, manuals (radio & P/S), no original carton though (sorry)!

The price is $450. firm , buyer pays shipping.

Contact:
Mark Payne
KC4NYH
at kc4nyh@mindspring.com

648. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370E1A79.4AF1@no.net>
Source record: 146200

numbnuts62 wrote:

> I just wanetd to comment on you. You said in the thread abouet
> Mcdonalds that you sodomised sum guys sister and raped his mother. And
> you have the guts to corect sumone else? You must be a Serb.
>
> Pple who live in glass houses shuld not undress.
>

People who post to newsgroups should learn how to spell or at least use
a spell checker.

649. base station and antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lee <dwl@slip.net>
Message-ID: <7elci9$fl3$1@owl.slip.net>
Source record: 146201

Hi,

I am interested in setting up a "remote base station". The way I understand it this works similar to a repeater which would be good because I'm interested in using some repeaters I can't reach with my HT. The repeaters I'm trying to reach are on 2m and 70cm and 50Mhz.

Can anyone recommend a good base station that can be worked as a "remote base station"? I'm also looking for recommendations for a very effective non-beam, small size, antenna.

Thanks
David
kf6asc

650. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <CUqP2.606$uy.1134@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146202

On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:18:41 GMT JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:

> People who post to newsgroups should learn how to spell or at least use
> a spell checker.

and pple who post to usenet shud read the faqs on news.answers first.
if they did, they would know that spelling flaems are the lamest thing
anyone can post.

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651. Re: QSTs/H.Radio/73 on eBAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370e4727.29227593@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146203

This doesn't work - it responds with:

0 items matching the query "Hambone4" found .

On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 10:40:16 GMT, jtravis@buncombe.main.nc.us wrote:

>Have posted a lot of QSTs/73/ CQ Mags/Ham Radio mags on ebay...some expire
>on the 8th and many on the 11th and 12th....
>
>these are from the 50's on. go to www.ebay.com, click on Search, and insert
>hambone4 under "seller search".....thanks W4QCF
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

652. Re: QSTs/H.Radio/73 on eBAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370e478a.29326316@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146204

OK, found it after poking a few different buttons there until one
worked! Not too many bids, huh?

A suggestion: Try Yahoo!

If no one bids, you don't owe them anything!

I think it is
http://auction.yahoo.com

I have done several deals there and was VERY pleased!

It's a lot like eBay except you don't have to pay!!!

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>on the 8th and many on the 11th and 12th....
>
>these are from the 50's on. go to www.ebay.com, click on Search, and insert
>hambone4 under "seller search".....thanks W4QCF
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

653. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7eli6t$k0f@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 146205

"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> writes:
>today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
>when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
>side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
>instead of a number.

I'll remember that the next time my radio is connected to a card reader.

"Some people" will say almost anything, but you have to look at whether
what they say is plausible. None of my radios has any idea what the date
today is, so today is going to be just like any other day.

For any computer system that *does* store dates as year and day-within-year,
they will have to store *three* digits for the day, so they can represent
a whole year. Thus, April 9 would be stored as 09999. If "all nines"
is used as an EOF marker, it would be 999999. Notice the difference
between those two numbers? The computer can certainly tell that they
are different.

The same applies to September 9 - some people have said that 9/9/99
could cause problems. But any system that stores day/month/year must
use at least 2 digits for day and month, so September 9 is 09/09/99.
Any "all nines" marker would be 99/99/99.

People say the dumbest things sometimes.

Dave

654. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370e4b8e.30354439@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bravo, Jeff!

On 9 Apr 1999 07:37:33 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>It must really eat at your insides when you tune across the HF bands
>and hear that about 50 percent of the QSOs are conducted using Morse.
>(That of course contradicts the definition of "archaic.")

>73, Jeff KH6O (ex WH6U, KH6OO, et cetera)

655. Re: Web Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <370e4be9.30445660@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 146207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Now here is a great idea!!

Anyone want a SKED over SPEAK FREELY or PHONE FREE?

I would be happy to do that any time with anyone! Easy to do with any
sidetone generator and a lot less TVI!

What a blast!

>Try ICW, to hell with I Phone. This CW thing just wont quit will it ?
>
>Even better, a small QRP transciever on CW beats the living hell out anything
>else. The best part its WIRELESS, look in your history books and find out what
>that means. Its a step back into the future fellas.

656. Re: A no-code license should be two year, non-renewable.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7elm5a$g21$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 146208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Well put Matt, nice job.

73,
Tom

In article <370bfa6b.0@main>, "Matt Nelson, N5TKN" <n5tkn@nccinternet.com>
wrote:
>Although I have now passed my 5 wpm code, I was a no-code technician for 8+
>years, right after it became available. I have now passed my general
>written test TWICE, only to still fail at 13 wpm. I must take exception to
>the person who originally wrote this post (and was too chicken to put his
>REAL name in) and the second follow up, who also didn't leave a name. I and
>many others served our communities well with our no-code licenses. I did
>and still do volunteer with the Office of Emergency Services, the American
>Red Cross Disaster Relief Services division, as well as functioning as a
>trained severe weather spotter. I have been as asset to my community, as a
>reliable communications resource in emergencies. (and I have worked MANY),
>remember all the tornadoes in March 1997, and 20-30 + so far this year.
>Unlike you, I do not sit around moaning that the hobby is not what I want it
>to be, I get out and make it what I want it to be. Sure, I would like to
>see code done way with, or at least the maximum requirement dropped to
>either 5 or 13 wpm, but I don't sit around whining about it like many of you
>who want code mandatory do. There are bad hams who are no-code techs, and
>there are just as many Extras who are filthy both in person and on the air
>as well in their language and many are just plain terrible operators in
>general. Passing morse code does not automatically make one a saint. (Sorry
>to burst your bubble there, but deny it all you want, it HAS been burst, as
>you all know this is the truth.)
>
>You can go on believing you are right and I am wrong, but you will fade away
>and crumble to dust, just like CW, while the rest of us continue to improve
>and expand our hobby and get on with our lives.
>
>Signed,
>Matt Nelson
>N5TKN
>
>
>
>Cold Steel <No.SP@M.net> wrote in message
>news:ekBF2.17$xv.619@newscene.newscene.com...
>>
>> In article <7c6m16jsj1@usenet45.supernews.com>, Save CW <LEARN@CW.Net>
>> wrote:

>> >
>> >If someone can't learn the code in two years time, then they're too
>Stupid
>> >& Lazy to be a ham and We don't want'em! Let'em work DX with a cell
>phone!
>> >
>> >The ARRL screwed the hobby, you just wait and see.
>> >
>> >
>> >
>> If the people and the arrl would be willing to pull their head out of
>their
>> ass we wouldn't have a problem with cw and No codes should only use cell
>> phones, that way you won't have to hear them whinning on the repeaters.
>>
>> 73
>
>

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

657. WTD: UHF mini-plexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <ejtP2.74$8c.3416@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for a UHF mini-plexer, anyone have one they would like to part with? Please E-mail me with details...

Mike

mjs@nolnet.net

658. Re: 6m CW questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <370E6C8C.FB27C3F1@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 146210

I think 144.100 and down should be avoided. the weak signal guys use it for moon bounce and long haul
(dx) . When I send code practice I used someting above the ssb calling freq. (144.220-.250) or Fm
simplex and afsk(tone modulated) . I use a pk232 tnc set up like packet and use morse mode to send a
text file from the computer. error free and stable speed.
Mike AA7QA

Tom@astro.net wrote:

> In article <Pine.HPP.3.93.990407165144.24476A-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>,
n-geovanis@nwu.edu wrote:
> >On Wed, 7 Apr 1999 Tom@astro.net wrote:
> >
> >> Nick,
> >> Cw can also be used on 2m, just a reminder. The 98-99 repeater directory
> >> lists 50.0-50.1 for cw,beacons, 50.1-50.3 for ssb,cw
> >> 50.3-50.6 all modes.
> >
> >OK, thanks. Same questions for 2-meters then:
> > Any schedule or gentleman's-agreement-bandplan for Technician
> >code-practice? Any homebrew 2-meter (QRP or not) CW transmitter plans?
>
> 2m - 144.05-144.10 CW and weak signals
>
> 73,
> Tom
>
> >> 73,
> >> Tom
> >>
> >> In article <Pine.HPP.3.93.990406142705.9220B-100000@merle.acns.nwu.edu>,
> >> n-geovanis@nwu.edu wrote:
> >> >In studying for the technician license, I noted that a technician has CW
> >> >privileges on 6m. It seemed to me that making use of this might help
> >> >prepare for the tech-plus upgrade and QRP DX by providing some CW
> >> >experience before hitting real DX conditions, especially at low-power. Are
> >> >there any "reserved" freqs or nets for this purpose on 6m?
> >> >
> >> >Also: I have a number of QRP CW transmitter plans at home, but as far as I
> >> >can tell, none intended for 6m. Is this caused by an FCC/United Nations
> >> >conspiracy to pollute my purity-of-essence with overseas communist
> >> >propaganda, or are there more complicated reasons? :-D Can anyone point me
> >> >at some 6m CW QRP transmitter plans?

> >> >
> >> >+-------------------->
> >> >| Nick Geovanis
> >> >| IT Computing Svcs
> >> >| Northwestern Univ
> >> >V n-geovanis@nwu.edu
> >> >
> >>
> >>
> >> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
> >>
> >> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> >> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> >> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
> >>
> >> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
> >>
> >>
> >>
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>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

659. Re: Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@amsat.org
Message-ID: <370e71a9.167265423@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146211

lmontcal@capecod.net wrote:

>Richard Whiten - W2OTK (aka WB2OTK) has finally been nailed by the FCC....See
>the news on the ARRL WEB Page - "For Members Only".....
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
Boy,
it looks like Mr.whiten has fell in some "DEEP KIMSHEE"
it looks like that if he doesnt have an explanation for his actions on the ham bands
that when it comes time for his renewal it might not happen.
His vanity request is on hold until further notice
and that when he recieves notice from a OO that it
is to be regarded as if the notice was sent by the FCC>
and further action is pending completion of an offical investigation.
this is not my opinion but some quotes from the arrl web page.
n4jzh

660. See a naked chick in the hands of a ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: burt1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7em3jcdrp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146212

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You will see:

1. How to pass the A+ Certification
2. See Hillary do something naked.
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. Take the Burt Poll, about Clinton ham spouses, girlfriends
5. Attacks against Burt K1OIK's opinion of ham radio in a national publication for broadcasters
6. Burt's opinion on the First Affair in the White House with a picture of the new first couple.
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. A test for your SVGA monitor
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@imfamous.com
http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

661. Re: Motorola Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <brian_messman@dell.com>
Message-ID: <7em02f$1bn$1@galaxy.us.dell.com>
Source record: 146213
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

One word for morotola: bulletproof. These things are TOUGH! You'll be
able to find a radio with more features at a better price, but i ran over my
HT600 with my patrol car, no probs...

Shawn Upton wrote in message <370CC727.41C6@eece.maine.edu>...
>I have a quick question about Motorola radios. It seems that I see alot
>of them for sale in this ng, but they always seem to be about the same
>price as normal ham ht's, or priced higher. What makes these Motorolas
>attractive to people? I dont' have much experience with them, but they
>seem to have less options than the newer ht's. Thanks.
>
>--
>**
>Shawn Upton
>Electrical Engineering Student
>University of Maine at Orono
>webpage: http://www.eece.maine.edu/~supton/
>mail: supton@eece.maine.edu
>KB1CKT Tech Plus
>**

662. IT'S COAST RADIO STATION ACTIVITY WEEKEND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Dixon <robert.dixon@zetnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <19990409235154697 42@zetnet.co.uk>
Source record: 146214

This weekend, 10th/11th April, will see over 100 stations active from or close to the locations of various Coast Radio Stations past and present around the world.

Work 12 of them on this one-off event to get an award celebrating 100 years of this service started by Marconi himself.

Find out more at
http://www.users.zetnet.co.uk/rdixon/crs/specialevent/index.htm
or
http://www.qsl.net/gm3zdh/coast/index.htm

663. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7em1gg$tg7$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

>>SNIP<
>>ham radio ... NCI is a ham radio organization ... but
>>you knew that ... you just want to troll for flames ...
>>sorry, no deal. :-)
>>SNIP<
>Jim is as clueless as a my deaf cat.
>Jut put him in your kill file and his trolls will vanish.
>If everyone does this, then the trolls will stop getting their shrunken
>little egos stroked and will go back to looking for alt.naked.kids sites.

Profuse words of wisdom from yet another Anony-Mouse Morse code
challenged ham(?).....

73, Jim KH2D

664. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <370e8e29.96846743@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146216

On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:13:06 GMT, "numbnuts62"
<rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
>that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
>there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
>machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
>even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
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>so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
> he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
>had complained about him.
>
>couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
>
>OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.

How can you make your point when spelling like a retard? Or is this
your idea of humor?

665. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990409193641.02274.00000718@ng98.aol.com>
Source record: 146217

>once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
>that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
>there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
>machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
>even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
>
>so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
> he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
>had complained about him.
>
>couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
>
>OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.
>

Check your mailbox. You're getting an OO notice for
really bad spelling.

666. 10-10 # Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ralph C. Noll" <rcnoll@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7em2st$62q@dfw-ixnews12.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146218

Swap your 10-10 numbers on the Channel Islands Chapter 10X International.
Net is every Wednesday at 28.349mhz, from Oxnard, Ca. P.D.S.T. is 10am-12noon again at 6pm-8,pm. 17.00-19.00Z and 01.00-03.00Z.
Nonmembers are most welcome to join in. For more info.e-mail rcnoll@ix,netcom,com. 73

667. SWATCH Group Addresses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Contact The SWATCH Group <press@swatchgroup.com>
Message-ID: <qjwP2.897$Un6.54357@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 146219
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Let the SWATCH Group http://swatchgroup.com know how international regulations are being raped! The Swatch Group builds watches for SWATCH, Blancpain, Omega, Rado, Longines, Tissot, Calvin Klein, Certina, Mido, Hamilton, Pierre Balmain, Flik Flak, Lanco, and Endura. They also have divisions involved in electronic components, real estate, etc.. Their addresses are:
info@swatchgroup.com,
press@swatchgroup.com,
investor.relations@swatchgroup.com,
james.aschberger@swatchgroup.com,
daniel.toggweiler@swatchgroup.com,
fs@mail.cogito.de,
daniel.toggweiler@smh.ch

You can also write their on-line store at: swatchstore@swatch.com

668. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7em4hp$rpa@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146220

What? And you managed to get his OO status revoked? I'd like to see a copy
of that letter! Hope your fist is better than your touch typing!

CRT wrote in message <370e8e29.96846743@news.mindspring.com>...
>On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:13:06 GMT, "numbnuts62"
><rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>
>
>>once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
>>that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
>>there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
>>machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
>>even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
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>>so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
>> he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
>>had complained about him.
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>>couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
>>
>>OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.
>
>How can you make your point when spelling like a retard? Or is this
>your idea of humor?

669. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7em5k9$qbn@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 146221

abuse@warez.phantom.com writes:
>Ah yes they do. It happens that I just saw a DOD advisory today which
>advised precisely what the previous poster had said. It seems that
>legacy COBOL programs are particularly likely to be bothered by 4/9/99.

And which amateur radio hardware or software is likely to be affected
by legacy COBOL programs?

Dave

670. Take a close look at SWATCH CEO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Dease <n4nr@vulcan.RE.MOVE.com>
Message-ID: <T_wP2.909$Un6.55255@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 146039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi All,

Just a note... if any of you think the actions of SWATCH is disregard of international amateur radio regulations from "just a small company", be sure to take a close look at the bio on Mr. Nicolas G. Hayek, the co-founder, Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer of the Swatch Group.

At http://swatch.com use the site navigator (extra little window) and click on "Mr. Swatch".

Mr. Hayek, who basically told the ARRL to "kiss off" in my opinion (See The ARRL Letter, Vol 18, No 15), is MUCH MUCH more connected than with Swatch. This is a man with MAJOR connections to many large ventures.

What will be the next move of big business?

73,

Dennis - N4NR

671. CW saves stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <370ea7f7.103454545@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146040

CW was once again a life saver. This time for a pair of fishermen who were stranded after their small boat swamped on New Jersey's Round Valley Reservoir.

The February 25th edition of the Hunterdon County Democrat news reported the plight of the two would-be anglers. Not having any radio gear or a cellular telephone with which to summon assistance, the two used a flashlight to send an SOS distress call in Morse. As luck would have it, a passing motorist recognized the message and called the rescue squad. They located the two men about three miles from where they'd put their boat into the water.

As an aside, the news report said that the motorist had learned the code as a Boy Scout. And talk about coincidence. The story also reported that he spotted the fishermen's SOS as he was listening to a radio broadcast dealing about the bronze whistle recovered in 1993 from the doomed passenger liner Titanic.

(ARRL. others)

672. Re: Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: ou812@van
Message-ID: <370ea8ed.181415554@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146041

lmontcal@capecod.net wrote:

>Richard Whiten - W2OTK (aka WB2OTK) has finally been nailed by the FCC....See
>the news on the ARRL WEB Page - "For Members Only".....
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
FCC OFFICIAL ACKNOWLEDGES OOs REALLY ARE "OFFICIAL"

The FCC's top amateur enforcer, Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says that hams who receive notices from ARRL Official Observers should take them seriously or take the consequences. "Failure to take the notices seriously and to take corrective action where possible will not be tolerated by the Commission," Hollingsworth said in an enforcement-related letter to a South Carolina amateur. "The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical element of the Commission's enforcement program," he said, adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines and other sanctions.

Hollingsworth's comments were contained in an April 7 station-inspection follow-up letter to Richard Whiten, WB2OTK, of Easely, South Carolina. Hollingsworth and an FCC engineering team visited Whiten's station on January 22 after what Hollingsworth called "longstanding complaints" about the operation of Whiten's station. Whiten reportedly cooperated in the station inspection. According to the FCC letter, the Commission has received "numerous complaints" about Whiten "regarding profanity, obscenity, broadcasting extreme racial slurs, deliberate interference and failure to properly identify." Hollingsworth also said he'd heard complaints that Whiten had played recordings over the air "for the purpose of harassment or deliberate interference."

Hollingsworth noted that Whiten had "apparently ignored notices from Official Observers," and pointed out that the volunteer OOs work "in accordance with an agreement between the Commission and the ARRL and in accordance with our statutory authority."

"One thing I have really picked up as I travel around to groups is the frustration of the OOs," Hollingsworth told the League this week. "We're going to correct that, pure and simple."

In his letter, he told Whiten that, although the FCC considers hams to be self-policing, "the success of that regulatory approach depends upon the adherence to notices of possible improper operation from other licensed amateurs who are recognized Official Observers." The FCC asked Whiten to list all notices from OOs he has received since the start of his license term on September 27, 1994, and any corrective actions taken in response.

The FCC also set aside a February 10, 1999, grant of the vanity call sign W2OTK to Whiten and said his license expiration date remains October 15, 2001.

Hollingsworth also took advantage of the opportunity provided by his letter to Whiten to spell out the FCC's position on obscene and indecent Amateur Radio transmissions. "Obscene speech is not protected by the First Amendment and cannot be broadcast at any time," he advised. Indecent speech also is not protected between 6 AM and 10 PM, in accordance with the so-called "safe harbor" policy the FCC uses with commercial broadcasters.

Hollingsworth said that while FCC personnel did not notice any technical violations during their January inspection, they did have "serious concerns" about a linear amplifier under construction that was capable of greater than legal output. Hollingsworth asked Whiten to provide details of the amplifier and how it's been used.

Hollingsworth also told Whiten he would be forwarding, under separate cover, tape recordings made of Whiten's transmissions last November on 20 meters. "You will be requested to provide a full explanation for those radio transmissions," he wrote.

"No decisions have been made yet in this case," Hollingsworth told the League. "We're still seeking information."

673. SWATCH President Former East German Border Guard !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eme7t$lt8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.space

Now that I have your attention, it does seem he has a problem with international treaties.

Of course, I have wanted to test the fan on my 2m rig on air, under real world SWR to see if it works, and my satellite tracking software is often unreliable, at best.

SWATCH's response makes it sound like they only want to help give everyone a voice and equal access under law to ham frequencies, God knows we are pigs what with hoarding those 30 MHz out of 55 GHz to ourself !... Seems it should've had a CB Radio giveaway sweepstakes then.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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674. Re: ARRL and Sumner Jump onto the Bandwagon, Seek Public Credit for Work of Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Kelly <mkelly@powerup.com.au>
Message-ID: <370EB294.2E94@powerup.com.au>
Source record: 146043

Would you prefer they did nothing? :-(

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> This bunch of timid Timmys didn't do shit until after the ball was rolling
--
****
* Murray Kelly vk4aok mkelly@powerup.com.au *
* 29 Molonga Ter. / Graceville/ QLD. 4075/ Australia *
* ph/fax Intl+ 61 7 3379 3307 *
****

675. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370EB1DF.1C8F@no.net>
Source record: 146044

numbnuts62 wrote:
>
> On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:18:41 GMT JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:
>
> > People who post to newsgroups should learn how to spell or at least use
> > a spell checker.
>
> and pple who post to usenet shud read the faqs on news.answers first.
> if they did, they would know that spelling flaems are the lamest thing
> anyone can post.
>

Not as lame as your appear from your postings.

676. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370EB21C.3780@no.net>
Source record: 146045

CRTï¿½ wrote:
>
> On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:13:06 GMT, "numbnuts62"
> <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>
> >once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
> >that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
> >there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
> >machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
> >even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
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> >so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
> > he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
> >had complained about him.
> >
> >couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
> >
> >OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.
>
> How can you make your point when spelling like a retard? Or is this
> your idea of humor?

See, I'm not the only one.

677. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370EB246.694C@no.net>
Source record: 146046

YCTHULHU wrote:
>
> >once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
> >that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
> >there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
> >machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
> >even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
> >
> >so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
> > he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
> >had complained about him.
> >
> >couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
> >
> >OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.
> >
>
> Check your mailbox. You're getting an OO notice for
> really bad spelling.

Need I say more?

678. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <370EB27B.1501@no.net>
Source record: 146047

Sï¿½ wrote:
>
> What? And you managed to get his OO status revoked? I'd like to see a copy
> of that letter! Hope your fist is better than your touch typing!
>
> CRTï¿½ wrote in message <370e8e29.96846743@news.mindspring.com>...
> >On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:13:06 GMT, "numbnuts62"
> ><rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
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> >
> >>once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
> >>that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
> >>there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
> >>machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
> >>even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
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> >> he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
> >>had complained about him.
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> >>couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
> >>
> >>OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.
> >
> >How can you make your point when spelling like a retard? Or is this
> >your idea of humor?

Maybe you should change that id to dumbnuts00.

679. Re: ARRL and Sumner Jump onto the Bandwagon, Seek Public Credit for Work of Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <hjzP2.939$uy.1272@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146048

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 12:08:20 +1000 Murray Kelly <mkelly@powerup.com.au>
wrote:
> Would you prefer they did nothing? :-(

see. it is sort of like the govnerment. they keep on passing laws for
years and years and now there is no way to not breake sum law or other.
freedom is going fast. it wud be better if they did nothing for a
while.

same way for the arrl. alls they do is make things worse. always have.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

680. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <LIzP2.941$uy.1360@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146049

On 9 Apr 1999 23:36:41 GMT ycthulhu@aol.com (YCTHULHU) wrote:

> Check your mailbox. You're getting an OO notice for
> really bad spelling.

well I can see by the way you spell yer name that you are an expert on
speling.

I will trie to do better.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

681. Re: Web Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <0qzP2.945$uy.986@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146050

On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 18:51:35 GMT sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric)
wrote:
> Now here is a great idea!!
>
> Anyone want a SKED over SPEAK FREELY or PHONE FREE?
>
> I would be happy to do that any time with anyone! Easy to do with any
> sidetone generator and a lot less TVI!

you do haev to be careful about power though. if you run too much
power it can do stuff to yer isps equipment and then the isp will get
real mad. so be sure to keep yer power reasonable.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

682. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <2zzP2.953$uy.1346@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146051

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 02:21:05 GMT root@warez.phantom.com (Dave) wrote:

> That is irrelevant to the original assertion (which you quite ignorantly
> disputed) that 09 Apr 1999 is a Y2K "trouble" date.

you could have been nicer abouet it. maybe the other dave isn't as
smart as you and me and we shud be understandieng. think abouet it.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

683. Standard c5900da

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: LeRoy Prosic <ve3lgp@tct.net>
Message-ID: <7emjo2$21f@sabik.tct.net>
Source record: 146052

I am looking to possibly start a discussion group on the Standard C5900DA tri-band mobile. If you own one and like to participate please send e-mail address along with opinion. www.ve3lgp.net

684. Re: See a pudgy ham's naked ass

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <yGAP2.1013$uy.1253@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146053

If he picked another record from his collection of LP showtunes he
could get rid of that scratch and this repetition ition ition ition
ition ition ition ition ition ition..........

HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
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685. Re: Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <7OAP2.1019$uy.1368@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146054

On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 23:19:52 GMT lmontcal@capecod.net wrote:
> Richard Whiten - W2OTK (aka WB2OTK) has finally been nailed by the FCC....See
> the news on the ARRL WEB Page - "For Members Only".....

"For Members Only"... sounds like someone at ARRL has been cruising in
the red light district. Perhaps http://www.richards-realm.com/ ?
I thought you made this claim 2 weeks ago. Guess he's sorta the Saddam
Hussein of ham radio, the government slaps him every few weeks when
he's naughty ?
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686. Re: FCC - Matches their Meat !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <6RAP2.1025$uy.1293@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146055

Guess Clit-on and Mon Mon were visiting SC when he got Officially
Observed ?
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687. Re: St oo ned ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <UYAP2.1031$uy.1337@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146056

On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 16:13:06 GMT "numbnuts62"
<rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
> that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater

Awwwww, he was just on a Heathkit High after sniffing some green paint
and drunking some transformer oil.

"A Well Regulated Citizenry being Necessary to the Order of a Police
State, the Right to Keep and Bear Arms shall be Abolished."
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688. Re: SWATCH offers FREE Weight Watchers to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <V0BP2.1033$uy.1333@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146057

SWATCH offers FREE Weight Watchers to ALL HAMS !!!

http://www.swatch.comm/jointventure/hams/weightloss
(keep trying, it's been up and down today !)

Jenny Craig, eat yer heart out (I assume she's on a cardiac diet !).
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

689. QST QST All- Urgent Regulation Notice !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <IEBP2.1057$uy.1361@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146058

"How to sound like a "GAY HAM" in one easy lesson."
By Pat Handy, KZ4DYK(E) and Steve Sunshine, Male Prostitute

Step One: Use as many "QUEER" signals as possible. Yes, I know they were invented solely for FM, the "FUN IN THE SUN MODE" and are totally inappropriate for closet use, but they're as fun and as entertaining as a good Liza Manelli impersonation. They keep straight people guessing as to what you really meant. I.E. "I'm going to QSY to the phone." Can one really "Suck You" over the phone? QSL used to mean, "I am a Queer Single Lady", but now it appears to mean, "guess". I guess I missed it when the ARRL changed the meaning for LAMBDA's benefit. It is also best to use "OK" and "QSL" together. Redundancy is the better part of Gay-dom.

Step Two: Never laugh when you can say "HE HE". No one will ever know you aren't a long time gay boy if you don't tell them. They'll think you've been a gay ham since the days of J. Edgar Hoover.

Step Three: Utilize an alternative gay ham vocabulary. Use words like "dwestinated" and "no swir thats thust tho thilly !". It's OK to make up your own words here. I.E. "Yeah Tom, I "pheel Bart's zaphonix" occasionally myself."

Step Four: Always wear a pink triangle to hamfests and when in South Carolina "for I.D." As mentioned in Step One, anything that creates hatred is always encouraged. That's why we have the ATF.

Step Five: The better the copy on two meter FM, the more you should use phonetics. Names should be especially used if they are androgynous and you have a burly female or feminine male voice. I.E. "My name is PAT" or "ROBIN" or "CHRIS" If at all possible use the less common HF phonetics "HBB42SMU... Hey Big Boy 4 2 Sex Me Up." And for maximum "GAY points", make up shocking phonetics. "My name is Bob... Bend Over Buddy."

Step Six: Always record the calls of yourself and everyone who is (or has had) sex in a group, whether they are alive there or not. While this has been unnecessary since AIDS, it is still a great memory test. You may also use "and the group" if you're an "old timer" or just have a bad memory. Extra points for thaying everyone's call and then clearing in a thilly way "Gay 9, Chow, Chow now Queer !."

Step Seven: Whenever possible, confuse the gay terminology. It keeps people guessing. Use "butch" when you mean "girly", and vice-versa.

Step Eight: When on a date, always finish your turn,
taking as long as possible before turning it over. Whenever possible,
pass it around a few times first. This will discourage the breaker, and
if it is an emergency, encourage him to switch to another partner and
not bother you.

Step Nine: Always make sure you try to communicate with only a
handheld and a rubber. This will put out a kind of "GAY mating call":
"Well, Joe, I can hear the repeater just fine here. I wonder why you
won't meet me?" You will score if you are mobile, and with the other
ham lying in the passenger seat.

Step Ten: If you hear two straight amateurs start a conversation, wait
until they are twenty seconds into their contact, and then break in to
call them homophobic. Make sure you keep the
repeater tied up for at least three minutes. This way, once the two
have re-established contact, they won't even feel like eating dinner.

Step Eleven: Always use the National Queer Meet Calling Frequency for
personal conversations. The more interesting, the longer you should use
it. Extra points are awarded if you have recently moved to Greenwich
Village for no artistic reason.

Step Twelve: Make sure that if you have a personal problem with
someone, you should voice your opinion in a public forum,
especially a net. Make sure you give their name, call, and any other
identifying remarks. For maximum points, call Janet Reno and initiate
legal proceedings.

These eighteen easy steps should put you well on your way to
"GAY-Hood". I hope these helpful hints will save you some time in your
quest to sound like the perfect "FAG". I should also note that these
steps need not apply to solo operation, as nobody really cares
because that handheld isn't going to get out too far with just a rubber
on.
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690. FS: Heathkit electronics courses (VERY NICE!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: joelong@ugcs.caltech.edu
Message-ID: <7empp1$srf@gap.cco.caltech.edu>
Source record: 146059

Are you interested in really learning electronics?

Don't miss this excellent set of electronics courses from
Heathkit. They cover all of the basics very well and include
books, VHS videos, software and parts and equipment to
perform many experiemnts as described in the courses.

Take a look at...
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=89211199

Thanks a lot,
Joe

691. Re: LibertyNITwitz= LYING_SPIN DOCTORING_ LIDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990410034413.01088.00000893@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 146060

MIKEY SPINS
>For 14 years the Liberty Net has been on it's known frequency
>of 3.950 mHz.

Most of the others that USE 3950 have been on THAT frequency alot longer!!

>Amateur radio is (was) known as a hobby for gentlemen, and it's common
>courtesy to yeild a frequency of a recognised net to the net control
>operator.

True, also true is the fact that the net control operator usually "asks' if he can use it for his net when it is "Occupied" . W1WCR has never done this he Just moves in and attempts to "TAKE-OVER" the frequency. His "So Called" net does nothing but jam, harrass and heckle through out the week and the "So Called" net isn't even on then. They attempt to "Control" 3950 and harass others or run them off by jamming so that 3950 can be their "Private Broadcast" frequency.

>Not to be confused with 'gentlemen', you actively disrupt the normal use
>of the frequency by any means available to you, including death threats.

GROW UP - your spewing the same spin and propaganda they do.

>In fact, you have become so efficient at your harassment and jamming
I don't jam and harass

>that you've driven the normal Liberty Net members down to 3.948 to
>escape you and your threats.
I don't jam and harass, I have not made any threats AND "driven them down" - you can do better than that. They Go where they will voluntariliy. You think that because I or "Others" occupy 3950 that that "drives them down" to another frequency. I notice that you attempt to speak of good amateur practice but say nothing of them moving JUST 2 kHz away. Now that's not good amatuer practice - is it?
Now, you complain that the transmissions
>from 3.948 are interfering with your jamming on 3.950.
2 kHz away ?? shouldn't it be 3 kHz;.

>This is the first indication that you are loosing your grip on reality, Tim.
>
>You have threatened the lives of two net participants on the air. And there
>is concern that your extreme views and hatred is driving you mad, Tim.

You are A Damn LIAR - you know it - everyone else knows it - but spin spin spin all you want. There are enough truths and facts, recordings and documents to set you or any of the other nit members straight..

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2
CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

692. W1WCR & Libertynet Jam Qso's -LISTEN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: thelibnet1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990410040314.16143.00000830@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 146061

http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions/images/W1WCR1.rm

693. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n7zzt@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7en7ei$992$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146062
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oh C'mon Goerge!!!

Now you are turning 180 from any of your previous statements thus far!
What are you really?
1. an anyti-american terrorist?
2. a paranoid individual?
3. a foreign citizen?
4. a troublemaker????
6. someone wanting a huge amount of attention.

Frankly, I think its all of the above (but thats just me).

If you have these so called documents, PRODUCE THEM!
I will not accept any excuses (such as the ever famous:
must post these from a safe place outside the country, etc).
However, if there is some other reason why you cannot
produce them (such as the documents are still certified as
classified, or are part of an ongoing investigation, etc), then
you have no credibility with any of us.

As you can tell by my handle here, I AM a licensed ham
(originally of Phoenix Arizona and now living quietly
in central Kansas) and DAMN proud of it. I tend to be
very intolerant of folks such as yourself than make
big noises but produce little real evidence.

You are ALL BLOW AND NO SHOW

In article
<83DB70AE505DD557.D146E5D9EF1D317A.0B9083AFABF1A234@library-proxy.airnews.net
>, geozim@atlcom.net wrote:

> Hawke wrote:
> > As I thought, you might show your true colors.
> >
> > You see, I was born here. I spent time in other countries
> > and have found them lacking (so is the US, but so what).
> >
> > If you hate it so much here, then leave!
>
> First, I am not a hater. But there is crime which I can
> not condone: infanticide. Most Americans have no problem
> with it, or the genocide that was carried out at Waco,
> and funded with your tax dollars. This is why I am not
> an American and I do not pay taxes which I do not owe.

>
> You are wrong about my true colors, I have only one:
> the shed blood of Jesus Christ. To Him alone I owe
> my allegiance and my life. I am here at His pleasure
> to do His work. If you have a problem with it, take
> it up with Him. I am here until God's work is done.
> If you desire me to leave quickly then you will have
> to overcome your redneck Jingoism and help me do God's
> work.
>
> Since I am not your enemy, but you are...I leave you
> with this help: an encouragement to become a part of
> the solution rather than a part of the problem:
>
> To transform the world, we must
> begin with ourselves; and what is
> important in beginning with our-
> selves is the intention. The intention
> must be to understand ourselves and
> not to leave it to others to transform
> themselves... This is our responsibility,
> yours and mine; because, however
> small may be the world we live in, if
> we can bring about a radically different
> point of view in our daily existence,
> then perhaps we shall affect the world
> at large."
> -- J. Krishnamurti, "Self Knowledge,"
> in The First and Last Freedom
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> --
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)
>
>

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

694. Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matdee <mattde@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be8356$960fda40$LocalHost@85j82d949b943f>
Source record: 146063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Took delivery 2 wks ago of a new FT-100. I am waiting to take
my ham test next week and thought I would start off with
the new mini-radio by Yaesu. Power it up from a regulated
lab grade power supply for rcv only. The display went DEAD
and actually smelled something burning just after 1/2 hour of
use. Shipped it back to the dealer for a warranty claim - Hamradio
outlet Nv. I now hear since then many other people have had their
FT-100 crap out on them. STAY AWAY from the FT-100.
It's the radio equivalant of a Yugo or Vega. A real radio LEMON!

Matt D. N.Mex

695. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: hlabrandt@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ennc0khj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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In article <7ee4vp$c43$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>,
jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent Phillips) wrote:
>
> In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
>
> >Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
> >
> >Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
> >
> >Click here -> http://orbita.starmedia.com/~luizhenrique/reincarnation.html
> >ckomlojfcpuoeyhxcmxjvjegpbkwsrcproxsuflencueoisevxrzdwsmkdvwbu
> >
> >
>
> Let's see, since we posting this stuff on rec.radio.shortwave...
>
> My Drake SW8 was a Philco Tombstone in it's past life.
>
> My Sony 7600G was a transistor AM back in the late 50's
>
> My Sangean 818 was an 8-track player back in '73.
>
> As for my Baygen, it was a detector back in 1915 !
>
> --
> "You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
> ----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------
>

my Grundig Ocean Boy also must have been a detector in it's former life,
because I could not find the BFO. My Sony 7600G (Saudi model) obviously was
used by T.E.Lawrence (Lawrence of Arabia), but that time using Wehrmacht
tubes RV12P2000 or (battery model only RV2,4P700). Any more questions? Helmut

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696. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matdee <mattde@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be8357$d8c2efc0$c2a02399@85j82d949b943f>
Source record: 146065

numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote in article
<n4pP2.500$uy.608@c01read04.service.talkway.com>...
> today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
> when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
> side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
> instead of a number.

Date came and went. No problems. All this Y2K stuff is a pack of
high-octane HORSESHIT. Y2K chicken-littles are right up there
with lying radio preachers, gold coin dealers and telemarketers.
All who belive this Y2K stuff from people like that dickhead Gary
North need to have their money taken from them for the fools they are.

697. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS - Kosovo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <protect@bright.net>
Message-ID: <10041999105917427 1%protect@bright.net>
Source record: 146066
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

[[This message was both posted and mailed: see
the "To," "Cc," and "Newsgroups" headers for details.]]

In article <370ABF6E.16D1@olywa.net>, < @> wrote:

Well there are plenty of pictures of Kosovars dead with bullets to the
head and back. That is inhuman too. If you had not guessed, war is
inhuman. The cluster bombs are doing just what they are intended to do
- kill Serb Army troops. They can stop it by not killing Kosovars.
Don't preach to us PREACH TO MOLOSOVICH.

> THE USE OF CLUSTER BOMBS TYPE BLU/AB
>
> *source* - http://www.gov.yu/
>
> Along with the most diverse and latest destructive weaponry used in air
> to ground operations, NATO forces
> have been using cluster bombs as well.

> Essentially it is is a highly inhuman weapon intended for mass
> destruction and casualties. This is particularly
> aggravated by the fact that some 20-30% of the bombs dropped remain in
> the targeted area for deliberate
> delayed action making the civilian population particularly vulnerable.

698. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7enou7$97j@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146067

You're really not helping your case. Quit while you're behind, please!

numbnuts62 wrote in message ...
>On 9 Apr 1999 23:36:41 GMT ycthulhu@aol.com (YCTHULHU) wrote:
>
>> Check your mailbox. You're getting an OO notice for
>> really bad spelling.
>
>well I can see by the way you spell yer name that you are an expert on
>speling.
>
>I will trie to do better.
>
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>

699. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7enp6h$9ev@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146068

Oh look, Dave. Numbnuts62 is teaming up with you and criticizing your attitude publicly. Next time "be niecer abouet it", OK? Too bad for Dave Martindale.

numbnuts62 wrote in message
<2zzP2.953$uy.1346@c01read04.service.talkway.com>...
>On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 02:21:05 GMT root@warez.phantom.com (Dave) wrote:
>
>> That is irrelevant to the original assertion (which you quite ignorantly
>> disputed) that 09 Apr 1999 is a Y2K "trouble" date.
>
>you could have been nicer abouet it. maybe the other dave isn't as
>smart as you and me and we shud be understandieng. think abouet it.
>
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>

700. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <guKP2.4685$ai2.170825@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146069

Sir:

Why don't you tell us what you REALLY think? Don't sugarcoat it -- just let yourself go :-)

And amen to everything you said.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

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>

701. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: la8ak@online.no
Message-ID: <370f6985.330682289@news.online.no>
Source record: 146070
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 14:31:27 GMT, hlabrandt@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <7ee4vp$c43$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>,
> jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent Phillips) wrote:
>>
>> In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
>>
>> >Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>> >
>> >Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
>> >
>> >Click here -> http://orbita.starmedia.com/~luizhenrique/reincarnation.html
>> >ckomlojfcpuoeyhxcmxjvjegpbkwsrcproxsuflencueoisevxrzdwsmkdvwbu
>> >
>> >
>>
>> Let's see, since we posting this stuff on rec.radio.shortwave...
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>>
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>> "You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
>> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
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>> ----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------
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>
>my Grundig Ocean Boy also must have been a detector in it's former life,
>because I could not find the BFO. My Sony 7600G (Saudi model) obviously was
>used by T.E.Lawrence (Lawrence of Arabia), but that time using Wehrmacht
>tubes RV12P2000 or (battery model only RV2,4P700). Any more questions? Helmut

Lawrence of Arabia was in the 'Great War' - 20 years before RV2,4P700
(and RV12P2000 appeared around 1938-39) which was used in the "bad
war", domestic battery valves were DF11, DAC25 etc
Tschss.....

702. Re: Take a close look at SWATCH CEO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7entnj$40a$3@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Dennis Dease" <n4nr@vulcan.RE.MOVE.com> wrote:

>Hi All,

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>This is a man with MAJOR connections to many large ventures.

>What will be the next move of big business?

If you don't be careful, they might just buy ham radio and throw it in
the trash.....

73, Jim KH2D

703. Re: Take a close look at SWATCH CEO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Dease <n4nr@vulcan.RE.MOVE.com>
Message-ID: <XkLP2.1135$Un6.65497@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 146072
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Thanks, Jim...

That's a good analogy of exactly what The Swatch Group has done!

Best wishes,

Dennis - N4NR

Jim wrote in message <7entnj$40a$3@brokaw.wa.com>...

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704. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <370F82F3.BCA6B2F@netdoor.com>
Source record: 146073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

What was the voltage and did you have a fuse in line?
Butch KF5DE
Matdee wrote:

> Took delivery 2 wks ago of a new FT-100. I am waiting to take
> my ham test next week and thought I would start off with
> the new mini-radio by Yaesu. Power it up from a regulated
> lab grade power supply for rcv only. The display went DEAD
> and actually smelled something burning just after 1/2 hour of
> use. Shipped it back to the dealer for a warranty claim - Hamradio
> outlet Nv. I now hear since then many other people have had their
> FT-100 crap out on them. STAY AWAY from the FT-100.
> It's the radio equivalant of a Yugo or Vega. A real radio LEMON!
>
> Matt D. N.Mex

705. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <UcMP2.1253$uy.1452@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146074

On 10 Apr 1999 13:34:55 GMT "Matdee" <mattde@pacbell.com> wrote:

> It's the radio equivalant of a Yugo or Vega. A real radio LEMON!

well, nato bombed the yugo factory last week and thaet was sad. if
they doent get it going agian, what will the yaesu pple drive?

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

706. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matt Nelson, N5TKN" <n5tkn@nccinternet.com>
Message-ID: <370f98c0.0@main>
Source record: 146075

I couldn't disagree more. I have had mine only a few weeks now, but love it so far. It has been used on both 2 meters and 50 Mhz (though not much, haven't hard wired it to my battery yet, so haven't used it at full power there.) However, I used it right after I got it in the house for a couple of days hooked to my Astron RS-35M power supply at full power on 2 meters for extended periods of time. Everyone I have talked to says the signal is very strong and clear. Of course, something could happen, but that's what warranties are for, you know.

On a side note, I have noticed that it is a bit hypersensitive to being on when I start the truck up. It is currently wire to a distribution box that I made to power my scanner and my TM-V7A. I run the V7 at full power from this busbar, it has direct 10 awg wiring to the battery. I have temporarily attached the FT-100 to this busbar, and have been using it on 2-meters there as well, but at reduced power. The reason I'm going to run new wires just for it to the battery is that I don't want a 100 watt radio sharing the same tap as a 50 watt radio, etc. However, at the moment it does occasionally give a "VFO" or "MR" error message (depending on what mode it's in) when starting the engine. The V7 doesn't, but it's really better to have the radio off when starting up anyway. A minor inconvenience bundled with what I so far consider a super rig.

--Matt N., N5TKN

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>

707. FA: Pair (2) Motorol Tallkbout 280 SLK radios NiMH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: yc@NOSPAM.lansol.com
Message-ID: <370f9505.15264809@news.flashcom.com>
Source record: 146076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.marketplace

Hi

I have a pair (2) of *almost new* Motorola 280 SLK FRS radios with
NiMH batteries for sale. Starting bid only $89.00 Look here:

http://auctions.yahoo.com/auction/4036691

708. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <j8NP2.1290$uy.1569@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146077

Why is there always someone at the ready to ask a victimized consumer
if it was THEIR fault ?

Why is there always some contrarian ready to say "I disagree that your
radio crapped out, mine didn't". Think about it, lid. His radio broke.
Not yours. Learn English.

And for more SATISFIED (sheah, right !) owners of the FT-100

http://www.onelist.com/viewarchive.cgi?listname=FT100

"Yaesu, Choice of the World's Most Disgruntled Owners."

cc: Counsel
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

709. Re: Elmer: Building EMP-proof transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <370F9937.61E1@wt.net>
Source record: 146078

Michael Young wrote:
>
> Dear Elmer:
>
> I am looking to build or acquire a transceiver with a strong likelihood
> of surviving EMP from a distant air-burst nuclear device. I'm not
> certain of my motivations in wanting to do so.
Most aren't. All you have to do is leave a radio that has a metal case
unhooked from antennas and power cables. It should survive. MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

710. See a Jackass Former VE was :Re: See a naked chick in the hands of a ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kinkster88@aol.com
Message-ID: <370fa20e.248110@news.usol.com>
Source record: 146079

On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 23:47:58 GMT, burt1@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
>You will see:
Snip:

I see summer is approaching and our favorite usenet jackass is coming
out of hibernation.

711. OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matdee <V2165545@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01be8387$7755fc20$LocalHost@85j82d949b943f>
Source record: 146080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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> ...Hollingsworth noted that Whiten had "apparently ignored notices from
> Official Observers," and pointed out that the volunteer OOs work "in
> accordance with an agreement between the Commission and the ARRL and in
> accordance with our statutory authority."

Really.

If this is so, then please consider the following points:

1) I would request for Corporate Officers of the ARRL to show us
proof, meaning court-admissible legal documents, that the ARRL
can legally act on the behalf of the FCC Division of the C.I.B. - in the
capacity of a chartered Non-Governmental Organization. (N.G.O.)

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capacity of a NGO (proxy?) to the FCC/CIB, is legally permitted to take an active
part in Federal Law Enforcement activities.

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Regulations, it has been published that the ARRL is now a division of the
enforcement arm of the CIB. (I believe this must be published in the Federal
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law enforcement activities (FCC/CIB), much like in the capacity of bail collection
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4) Finally, I would like to know if the ARRL had to re-file it's 401-C Tax
Exempt Status with the Internal Revenue Service, and a retainment
for the same was legally tendered. This in lieu of their Organization now
apparently acting in the capacity of a NGO. Are private, not-for-profit NGO's
permitted by federal law to retain IRS Tax-Exempt status?

Show me.

712. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matdee <V2165545@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01be8388$4092b560$bfa12399@85j82d949b943f>
Source record: 146081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com> wrote in article <370F82F3.BCA6B2F@netdoor.com>...
> What was the voltage and did you have a fuse in line?
> Butch KF5DE

Hello Butch.

13.500 VDC (Tektronix laboratory grade PS.)

2 Amp - 32v fuse inline.

No fuse-blow.

713. WTB: S-100 bus modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alan.diaz@snet.net>
Message-ID: <7eo8re$bbe@news1.snet.net>
Source record: 146082
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I'm looking for an S-100 bus modem. Yes, honest, S-100 bus, 300 baud modem.
I want to add it to an S-100 bus system I have and add one to my display
wall at work where I have a number of S-100 items. Any S-100 bus modem you
may have in that box of wires in the shack. I'll buy it from ya. I'd also
be interested in an acoustic modem (coupler) if you have one of those.
Please reply to me directly at chipsndips@snet.net.
Thanks.

Alan

714. Re: See a Jackass Former VE was :Re: See a naked chick in the hands of a ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7eoduc$lh4@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146083

Hey Kinkster, some of us have had our "Burt" filters on for awhile. By you reposting parts of his drivel, you defeat my "No Burt" filter. <g>
I've learned that these freaks thrive on public reposts. I let 'em have it via direct email. Then they don't have the satisfaction of carrying on threads about themselves.
73
KF4NNQ
Kinkster wrote in message <370fa20e.248110@news.usol.com>...
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715. Skip the "QST Urgent Regulation" Posting.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990410170048.13113.00001072@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 146084

Subject line has no relationship to what is posted. More "Gays In Amateur Radio" garbage.

716. Re: ARRL and Sumner Jump onto the Bandwagon, Seek Public Credit for Work of Others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990410170513.13113.00001074@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 146085

>
>On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 12:08:20 +1000 Murray Kelly <mkelly@powerup.com.au>
>wrote:
>> Would you prefer they did nothing? :-(

Numbnuts62:
>same way for the arrl. alls they do is make things worse. always have.
>
>

Let him make it, Murray. Numbnuts brings a knife to a gun fight!
(grin)

K5PF

717. Re: See a naked Jackass Former VE in the hands of a ham was :Re: See a naked chick in the hands of a ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <nsPP2.15$fH2.146@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146086

That sez it all about the ham in question.
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718. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matt Nelson, N5TKN" <n5tkn@nccinternet.com>
Message-ID: <370fc88c.0@main>
Source record: 146087

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> radio crapped out, mine didn't". Think about it, lid. His radio broke.
> Not yours. Learn English.

You had better not be referring to me as a lid, buddy boy. I try never to take things on these lists personally, but as it seems the second paragraph of your message points directly at me, as I have been the only one so far to write saying that my radio was fine, I AM taking this personally Why don't YOU learn english? I did not say I was disagreeing that his radio had broken, he has (had) the radio, so he knows it quit. BUT, his message was a blanket statement that all FT-100s were bad, and that simply isn't true, as my post was intended to illustrate.

THINK next time before you post such an inflammatory remark, instead of looking like the JERK you just made yourself out to be. The word "lid" is reserved for someone who doesn't follow good operating practices, and is in general a bad example of an amateur radio operator to the rest of the community at large. You don't go around using it as a way to disagree with someone, trying to inflict insult for the he** of it. If you do, and that person is not deserving of it, you had better get ready to get responded to, and most likely in a manner not NEAR as courteous as I have been.

Any further remarks you make on this issue, especially towards me, will be ignored by me, and will only serve to illustrate my point.

END.

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> And for more SATISFIED (sheah, right !) owners of the FT-100
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719. Re: OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <370fcb0c.10774517@news.planet.net>
Source record: 146088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 10 Apr 1999 19:24:04 GMT, "Matdee" <V2165545@hotmail.com> wrote:
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>> Official Observers," and pointed out that the volunteer OOs work "in
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>> accordance with our statutory authority."

>Really.
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>proof, meaning court-admissible legal documents, that the ARRL
>can legally act on the behalf of the FCC Division of the C.I.B. - in the
>capacity of a chartered Non-Governmental Organization. (N.G.O.)

Are you disputing that the ARRL, or for that matter...anyone,
can record and/or collect evidence which the FCC (or any other
enforcement agency) can use in a court case?

>2) I would like to see documents which indicate that the ARRL, acting in the
>capacity of a NGO (proxy?) to the FCC/CIB, is legally permitted to take an active
>part in Federal Law Enforcement activities.

First you have to identify just what active part you are
concerned about. Clearly anyone can take, record and
provide evidence of wrongdoings which are then used
by appropriate law enforcement officials to take action
against the law breakers. Many video tapes by
non police have been used to convict people of
crimes. How is acting as an OO any different?

>3) I would like to know where in the Federal Register, or Code of Federal
>Regulations, it has been published that the ARRL is now a division of the
>enforcement arm of the CIB. (I believe this must be published in the Federal
>Register(?) Is this akin to "deputizing" a private corporation (ARRL) to undertake
>law enforcement activities (FCC/CIB), much like in the capacity of bail collection
>agents?)

Private individuals can notify others of apparent
wrong doing at any time. That isn't against any law, nor
is any special permission needed. I can warn a
neighbor that their constantly barking dog is a
violation of the law. I can videotape the dog barking
on many different occasions and offer that as as
testimony in a court case without ever needing police

approval or any prior approval from anyone.

>4) Finally, I would like to know if the ARRL had to re-file it's 401-C Tax
>Exempt Status with the Internal Revenue Service, and a retainment
>for the same was legally tendered. This in lieu of their Organization now
>apparently acting in the capacity of a NGO. Are private, not-for-profit NGO's
>permitted by federal law to retain IRS Tax-Exempt status?

I couldn't care less. Ask a tax accountant.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

PS - Go Riley Hollingsworth!!!

720. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Cooper <mvlaw@home.com>
Message-ID: <370FCCF2.941ADE50@home.com>
Source record: 146089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

You should email Riley Hollingsworth IMMEDIATELY about this, and I'll
bet they'll be off the air next week!

"3.950 Monitor" wrote:
>
> The above listed jammers continue their feeble attempt at spinning,
> their law breaking
> activities on 3.950, shortwave amateur radio.
>
> Their goal is to disrupt the legal and public communications of other
> law abiding
> amateur radio operators. The reason that these 'opponents of free
> speech' jam 3950,
> is because they disagree with some of the views expressed on this
> frequency.
>
> Some of the jammers (K5BLB and KK7HO) are so full of hatred that they
> have
> openly discussed killing other amateur radio operators on this
> frequency. The
> danger is that as these criminals get more and more angry, and violent
> because
> of their extreme beliefs, someone will likely get killed or maimed.
>
> I only wish that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth would put an end to their
> activities
> before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine, which
> should have
> been prevented.

721. FA kenwood hf radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Paul Merrell <k6jxy@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <370FD060.99510E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 146090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

here is a nice deal for someone that wants a remote base or just a nice
hf radio
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=89009481
good luck.

--
Richard Paul Merrell
k6jxy@earthlink.net
rpaulmerrell@netzero.net
http://home.earthlink.net/~k6jxy
ICQ: 32544231

722. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clay N4AOX <wyn@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <370FD782.1863@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dale Ireland wrote:
>
> You idiots don't seem to realize that Swatch is making monkeys out of you by
> letting you post all your threats and spew on their comments page. When any
> unbiased person looks at that page who do you think they will see as wackos,
> Swatch or the HAM's who leave threats, spam, and abuse in their public
> posts.
>
> Also, we went through this argument years ago when public broadcasting
> started taking commercial funding. It helped public broadcasting without
> compromising their ethics or freedom and you don't see blatant advertising
> on PBS.

This is all reminiscent of Canter and Segal. Anyone remember who they
were? Now look what we have in the Newsgroups and E-Mail! Dejavu!

73,
Clay N4AOX

723. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eoh04$1k3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 146092

In article <7emqc2$d4t$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>Actually.. The power-company's, atleast, ARE testing today for that bug...
>I'm not sure how 99/99 could cause any problems, but I'm pretty that sure
>their programmers aren't retarded or whatever..

The FAA is testing today, also. (USA-Today news item)

Jeff KH6O

724. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1179a4c8f69c4fcf9896a8@news>
Source record: 146093

In article <YQzP2.3900$ai2.147530@news20.ispnews.com>, w4hh@3wave.com says...
> Has anyone noticed that for some companies, fiscal year 2000 started April
> 1, 1999, and we have heard not a single peep out of anyone? If Y2K is going
> to bring the world crashing down on us, why have we not heard of any
> problems with FY 00 so far?
>
> --
> Regards,
> Joe Schlatter
> joe@schlatter.org
> http://www.schlatter.org/
> http://www.miafacts.org/
> http://www.asphome.org/
> Amateur radio callsign W4HH
>
>
> numbnuts62 wrote in message ...
> >today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
> >when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
> >side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
> >instead of a number.

My fiscal year starts July 1. Luckily the software we use doesn't really look at the system date, but at the time in 24 hour format with a start referential. It keeps it's own customer defined calendar instead.

Tony

725. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1179a509295023f29896a9@news>
Source record: 146094

In article <01be8357$d8c2efc0$c2a02399@85j82d949b943f>,
mattde@pacbell.com says...
>
> numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote in article
<n4pP2.500$uy.608@c01read04.service.talkway.com>...
> > today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
> > when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
> > side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
> > instead of a number.
>
> Date came and went. No problems. All this Y2K stuff is a pack of
> high-octane HORSESHIT. Y2K chicken-littles are right up there
> with lying radio preachers, gold coin dealers and telemarketers.
> All who belive this Y2K stuff from people like that dickhead Gary
> North need to have their money taken from them for the fools they are.

There are two things I would avoid from 12/25/1999 to 01/01/2000, going
into a hospital or flying as I doubt ALL their systems will be ready by
then.

Tony

726. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1179a7b6e61d9daf9896aa@news>
Source record: 146095

In article <j8NP2.1290$uy.1569@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
mf_luder@nwo.un.org says...
> Why is there always someone at the ready to ask a victimized consumer
> if it was THEIR fault ?
>
> Why is there always some contrarian ready to say "I disagree that your
> radio crapped out, mine didn't". Think about it, lid. His radio broke.
> Not yours. Learn English.

If you're talking about Butch, he didn't suggest anything other than a possibility that the voltage was wrong, and there were no fuses in-line to take the hit.

> And for more SATISFIED (sheah, right !) owners of the FT-100

In general, I was happy with my Yaesu FT-2400 and my Kenwood TH-27. Five years ago I sold them to a friend and bought a dual-band FT-5100. My first unit died on me. Happened about two weeks after I had made the mod to open up receive on it so I'll chalk it up to my own fault. Luckily they replaced the radio and it's been working fine ever since.
>
> http://www.onelist.com/viewarchive.cgi?listname=FT100
>
> "Yaesu, Choice of the World's Most Disgruntled Owners."

Is there really any radio out there that is perfect? My TH-27 keypad failed during the first month. The FT-2400 is still operational today. A friend has an FT-1000D that smoked a few caps on 10M FM but Yaesu replaced the board.

Tony

727. OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <370FEBBA.A426AE0A@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146096
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'm no fan of WB2OTK, but I see Big Government
attempting to invest inappropriate authority in well-intentioned
"volunteers." I think it unwise and perhaps illegal.

Mr. Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says
"Failure to take the notices seriously and to take corrective action
where possible will not be tolerated by the Commission,"
and he says:
"The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical
element of the Commission's enforcement program,"
adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
and other sanctions."

Clearly, Mr. Hollingsworth has sanctioned OO's as formal and
official extensions of the enforcement program.
They have been defacto deputized.
Defacto deputization in the absence of an executive order or
national emergency may in itself be illegal;
I don't know but I'd bet on it.

It is much more important to realize that
the OOs, while well-meaning, have no formal training in
law enforcement. They have no formal training in FCC enforcement
procedures. They have no formal psychological testing to weed out
people with "wannabe-cop" and "ham radio god" mental problems.
They do not even have any formal training in the laws and regulations
Mr. Hollingsworth is insisting they help "enforce" (his term).

The analogy of one neighbor calling the cops on another neighbor's
barking dog is incorrect. The local police may accept his reports,
but they do not deputize the reporter and make him a formal part
of law enforcement when he has had no formal training.
They do not take the word of the complaining neighbor and
issue an arrest warrent on that basis.
They investigate for themselves. They enforce the law themselves.

I don't think the notices handed out by the Amateur Auxiliary (OOs),
which Mr. Hollingsworth has said are to be taken as actual,
official enforcement documents, have a prayer of
making it through the first serious court challenge.

The FCC is tasked with enforcement. There are federal statues
defining what qualifies a person to be a formal law enforcement
operative and I'd bet a buck not one OO qualifies. I certainly
don't want some old man with a chip on his sholder writing me

a half-baked OO report which is then going to be viewed
by the FCC as an official enforcement document.
That's ridiculous and I'd bet another buck it's illegal.

The ARRL should be ashamed of its complicity in this
and abuse of the honest efforts of the OOs.
They are ADVISORS, not Law Enforcement Officers.
Feeding them fairy tales about how they are now "Arms of the Law"
is a direct abuse and affront and I, as a long time ham, resent it.

Sincerely,
David L. Stinson
arc5@ix.netcom.com

(Copied to Mr. Hollingsworth. I believe him to be
a sincere and honest man and do not fear to speak my mind to him.)

728. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <370FFCC0.22CF@ibm.net>
Source record: 146097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:
> They have no formal psychological testing to weed out
> people with "wannabe-cop" and "ham radio god" mental problems.

If they're like some procode-test folk on this newsgroup, they
would be likely to invent false accusations against NCI members.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

729. Re: OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <370FEF92.7F3E@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 146098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> On 10 Apr 1999 19:24:04 GMT, "Matdee" <V2165545@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >A statement, reproduced below, was recently proclaimed:
> >> ...Hollingsworth noted that Whiten had "apparently ignored notices from
> >> Official Observers," and pointed out that the volunteer OOs work "in
> >> accordance with an agreement between the Commission and the ARRL and in
> >> accordance with our statutory authority."
> >
> >Really.
> >If this is so, then please consider the following points:
> >>
> >1) I would request for Corporate Officers of the ARRL to show us
> >proof, meaning court-admissible legal documents, that the ARRL
> >can legally act on the behalf of the FCC Division of the C.I.B. - in the
> >capacity of a chartered Non-Governmental Organization. (N.G.O.)
>
> Are you disputing that the ARRL, or for that matter...anyone,
> can record and/or collect evidence which the FCC (or any other
> enforcement agency) can use in a court case?
>
> >2) I would like to see documents which indicate that the ARRL, acting in the
> >capacity of a NGO (proxy?) to the FCC/CIB, is legally permitted to take an active
> >part in Federal Law Enforcement activities.
>
> First you have to identify just what active part you are
> concerned about. Clearly anyone can take, record and
> provide evidence of wrongdoings which are then used
> by appropriate law enforcement officials to take action
> against the law breakers. Many video tapes by
> non police have been used to convict people of
> crimes. How is acting as an OO any different?
>
> >3) I would like to know where in the Federal Register, or Code of Federal
> >Regulations, it has been published that the ARRL is now a division of the
> >enforcement arm of the CIB. (I believe this must be published in the Federal
> >Register(?) Is this akin to "deputizing" a private corporation (ARRL) to undertake
> >law enforcement activities (FCC/CIB), much like in the capacity of bail collection
> >agents?)
>
> Private individuals can notify others of apparent
> wrong doing at any time. That isn't against any law, nor
> is any special permission needed. I can warn a

> neighbor that their constantly barking dog is a
> violation of the law. I can videotape the dog barking
> on many different occasions and offer that as as
> testimony in a court case without ever needing police
> approval or any prior approval from anyone.
>
> >4) Finally, I would like to know if the ARRL had to re-file it's 401-C Tax
> >Exempt Status with the Internal Revenue Service, and a retainment
> >for the same was legally tendered. This in lieu of their Organization now
> >apparently acting in the capacity of a NGO. Are private, not-for-profit NGO's
> >permitted by federal law to retain IRS Tax-Exempt status?
>
> I couldn't care less. Ask a tax accountant.
>
> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK
>
> PS - Go Riley Hollingsworth!!!

And further, there is a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the
FCC and the ARRL detailing the agreement to utilize information provided
by OO's in prosecuting cases. Check with your local Division Director,
or Rod Stafford for details.

Rick T.

730. Re: OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.f9zuil2.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 146099
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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See Section 4(f)(4)(b) of the Communications Act and the
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>permitted by federal law to retain IRS Tax-Exempt status?
>

See a competent tax accountant.

>Show me.

Excerpted from the Communications Act:

Section 4 [47 USC Section 154]. Provisions Relating to the Commission

(f)(4)(B)(i) The Commission, for purposes of monitoring violations of any provision of this Act (and of any regulation prescribed by the Commission under this Act) relating to the amateur radio service, may --

(I) recruit and train any individual licensed by the Commission to operate an amateur station; and

(II) accept and employ the voluntary and uncompensated services of such individual.

(ii) The Commission, for purposes of recruiting and training individuals under clause (i) and for purposes of screening, annotating, and summarizing violation reports referred under clause (i), may accept and employ the voluntary and uncompensated services of any amateur station operator organization.

(iii) The functions of individuals recruited and trained under this subparagraph shall be limited to --

(I) the detection of improper amateur radio transmissions;

(II) the conveyance to Commission personnel of information which is essential to the enforcement of this Act (or regulations prescribed by the Commission under this Act) relating to the amateur radio service; and

(III) issuing advisory notices, under the general direction of the Commission, to persons who apparently have violated any provision of this Act (or regulations prescribed by the Commission under this Act) relating to the amateur radio service.

Nothing in this clause shall be construed to grant individuals recruited and trained under this subparagraph any authority to issue sanctions to violators or to take any enforcement action other than any action which the Commission may prescribe by rule.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
ARRL Pacific Division Asst. Director
(Volunteer Counsel Coordinator)

731. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <370FF4D6.3A50@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 146100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:
>
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> "volunteers." I think it unwise and perhaps illegal.
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> official extensions of the enforcement program.
> They have been defacto deputized.
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> national emergency may in itself be illegal;
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> It is much more important to realize that
> the OOs, while well-meaning, have no formal training in
> law enforcement. They have no formal training in FCC enforcement
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> barking dog is incorrect. The local police may accept his reports,
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> of law enforcement when he has had no formal training.
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> issue an arrest warrent on that basis.
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> a half-baked OO report which is then going to be viewed
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> and abuse of the honest efforts of the OOs.
> They are ADVISORS, not Law Enforcement Officers.
> Feeding them fairy tales about how they are now "Arms of the Law"
> is a direct abuse and affront and I, as a long time ham, resent it.
>
> Sincerely,
> David L. Stinson
> arc5@ix.netcom.com
>
> (Copied to Mr. Hollingsworth. I believe him to be
> a sincere and honest man and do not fear to speak my mind to him.)

No, OO notices are NOT official enforcement notices. What they do is build a case if the behavior persists. He is on record that his improper operation has been heard and noted. If the behavior pattern persists, then the OO and the OOC for that area work with the League HQ in building a case to give the FCC. This case must meet rigid standards laid out by the League, including detailed logs of time and date, if possible, recordings of the on-the-air behavior that is an alleged violation, and corroborated by several other OO's. The FCC then either chooses to act, or not act on the package presented to it. It is entirely their choice. In the past, unfortunately, they often chose not to act, even in blatent cases of misconduct. Would continuation of that pattern be your preference. I sure hope not. The alternative is for them to act when they get the OOC package from the League. That is precisely what Riley is doing right now, and it is having a tremendous effect on the bands, and on the moral of the OO's who labored for the last decade, usually to only see their efforts dropped when it hit the Commission. Talk about discouraging. Many OO's simply dropped out of the program because of a lack of support from the FCC. Hopefully, that will turn-around again now. The ARRL OO program is NOT an out of control, rougue cop operation. It is well defined, controlled and managed, and probably the only thing between civilized ham bands and out-of-control chaos on 75.

Rick T.
W7RT
ARRL OO

732. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <370FF77B.D28B1A5F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146101

K5pf wrote:
>... I'd bet another buck it won't happen that way.
I hope you're right, Paul. No one would be happier then me
if I've read Mr. Hollingsworth wrong on this one. I have no
quarrel with an honest OO advisory as an advisory and would
certainly take one seriously. However, I personally know
of a ham (several years ago) who was asked to leave a club
because of being a "jammer." There were two club members who
"had proof" it was him. Trouble is, they were wrong. I know-
I was at his shack during one of the alleged "jamming" sessions
and he wasn't even on the air. The real guy, whom I personally
believe but can't prove was in the same neighborhood, was
never caught. My friend is still occasionally accused of being
a "jammer" all these years later. What's to keep an honest,
but honestly *wrong*, OO from issuing a notice that will then
be taken as gospel?
I truely hope you are right and I am wrong on this one.

>Of course, you personally have nothing to worry about, David.
>Far be it from a man of your character to cause
>intentional problems in the ham bands...
I've tried to make some positive contributions in my 27 years
on the ham bands, but I also have my share of black marks and sins.
I very much take to heart Mr. Hollingsworth's admonition to
"go and sin no more."
But if I'm going to be called on the carpet for my sins,
I want it to be by someone who
knows about that which he speaks and doesn't have a personal agenda.
To quote another sinner in one of Doyle's Sherlock Holmes
adventures, "If I am in the hands of the law, let things
be done in a legal way" ;-).

TNX ES 73 OM DE Dave AB5S

733. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <370FF884.37B8D9CB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"R.L. Tannehill, P.E." wrote an eloquent reply.

Rick, please see my letter to Paul in r.r.a.m.

I sincerely hope you are right and my interpretation
of Mr. Hollingsworth's words was wrong. I have no
quarrel with the program as you have outlined it.

GL OM DE Dave AB5S

734. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "KF4FDJ (Mike in Ft. Myers, FL)" <seven77@gate.net>
Message-ID: <370FF971.216FFF70@gate.net>
Source record: 146103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Clay,

Canter and Segal were the originators of commercial spam on the Internet, right? They had some sort of scam where they were supposedly helping aliens get US green cards. Green backs for green cards. Their spam filled volumes; the protesters SPAM filled rooms! If it's of questionable digestibility, it's SPAM.

73, Mike

Clay N4AOX wrote:
> This is all reminiscent of Canter and Segal. Anyone remember who they
> were? Now look what we have in the Newsgroups and E-Mail! Dejavu!
>
> 73,
> Clay N4AOX

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| P | |f| * I.S. Professional ..... CNA .... Computer Consultant *
| 3 |=|d| * AO10, AO27, FO20, FO29, RS13, RS15, MIR, E Layer *
| D | |j| * Bringing Oscar demos to the Lee County Schools. *
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735. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.f9zwiu4.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 146104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 19:24:26 -0500, David Stinson wrote:

>
>I'm no fan of WB2OTK, but I see Big Government
> attempting to invest inappropriate authority in well-intentioned
> "volunteers." I think it unwise and perhaps illegal.

It isn't. See Section 4(f)(4)(b) of the Communications Act,
which I posted today in response to someone else's message in
the same vein.

>Clearly, Mr. Hollingsworth has sanctioned OO's as formal and
>official extensions of the enforcement program.
>They have been defacto deputized.
>Defacto deputization in the absence of an executive order or
>national emergency may in itself be illegal;
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You lose - See Section 4(f)(4)(b) of the Communications Act.

>It is much more important to realize that
>the OOs, while well-meaning, have no formal training in
>law enforcement. They have no formal training in FCC enforcement
>procedures. They have no formal psychological testing to weed out
>people with "wannabe-cop" and "ham radio god" mental problems.
>They do not even have any formal training in the laws and regulations
>Mr. Hollingsworth is insisting they help "enforce" (his term).

The OOs only provide information. The pros at the FCC sift
through it to determine its validity (that's Riley's job) and
are the only ones who can issue enforcement sanctions
(penalties). The OOs can only send Advisory Notices which are
not sanctions.

Those amateurs who do not heed Advisories or at least check
them out to see if they are applicable are playing with fire if
they get caught with the hand in the cookie jar by the FCC.

>The FCC is tasked with enforcement. There are federal statues
>defining what qualifies a person to be a formal law enforcement
>operative and I'd bet a buck not one OO qualifies.

You lose. At least one OO whom I know is retired FBI and two
are retired police managers (one a chief). And that's only
locally.....

Check for loaded weapon before firing....

> I certainly don't want some old man with a chip on his sholder
> writing me a half-baked OO report which is then going to be
> viewed by the FCC as an official enforcement document.

If it's half-baked, take it for what it's worth. If it details
something that you did and shouldn't have done (or vice versa)
be foreworned that "you are in radar range" and you've had your
one free bite.

> That's ridiculous and I'd bet another buck it's illegal.

You lose again. See the Comm Act section quoted. It defines
just what the volunteer can and can't do and what the extent of
notice is.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
Retired FCC District Director
ARRL Pacific Division Asst. Director
(Volunteer Counsel Coordinator)

736. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <371005A2.CE4A9981@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 146105
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Phil Kane wrote:
>... I think it unwise and perhaps illegal.
>
> It isn't. See Section 4(f)(4)(b) of the Communications Act,
I don't know, Paul... can you tell me where the FCC itself-
not the ARRL proxy-
has undertaken formal training of the OOs? If they have not,
then the section you're quoting does not apply and
we're right back to defacto deputization.

> The OOs only provide information. The pros at the FCC sift
> through it to determine its validity (that's Riley's job)
I hope you're right. Mr. Hollingsworth's own words
say the Commission views these documents as official
enforcement documents, not "reports" or advisories.

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> them out to see if they are applicable are playing with fire if
> they get caught with the hand in the cookie jar by the FCC.
You're again saying that the "advisories" are a part of the
official enforcement procedure. That's out of bounds.

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> are retired police managers (one a chief). And that's only
> locally.....
That's why I only bet a buck! And I'm glad to hear there
are a few OOs trained in law enforcment. That is still not
FCC training in enforcement of their regulations, so it's
still a moot point. Until the FCC formally trains the OOs,
there is no sanction from the Communications Act for this situation.

> If it's half-baked, take it for what it's worth.
I can't! The FCC has said *it* will take it seriously!
That's the rub.

I want to be on your side in this Paul...
I just don't want to see anyone else be
charged with a crime on the basis of a claim made by
unqualified individuals. When the FCC says it will
take enforcement action based on such claims,
people should be very upset by that.

73 OM DE Dave AB5S

737. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale Ireland <direland@drdale.com>
Message-ID: <923796798.799.18@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 146106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Spam is a 20 line tag line attached to every post like the one below.

>Canter and Segal were the originators of commercial spam on the
>Internet, right? They had some sort of scam where they were supposedly
>helping aliens get US green cards. Green backs for green cards. Their
>spam filled volumes; the protesters SPAM filled rooms! If it's of
>questionable digestibility, it's SPAM.
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>73, Mike
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>Clay N4AOX wrote:
>> This is all reminiscent of Canter and Segal. Anyone remember who they
>> were? Now look what we have in the Newsgroups and E-Mail! Dejavu!
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>> 73,
>> Clay N4AOX
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> ^ --- * -----------------.OOOo--oo--oOOO.------------------- *
> ||| | | * Mike Gilchrist - KF4FDJ ..... AMSAT Area Coordinator *
> |X| | | * P.O. Box 763 .... AMSAT member #31884 *
> [X]~~~|k| * Fort Myers, FL 33902 .... ARRL member #1781549 *
> / \ |f| * http://www.gate.net/~seven77 telephone 941.772.7907 *
> | | |4| * kf4fdj@amsat.org .... EL96ap *
> | P | |f| * I.S. Professional ..... CNA .... Computer Consultant *
> | 3 |=|d| * AO10, AO27, FO20, FO29, RS13, RS15, MIR, E Layer *
> | D | |j| * Bringing Oscar demos to the Lee County Schools. *
> |_____|=| | *
> /*X*\ | | * Black holes were created when God divided by zero. *
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738. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Io <noway@gte.net>
Message-ID: <7ep0br$b53$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 146107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dale commented:

> Spam is a 20 line tag line attached to every post like the one below.

Sorry, Dale, but Spam is un-solicited commercial e-mail.

A twenty-line sig-file is a waste of bandwith.

Note the lack of mine.

739. Dear Swatch AG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Johnston <johnston@blazenet.net>
Message-ID: <37100A76.5C62@blazenet.net>
Source record: 146108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dear Swatch AG:

I object in the strongest possible terms to your use of the amateur radio service for promotional activities. My wife, in common with a lot of people of her age, is 39. For how long are we to put up with these things? I myself am nearly 35 and am quite mad, but I do enjoy listening to the BBC World Service. If this project goes ahead unabated... Pearl Harbor... dark days of the war... Teapot Dome scandal... Rosenbergs... Watergate... young hippies roaming the streets, raping, broadcasting on ham satellites,looting, killing. Why can't you do something morally uplifting, like promote the human body? There is nothing embarrassing or nasty about the human body (except perhaps the intestines and the bottom).

Yours, etc.

Steve Johnston (Mrs)
WD8DAS

740. Impulse-domain radio... comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <37100C1C.4BD5@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 146109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Some interesting work is apparently being done in the area of single-cycle pulse-based communication in extremely wide bandwidths, on the order of 1-2 GHz. See http://www.time-domain.com, particularly the "Impulse Radio Overview" paper referenced at http://www.time-domain.com/technology.html. I hadn't heard about this stuff before it showed up as a news item on Slashdot. Has anyone else looked into it?

While the transmission technique (pulse-position modulation) is simple to understand, there doesn't seem to be any information on the site with regard to how to lock a receiver onto a low-power, low-duty-cycle pulse train in such a wide bandwidth. Anyone have any thoughts on how a "time-domain discriminator" might work?

This sounds like something out of the April issue of QST, but evidently it's 100% on the level, made practical by the advent of modern high-stability timebases at economical prices. It actually may not be much of an exaggeration to suggest that this family of techniques represents the End of Radio As We Know It.

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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741. NO CODE = NO HAM.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: CWnotCB <xray@woldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371012A8.711B2B5F@woldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146110

NO CODE = NO HAM. KNOW CODE = KNOW HAM.

End of argument.

http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

742. ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: CWnotCB <xray@woldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146111

And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!

http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

743. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3710238E.6274@ibm.net>
Source record: 146112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:
> No, OO notices are NOT official enforcement notices. What they do is
> build a case if the behavior persists. He is on record that his
> improper operation has been heard and noted.

Rick, what's to keep a rabid procode-test OO from falsifying a report
on a member of NCI?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

744. Re: Take a close look at SWATCH CEO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371016EE.23D2FF1E@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 146113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yawn.....

745. Y2K Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <DOUP2.5703$ai2.196317@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 146114

Everyone is so focused on January 1, 2000 that folks have forgotten that many companies and governments operate their budgets on a FISCAL year, not a calendar year. This means the FY 2000 has already started for those on a 1 April FY. On 1 July 1999, LOTS of people will start FY 2000 and the federal government FY 2000 starts on 1 October 1999.

Has anyone heard of any company with a 1 April FY experiencing any problems? At least one of the local governments that I deal with uses 1 April and they are now into FY 2000 with no problems at all.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

746. Re: Take a close look at SWATCH CEO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ep4u7hk1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Dennis Dease" <n4nr@vulcan.RE.MOVE.com> wrote:

>Thanks, Jim...

>That's a good analogy of exactly what The Swatch Group has done!

>Best wishes,

>Dennis - N4NR

You can't be serious, Dennis. Life is so full of bumps in the road, I honestly can't fathom how anyone can be upset over a 100 mw, temporary piece of space junk.

If this is a big problem for you, I sure hope you never have a flat tire on your car.....

73, Jim KH2D

747. Re: Dear Swatch AG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ep53dhk2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 146116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

They continue to pour out of the wood work. At least Swatch
has reminded my why I don't want to go to Dayton.....

73, Jim KH2D

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>radio service for promotional activities. My wife, in common with a lot
>of people of her age, is 39. For how long are we to put up with these
>things? I myself am nearly 35 and am quite mad, but I do enjoy
>listening to the BBC World Service. If this project goes ahead
>unabated... Pearl Harbor... dark days of the war... Teapot Dome
>scandal... Rosenbergs... Watergate... young hippies roaming the streets,
>raping, broadcasting on ham satellites,looting, killing. Why can't you
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>nothing embarrassing or nasty about the human body (except perhaps the
>intestines and the bottom).

>Yours, etc.

>Steve Johnston (Mrs)
>WD8DAS

748. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: black <nrhblack@condate.com>
Message-ID: <7epald$jdt@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 146117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Sorry to spoil the fun, but this thread has gone far enough.

It was an April fool hoax.

WB3KJX wrote in message <37096f97.0@hiq.pc-intouch.com>...
>Anything that affects our bands like this shoul dbe cross posted on all the
>amateur sites.... no matter if your interest is boatanchors or microwave,
>we'll all hams and need to stick together!
>
>73's Scott WB3 KJX
>
>

749. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <37102E7D.184B@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 146118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
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> > build a case if the behavior persists. He is on record that his
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> on a member of NCI?
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Absolutely nothing. But one OO report by itself carries virtually no weight. Without an audio tape, and no other reports from other OOs, I don't think the report would go very far. Indeed, I suspect an OO who tried to sandbag someone would probably be stripped of his credentials very quickly.

Rick T.

750. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7epgn7$b6h@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 146119

NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com (CRT&#65533;) writes:
>CW was once again a life saver. This time for a pair of fishermen who
>were stranded after their small boat swamped on New Jersey's Round
>Valley Reservoir.

>The February 25th edition of the Hunterdon County Democrat news
>reported the plight of the two would-be anglers. Not having any radio
>gear or a cellular telephone with which to summon assistance, the two
>used a flashlight to send an SOS distress call in Morse. As luck would
>have it, a passing motorist recognized the message and called the
>rescue squad. They located the two men about three miles from where
>they'd put their boat into the water.

In other words, knowing how to signal SOS using lights saved the fishermen.
They didn't use radio at all, and they didn't even use anything other
than those two letters of Morse.

This may be a good argument for teaching everyone how to send and
recognize SOS in primary school. I don't see how it's a good argument
for knowing the entire Morse code alphabet for use in radio transmisssion.

Dave

751. Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <370FED0E.98577937@yahoo.com>
Source record: 146120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I never got any response on my first mail, so here I try again.

Are there anyone on this group who are using, or has used, the magnetic loop antenna from MFJ (MFJ 1782).
If so, I would appreciate your comment. I'm planning on putting one up on my balcony, but are they worth the money ?.

Thanks.
Jesper
KF6VGH

752. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike de Wey <sjsharks@saber.net>
Message-ID: <923899709.590.46@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I don't believe that you will completely remove the RFI from your station.
ALL computer generate a certain amount of RF. This is accepted by the FCC
in their test labs. One way to REDUCE RFI is to purchase Type "B" computer
equipment, (motherboard, power supply/cabinet, drives, etc.) and install it.
The normal home use computer equpment does not have to meet the min.
requirement for an office. You may find more info in about any computer
magazine. Hope this helped a little. Also, remember, RF can't be grounded!
73 de Mike
Jim Long <longj@erols.com> wrote in message
news:37116409.1ABEEB9A@erols.com...
> Hi folks,
>
> I am having some computer RFI problems and am hoping for some help from
> the group. For the sake of disclosure, I AM NEW AT THIS! I am studying
> for a tech-plus ticket,
> so my correspondence may not meet your technical expectations. Please
> bear with me.
>
> I had been experiencing tremendous RFI when operating my computer and my
> ICOM
> IC-746 at the same time. The RFI had been the worst on 160, 80,40 and
> 30m,
> but was present on all bands. To aleviate the problem, I've run two 8'
> ground rods, located seperately, one for the antenna and one for the
> radio and other shack equipment. #4 ground wire runs from one of the
> rods and is clamped to a 1/2" piece of copper pipe. I run a chasis
> ground from my 746 to this pipe. I initially ran a chasis ground from
> my computer to this pipe but found that created slightly more
> interference (ground loop?).
>
> This has eliminated 75% of the problem. The noise practically
> nonexistant on 10m and above, vastly improved on 40m, but still quite
> bothersome on 160m and 80m
>
> My concern is that the computer RFI is travelling up the shield of the
> coax and back
> down the center conductor. When the radio is not connected to an
> antenna there appears not to be any RFI problems, indicating to me that
> the radio's shielding is more than adequate.
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>
> Both computer and rig are plugged into SEPERATE BX circuits with self
> grounding receptacles. My tranceiver is connected to a half-wave dipole

>
> with RG8-M (92% shielding) coax. The antenna is not yet grounded(my
> ligtning arrester just arrived today). The ICOM is grounded to the main
>
> cold water pipe at basement level with #8 gauge copper mesh.
>
>
> HERE IS MY QUESTION:
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> Will a line isolator such as a Radio Works T-4G eliminate this problem
> completely?
>
> Thanks for all advice.
>
> Jim
>
>
>

753. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: PlainsParson@netscape.net
Message-ID: <3710c1af.2440419@republic.btigate.com>
Source record: 145823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

newsgroups are a waste of bandwidth ... ;0)

754. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: vantalon <vantalon.f6bwf@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <7f0205$j6t$1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 145824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hello . In my past job i have had to use 3 bird 43 in our laboratory . All have given different measures (on the same load of course !)For an output of 40 watts , one of them gives 50w reading ! This one was used for " demo " with the customers !! 73 to all

755. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #404

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.404.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 145922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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3B9R UPDATE. The Rodrigues Island DXpedition is now QRT. They were expected to go QRT as of 2200z, April 10th (this is when their license was to expire). Frank, AH0W, reported last Thursday that he hoped the team would end up with 40K QSOs in the log by the end (they were 35K at the time of the report). I am sure Frank will provide a DXpedition wrap-up upon his return to the states.

5N99, NIGERIA. Stan Matejicek, OK1JR, informs OPDX that he has been in Lagos since March 31st, on a short business trip. He was able to receive his licence from NARS (The Niregia Amateur Radio Society - he is a Life member) and has received the callsign 5N0MSV. Stan will stay here until the end of the May. He is working/operating from the Embassy of the Czech Republic. Look for him to be on the bands during their afternoon time (Stan states, "We are one hour +GMT). He was spotted this week during various times (between 1530 and 0000z) on 10/12/15/17/20/40 meters. Stan mentions 40 and 30 meters look like very interesting bands during the night, however not very many QSNs have been reported. He should be able to produce an excellent signal on 20/17/15/12/10 meters using a TS-950SDX and a 1K amp into a 12 element Log-Periodic. SPECIAL NOTE. Stan states that he is now using the 5N99 prefix until the end of April because the 1999 World Soccer Championship (for young played through the age of 21) is being held in NIGERIA. On May 1st, Stan will go back using his callsign 5N0MSV. QSLs go via his home callsign OK1JR, Stan Matejicek, Moskevska 1464 Praha10, Czech Republic. Stan will be here for the next two months and has promised to send all direct QSL cards back as quickly as possible during June and July of 1999.

8J1, ANTARCTICA. The "DX News Letter" reports that the Japanese club station 8J1RL is situated on Ongul Island (IOTA AN-015). OPDX has found this station active on 21246 kHz between 1600-1630z. QSL via JARL bureau.

9N7, NEPAL. Charlie, K4VUD, who is currently here, has had his callsign changed. Look for him now to sign 9N7UD instead of 9N1UD. It has been reported that foreign visitors are now designated with a "7". Meanwhile, Charlie has been active on 20/15 meters. Look for him on/around 21295 kHz between 1400 and 1500z, and on 20 meters CW/SSB (14022/14200) after 0130z. QSL via K4VUD.

DX CONVENTION. The Lynx DX Group has announced that "Convention'99" will be held May 7-8th, at the Rocas Blancas Hotel in Alicante, Spain. Anyone interested in joining them may contact Juan, EA5FID, from the Organization Committee, via E-mail at: ea5fid@jet.es
Also visit their Web site at: http://web.jet.es/lynx

EG, SPAIN. There has been a lot of questions being asked about the EG prefixes being used by Spanish operators, and OPDX would like again to point you to OPDX.402 (if you do not have it, send an E-mail to: opdx-request@nshore.org -- Put the word archive on the subject line -- and the following command in the body of the text: get volume99/402.0) Basically, the EG prefixes are to celebrate 50 years of the URE. Those callsigns will be used throughout April, 1999, and there is even an award available. For more details also check out the Web page at: http://www.ure.es/aniversario/diploma.html

IOTA NEWS.....
NA-051. On April 10th, VE7QCR and VE7TLL were active as VE7ISL/p from another new Canadian Island, Maude Island. This was a one day operation only. If you were lucky to work them, QSL via VE7TLL and for all VE7ISL operations.

NA-169. Hillar/N6HR and Elsie/N7WDX report that they have been able to reach a Memorandum of Agreement with the Makah Nation Tribal Council, and that they have received permission to land and operate from the rare Tatoosh Island. The island off of Cape Flattery in Northwest Washington is a sacred "Makah Indian" burial ground. They state that the full report will be released at the IOTA Meeting in Fresno. They did mention that they will be on the air during the IOTA Contest July 24/25th with at least two KW stations giving out NA-169 QSOs to the deserving. Look for more details to follow.

SA-027. Look for PY5B (SSB) and PV5L (CW) to be active from Arvoredo Island (DIB 46), May 13-17th. Look for them on the IOTA frequencies and Brazilian nets. QSL via PP5LL, Jayme Lira, PO Box 08, Florianopolis/SC, 88010-970, Brazil. E-mail address: pp5ll@netplan.net

SA-047. Look for PR5B (SSB) and PT5L (CW) to be active from Mel Island (DIB 34), April 21-28th. Look for them on the IOTA frequencies

and Brazilian nets. QSL via PP5LL, Jayme Lira, PO Box 08, Florianopolis/SC, 88010-970, Brazil. E-mail address: pp5ll@netplan.net

QSL INFO AND NEWS......
ZY8A is QRT now! Eduardo, PP8EB, reports that the Anavilhanas Archipelago DXpedition made some 2320 QSOs on SSB and CW. He would like to thank the people that put them on the DX Clusters and for making contacts with them. A special thanks goes out to IBAMA - the Brazilian Institute of Enviroment and Nature, Brazilian Army and Brazilian NAVY that led them to the archipelago by ship. The correct way to QSL via PP8KB at: P.O. Box 691, Manaus Am Brasil, Zip 69011-970

FT5ZH QSLS. Jeffrey, WA6KBL, (for F6KDF, the Lyon DX Gang) reports that the first 2000 cards have been filled out and were sent to the European DX Council to be stuffed into envelopes along with the addresses to go onto the envelopes. They should be sent out very soon, but this is now out of the hands of F6KDF members so they don't know precisely how long before they are mailed. The rest of the cards have been printed in Germany, and there was a misunderstanding about the transport of these boxes of cards to France. This has been cleared up this week, and they are on their way to the F6KDF radio club. The F6KDF group is sorry about the delay but rest assured that everyone will get their cards. Jeffrey states that he will be bringing one card to the Fresno DX Convention if anyone is dying to see one.

BY1PK, the official station of Chinese Radio Sports Association, participated in last weekend's Japan International DX CW Contest. The operators were BA1AA, BA1AB, BA1DU, BA1OK, BA1RB and others. QSL via P.O.Box 6106, Beijing 100061, CHINA.

SAD NOTE. OPDX was informed that well known DXer, William Elasmar, HK3RQ, has recently become a "Silent Key, SK", after a long and stressfull coma. HK3RQ was very well known to many old timers who had their first HK QSO confirmed through his activity on SSB and CW. OPDX sends out our deepest sympathy to the family and friends.

SPECIAL EVENT. The Cadena El Conquistador, Inc. (NP3P) announces that the XXII Vieques Cultural Festival will be held from April 16-18th, at the Fort Count Mirasol. The Vieques Cultural Festival is sponsored by the Yaureibo Cultural Center of Vieques in coordination with the institute of Puerto Rico culture and the Municipal administration of Vieques. The fort was built in 1845 by orders of the Spanish governor of Puerto Rico, Rafael Aristegui y Velez, better known as Count of Mirasol. The sponsoring Radio Club of the S. E. is the CADENA EL CONQUISTADOR, Inc. (NP3P). The four main frequencies of operation will be 28350, 21350, 14300, and 40 and 80 meters. The starting time is 1600z on April 17th and the ending time is 1600z April 18th. The first 500 stations to contact NP3P will get a certificte. To request a certificate send QSL to:
CADENA EL CONQUISTADOR, Inc. (NP3P), P. O. Box 161, Fajardo, PR 00738-0161
For more information and details, send E-mail to: np3p@hotmail.com

SPECIAL EVENT. The Argentina hams have plans to be active in celebration of the 75th anniversary of the contact between Carlos Braggio, r-CB8, in Buenos Aires, Argentina, and Ivan O'Meara, z-2AC, in Gisborne, New Zealand, that established the world record of distance in 1924. The Radio Club Argentino, LU4AA, will celebrate this anniversary between May 16th and 23rd. The following will be applied:
1) The official station of RAC will use during this period the special callsign L75CB; every QSO with this station will be confirmed with an special QSL card.

2) On May 21st (the day of the anniversary), L75CB will transmit continously (24 hours), on CW, the mode used by Braggio and O'Meara during that contact. Stations contacting L75CB on this mode that day will also receive an award.

3) During the period between 0000z, May 16th, and 2400z May 23rd, every amateur radio station in Argentina is allowed to use a Special International Prefix. Stations beginning with LU will use L2 (ex. LU4AA will use L24AA). Stations beginning with LW will use L3 (ex. LW8EZU will use L38EZU). Stations beginning with AZ will use L4 (ex. AZ1AAA will use L41AAA).

L75CB QSLs are via LU4AA by the Bureau or P.O. Box 97 - Zip Code 1000 Buenos Aires, Argentina, For more details or questions/comments send an E-mail to: lu4aa@lu4aa.org (The E-mail address of the RCA, LU4AA) You can also visit LU4AA's web page at: http://www.lu4aa.org

THE ENDING OF THE DXNS. It was announced this week, in a letter from the RSGB dated March 29th, that effective June 30, 1999, "the RSGB will no longer be producing the RSGB DX News Sheet. The decision was made by the RSGB's Management Committee on the recommendation of Peter Kirby, G0TWW, General Manager in the face of a diminishing number of subscribers and the existence of a number of packet and Internet alternative sources of DX information. All inquiries about the closure of the DXNS should be referred to Barry Cooper, G4RKO, Commercial Manager at RSGB HQ." Your editor would like to say that the DXNS was one of Europe's finest printed DX bulletins, and I will sadly miss the change of DX information with DXNS's current editor Chris Page, G4BUE.

ZS, SOUTH AFRICA. Victor, RA3DQ, informs OPDX that he and another amateur Oleg, UA3HK, are planning a 2 week trip to Cape Town (ZS1) from April 16-29th. They plan to be on the air 80-10 meters (Yaesu FT-900) on CW/SSB. They are currently looking for Cape Town HAMs for possible assistance!
Victor can be contacted at: ra3dq@qsl.net
Also, visit Victor's Web site at: http://www.qsl.net/ra3dq/

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OPDX INTERNET SUBSCRIBE/UNSUBSCRIBE REQUEST: opdx-request@nshore.org
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http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
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756. Re: NCI and The Future

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <3710F02F.9FD41693@att.net>
Source record: 145923

Much of boot camp is dedicated to teaching recruits how to kill
an enemy with bayonets, knives, or even their bare hands.

Oh brother, what drivel from an indivdual who didn't go to boot camp.
You CW idiots are now equating Morse Code with sighting down a high
power rifle and taking a man's life. It kind of cheapens the dead
soldiers' lives, whatever side they were on. Please use some other
analogy.
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to BE a Marine?
You don't know S*** about what it means to be a Marine!!

757. Re: Dear Swatch AG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <3710EEEF.66A17F1F@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 145924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>

Jim wrote:

> They continue to pour out of the wood work. At least Swatch
> has reminded my why I don't want to go to Dayton.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D

Oh, C'mon Jim, this is one of the funniest I've seen so far, Steve and I will
both be in Dayton, c'mon down and you can get a double dose. :)

73 Tim ka8ddz

> >
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> Steve Johnston <johnston@blazenet.net> wrote:
>
> >Dear Swatch AG:
>
> >I object in the strongest possible terms to your use of the amateur
> >radio service for promotional activities.> My wife, in common with a lot
> >of people of her age, is 39.> For how long are we to put up with these
> >things?> I myself am nearly 35 and am quite mad, but I do enjoy
> >listening to the BBC World Service.> If this project goes ahead
> >unabated... Pearl Harbor... dark days of the war... Teapot Dome
> >scandal... Rosenbergs... Watergate... young hippies roaming the streets,
> >raping, broadcasting on ham satellites,looting, killing.> Why can't you
> >do something morally uplifting, like promote the human body?> There is
> >nothing embarrassing or nasty about the human body (except perhaps the
> >intestines and the bottom).
>
> >Yours, etc.
>
> >Steve Johnston (Mrs)
> >WD8DAS

758. Re: Tribander Or Monoband Beams?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <3710F0BC.33C96E1F@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 145925

Tony, I've run both tri-banders and 3 elecment monoband yagis, IMHO the difference isn't that much at least not from an operating point of view, while the numbers may show better gain, directivity etc. I have not found a significant difference at the receiving stations end with respect to signal, at least not enough to warrant putting up 3 antennas when I could run one. You might want to take a good look at a log periodic too. Not sure why but they seem to be very popular outside the U.S but you see very few of them here.

Tim ka8ddz

Tony Heatwole wrote:

> Hello. I have a question about which set-up you think would be the best
> one for everyday overall well performance. A 2 element beam for 40m, a 5
> element beam for 20m, a 5 element beam for 15m, and a 5 element beam for
> 10m. Or, an X9 tribander beam with the 40m add-on kit. Now I know that
> all of the monobanders are better then the tribander, but are they better
> by a large enough margin for it to be worth it for me to get all of those
> monobanders rather then just a tribander? Any and all help is appreciated.
>
> Nat Heatwole
> heatwole@clark.net
> KB3CBW, Advanced

759. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqrk2$noi@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145926
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> So we can only conclude that your modernization of ham radio couldn't
>> be complete without then working to eliminate code.

>You got a mouse in your pocket, Jeff? I seriously doubt that you are
>correct, but even if you are, what difference does it make? Someone
>"working to eliminate code" will not eliminate code. Only the FCC
>can eliminate code.

Cecil, I see your delete key got stuck again, and you overly cropped
my comments. Let's review what I sent:

>Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>>Maybe so ... how about it Cedric ... would you like
>>to join NCI and help us to modernize ham radio?

and I responded:

>"...modernize ham radio" by eliminating the code tests, correct? But
>you'd still view code as an archaic mode of communication, correct?
>So we can only conclude that your modernization of ham radio couldn't
>be complete without then working to eliminate code. You'll of course
>deny that conclusion, but your goals are quite transparent.
>
>It must really eat at your insides when you tune across the HF bands
>and hear that about 50 percent of the QSOs are conducted using Morse.
>(That of course contradicts the definition of "archaic.")
>73, Jeff KH6O (ex WH6U, KH6OO, et cetera)

That "we" is not my mouse and I, but rather all of us who distrust
NCI's motives. You can't deny they're working to eliminate the code
tests (because they [falsely] believe that code is archaic), so why
should it bother you to speculate that they would naturally work to
eliminate use of code (because they [falsely] believe that code is
archaic). You yourself won't even rule out that that's a possibility.

Ponder the title they've given themselves -- NCI, not NCTI.

73,
Jeff KH6 Over

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760. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqrpa$nr0@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <7el5gr$1gc$1@news.uky.edu>, HighWaysinHiding <Why Bother?> wrote:
>Jim is as clueless as a my deaf cat.
>Jut put him in your kill file and his trolls will vanish.
>If everyone does this, then the trolls will stop getting their shrunken
>little egos stroked and will go back to looking for alt.naked.kids sites.

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(version k0hb.1)

761. FS: NEW 2.4GHz Wireless COLOR Video Camera Surveillance System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <FA6Q2.36661$FZ5.13913@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 145928
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.video,rec.radio.amateur.misc

NEW 2.4GHz. wireless COLOR video camera (NTSC resolution with focusable lens) with matching receiver with 2" color LCD.

Approximately 1/4 mile range.

Complete with camera mount kit, power bricks and hard-plastic travel case.

I have spec sheet in pdf format for interested parties.

Paid $500 new. Make reasonable offer. Shipping not included.

Rudi

762. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqsj1$o8r@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145929

In article <CUqP2.606$uy.1134@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>and pple who post to usenet shud read the faqs on news.answers first.
>if they did, they would know that spelling flaems are the lamest thing
>anyone can post.
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com

True, but paying attention to spelling and grammar adds credibility to your comments. Your choice of words and how you use them are the only method we have available to measure your intellect and logical reasoning skills. (I have to admit, though, that it is pretty obvious that you're purposely "playing dumb" -- analyzing the full header of your posts exposes identical "footprints" of someone else on r.r.a.m who is posting without any spelling errors.)

Jeff KH6 Out

763. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <please_dont@qsl.com>
Message-ID: <7eqs5c$i62$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote in
>Every citizen should be considered an arm of the law. Its when every citizen
>shirks their responsibility do we end up with shows like NYPD Blue.
>Enforcement is not just a COP thing.

Every citizen should report criminal activity to authorities. Citizens who spy on their neighbors and report every infraction are like snitches and are usually detested by the neighborhood. Citizens routinely attempting enforcement by playing cop can be dangerous to others and themselves. (Citizens in Arizona have almost the same powers of arrest as do the police. Fortunately most are unaware of it and call the police who determine if an arrest is appropriate.)

Didn't Germany make use of a citizen snitch program before the war...

764. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <please_dont@qsl.com>
Message-ID: <7eqqfghgm3@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote
> If they add previously received OO
>reports that brought the offender to the FCC's attention to
>this officially collected evidence, it only helps cement the
>case and in no way constitutes any sort of impropriety.

Snitches are like toilet paper. They're unpleasant when used, but necessary for the job (of law enforcement). The problem is the slippery slope. We already have one overzealous ham on the newsgroup that takes it upon himself to play ham cop and warn others of their minor (ID time) violations. Give him a little real power as a FCC snitch and boy he could really feel important, and of course make others life very rough. Most of us speed and most of us never get caught. Imagine if we allowed citizen patrols to turn in speeders. Even if the violation was unjustified, there would be your name on the records. How would you look when license renewal time comes up? Well he's probably guilty, they would say, if not why is his name here? I am all for the use of police snitches in *specific* cases that cannot be solved in any other way. But to give blanket authority to a large group of hams to play ham cop is a dangerous precedent. How would you like old Dick watching your every move Cecil, and just waiting for you to make that one mistake (like using your IC706 on CB). Heck, if they give him snitch status tomorrow, he may turn you in just from your admissions here on usenet...

765. Re: For sale: FCC Frequency Database CD-ROM, 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3710F53D.5625@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145932
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.scanner,alt.radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Note that this item sells brand new for only $25.00, direct
from discmagic.com:

<http://www.discmagic.com/electronics/mrscanner.htm>

so don't get trapped into over-bidding on e-bay for it !!

Trish

lily@abive.net wrote:
>
> For sale on Ebay:
>
> The Mr. Scanner CDROM (vol 3, 1998) contains the entire USA frequency
> and callsign allocation plan for Commercial, state and local
> government, public service/utilities, and special event systems.
> The listings are arranged and searchable by callsign, frequency, city,
> state and service. Supports DOS, Windows and Windows 95/NT systems.
> Special POLICE listings help you find the most active frequencies in
> your area. Listed frequency ranges: 30 to 1000 MHZ.
>
> Only $19.99! GO HERE:
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> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=88639687

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Patricia E. Gibbons
Acting Chief Communications Technician
City of San Jose - ITD/communications
.....
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

766. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3710F6CC.CD2352B7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:

> Its coded in Part 97. Why do you just now raise an objection?
Please quote the relevant sections of Part 97 that deputize OOs
as federal auxillary enforcement officers, as defined
in the Communications Act.

> Riley is ultra-cool. Don't say nuthin bad about Riley.
I like him just fine. But he's not the boss. His boss
gives him the policy guidelines. I take issue with
some parts of this policy, not Mr. Hollingsworth.
I have stated before that I believe him conscientious and sincere.

> Hmmmm. The amateur radio service is federal.
>I don't see any states out
> there issueing amateur radio call signs.
??? Don't understand how this is relevant.

>OO's are sanctioned in Part 97, not by Riley.
>The regulations say that we are self-policing, furthermore,
> the regs say that we have OO's (deppitty dawgs, if you will).
Again: Please quote the relevant sections that sanction
OOs as auxiliary enforcement officers. If it's there,
it's in direct conflict with the Communications Act,
which requires FCC (not ARRL proxy) training for any such office.

> They are all tested, licensed amateur radio operators.
So are WB2OTK, Walter Barstool, Brain-dead Dave, etc. etc.
That sure doesn't qualify them to make charges against people.

> They enforce nothing.
That's not what Riley says. He said the commission will
take action on the strength of OO notices and explicitly
gave them standing as legal enforcement documents.
What's to misunderstand? It was a very clear position.

> Hmmmm. Show me an OO court and I'll jump up and down
>and scream right along with you.
Have you been listening??

> Part 97 says we police ourselves.
>Part 97 also provides for Official Observers.
Even if it does, that's NOT THE POINT!
They are OBSERVERS. They are ADVISORS.
The FCC is now giving them status as (untrained) ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
This is out of bounds on several counts.

> I'm sure the FCC regulatory authorities and Mr Riley
>have the ability to
> discern whether an OO report is valid or not.
Why are you sure? If the word of an OO with a simple
Hallicrafters S-120 and a cassette tape recorder is all that
is needed to determine who is guilty....
then exactly why does the FCC need a large staff,
a huge, expensive monitoring system and computers
to crunch vectors and voice prints???
Is it some pork barrel project, or is this big organization
and all this equipment actually required to make a case??
The answer is, of course, that the OO CAN'T be sure!
He hasn't the training or the equipment.
He can only ADVISE. Any other position means the
FCC has wasted taxpayer money and time on an unneeded system.
(I'll hold my breath until they admit that, OK?)
And when the FCC enforcer says -explicitly-
that the commission will act on that OO report just
as though it were a report from a trained,equipped field officer--
we've got a problem!

Let me say it again... Please listen!
He did NOT SAY that the reports would be used to
help them make a case. He did NOT say they would
investigate once they got a report.
LISTEN CLOSELY----
He CLEARLY SAID that the commission would act on the
strength of OO reports! He DEMANDED formal
replies that are LEGAL TESTIMONY in a CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION
be made to OO reports of UNTRAINED VOLUNTEER OBSERVERS.

Don't you get it??

God....Why do I bother???

"Well, it won't happen to me.
"What do I care if someone gets nailed by mistake.
Won't happen to me...."
Nice attitude.
How Very 1990s.
Bet you change your mind when that first OO card shows up.

sigh....
Dave AB5S

767. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqsta$olv@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Jeff wrote:

>> It must really eat at your insides when you tune across the HF bands
>> and hear that about 50 percent of the QSOs are conducted using Morse.

>That's a complete pile of dung/wishful thinking on your part, Jeff ...

That it's eating at your insides? That must have been what you're
referring to, for if you're questioning that 50% figure, tune across
the bands yourself (with your Tech license, listening is about all you
can legally do, eh?). =:o

73, Jeff KH6O

768. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqt6c$opd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145935

Matdee <mattde@pacbell.com> wrote:
>Date came and went. No problems. All this Y2K stuff is a pack of
>high-octane HORSESHIT. Y2K chicken-littles are right up there
>with lying radio preachers, gold coin dealers and telemarketers.
>All who belive this Y2K stuff from people like that dickhead Gary
>North need to have their money taken from them for the fools they are.

I suppose the billions of dollars and hundreds of thousands of man-hours
that will have been spent on preventive measures will have nothing to do
with there being no problems, eh?

Jeff KH6O

769. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37110519.2F19@ibm.net>
Source record: 145936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
>
> black <nrhblack@condate.com> wrote in message
> > It was an April fool hoax.
>
> Sorry to spoil your day, but no it wasn't ...

The report that it was an April fool hoax was an April fool hoax.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
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770. Re: honda power steering fluid question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <cQ6Q2.546$fH2.214@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145937

On 11 Apr 1999 17:29:14 GMT stereodoc1@aol.com (StereoDoc1) wrote:
> My power steering fluid in my 87 prelude was low so I added some Honda PS fluid

coming to a ham radio grup was the almoest the right thing to do except
that hams only drieve yugos now. and nato boembed the yugo factory so
they are all cranky and you will probbly get cross answers now. thier
are lots of honda drivers in alt.fan.karl-malden.nose so you might want
to try their.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

771. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37110863.397A@ibm.net>
Source record: 145938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> That "we" is not my mouse and I, but rather all of us who distrust
> NCI's motives. You can't deny they're working to eliminate the code
> tests (because they [falsely] believe that code is archaic), so why
> should it bother you to speculate that they would naturally work to
> eliminate use of code (because they [falsely] believe that code is
> archaic). You yourself won't even rule out that that's a possibility.

What would be the FCC's incentive for eliminating the use of code?
Indeed, how could the FCC legally eliminate the use of code? and why?
Code is presently allowed on ALL HF ham frequencies. Why would that
ever change?

So even if NCI declared their support for eliminating the use of code,
besides losing half their membership, there is no possible way for
NCI to convince the FCC to eliminate the use of code. You are beating
a dead horse that was never even born.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

772. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqtdq$p3q@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:

>> No, OO notices are NOT official enforcement notices. What they do is
>> build a case if the behavior persists. He is on record that his
>> improper operation has been heard and noted.

>Rick, what's to keep a rabid procode-test OO from falsifying a report
>on a member of NCI?

I suppose the same thing that would prevent a rabid NCI member from
falsifying an OO report against a code-test advocate, Cecil.

73, Jeff KH6 Over

773. Re: "Worked all faggots"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <3710FBB7.8615009B@att.net>
Source record: 145940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Guess you're not a real ham if you're female, a tech, or gay. This is truly a "good ole boys' club."

774. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eqtvq$pfd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145941

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>In other words, knowing how to signal SOS using lights saved the fishermen.
>They didn't use radio at all, and they didn't even use anything other
>than those two letters of Morse.

SOS does not consist of letters, Dave, but rather, a single character:
...___...

>This may be a good argument for teaching everyone how to send and
>recognize SOS in primary school. I don't see how it's a good argument
>for knowing the entire Morse code alphabet for use in radio transmisssion.

How would you then be able to copy the distressed station's
*Nature of distress
*Position
*Type of assistance requested
*Number and type of injuries
*Equipment on hand
by radio if you only knew just one character, Dave?

73, Jeff KH6O (former CW operator at US Coast Guard Radio Honolulu, NMO)

775. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7equnh$pup@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145942

<rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>(Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>> >(Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> >>BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>> >> >Actually.. The power-company's, atleast, ARE testing today for that bug...
>> >> >I'm not sure how 99/99 could cause any problems, but I'm pretty that sure
>> >> >their programmers aren't retarded or whatever..

>> >> The FAA is testing today, also. (USA-Today news item)

>> >see there, I am vindicayted.

>> No you're not. I posted that FAA testing note on the 10th, not the 9th.
>> (See the date-time stamp in my attribution line.)

>silly boy. just so long as soemone said 99/99 was the problem he was
>vindicayting me. your tiem stamp has nothing to do with it.
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com

The FAA tested their computer system on the 10th, which was the 100th
day of the year, *not* the 99th day. You're still not vindicated. When
I said that the FAA was testing "today," the date/time stamp has every-
thing to do with it.

Jeff KH6 Out

776. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7equu7$pvn@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Watch Dog <watcher@ispyonu.net> wrote:
>According to Tim Hollingsworth

I don't believe Mr. Hollingsworth's first name is Tim. (See the difference
a comma can make, Rosie?)

777. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <JG7Q2.18$z83.160@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145944

On 11 Apr 1999 19:55:29 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> >(Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> >> <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> >> >(Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> >> >>BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
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> day of the year, *not* the 99th day. You're still not vindicated. When
> I said that the FAA was testing "today," the date/time stamp has every-
> thing to do with it.

I haev been talking about the power company tests. doent they teach
reading skills there at hawaii.edu?

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

778. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <OJ7Q2.19$z83.37@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145945

On 11 Apr 1999 19:42:50 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> SOS does not consist of letters, Dave, but rather, a single character:
> ...___...

so in hawaii youse guys send "H O S" all strung togeather? I bet you
haev a no code license, right?

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

779. Equip 4 Sale Revised 4/11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiodoc37@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411163953.17137.00001724@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145946

Mike K.
(805) 526-5487
(805) 376-4457 Voice Pager

Kenwood TS530s HF Transceiver, kenwood MC50 Mic and Manual $400.00 SOLD

Kenwood TS 430S, AM filter, general coverage TX/RX, stock mic, Manual,
Some scrathes on cover, face excellent, No FM board. $425.00

Cubic/Swan 102 BX solid state HF transceiver, Dual PTO tuning Dials, Passband indicator,
speech processor etc..Matching Power supply /Speaker. Manuals. $380.00

Qty 2 Tram D201s each in need of minor repairs, with Sams $150.00 each

Tram D201, good condition, Great AM tx and rx, SSB receive a bit weak,
probable needs a tube, have not had time to work on it, with manual and SAMs
$250.00

Kenwood TH315 220 Handheld, Leather case, wall charger, Speaker Mic $225.00
SOLD

Redco Digi Scan -5, RDS-02, I think it's for use with a O2A PLL $60.00

Eico 720 HF CW transmitter, Cabinet need painted, Inside is super clean,
Untested $75.00 SOLD

Homebrew 10 Meter amplifier, uses three 24 volt versions of the 6146 tube, Made from a military transceiver PA section. Separate power supply made from Mil parts. Fairly compact modules, Peak readings of 200 watts. $150.00

Bearcat 210 scanner $30.00 SOLD

D&A Mfg. T-600 , 10 tube amplifier Later version of the Phantom 500, Black,
in excellent condition
10-20-40-80 meters, all tubes in great shape, Keys 500 watts swings 1000 Pep, a super clean unit
$400.00 SOLD

D&A Mfg. Maverick 250 , 8 tube 10 meter amplifier, tubes all in good shape,
6LQ6's recently replaced with NOS stock $300 SOLD

Phantom 500 10 meter amplifier, Needs 10 6LQ6s (Ouch!) $150.00 Sold

Texas Star Killer Bee HD250V, 10 meter amplifier, Class C, Direct keyed only
$85.00 SOLD

Varmint XL350, 3 tube, 10 meter amplifier, With the famous "Super Mod" switch,
Clean,

Tubes 80% or better Swings 500 pep on YS-60 peak meter. $250.00

Heathkit SB201 10-20-40-80 Linear amplifier, Fresh 572B Tubes, Manual, Works great $375.00

HTX202 RadioShack 2 meter handheld, Speaker Mic, Box, Manual, Wall charger $100 SOLD

Crate Stealth 60 Tube Guitar amp, In great condition. Manual $200.00

Yamaha 12 string acoustic, beautiful guitar with case!! $500.00

Yamaha RX11 Drum Machine $100.00

Rack mount Lab power supply, Power Ten Inc. Model 3300D-10010, 0-100 VDC, 0-10 Amps,
Voltage and current LCD read outs, Clean $200.00

Bird 4391 Analyst, Microprocessor controlled CW power / Pep Power / Modulation /
and more, uses bird 43 slugs. Carrying case, manual, $400.00

Bird slug 50-125 Mhz, 5,000 W Peak mode / 1000W Max average Power $60.00
Like new, low use

Bird slug 50-125 Mhz, 10,000 W Peak mode / 1000W Max average Power $60.00
Like new, low use

Siltronics model 90 VFO -6 $85.00 Clean

Alan CTE HQ135 25-29 Mhz Wattmeter 10/100/1000 watt scales, illuminated, Low use like new in box $40.00

Alan CTE 36" apartment dwellers antenna, adjustable swr, Low use Like New $25.00

Alinco DJ-S11 Mini 2 meter hand held, in box, low use, slight scratch on front $65.00

Cushcraft R5 five band Vertical, uses short counterpoise radials $150.00

Radio Shack Digital SWR/Power meter RMS and PEP 0-30 Mhz $30.00 SOLD

Watts 0-160 PSI precision Regulator & Sub-regulator filter block assemblies NEW $100.00 Ea.

Recoton CBM430 Amplified Desk Mic $20.00

Mirage B3016 2 meter FM/SSB amplifier, with preamp, 30 in 160 Watts out. $200.00 Sold

SBE Trinidad AM Base, Excellent condition with Manual and D104 Mic $120.00

Realistic TRC459, AM/SSB 40Channel CB ,unique flat console design, dial a watt, Stock Mic. $130.00

Sears Road talker 40 AM/SSB 40 channel Mobile, In box, Low usage, No Manual, Clean No Mods $100 SOLD

Sears Road talker Base/Mobile 40 channel AM/SSB, In box, Low usage, No Manual , clean, No Mods $100 SOLD

Uniden HR2600 with chipswitch modification, 575-M6 mic, Manual and chipswitch manual $260.00 SOLD

Yaesu FRG 7 SW receiver, good condition $160.00

Ameritron AL 811 HF Amplifier uses 3 811 tubes, minor flaw on face plate, 7.5 to 8 on condition, works perfect, full output with manual $400 SOLD

Complete ammunition reloading set up, 2 Presses, scale, several dies, tumbler, Case trimmer, books, Brass, 2 powder drops, trickler, A whole lot of stuff ...dies for 223, 45 long colt, 7mm Rem mag, 30-30, 308, 22 hornet, 30 carbine and others $320.00

Craftsman compressor 4 HP 30 Gal, In good condition, with hose and regulator/seperator setup $200 Local pick up only in the Simi Valley Ca. area

Roland 4 track multi-tracker recording system, Higher end model, Nice mixer/EQ section. Not sure of the model #, must check in storage. $300.00 Clean condition, with manual

* I buy, sell and trade vacuum tubes

Will possibly trade above items for:
Drake equipment and accessories
Bird 43
Bird HF slugs
Digital camera
Yaesu Y0 100 scope
Yaesu FV101 VFO
Electro Voice Mics
Johnson Viking II with Johnson VFO
Collins 30L1 in good condition
Collins R390A
MFJ antenna analyzer. The one with resistance read out
Drake RV-7 VFO
Power supply for the Drake TR 7
Yaesu FT-7 in very good condition
or ??? what do you have?
Astatic 10DA SSB mic head
Astatic Night Eagle
Yaesu FL2100B

JPG Pictures available on some items *

--The stuff that will never make it to the bench for repair--
Below sold as is:

Siltronics Albatrose 23 channel AM/SSB mobile with big ol venier slider knob $25.00 Works, Occasional Intermittent TX

Pierce Simpson Bengal AM/SSB 23 channel base SSB works AM doesn't $30.00

Zachery T AM Base No TX week RX $30.00

President Washington w/ freqs and slider (Worked perfect before UPS got ahold of it) Came back from
Hawaii , No TX or RX, Possible damaged loop mixer crystal $60.00 SOLD

Robyn tiger 23C Needs Audio transistor $10.00

Messenger 250 23 channel base CB, beautiful gold and brown, good cosmetic condition, Possible power supply problem $40.00

Icom IC230 2 meter parts radio, No Knobs $20.00 TX works.

*All items do not include shipping.
*Shipping Via UPS ground unless otherwise stated
*All items guaranteed to work unless otherwise stated.
* Most larger items are professionally packaged and double boxed.
* Buyer splits packing charges.
* Most prices negotiable.
* Use of 10 meter amps on 11 meters is illegal.
* References available upon request.

780. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <sO7Q2.20$z83.207@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145947

On 11 Apr 1999 19:18:57 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> purposely "playing dumb" -- analyzing the full header of your posts
> exposes identical "footprints" of someone else on r.r.a.m who is posting
> without any spelling errors.)

now that you haev figgered me out, who am I?

--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

781. Re: Learning Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: propage1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411164636.23604.00001115@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 145948

W5YI computer software......short enough?

782. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7er6qb$hj0$1@208.207.71.150>
Source record: 145949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:
> > No, OO notices are NOT official enforcement notices. What they do is
> > build a case if the behavior persists. He is on record that his
> > improper operation has been heard and noted.
>
> Rick, what's to keep a rabid procode-test OO from falsifying a report
> on a member of NCI?
>

Well, let's see....you code bashers have consistantly made
totally ridiculous charges that you can't support against
code advocates...Then
You spent a few weeks wrigling away from your admissions of
rules violations on the air - and was that just the few that
you felt like talking about? Maybe you'd just have to call
it payback time.....You really wouldn't want to screw up on
the air and let it be heard, would you?...nor engage in one
of your favorite pastimes of "talking to those guys" on your
IC706. You can bet a few of your "pals" have Riley's fone
number tacked up over the rig... (:-P}

No need to falsify anything at all. Just the facts, Ma'am

783. Jeff garbage (was Re: NCI garbage)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7er6ul$2db$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote in message news:37110863.397A@ibm.net...
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > That "we" is not my mouse and I, but rather all of us who distrust
> > NCI's motives. You can't deny they're working to eliminate the code
> > tests

True ... NCI is working to eliminate unnecessary Morse code tests.

> > (because they [falsely] believe that code is archaic)

Your opinion is your opinion ... not everyone agrees. Many DO
believe that Morse code is archaic ... the tendency towards
that belief seems to concentrate towards the more technically
knowledgeable and up-to-date end of the amateur spectrum.

> > , so why
> > should it bother you to speculate that they would naturally work to
> > eliminate use of code

Speculation leads you to ASSume "facts" not in evidence, Jeff,
with the result that you come to the wrong "conclusion."

> > You yourself won't even rule out that that's a possibility.

NCI, and its directors, including myself have repeatedly
stated that we have NO intention of EVER seeking any sort
of ban on the use of Morse by those who voluntarily choose
to use it ... you're making a "leap" from "I don't like
horse meat." to "All horses should be slaughtered to the
point of extinction." ... it just doesn't logically follow
that you can "deduce" the second statement from the first.

> What would be the FCC's incentive for eliminating the use of code?
> Indeed, how could the FCC legally eliminate the use of code? and why?
> Code is presently allowed on ALL HF ham frequencies. Why would that
> ever change?

It won't change ... nor is it NCI's goal ... the "hidden
agenda" is either an unreasonable, paranoid knee-jerk
reaction on Jeff's part, or simply an attempt to generate
FUD/flames against NCI.

> So even if NCI declared their support for eliminating the use of code,
> besides losing half their membership, there is no possible way for

> NCI to convince the FCC to eliminate the use of code. You are beating
> a dead horse that was never even born.

Jeff is good at that ...

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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784. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <ka8ddz@eaglequest.com>
Message-ID: <3711209B.475DD7B1@eaglequest.com>
Source record: 145951

numbnuts63 wrote:

> On 11 Apr 1999 19:18:57 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
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> > purposely "playing dumb" -- analyzing the full header of your posts
> > exposes identical "footprints" of someone else on r.r.a.m who is posting
> > without any spelling errors.)
>
> now that you haev figgered me out, who am I?

Another anon jerk who doesn't have anything to add but sits and snickers as he posts troll after troll after troll?

785. NEED manual/schematic for Gonset communicator mark 4. Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411190111.22300.00001801@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 145952

I hope someone can help me with the manuals and/or schematic for the Gonset communicator mark 4. I gladly pay reasonable price for copies of / or originals for this radio. Thanks Tim .....KK7HO@aol.com

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

786. Re: honda power steering fluid question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: stereodoc1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411190525.28880.00002502@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 145953

I screwed up. This should have gone to the Honda newsgroup.

787. ' KENWOOD HF rig AUCTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <cubit@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <7erbnv$2sge$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145954
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,ba.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Click link:
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=88644038

auction number: 88644038 ends Thursday 4/15/99

788. Re: OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <371067A3.60D47DAD@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 145955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You ask for the superfluous. The FCC delegates authority to OOs. Thus it is.
It doesn't take an act of Congress. That is what Exexutive agencies do, after all.

Matdee wrote:

> 1) I would request for Corporate Officers of the ARRL to show us
> proof, meaning court-admissible legal documents, that the ARRL
> can legally act on the behalf of the FCC Division of the C.I.B. - in the
> capacity of a chartered Non-Governmental Organization. (N.G.O.)

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

789. Re: W1WCR tries frequency take-over 4-11-99 HAMS LISTEN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <371137C1.133F@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 145956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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Act Right On 3950 wrote:
>
> W1WCR moved his net from 3947.5 to an "occupied frequency".

Sort of like what you're doing now? Quit spamming.

-- jm KE5FX

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Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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790. RS HTX-202 Repair Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Lafferty" <dplaff@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <7erei6$o4n$1@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 145957

I've got a problem with my Radio Shack HTX-202.
The BNC connector is loose and I have intermittent
contact on both TX and RX. I removed the back plate
but am unsure what all else needs to be removed so I
can try to get to the problem. Can anyone advise me
of what all needs to be removed?

P.S., tightening the nut on the BNC connector will not
correct the problem for more than a few hours. I'm
going to have to get inside and see where the problem
is.

Thanks..
David
KF5PN

791. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7erg4f$rsr@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145958

Path:
ix.netcom.com!su-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.gtei.net!newsfeed.corridex.com
!hub1.ispnews.com!news-master.service.talkway.com!c01read02.service.talkway.
com.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: "numbnuts63" <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Subject: Re: Please price this equipment for me.
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
X-Client-NNTP-Posting-Host: lpwa.com/204.178.22.5
References: <01be7ad8$ad071640$0cc847cf@default>
<v1JO2.1485$qe1.2488@c01read04.service.talkway.com> <370E1A79.4AF1@no.net>
<CUqP2.606$uy.1134@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
<7eqsj1$o8r@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Lines: 12
Message-ID: <sO7Q2.20$z83.207@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Date: Sun, 11 Apr 1999 20:42:00 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: 216.200.3.203
X-Complaints-To: abuse@talkway.com
X-Trace: c01read02.service.talkway.com 923863320 216.200.3.203 (Sun, 11 Apr
1999 13:42:00 PDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 11 Apr 1999 13:42:00 PDT
Organization: Talkway, Inc.
Xref: ix.netcom.com rec.radio.amateur.misc:193360

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>> now that you haev figgered me out, who am I?

Rumplestilskin?!

792. cheap 2 meter radio on EBAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Paul Merrell <k6jxy@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <37114608.92D1757@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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you might check this out only $36.00 as the current bid.
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=87709702
if anything you can use it for packet.

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Richard Paul Merrell
k6jxy@earthlink.net
rpaulmerrell@netzero.net
http://home.earthlink.net/~k6jxy
ICQ: 32544231
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793. FS: REDUCED Prices HT-600 / M75 Digital TDMA Flip Phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e7hJSdHh#GA.71@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

REDUCED Prices HT-600 / M75 Digital TDMA Flip Phone
Asking $200.00 + Shipping HT-600
Asking $125.00 + Shipping M75

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

794. Re: A Message to you from Serbias

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Searoy <searoy@netquick.net>
Message-ID: <O4cQ2.141$b%1.147398@ralph.vnet.net>
Source record: 145961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

a_real_hip_serb_dude@my-dejanews.com wrote in message

>When we are pricks, do not we bleed ?

A quote to be broadcast at every opportunity, in all bands.

>Then does this attack not cause you great constipation and anguish ?

No, but the MREs our boys will be eating when we come over there and kick
your butt sure do.

--
*** Teach a Man to Fish *** ***** Proud owner of a *****
Searoy ***** New (?) 65 Bug *****

795. Re: Coin with Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Searoy <searoy@netquick.net>
Message-ID: <qecQ2.142$b%1.147733@ralph.vnet.net>
Source record: 145962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.collecting.coins

If you roll the coin on a table can you hear the code?

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*** Teach a Man to Fish *** ***** Proud owner of a *****
Searoy ***** New (?) 65 Bug *****
_____
a_real_hip_serb_dude@my-dejanews.com wrote in message

>When we are pricks, do not we bleed ?

Christopher Brewster wrote in message ...
>A Canadian friend of mine who collects coins sent me a 1944 Canadian
>"nickel" that has a message in Morse around the edge. Its says "We win
>when we work willingly." (Looks like a W exercise for code practice.) The
>code is a bit strangely spaced and some of the detail is obscured on mine.
>The number of cents is represented by the roman numeral V to double as the
>victory kind of V. The coin I have is what we used to call a "steely" and
>it comes complete with certified-genuine WWII-era rust.
>
>If you find one of these, the message starts at the bottom. You'll need a
>good magnifier and something to hold the coin.
>
>Maybe the coin collectors can tell me more about this coin-- what years
>was it made? Were they all steel?
>---
>Request: If you respond to this posting, please send me a copy. My net
access is intermittent. Many thanks...
>---
>Christopher Brewster, kc0evq
>Plymouth Minnesota
>brewsterc@excite.com
>

796. Re: For sale: FCC Frequency Database CD-ROM, 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam <wm4t@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <37115113.3DC3@prodigy.net>
Source record: 145963
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.scanner,alt.radio.marketplace,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Patricia Gibbons wrote:
>
> Note that this item sells brand new for only $25.00, direct
> from discmagic.com:
>
> <http://www.discmagic.com/electronics/mrscanner.htm>
>
> so don't get trapped into over-bidding on e-bay for it !!
>
> Trish
>
>

Same information is FREE at
http://gullfoss.fcc.gov:8080/cgi-bin/ws.exe/beta/genmen/index.hts

Download the entire database also if you want. Covers everything
licensed by the fcc.

797. NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Long <longj@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37116409.1ABEEB9A@erols.com>
Source record: 145964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi folks,

I am having some computer RFI problems and am hoping for some help from the group. For the sake of disclosure, I AM NEW AT THIS! I am studying for a tech-plus ticket,
so my correspondence may not meet your technical expectations. Please bear with me.

I had been experiencing tremendous RFI when operating my computer and my ICOM
IC-746 at the same time. The RFI had been the worst on 160, 80,40 and 30m,
but was present on all bands. To aleviate the problem, I've run two 8' ground rods, located seperately, one for the antenna and one for the radio and other shack equipment. #4 ground wire runs from one of the rods and is clamped to a 1/2" piece of copper pipe. I run a chasis ground from my 746 to this pipe. I initially ran a chasis ground from my computer to this pipe but found that created slightly more interference (ground loop?).

This has eliminated 75% of the problem. The noise practically nonexistant on 10m and above, vastly improved on 40m, but still quite bothersome on 160m and 80m

My concern is that the computer RFI is travelling up the shield of the coax and back
down the center conductor. When the radio is not connected to an antenna there appears not to be any RFI problems, indicating to me that the radio's shielding is more than adequate.

Both computer and rig are plugged into SEPERATE BX circuits with self grounding receptacles. My tranceiver is connected to a half-wave dipole

with RG8-M (92% shielding) coax. The antenna is not yet grounded(my ligtning arrester just arrived today). The ICOM is grounded to the main

cold water pipe at basement level with #8 gauge copper mesh.

HERE IS MY QUESTION:

Will a line isolator such as a Radio Works T-4G eliminate this problem completely?

Thanks for all advice.

Jim

798. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371172A5.7049@ibm.net>
Source record: 145965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
> > Rick, what's to keep a rabid procode-test OO from falsifying a report
> > on a member of NCI?

> Maybe you'd just have to call it payback time...

Another Dicking of NCI members by the master Dickster himself.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

799. Re: Dear Swatch AG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Moore <2smoore@nemontel.net>
Message-ID: <lEdQ2.131$tr2.3685@news13.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145966

A time telling seminar will be given by Jr Samples

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800. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7erps4$dde@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145967

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>How would you then be able to copy the distressed station's
>*Nature of distress
>*Position
>*Type of assistance requested
>*Number and type of injuries
>*Equipment on hand
>by radio if you only knew just one character, Dave?

Of course you couldn't. But these fishermen *didn't even use a radio*.
Nor (it appears) did they know any Morse code beyond SOS. So they
didn't communicate any of these things to their rescuers.

If you can find some other example where being able to send Morse code
by radio saved someone, go ahead and tell us about it. You can
certainly hypothesize such cases, but that doesn't mean they are very
likely to happen. Real examples are more interesting.

This was a real example, but there was no radio and (apparently) no
knowledge of Morse code involved. So it's rather a stretch to say
that this case proves that knowing Morse is useful.

Dave

801. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371178D1.3E8F@ibm.net>
Source record: 145968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:
> Gosh, slower speeds (and legal speed limit) and slower speed accidents.
> Longer reaction times and fewer accidents. Fewer fatalities and lower
> insurance premiums for those of us that obey that stupid law. How awful.

We, as a nation, tried that for years with a 55mph speed limit on the Interstates. We didn't like it and it was changed. One obvious way to eliminate vehicular accidents is to eliminate vehicles. Same for guns. Same for knives. Same for ponds. Same for trees. Same for anything.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

802. Re: Impulse-domain radio... comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@area.com
Message-ID: <7erq79$5q7$1@vax.area.com>
Source record: 145969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <37100C1C.4BD5@pop.removethistomailme.net>,
John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> wrote:
>Some interesting work is apparently being done in the area of
>single-cycle pulse-based communication in extremely wide bandwidths, on

>stuff before it showed up as a news item on Slashdot. Has anyone else
>looked into it?

I have been following this for some time. It apparently is based
on a system called CHESS developed by Lockheed-Sanders, although
Larry Fullerton of Time Domain also claims to have invented it.
>
>While the transmission technique (pulse-position modulation) is simple
>to understand, there doesn't seem to be any information on the site with
>regard to how to lock a receiver onto a low-power, low-duty-cycle pulse
>train in such a wide bandwidth. Anyone have any thoughts on how a
>"time-domain discriminator" might work?

There is a 5 GHz wireless LAN by Radiolan that uses pulse position
modulation (on a carrier), and is based on four slightly different timings of
pulses of a relatively low rep rate. The receiver locks onto the
rep rate and then looks for "jitter" of one pulse relative to another.
Perhaps Time Domain does this.
>
>This sounds like something out of the April issue of QST, but evidently
>it's 100% on the level, made practical by the advent of modern
>high-stability timebases at economical prices. It actually may not be
>much of an exaggeration to suggest that this family of techniques
>represents the End of Radio As We Know It.

Nothing in any of the literature about impulse radio that I have
seen refers to high stability timebases. What they claim is
furnished by modern technology is picosecond time interval measurement
(see the front page of Friday's USA Today for a photo of said
chip).
>
>-- jm KE5FX

It should be kept in mind that no impulse radio is legal at any
power level because it produces intentional radiation in forbidden
bands (See FCC part 15). We can all speculate what the chances
of the FCC having a religious conversion on this topic and allowing
radios to overlay existing allocations are; this observer thinks that
is a long way off if ever and in any event probably after Time Domain's
patent expires in 5 years. According to what I read, the FCC hasn't

even issued an *experimental* license for impulse radio, and you
can get those licenses for almost anything. And if you thought
the FCC was a tough sell, its a pushover compared to ETSI in Europe.
Then there is the rest of the world.

Rick Karlquist N6RK
rick@area.com

803. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <please_dont@qsl.com>
Message-ID: <7ersa9ult1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145970
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote
> I operate my station in
>good faith that I am following the FCC rules. Would you suggest otherwise? I
>guess its just "a 90's thing" to want a clean signal...

Actually the 90's are probably a lot cleaner than the 50's since these days most people are using well designed commercial gear. Those old homebrew transmitters and modified rigs of the 50's were a lot worse. Chirps, spurs, hum ect...

804. Re: Impulse-domain radio... comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <371193B1.3178@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 145971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Richard Karlquist wrote:
>
> I have been following this for some time. It apparently is based
> on a system called CHESS developed by Lockheed-Sanders, although
> Larry Fullerton of Time Domain also claims to have invented it.
> >

Haven't seen any references to that, mostly I've been looking through
the LLNL and Time Domain sites.

> >While the transmission technique (pulse-position modulation) is simple
> >to understand, there doesn't seem to be any information on the site with
> >regard to how to lock a receiver onto a low-power, low-duty-cycle pulse
> >train in such a wide bandwidth. Anyone have any thoughts on how a
> >"time-domain discriminator" might work?
>
> There is a 5 GHz wireless LAN by Radiolan that uses pulse position
> modulation (on a carrier), and is based on four slightly different timings of
> pulses of a relatively low rep rate. The receiver locks onto the
> rep rate and then looks for "jitter" of one pulse relative to another.
> Perhaps Time Domain does this.

Perhaps, although in a carrier-less mode you'd theoretically have to
examine the entire 1 GHz or so worth of frequency space to lock onto the
transmitter's PRN sequence. That is what bugs me about the Fullerton
stuff -- it seems to me that the "time domain" advantages could come
into play only after a synchronous link is established. Especially at
the microwatt ERP levels they are talking about, that must be the one of
the toughest hurdles to overcome. I note that most of the micro-power
impulse work at LLNL is geared toward single-point applications like
burglar alarms, studfinders, and such.

> Nothing in any of the literature about impulse radio that I have
> seen refers to high stability timebases. What they claim is
> furnished by modern technology is picosecond time interval measurement
> (see the front page of Friday's USA Today for a photo of said
> chip).

True, I stand corrected... although I'm still not sure what
ultra-precise time interval measurement does for them in an
asynchronous, low-duty-cycle system.

> It should be kept in mind that no impulse radio is legal at any
> power level because it produces intentional radiation in forbidden
> bands (See FCC part 15).

But they are running at such low power levels as to be virtually
undetectable, much less interfering.... basically they are trading BW
for log(S/N) in the Shannon equation. That is what seems so intriguing
to me about the concept -- a few microwatts of power can go a long way
when it's synchronously recovered in a 1 GHz channel. It sounds great
until you start to think about the practical implications of the
'synchronous' part.

> We can all speculate what the chances
> of the FCC having a religious conversion on this topic and allowing
> radios to overlay existing allocations are; this observer thinks that
> is a long way off if ever and in any event probably after Time Domain's
> patent expires in 5 years.

Could very well be. There is also the issue of the government not
wanting We The People to be messing with any more non-interceptable
communications modes than we already are.

> According to what I read, the FCC hasn't
> even issued an *experimental* license for impulse radio, and you
> can get those licenses for almost anything. And if you thought
> the FCC was a tough sell, its a pushover compared to ETSI in Europe.
> Then there is the rest of the world.

Still, you can imagine the radio spectrum looking like a very different
place in the next few decades, if even a fraction of the hype is to be
believed. Someone on Slashdot was pointing out the grim implications
for SETI, and the dangers of assuming that the rest of the universe uses
frequency-domain carriers. :-)

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
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805. nos tubes for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mttmg@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eoper$e4t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145972

I have the following tubes, NEW OLD STOCK in the box,
they're not guitar amp tubes, but maybe somebody can use them for something?

RCA
OC3 qty 2
6J7GT qty 1
6SN7 qty 1
5R4GYB qty 1

Raytheon
CK6542 box of 5
(these 2 tubes are not in boxes)
Hewlett Packard 6AX5GT qty 1
RCA 6AF6G qty 1

Let me know if you're interested & what you will pay for them.
(or trade? effects pickups 12AX7's etc)
mgoldri1@midsouth.rr.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

806. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990410204054.12817.00001161@ng105.aol.com>
Source record: 145973

>nd he says:
> "The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical
> element of the Commission's enforcement program,"
> adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
> and other sanctions."

Whoa! Of COURSE failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines and sanctions. If you get an OO notice and do not take corrective action, you easily can attract the attention of the FCC. Like the school bus in my neighborhood that was going 45 in a 25 MPH zone, yesterday. I spoke nicely to the driver and asked if she could help us protect children by slowing down. If she chooses to not do it, it could very well lead to "fines and sanctions." But not from me. From a cop.

The OO's can advise people, but do not have enforcement powers. OO's can help gather evidence, but it is the responsibility of the FCC to confirm, then act. And yes, the FCC does give specific guidelines for collecting evidence. (Sample: The date/time/frequency must be recorded on a tape AT THE TIME THE ORIGINAL TAPE IS BEING MADE, versus being dubbed in later. It goes without saying that the FCC wants the ORIGINAL tape--not a copy.)

>The analogy of one neighbor calling the cops on another neighbor's
>barking dog is incorrect. The local police may accept his reports,
>but they do not deputize the reporter and make him a formal part
>of law enforcement when he has had no formal training.
>They do not take the word of the complaining neighbor and
>issue an arrest warrent on that basis.
>They investigate for themselves. They enforce the law themselves.

It is my understanding that this exactly how the FCC handles OO situations. They won't go after someone strictly on the basis of an OO report. As for the neighbor situation, won't the police ask the complaining party, "Have you mentioned the barking dog to the owner?"

> I certainly
>don't want some old man with a chip on his sholder writing me
>a half-baked OO report which is then going to be viewed
>by the FCC as an official enforcement document.
>That's ridiculous and I'd bet another buck it's illegal.

You're right. It is ridiculous. And I'd bet another buck it won't happen that way. Of course, you personally have nothing to worry about, David. Far be it from a man of your character to cause intentional problems in the ham bands. And if you slip up with a second harmonic or key clicks, I am positive that you will accept the OO report in the friendly, self-policing attitude in which it is offered and will immediately take corrective action.

K5PF

807. Live on 3950 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Captain of the MV Breaking Wind <m.v.breakingwind@navy.ru>
Message-ID: <OdSP2.116$fH2.87@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145974

HEAR amateur physicist KD1PL didact on the topic of HAARP and other paranoia inducing topics !

HEAR the jammers warming up as this inane QSO holds the freq for the GLN !

HEAR HEAR !
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

808. Re: OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990410204611.12817.00001165@ng105.aol.com>
Source record: 145975

>On 10 Apr 1999 19:24:04 GMT, "Matdee" <V2165545@hotmail.com> wrote:
>>A statement, reproduced below, was recently proclaimed:
>>> ...Hollingsworth noted that Whiten had "apparently ignored notices from
>>> Official Observers," and pointed out that the volunteer OOs work "in
>>> accordance with an agreement between the Commission and the ARRL and in
>>> accordance with our statutory authority."

Whew! Can some people S-T-R-E-T-C-H something to the point of being silly!

Hams also have an agreement with the Red Cross. Please lie on the couch while
I (as a licensed amateur) take some blood.
(grin).

K5PF

809. Motorola Micor Converting Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7ep417$m34$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145976

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
A friend of mine, and I, are trying to build
a 2m repeater. We got a Motorola Micor VHF Hi
Base Station. It was tuned to 155 MHz. We need some
help on duplexing this, tunning it to the 2m band, and
other things that will be needed to "Mod" this to a
repeater. If anyone can give us info on this, we would
greatly appreciate that. Anything is welcome.
E-mail me with info please.
Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
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http://kq6mu.8m.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

810. Re: CW saves stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <37101715.39032861@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145977

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 03:23:35 GMT, "numbnuts62"
<rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>boy you liek to strech things a little. blinking a flashlight is not
>what pple usual mean when they talk about continuious wave. if they
>screamed "help" and got pple to come, would the phone guys be saying
>"phone saves stranded fishingmen"? no I doent think so.
>
>
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>

Take your retarded ass back to alt.diet.support, "Rosie".

811. Re: Richard Whiten - Meets his match!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <37101832.39318608@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145978

I'm curious about the $10,500 NAL that was received by Rich several years ago. What ever became of it?

812. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <37101b01.31246717@news.planet.net>
Source record: 145979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 21:14:59 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>> You lose. At least one OO whom I know is retired FBI and two
>> are retired police managers (one a chief). And that's only
>> locally.....
>That's why I only bet a buck! And I'm glad to hear there
>are a few OOs trained in law enforcment. That is still not
>FCC training in enforcement of their regulations, so it's
>still a moot point. Until the FCC formally trains the OOs,
>there is no sanction from the Communications Act for this situation.
>
>> If it's half-baked, take it for what it's worth.
>I can't! The FCC has said *it* will take it seriously!
>That's the rub.
>
>I want to be on your side in this Paul...
>I just don't want to see anyone else be
>charged with a crime on the basis of a claim made by
>unqualified individuals. When the FCC says it will
>take enforcement action based on such claims,
>people should be very upset by that.

Your mistake is presuming that the FCC will take
and conclude enforcement based only on OO information.
I seriously doubt that will ever happen. The OO information
can probably support probable cause and set in
motion the additional direct FCC monitoring that would
be needed to back an actual criminal charge
and the court case/trial that could follow. Do you really
think the FCC would prosecute based ONLY on the
information of an OO?

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

813. Re: Y2K Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <HaVP2.5760$ai2.197517@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145980

One of the city governments with which I deal uses a spreadsheet application
that asks for a two digit FY date and they are now entering 00 as the year.
The entire city accounting system is doing it. Started on 1 April 1999.

Several of the county governments with which I work will start using a 00 in
their accounting packages on 1 October 1999. I asked them.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

Dave wrote in message ...
>On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 23:38:05 -0400, Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com> wrote:
>: Everyone is so focused on January 1, 2000 that folks have forgotten that
>: many companies and governments operate their budgets on a FISCAL year,
not a
>: calendar year. This means the FY 2000 has already started for those on a
1
>: April FY. On 1 July 1999, LOTS of people will start FY 2000 and the
federal
>: government FY 2000 starts on 1 October 1999.
>
>The fiscal year is only a budgeting year within which the regular calendar
>date is still used. No one uses a calendar whose year becomes 2000
starting
>on 10/01/99, for example.

814. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts62 <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <AeVP2.207$fH2.127@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145981

On 10 Apr 1999 21:48:52 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> In article <7emqc2$d4t$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> >Actually.. The power-company's, atleast, ARE testing today for that bug...
> >I'm not sure how 99/99 could cause any problems, but I'm pretty that sure
> >their programmers aren't retarded or whatever..
>
> The FAA is testing today, also. (USA-Today news item)

see there, I am vindicayted. them other pple should not have jumped on
my furst post so fast. but then they prbbly can't help theirselves.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

815. NCI and The Future

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ejune@intuitive-data.com
Message-ID: <09990310210556.OUI18.ejune@intuitive-data.com>
Source record: 145982

My web browser encountered a strange time warp the other day and I was able to read web pages from the future. Naturally, I did a search on "ham radio" and found this interesting article from the June, 2001 on-line edition of SeaQue magazine. It is an interview with NCI president Wilbur Befuddled.

Editor: So now that the FCC has decided to keep the code testing requirements for ham licenses, what is NCI up to these days?

Wilbur: NCI has decided to expand into areas outside Amateur Radio. Right now we are taking on the U.S. Marine Corps and just sent a petition to the Secretary of Defense asking for changes.

Editor: Changes in the Marine Corps? Please elaborate.

Wilbur: Lots of our good buddies, er, members, have been washing out of Marine Corps boot camp, which can be pretty demanding. It takes hard work and perseverance to make it through, and that simply isn't our style.

We have examined the issue and decided that boot camp is a vestige of the past and should be eliminated as a requirement for any rank in the Corps. Much of boot camp is dedicated to teaching recruits how to kill an enemy with bayonets, knives, or even their bare hands. That skill is clearly obsolete in this modern age. Today we have cruise missiles, laser guided bombs, and other smart weapons which do the job much more efficiently.

Editor: That's an interesting (ahem) point of view. But aren't those skills part of what it means to BE a Marine?

Wilbur: Hogwash. Look at the last conflict in Iraq, not a single one of the 150,000 Iraqi casualties was caused by a Marine in hand-to-hand combat. They were all caused by smart weapons. Those that claim we need to continue testing in these areas are hopelessly clinging to an obsolete tradition. The last time a Marine killed anyone with their hands was way back in the 1930's, during World War II, when we fought the Koreans on Oki-wow-wow.

Editor: Don't you mean in the 1940's when we fought the Japanese on Okinawa?

Wilbur: Whatever. Now understand that we're not against a Marine killing an enemy with a bayonet if they choose to. I don't know why they would, since you can only kill one person at a time with a bayonet,

while a smart weapon can take out thousands. We're only against the training and *testing* of that skill as an entry requirement. We want everyone to skip right by that training/testing and get into pushing buttons and turning knobs on those machines that send out the smart weapons.

Editor: I have to admit that I was briefed on your position before this interview. How do you react to the CNN poll of active Marine Corps servicemen which showed that 90% of the Marines believe these skills are indeed valuable and should continue to be taught and tested?

Wilbur: They just want to see everyone else suffer through what they went through. They aren't thinking objectively. They don't know what is good for them. Kinda like the Generals, Advanced, and Extras who gave us so much flack during the no-code debate. Notice that the arguments we are making are exactly the same as those we used in the no-code debate. Therefore, we have to be right. Q.D.D.

Editor: Don't you mean Q.E.D.?

Wilbur: Whatever.

Editor: Let's get off the subject of the Marine Corps and back to ham radio. What has the NCI been up to in that regard?

Wilbur: Well, we just petitioned the FCC and asked them to force all amateur radio transmitters to be type-accepted.

Editor: But wouldn't that mean that homebrewing your own rig would be prohibited?

Wilbur: Exactly. But homebrewing leads to a big problem for our members. If they are in QSO with a ham who has built their own rig, it makes them feel inferior. The homebrewer is being elitist and implying that he is better than our member simply by stating "my rig is homebrew". The self worth of our member is damaged, and we need to feel good about ourselves at all times.

Editor: That's an odd reaction for your member to have. I use an Icom, but when I meet someone with a homebrew rig, I have an entirely different reaction. I admire the person for the hard work they must have invested in building it, and hope that someday I might become that skillful.

Wilbur: Well, you wouldn't fit in so well at NCI. Enough said.

Editor: What else is NCI up to in the ham radio arena?

Wilbur: Arena? Huh?

Editor: It's an expression. Never mind. What else are you up to?

Wilbur: We're just finishing up another petition for the FCC which asks them to revoke all the 1x2, 2x1, and 1x3 calls out there and issue 2x3

callsigns in their place, each of which must begin with "K".

Editor: What on earth for??

Wilbur: It gets back to the need of our members to feel good about themselves at all times. When our members encounter a 1x2 on the air, it makes them jealous and there goes the old self worth again. We can't have that. Everyone should be the same.

Editor: And why must they all begin with "K"?

Wilbur: Well, all those WA and WB 2x3 calls are obviously held by people who have been in ham radio a lot longer than we have. Again, there goes the self worth.

Editor: Fascinating... I mean, anyway, we're out of time for this month. I'd like to talk with you more, would it be all right if we continued on and published the rest in the following issue?

Wilbur: Sure, it's not like I have anything better to do. The guys on channel 19 er, I mean the repeater, have been getting tiresome lately anyway. ----------

If that darned time warp shows up again, I'll try to get the 2nd half of the interview from the July, 2001 issue of SeaQue.

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Regards,

Eric June
KU6J

816. Re: Dear Swatch AG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411002442.26772.00001555@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 145983

>They continue to pour out of the wood work. At least Swatch
>has reminded my why I don't want to go to Dayton.....
>
>

Visit Swatch in Booth BR-549.

817. Re: Skip Serious Ham K5pf's Postings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411003032.26772.00001559@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 145984

>
>Like you did ?

Without doubt, you tricked many people into reading the post.

The message did not live up to to the subject line. With only so much time to scan NG postings, accurate descriptions are appreciated.

Also serious Yrac.

818. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1179f44adaf986e79896ac@news>
Source record: 145985

In article <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>, xray@woldnet.att.net
says...
> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>
> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

I don't think we should abolish the no-code license, instead let's limit
it to a three year license. I came into the hobby under a no-code and in
a years time had my extra. It's not difficult...

Tony

KD1NR trustee WE1RD

819. Re: MIDXA Club Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bshort@speedchoice.com
Message-ID: <81B1FB676C74894C.1187529F736D8A3A.668CA6C843FEF107@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ok, while you're at it, check my web page:
http://www.qex.net/k7on/

In article <7e2isj$cr2$1@brokaw.wa.com>, kh2d@my-dejanews.com says...
>
> The Mariana Island DX Association invites you to visit our web
> site at:
>
> http://www.guam.net/pub/midxa/
>
> From the main page, click on the ClubLINK EXCHANGE banner
> and email us your club's web page address if you'd like to exchange
> links with your club page.
>
> On the SPECIAL PAGES you will find:
>
> * Digital Voice Keyer Software that you can download - works
> with any sound card and Windows 95.
>
> * DX Dream Vacations - Visit some exotic DX locations.
>
> * MIDXA lapel pins for pin collectors.
>
> * A few choice links to other DX pages.
>
> You will also find a QSL card gallery with old Guam and Saipan QSLs,
> information about the KH2 QSL bureau, QSL info for active members,
> island pictures from the Mariana islands including a few from Tinian,
> pictures of our members, their shacks and antennas, plus a whole bunch
> more....
>
> 96 pages and over 450 pictures for your browsing enjoyment - don't
> miss the Typhoon Century Club page.
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
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>

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Brian Short, K7ON 1994 E. Laguna Dr. Tempe, Az 85282
bshort@speedchoice.com >or< http://www.qex.net/k7on/
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820. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37103695.472D108E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:
>... Do you really
> think the FCC would prosecute based ONLY on the
> information of an OO?

Not my words.
I again quote Mr. Hollingsworth, himself:
>"Failure to take the (OO) notices seriously and to take
>corrective action...will not be tolerated by the Commission...
>... failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
> and other sanctions."

Moreover, Mr. Hollingsworth's demand that Mr. Whiten
produce every OO notice he has ever received, and
give written testimony as to the circumstances of
each notice, clearly shows the commission gives these
informal little cards from volunteer observers the same weight
as reports from trained federal field officers,
and that they are to be regarded as official and
legal enforcement documents. How else could he demand
a formal response to them?
This retroactive investing of legal federal document status
in what is clearly an informal advisory from a private "club-type"
organization is unprecedented and doesn't have
a prayer in federal court. A federal officer might as
well demand that I give him written response concerning
every church bulletin I've received reminding me of my (many) sins.
There is no real difference.

Mr. Hollingsworth did NOT say "failure to act on an OO notice
could lead to FCC investigation, followed by fines" etc.
He clearly, distinctly and repeatedly said that the
commission would take action based on OO reports.

This is the central problem- The Communications Act
section so often quoted in this thread says the FCC must
TRAIN these people to be competent in their reports
if they are to be used as auxiliary enforcement personnel.
Not the ARRL- The FCC. And "training" is not calling
them on the phone and giving them a few "tips,"
or handing out pamplets.
It's credible training (like in a classroom)
in how to determine who has actually
committed these acts.

And what about the equipment needed to make this determination?
Some OOs write reports on signals they *believe*
might be coming from one person or another,
but they have NO TRAINING and NO EQUIPMENT
with which to credibly make this very serious charge.

That would be OK if the FCC only used the "reports"
as guidelines for their own investigations.
That would be valuable and useful.
But they have NOT said that!
They have explicitly, repeatedly said they will use the "reports"
as though they were coming from trained and
properly equipped FCC field officers.
If that's not what Mr. Hollingsworth meant,
then I earnestly and respectfully ask
that he clarify the situation.

The vast majority of OOs are good, decent people
concerned with doing a service to us all.
But a few "bad apples" can smear someone with
a dirty accusation that will never wash off.
Only proper screening and training of competent
enforcement people can prevent this from happening.

I applaud the OOs. Their value to us all is
self-evident. But their value is as Trusted Advisors,
not Enforcement Officers. Let their reports be
taken seriously and handled competently.
But demand that the trained federal officers of
the FCC do their job in determining who should
be charged with an offense-
not unscreened, untrained "volunteers."

If you ruin a person's reputation through an unjust accusation,
no matter how good the intentions or honest the accuser,
it can never be repaired. It is a moral crime.
We must be diligent against it.

Kind Regards,
Dave Stinson
arc5@ix.netcom.com

cc: R. Hollingsworth
ARRL Editors

821. Re: NO CODE = NO HAM.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <37101E5F.D3D8CF75@qsl.net>
Source record: 145988

CWnotCB wrote:
>
> NO CODE = NO HAM. KNOW CODE = KNOW HAM.
>
> End of argument.
>
> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

I am not an animal - I am a no-code human being!

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To reply remove the extra @

"73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
<'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
E-Mail me at: kb9tmp<AT>@qsl.net
Home Page: http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
Church URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/
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822. Re: NCI and The Future

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n3dqu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411020716.10060.00001232@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 145989

Hmmm...Can something be both funny and scary at the same time?

823. Re: Diamond Monster 3DFX Card for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Foxtrot <Kooldad21@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <923813469.823.98@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145990
Cross-posted to:
alt.ads.forsale.computers,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Why would anybody what to pay 125.00 for it when you can get it at
www.pricewatch.com
for 80.00 ??????????????????

824. NCI and The Future (part II)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ejune@intuitive-data.com
Message-ID: <09990310235342.OUI78.ejune@intuitive-data.com>
Source record: 145991

Well as luck would have it, that time warp showed up again. From the July 2001 issue of SeaQue magazine (on-line edition), here is part two of the interview with NCI president Wilbur Befuddled.

Editor: Before we get started with part II of our interview, I need to pass on a message from my boss. He wanted to thank you and your organization for your efforts to bring a flood of new folks into the hobby by eliminating the code tests. That would have swelled our readership and made us lots and lots of money. Had you succeeded, I would have long since cashed in my stock options and retired to FO land!

Wilbur: FO land?

Editor: Tahiti. Anyway... In the first part of the interview we focused on what NCI has been up to since the FCC elected to keep code testing as a requirement for an Amateur Radio license. Now I'd like to focus on Wilbur Befuddled the man. How long have you been a ham?

Wilbur: I've been licensed ever since the FCC stopped requiring you to come into their field offices for testing. My volunteer examiner was a good buddy, er friend, of mine. I must have taken the 13 WPM code test at the FCC office a dozen times, and each time it sounded like so many little beeps. The audio equipment my VE uses is much better, and his 13 WPM tape sounded to me like it was only 1-2 WPM!

Editor: Are you sure he wasn't actually PLAYING it at 1-2 WPM?

Wilbur: Let's not go there.

Editor: OK... So you're a General?

Wilbur: No, I'm an Advanced. I would be an Extra except that I once vowed to NEVER be an Extra, don't want to give in to all of that elitism.

Editor: So you can copy code at 20 WPM?

Wilbur: Well no, but that doesn't have anything to do with it. I vowed never to do it, don't you understand?

Editor: OK. "Whatever" as you say. What kind of operating do you do on the air?

Wilbur: I hang out on the local repeater and I'm also into shooting skip, er DX-ing. My favorite frequency is 27.950 MHz.

Editor: But 27.950 MHz isn't in the ham bands. It isn't even in the CB band. What gives?

Wilbur: Ham band, free band, whatever.

Editor: You say you are into DX-ing, huh? Tuning patiently for the weak ones, busting pileups, and all that?

Wilbur: Well, no. I didn't get into DX-ing voluntarily. When the NCI membership list got published last year, I found that very few U.S. hams would answer my CQs. So I turned to DX-ing. I check into a DX Network every day on 20 meter phone and get on the list. This is the only way to fly! I don't have to work at the tuning and scanning part, and I don t have to feel bad about myself if I can't break a pileup. I just work whatever DX pops up on the net. Yesterday I got a LU7, pretty good huh?

One great thing about the net is that if the DX is weak and I'm having trouble copying, the net control station (a heck of a nice guy) will relay for me. The idea is to get the QSL card, right? Now don't jump to the conclusion that I have bad ears and can't copy the weak ones. If the DX is at least 7 pounds on the meter, er 7 S-units, I can usually make the contact without any help at all.

Editor: So you don't do much operating on CW?

Wilbur: Are you kidding? The audio on my receiver is even worse than the audio back at the FCC office. Its all a bunce of garbledy-gook to me. Besides, working CW requires that you memorize all of those abbreviations, know how to spell, and know the Q signals. The only Q signal that I know by heart is QRS, since I used it so much back in my Novice days.

Editor: OK, I think that's enough about Wilbur Befuddled the man. I'd like to get back to NCI for a moment. Other than restructuring the Marine Corps, doing away with homebrewing, and eliminating short callsigns, what else is in the NCI hopper?

Wilbur: Well, I shouldn't really be discussing that because we are in the very early stages of study and planning on some issues. But what the heck. Right now we have a working committee looking at the problem of SAT tests.

Editor: SAT tests are a problem?

Wilbur: For our kids they sure are! Our kids have a God-given right to go to Harvard if they want to, but Harvard is rejecting them. Their SAT scores are high, at least a 700 combined score, but no dice.

Editor: 700 isn't that high, Wilbur. The maximum is 1600 and you can practically get 400 by signing your name.

Wilbur: Huh? Oh. But anyway, our kids need to feel good about themselves, as do your kids and all kids. Aptitude and achievement are just not necessary in that equation.

Editor: What else?

Wilbur: We're in the preliminary stages of looking at tenure for teachers (should be stronger and easier to get), simplifying the FAA pilot licensing requirements (all those ratings and tests are unnecessary), eliminating report cards for students, and lots of other things. Maybe if we do another interview later, I might be able to elaborate more after we've firmed up our plans.

Editor: Gee, sounds like some fascinating stuff. OK Wilbur, that's all the time we have.

Wilbur. Well thanks for having me. Good numbers to all your readers. Er, seventy threes. Er, I mean 73.

Editor: 73 to you Wilbur, and keep the shiny side up.

Wilbur: 10-4 on that!

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Regards,

Eric June
KU6J

825. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.990411032311.24242M-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 145992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

what does that have to do with fixing radios? get that crap outa here.

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 hlabrandt@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Date: Sat, 10 Apr 1999 14:31:27 GMT
> From: hlabrandt@my-dejanews.com
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, rec.radio.amateur.misc,
> rec.radio.amateur.policy, rec.radio.amateur.space
> Subject: Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422
>
> In article <7ee4vp$c43$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>,
> jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent Phillips) wrote:
> >
> > In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
> >
> > >Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
> > >
> > >Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
> > >
> > >Click here -> http://orbita.starmedia.com/~luizhenrique/reincarnation.html
> > >ckomlojfcpuoeyhxcmxjvjegpbkwsrcproxsuflencueoisevxrzdwsmkdvwbu
> > >
> > >
> >
> > Let's see, since we posting this stuff on rec.radio.shortwave...
> >
> > My Drake SW8 was a Philco Tombstone in it's past life.
> >
> > My Sony 7600G was a transistor AM back in the late 50's
> >
> > My Sangean 818 was an 8-track player back in '73.
> >
> > As for my Baygen, it was a detector back in 1915 !
> >
> > --
> > "You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
> > itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
> > and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
> > ----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------
> >
>
> my Grundig Ocean Boy also must have been a detector in it's former life,
> because I could not find the BFO. My Sony 7600G (Saudi model) obviously was
> used by T.E.Lawrence (Lawrence of Arabia), but that time using Wehrmacht

> tubes RV12P2000 or (battery model only RV2,4P700). Any more questions? Helmut
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

826. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7epih5$oni@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145993

Joe Schlatter <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
>Has anyone noticed that for some companies, fiscal year 2000 started April
>1, 1999, and we have heard not a single peep out of anyone? If Y2K is going
>to bring the world crashing down on us, why have we not heard of any
>problems with FY 00 so far?

I'd guess that it's due to the billions of dollars and hundreds of
thousands of man-hours that have been spent in prevention, Joe.

73, Jeff KH6O

827. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7epk36$pli@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145994

<rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>On 10 Apr 1999 21:48:52 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> In article <7emqc2$d4t$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>> >Actually.. The power-company's, atleast, ARE testing today for that bug...
>> >I'm not sure how 99/99 could cause any problems, but I'm pretty that sure
>> >their programmers aren't retarded or whatever..

>> The FAA is testing today, also. (USA-Today news item)

>see there, I am vindicayted.

No you're not. I posted that FAA testing note on the 10th, not the 9th.
(See the date-time stamp in my attribution line.)

Jeff KH6O

828. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <923821825.195.25@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145995

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote in message
news:7epgn7$b6h@groucho.cs.ubc.ca...
> NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com (CRTi¿½) writes:
> They didn't use radio at all, and they didn't even use anything other
> than those two letters of Morse.

I believe the distress call is sent as a prosign. This cuts the teaching
burden in half.

829. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <371069AC.6014DEEB@att.net>
Source record: 145996

http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

The end of the URl says it all.

830. No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <37106BD5.2186BD73@att.net>
Source record: 145997

Since there is a perception that those with Technician Licenses are not "true ham" and that their licenses should expire in 2 or 3 years I propose the following:
Novice: No renewal, expires at end of 1 year. The name of the license is sufficient explanation for this rule.
Technician: Upgrade at end of 2 years or license expires.
General: Retake all elements at end of 5 years.
Advanced + Extra: Retake all elements at end of 10 years.

831. Re: NCI and The Future

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <37106F26.AB82BA12@att.net>
Source record: 145998

Eric, Obviously your diatribe is against dropping the CW requirement.
But more importantly I can tell you've not been through MCRD as a
recruit (Marine Corps Recruit Depot),thus, your analogy is inane.
First, most of boot camp is not spent in hand-to-hand combat or learning
to fight with a bayonet. Second, boot camp has changed quite a bit over
the years with physical abuse by drill instructors almost abolished,
introduction of sports medicine principles, and the list goes on.
So leave the Corps out of your stupid argument. If the USMC can change
and modernize, so can amateur radio.

832. WTB: GE Delta SX, S990 heads

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8kuf@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411071641.25829.00002007@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 145999

Howdy..

I'm looking for a couple of these, 1 VHF high band (approx 150-170) and 1 UHF (440-470), preferably with cables & mics. Also looking for S990 control heads.

73

Noah
KC8KUF

833. Re: OO's, ARRL, FCC and NGO's (was: Richard Whiten - Meets his match)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Matdee <V2165545@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01be8418$ebf77fe0$30a02399@85j82d949b943f>
Source record: 146000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Thank you Phil. This is the information I was looking for.

Regards,

M. Dee
Roswell N. Mex
(Home of all those little grey men Art Bell talks about :)

Phil Kane <philkane [at] commlawcenter [dot] com> wrote in article
<cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.f9zuil2.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>...

> See Section 4(f)(4)(b) of the Communications Act and the
> Memoranda of Understanding entered into by the FCC and the
> ARRL.

Excerpted from the Communications Act:

> Section 4 [47 USC Section 154]. Provisions Relating to the Commission
>
> (f)(4)(B)(i) The Commission, for purposes of monitoring
> violations of any provision of this Act (and of any regulation
> prescribed by the Commission under this Act) relating to the amateur
> radio service, may --
>
> (I) recruit and train any individual licensed by the
> Commission to operate an amateur station; and
>
> (II) accept and employ the voluntary and uncompensated
> services of such individual.
>
> (ii) The Commission, for purposes of recruiting and training
> individuals under clause (i) and for purposes of screening,
> annotating, and summarizing violation reports referred under
> clause (i), may accept and employ the voluntary and uncompensated
> services of any amateur station operator organization.
>
> (iii) The functions of individuals recruited and trained
> under this subparagraph shall be limited to --
>
> (I) the detection of improper amateur radio transmissions;
>
> (II) the conveyance to Commission personnel of information
> which is essential to the enforcement of this Act (or
> regulations prescribed by the Commission under this Act)
> relating to the amateur radio service; and

>
> (III) issuing advisory notices, under the general direction
> of the Commission, to persons who apparently have violated
> any provision of this Act (or regulations prescribed by the
> Commission under this Act) relating to the amateur radio
> service.
>
> Nothing in this clause shall be construed to grant individuals
> recruited and trained under this subparagraph any authority to
> issue sanctions to violators or to take any enforcement action
> other than any action which the Commission may prescribe by
> rule.
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
> ARRL Pacific Division Asst. Director
> (Volunteer Counsel Coordinator)

834. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <z%0Q2.401$fH2.223@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146001

On 11 Apr 1999 07:47:50 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> >On 10 Apr 1999 21:48:52 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> >> In article <7emqc2$d4t$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>
> >> >Actually.. The power-company's, atleast, ARE testing today for that bug...
> >> >I'm not sure how 99/99 could cause any problems, but I'm pretty that sure
> >> >their programmers aren't retarded or whatever..
>
> >> The FAA is testing today, also. (USA-Today news item)
>
> >see there, I am vindicayted.
>
> No you're not. I posted that FAA testing note on the 10th, not the 9th.
> (See the date-time stamp in my attribution line.)

silly boy. just so long as soemone said 99/99 was the problem he was
vindicayting me. your tiem stamp has nothing to do with it.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

835. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7eqa3d$4t1$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 146002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
Hash: SHA1

black <nrhblack@condate.com> wrote in message
news:7epald$jdt@chronicle.concentric.net...
> Sorry to spoil the fun, but this thread has gone far enough.
>
> It was an April fool hoax.

Sorry to spoil your day, but no it wasn't ...

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3

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wisZ4o5UIqfKWrc7lP32stCr
=VOkq
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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836. Re: OO ignoramuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7eqdii$kt4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146003

"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

:once I got a card from an OO in benton harbor, michigan which claeimd
:that I dident id properly in my finael transmission thru a 2M repeater
:there. but mostly, he just dident like out of town hams on "his"
:machiene. also, he was listening on the repeater output and couldn't
:even hear me on the input becuse I was in a fringe area. he was a jerk.
:
:so I wrote to the arrl and to their credit they took it up with the OO.
: he had his status lifted as OO a few months later because lots of pple
:had complained about him.
:
:couldent have happened to a more diserving guy.
:
:OOs are a bad idea in general and shud be dumped.

If you use the repeater the way you type you deserve to lose your
licence. Get with the program!

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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837. Re: I work at mcdonalds and spit on the buns!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: dakota206@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411103447.28890.00002007@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 146004

Your mother and father must be proud of you
mutt, go lay down by your dish.

838. ICOM R2, YAESU VX5, YAESU FT100+ MOD, YAESU VX1,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: james coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <7eqd76$j44$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 146005
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YAESUVX5

Has over 396 users so far. Come join us if you are interested in the VX5 a super cool little radio!!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YaesuVX1
.Has about 89 users If you have a VX1 this is the place to be!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/icomr2
Is the nerve center of everything that has to do with the ICOM R2.
If you have a R2 Come on and join us we need you !!! This is a great radio with a great following of over 165 vsers on this mail list!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/FT100

So Far we only have 176 users! Not to bad for a radio that is not even available!! If you are even thinking about one of these units come join us we may all learn somthing!!! Join the group Get the Mod!!

839. Re: Amateurs Protest Swatch Co. Intrusion on 146 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <T23Q2.444$fH2.300@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 146006

On Sun, 11 Apr 1999 10:02:49 -0400 "Carl R. Stevenson"
<wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> -----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
> Hash: SHA1
>
> black <nrhblack@condate.com> wrote in message
> news:7epald$jdt@chronicle.concentric.net...
> > Sorry to spoil the fun, but this thread has gone far enough.
> >
> > It was an April fool hoax.
>
> Sorry to spoil your day, but no it wasn't ...

yes it was if a concentric guy says it was. I realy reispect
concentric guys.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

840. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Watch Dog <watcher@ispyonu.net>
Message-ID: <01be842f$2f0a8320$6cc6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 146007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

You should have heard Tiny Tim last night broadcasting some serious
sucking up to Hollingsworth. According to Tim Hollingsworth is going
to "get" the eastern group and protect his bunch. He was bitching
about
a "organized campaign" of "sound bites" to discredit the western
group.
I encourage all those who are fed up with Tim and the criminal
element
to contact the FCC and encourage them to step up enforcement. The
sooner pond scum like KK7HO and K5BLB are off the air the better.
Make tapes,send email do anything you can to get rid of these vermin.
You shouldn't have to be embarassed to let non hams listen to the
amateur bands. We have an opportunity to clean up 75M lets use it.

Eric Cooper <mvlaw@home.com> wrote in article
<370FCCF2.941ADE50@home.com>...
> You should email Riley Hollingsworth IMMEDIATELY about this, and
I'll
> bet they'll be off the air next week!
>
> "3.950 Monitor" wrote:
> >
> > The above listed jammers continue their feeble attempt at
spinning,
> > their law breaking
> > activities on 3.950, shortwave amateur radio.
> >
> > Their goal is to disrupt the legal and public communications of
other
> > law abiding
> > amateur radio operators. The reason that these 'opponents of
free
> > speech' jam 3950,
> > is because they disagree with some of the views expressed on this
> > frequency.
> >
> > Some of the jammers (K5BLB and KK7HO) are so full of hatred that
they
> > have
> > openly discussed killing other amateur radio operators on this
> > frequency. The
> > danger is that as these criminals get more and more angry, and
violent

> > because
> > of their extreme beliefs, someone will likely get killed or
maimed.
> >
> > I only wish that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth would put an end
to their
> > activities
> > before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine,
which
> > should have
> > been prevented.
>

841. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7eqg14mdk3@208.207.71.172>
Source record: 146008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> >I just don't want to see anyone else be
> >charged with a crime on the basis of a claim made by
> >unqualified individuals. When the FCC says it will
> >take enforcement action based on such claims,
> >people should be very upset by that.
>
> Your mistake is presuming that the FCC will take
> and conclude enforcement based only on OO information.
> I seriously doubt that will ever happen.

Reading details of Riley's enforcement actions, it's very clear that he -and FCC- intends to offer more than ample opportunity for offenders to clean up their act, and continue 'normal' amateur activities--just mend their ways and abandon their nonsense. Permanently. For those who ignore the warnings and continue, there is more than ample 'evidence' to be collected by FCC monitoring that will make whatever case is needed. If they add previously received OO reports that brought the offender to the FCC's attention to this officially collected evidence, it only helps cement the case and in no way constitutes any sort of impropriety.

Dick C

842. Official Observer Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: concerned2000@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eqkl6qdh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146009

In order to better serve the amateur community i believe
a directory is in order. With this directory amateur operators
can now identify and contact the O.O's. We can't expect the
O.O's. to know everything can we?

If the O.O's can identify themselves here, or if any helpfull
non O.O's amatuers wish to help with compiling this list then
please do so here:

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843. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7eqlj2$r1a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <370FEBBA.A426AE0A@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> I'm no fan of WB2OTK, but I see Big Government
> attempting to invest inappropriate authority in well-intentioned
> "volunteers." I think it unwise and perhaps illegal.

Its coded in Part 97. Why do you just now raise an objection?

> Mr. Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says
> "Failure to take the notices seriously and to take corrective action
> where possible will not be tolerated by the Commission,"
> and he says:
> "The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical
> element of the Commission's enforcement program,"
> adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
> and other sanctions."

Riley is ultra-cool. Don't say nuthin bad about Riley.

> Clearly, Mr. Hollingsworth has sanctioned OO's as formal and
> official extensions of the enforcement program.
> They have been defacto deputized.
> Defacto deputization in the absence of an executive order or
> national emergency may in itself be illegal;
> I don't know but I'd bet on it.

Hmmmm. The amateur radio service is federal. I don't see any states out
there issueing amateur radio call signs. OO's are sanctioned in Part 97, not
by Riley. Riley is a public servant who has been given the task of enforcing
the regulations. The regulations say that we are self-policing, furthermore,
the regs say that we have OO's (deppitty dawgs, if you will). They don't
enforce squat - they simply inform. They inform the rules offenders of the
violations, and they inform the FCC of the rules violations. Its encoded.

> It is much more important to realize that
> the OOs, while well-meaning, have no formal training in
> law enforcement. They have no formal training in FCC enforcement
> procedures. They have no formal psychological testing to weed out
> people with "wannabe-cop" and "ham radio god" mental problems.
> They do not even have any formal training in the laws and regulations
> Mr. Hollingsworth is insisting they help "enforce" (his term).

They are all tested, licensed amateur radio operators. They enforce nothing.
They simply make note of rules violations of the very regulations that all

have been tested on. If necessary, the FCC enforcers will use evidence gathered by OO's (or anybody else) to enforce their case.

> The analogy of one neighbor calling the cops on another neighbor's
> barking dog is incorrect. The local police may accept his reports,
> but they do not deputize the reporter and make him a formal part
> of law enforcement when he has had no formal training.
> They do not take the word of the complaining neighbor and
> issue an arrest warrent on that basis.
> They investigate for themselves. They enforce the law themselves.

Hmmmm. Show me an OO court and I'll jump up and down and scream right along with you.

> I don't think the notices handed out by the Amateur Auxiliary (OOs),
> which Mr. Hollingsworth has said are to be taken as actual,
> official enforcement documents, have a prayer of
> making it through the first serious court challenge.

Part 97 says we police ourselves. Part 97 also provides for Official Observers.

> The FCC is tasked with enforcement. There are federal statues
> defining what qualifies a person to be a formal law enforcement
> operative and I'd bet a buck not one OO qualifies. I certainly
> don't want some old man with a chip on his sholder writing me
> a half-baked OO report which is then going to be viewed
> by the FCC as an official enforcement document.
> That's ridiculous and I'd bet another buck it's illegal.

I'm sure the FCC regulatory authorities and Mr Riley have the ability to discern whether an OO report is valid or not. If you're cussing on the air, overdeviating your transmitter, or sending spurious signals out of band, then I suggest you take your OO report seriously.

> The ARRL should be ashamed of its complicity in this
> and abuse of the honest efforts of the OOs.
> They are ADVISORS, not Law Enforcement Officers.
> Feeding them fairy tales about how they are now "Arms of the Law"
> is a direct abuse and affront and I, as a long time ham, resent it.

Every citizen should be considered an arm of the law. Its when every citizen shirks their responsibility do we end up with shows like NYPD Blue. Enforcement is not just a COP thing.

> Sincerely,
> David L. Stinson
> arc5@ix.netcom.com
>
> (Copied to Mr. Hollingsworth. I believe him to be
> a sincere and honest man and do not fear to speak my mind to him.)
>
73,

Brian/N0iMD

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844. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7eqms6$s8s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146011
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37101b01.31246717@news.planet.net>,
billsohl@planet.net (Bill Sohl) wrote:
> On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 21:14:59 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
> wrote:
>
> >> You lose. At least one OO whom I know is retired FBI and two
> >> are retired police managers (one a chief). And that's only
> >> locally.....
> >That's why I only bet a buck! And I'm glad to hear there
> >are a few OOs trained in law enforcment. That is still not
> >FCC training in enforcement of their regulations, so it's
> >still a moot point. Until the FCC formally trains the OOs,
> >there is no sanction from the Communications Act for this situation.
> >
> >> If it's half-baked, take it for what it's worth.
> >I can't! The FCC has said *it* will take it seriously!
> >That's the rub.
> >
> >I want to be on your side in this Paul...
> >I just don't want to see anyone else be
> >charged with a crime on the basis of a claim made by
> >unqualified individuals. When the FCC says it will
> >take enforcement action based on such claims,
> >people should be very upset by that.
>
> Your mistake is presuming that the FCC will take
> and conclude enforcement based only on OO information.
> I seriously doubt that will ever happen. The OO information
> can probably support probable cause and set in
> motion the additional direct FCC monitoring that would
> be needed to back an actual criminal charge
> and the court case/trial that could follow. Do you really
> think the FCC would prosecute based ONLY on the
> information of an OO?
>
> Cheers,
> Bill K2UNK
>
Bill, its inconceivable.

Brian/N0iMD

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845. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <3710db6a.89301292@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 146012

On Fri, 09 Apr 1999 15:32:35 GMT, "numbnuts62"
<rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>today is the 99th day of 1999 and soem pple say it is the first day
>when things can go wrong with our stuff. becuse it is saved as 9999 in
>side of the compeuter, some programs will read it as the end of a fiel
>instead of a number.
>
>if you have yaesu gear you shud be real careful with it today.
>
>
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
>
Folks, filter this moron.

846. honda power steering fluid question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: stereodoc1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411132914.04128.00002263@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 146013

My power steering fluid in my 87 prelude was low so I added some Honda PS fluid to top off the reservoir but it wasn't enough to bring it to the full mark. So I went down to the local parts store and purchase a bottle of PS fluid that was marked specially engineered for Honda car. I poured it in the reservoir and before I realized it, the fluid was different looking from the fluid that was in there. The fluid was clear as opposed to the purple stuff I put in a few days prior. Plus it didn't feel like PS fluid. It felt more like brake fluid and the smell was different too. Now I am all freaked out about what I put in the reservoir. Right now everything runs OK however I heard a strange noise from under the hood for a brief moment and I don't know if it is the pump that made the noise or not. Should I give myself some piece of mind and have the PS system flushed? Or does anyone think I am safe with this fluid that says it's safe for Honda. One thing I don't know is if this stuff was soluble with the fluid that was in there already. Any ideas?

847. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracy glenn <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3710D81D.63F1@imt.net>
Source record: 146014

CWnotCB wrote:
>
> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>
> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

I agree,and although I have been licensed only 3 years (attained extra class 7 months into it) I would gladly hit the books and take more tests,especially needed is a more difficult CW test.Nothing impossible,25-30WPM seems fair to me.AB7RS

848. Firestik Top Section For A-99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <7eqm9t$9du$7@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 146015

Hello. I have heard of some people adding a Firestik top section to the top of the Solarcon A-99 (replacing the current top section). I've heard that many people claim that this has dramatically improved the performance of the antenna. I'm just wondering if any one knows WHY exactly the section helps, and where I might be able to get one. Or if any one reading this has one for sale, please let me know and we'll work out a deal. Any and all help is appreciated. Thanks a lot for reading and thanks in advance.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net

849. ARRL WAZ Award?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <7eqmq0$9du$10@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 146016

Hello. I've heard something about an ARRL sponsored award called the WAZ Award. Now WAC, WAS, etc. I know of, but I have never heard of this one before. I'm just wondering, what does this one mean, and what do you have to have to apply for it? My best guess is "Worked All Zones" (zones being CQ zones), but that could be way off. Any and all help is appreciated. Thanks a lot for reading, and in advance.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, Advanced

850. Re: ARRL WAZ Award?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3710E2B5.4C63E9B9@dimensional.com>
Source record: 146017

Nat,

WAZ is a CQ magazine award, not ARRL. See this URL for info:
http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/wazrules.html

73,

Marv
KC0EGB

Tony Heatwole wrote:

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> Award. Now WAC, WAS, etc. I know of, but I have never heard of this one
> before. I'm just wondering, what does this one mean, and what do you have
> to have to apply for it? My best guess is "Worked All Zones" (zones being
> CQ zones), but that could be way off. Any and all help is appreciated.
> Thanks a lot for reading, and in advance.
>
> Nat Heatwole
> heatwole@clark.net
> KB3CBW, Advanced

851. Tribander Or Monoband Beams?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <7eqo3c$9du$19@callisto.clark.net>
Source record: 146018

Hello. I have a question about which set-up you think would be the best one for everyday overall well performance. A 2 element beam for 40m, a 5 element beam for 20m, a 5 element beam for 15m, and a 5 element beam for 10m. Or, an X9 tribander beam with the 40m add-on kit. Now I know that all of the monobanders are better then the tribander, but are they better by a large enough margin for it to be worth it for me to get all of those monobanders rather then just a tribander? Any and all help is appreciated.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW, Advanced

852. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cowpoke <tuffy@johnstown.net>
Message-ID: <7eqpfrlih1@athena.netset.com>
Source record: 146019

HA HA HA !!!!

That would be the end of the Extra and Advanced class!! All their tickets would be revoked after the first 10 yr re-test!!!! HA HA

All that would be left would be the Tech's and maybe a few Generals!!

Don

Oscar wrote in message <37106BD5.2186BD73@att.net>...
>Since there is a perception that those with Technician Licenses are not
>"true ham" and that their licenses should expire in 2 or 3 years I
>propose the following:
>Novice: No renewal, expires at end of 1 year. The name of the license is
>sufficient explanation for this rule.
>Technician: Upgrade at end of 2 years or license expires.
>General: Retake all elements at end of 5 years.
>Advanced + Extra: Retake all elements at end of 10 years.

853. Re: honda power steering fluid question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cowpoke <tuffy@johnstown.net>
Message-ID: <7eqph9lii1@athena.netset.com>
Source record: 146020

Try www.honda.com

StereoDoc1 wrote in message
<19990411132914.04128.00002263@ng-fi1.aol.com>...
>My power steering fluid in my 87 prelude was low so I added some Honda PS
fluid
>to top off the reservoir but it wasn't enough to bring it to the full mark.
So
>I went down to the local parts store and purchase a bottle of PS fluid that
was
>marked specially engineered for Honda car. I poured it in the reservoir
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>before I realized it, the fluid was different looking from the fluid that
was
>in there. The fluid was clear as opposed to the purple stuff I put in a few
>days prior. Plus it didn't feel like PS fluid. It felt more like brake
fluid
>and the smell was different too. Now I am all freaked out about what I put
in
>the reservoir. Right now everything runs OK however I heard a strange
noise
>from under the hood for a brief moment and I don't know if it is the pump
that
>made the noise or not. Should I give myself some piece of mind and have
the PS
>system flushed? Or does anyone think I am safe with this fluid that says
it's
>safe for Honda. One thing I don't know is if this stuff was soluble with
the
>fluid that was in there already. Any ideas?

854. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <3710eb09.855480@news.planet.net>
Source record: 146021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 11 Apr 1999 00:43:49 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>... Do you really
>> think the FCC would prosecute based ONLY on the
>> information of an OO?
>
>Not my words.
>I again quote Mr. Hollingsworth, himself:
>>"Failure to take the (OO) notices seriously and to take
>>corrective action...will not be tolerated by the Commission...
>>... failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
>> and other sanctions."
>
>Moreover, Mr. Hollingsworth's demand that Mr. Whiten
>produce every OO notice he has ever received,

If I throw out an OO notice, what law is broken?
There is no document retention requirement for OO
notices. The burden of proof is on the FCC to
PROVE that any OO notices were received by the
person.

>and
>give written testimony as to the circumstances of
>each notice,

Easy to do..." I have no recollection of any notices."

>clearly shows the commission gives these
>informal little cards from volunteer observers the same weight
>as reports from trained federal field officers,

They can claim anything. If it goes to court, that
is were the proofs must be made by the FCC. The
defendant needs to show nothing unless there is a
specific FCC Part 97 rule that requires it.

>and that they are to be regarded as official and
>legal enforcement documents. How else could he demand
>a formal response to them?

And I don't believe they constitute such an official
status. Has there been case law established that
validates such a claim? Is the OO notice identified as

such in Part 97?

>This retroactive investing of legal federal document status
>in what is clearly an informal advisory from a private "club-type"
>organization is unprecedented and doesn't have
>a prayer in federal court.

I agree. So what's your beef.

>A federal officer might as
>well demand that I give him written response concerning
>every church bulletin I've received reminding me of my (many) sins.
>There is no real difference.

Police can ask for lots of things that people have no
legal obligation to provide.

>Mr. Hollingsworth did NOT say "failure to act on an OO notice
>could lead to FCC investigation, followed by fines" etc.
>He clearly, distinctly and repeatedly said that the
>commission would take action based on OO reports.

Until such time as you can show one such example, I will
believe that the OO notices will constitute nothing more
than the trigger to further FCC investigation by trained
FCC staff. The fact that the FCC might follow-up directly
with an alleged violator because of an OO notice(s)
does not mean they have a case to prosecute.
Many people will change their illegal behaviors when confronted
by the FCC without need of prosecution.

>This is the central problem- The Communications Act
>section so often quoted in this thread says the FCC must
>TRAIN these people to be competent in their reports
>if they are to be used as auxiliary enforcement personnel.
>Not the ARRL- The FCC. And "training" is not calling
>them on the phone and giving them a few "tips,"
>or handing out pamplets.

Fine. As before, show me where the FCC has
mis-used the OO reports and I'll listen.

>It's credible training (like in a classroom)
>in how to determine who has actually
>committed these acts.
>And what about the equipment needed to make this determination?
>Some OOs write reports on signals they *believe*
>might be coming from one person or another,
>but they have NO TRAINING and NO EQUIPMENT
>with which to credibly make this very serious charge.

And if so, then any competent attorney will blow such
reports apart.

>That would be OK if the FCC only used the "reports"
>as guidelines for their own investigations.
>That would be valuable and useful.
>But they have NOT said that!
>They have explicitly, repeatedly said they will use the "reports"
>as though they were coming from trained and
>properly equipped FCC field officers.

And if so, then any competent attorney will blow such
reports apart.

>If that's not what Mr. Hollingsworth meant,
>then I earnestly and respectfully ask
>that he clarify the situation.

Me thinks you read too much into what he has said.

>The vast majority of OOs are good, decent people
>concerned with doing a service to us all.
>But a few "bad apples" can smear someone with
>a dirty accusation that will never wash off.

If I were the recipient of such a report, then I would
reply to the OO demanding that such a report be recanted.
The process works both ways. If I received a second such
report I'd do the same AND I would notify the FCC that
someone is sending out bogus OO reports. This is
not a tough thing to deal with if you don't view it
in such a paranoid perspective.

>Only proper screening and training of competent
>enforcement people can prevent this from happening.

I am less worried about it happening then you.

>I applaud the OOs. Their value to us all is
>self-evident. But their value is as Trusted Advisors,
>not Enforcement Officers. Let their reports be
>taken seriously and handled competently.
>But demand that the trained federal officers of
>the FCC do their job in determining who should
>be charged with an offense-
>not unscreened, untrained "volunteers."

I firmly believe that there will not be any FCC
fines levied or loss of license against anyone based
solely on OO reports.

>If you ruin a person's reputation through an unjust accusation,
>no matter how good the intentions or honest the accuser,
>it can never be repaired. It is a moral crime.
>We must be diligent against it.

I am far less worried that I might become the brunt
of some renegade OO than I am of the current crop of

bad operators who should be kicked off the air and/or fined. I can take care of my own reputation as I have noted above.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

855. nos tubes for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mttmg@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eopd9$e4q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 146121

I have the following tubes, NEW OLD STOCK in the box,
they're not guitar amp tubes, but maybe somebody can use them for something?

RCA
OC3 qty 2
6J7GT qty 1
6SN7 qty 1
5R4GYB qty 1

Raytheon
CK6542 box of 5
(these 2 tubes are not in boxes)
Hewlett Packard 6AX5GT qty 1
RCA 6AF6G qty 1

Let me know if you're interested & what you will pay for them.
(or trade? effects pickups 12AX7's etc)

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856. OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-014

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <IjSP2.1686$d4.6376@news030.image.dk>
Source record: 145825
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-014 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

857. Re: honda power steering fluid question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: diskfloppy <micasilic@voorde.dk.eu>
Message-ID: <01be8479$d2267ec0$eea71a26@d83a8494e4335>
Source record: 145826
Cross-posted to: alt.honda,rec.radio.amateur.misc

StereoDoc1 <stereodoc1@aol.com> wrote in article
<19990411132914.04128.00002263@ng-fi1.aol.com>...
> My power steering fluid in my 87 prelude was low so I added some Honda PS fluid
> to top off the reservoir but it wasn't enough to bring it to the full mark. So
> I went down to the local parts store and purchase a bottle of PS fluid that was
> marked specially engineered for Honda car. I poured it in the reservoir and
> before I realized it, the fluid was different looking from the fluid that was
> in there. The fluid was clear as opposed to the purple stuff I put in a few
> days prior. Plus it didn't feel like PS fluid. It felt more like brake fluid
> and the smell was different too. Now I am all freaked out about what I put in
> the reservoir. Right now everything runs OK however I heard a strange noise
> from under the hood for a brief moment and I don't know if it is the pump that
> made the noise or not. Should I give myself some piece of mind and have the PS
> system flushed? Or does anyone think I am safe with this fluid that says it's
> safe for Honda. One thing I don't know is if this stuff was soluble with the
> fluid that was in there already. Any ideas?

My girlfriend has a Honda, and you MUST USE ONLY GENUINE HONDA POWER
STEERING FLUID. ***DO NOT*** use **ANY** substitute brand. Honda PS Units have special
seals within the unit and use of any other brand, and *the mixing* of any off-brand
with Honda is asking for trouble. I would take the car to a Honda Service shop if
you mixed fluids, as the chances are the internal ball seals are now swelled and
bad.

858. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Watch Dog <watcher@ispyonu.net>
Message-ID: <01be847d$d84f32c0$70c6b8cd@MyComputer.nowhere.net>
Source record: 145827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Pretty thin Jeff, having a bad hair day?

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in article
<7equu7$pvn@news.Hawaii.Edu>...
> Watch Dog <watcher@ispyonu.net> wrote:
> >According to Tim Hollingsworth
>
> I don't believe Mr. Hollingsworth's first name is Tim. (See the
difference
> a comma can make, Rosie?)
>

859. $500 Henry Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6fg@att.net
Message-ID: <3711443b.6643839@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145828

$500 certificate for Henry Amplifier purchase for sale.
Won at Fresno DX Convention and have no need for it.
Will consider any reasonable offer.
73,
Mark, K6FG

860. New Leatherette & Embossed Papers Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cavisco@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411212803.00316.00001683@ng108.aol.com>
Source record: 145829

New Leatherette now available in Black, Brown, Red, Blue, Green, Gray, Charcoal, two Tans, and Cream. Bonded leathers available in Black, Wine, Brown, and Oyster. Embossed papers available in Smoke and Granite, perfect for under the H-500 Wavemagnet. Black Argent embossed paper, perfect replacement for T.O. 1000 front and rear doors, or front of T.O.-3000. Send self addressed stamped envelope for samples or call for a consultation.
Scott McAuley
Cayce Vintage Sound Company
117 Sandy Lane
Cayce, S.C. 29033
(803) 791-0733

861. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7erm8hlmf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7eqs5c$i62$1@news.orbitworld.net>,
"Jones" <please_dont@qsl.com> wrote:
>
> Brian wrote in
> >Every citizen should be considered an arm of the law. Its when every citizen
> >shirks their responsibility do we end up with shows like NYPD Blue.
> >Enforcement is not just a COP thing.
>
> Every citizen should report criminal activity to authorities. Citizens who spy
> on their neighbors and report every infraction are like snitches and are
usually
> detested by the neighborhood. Citizens routinely attempting enforcement by
> playing cop can be dangerous to others and themselves. (Citizens in Arizona
have
> almost the same powers of arrest as do the police. Fortunately most are
unaware
> of it and call the police who determine if an arrest is appropriate.)
>
> Didn't Germany make use of a citizen snitch program before the war...
>
>

Citizen snitch program? Are OO's wearing armbands and Goose steppin? Loose the biker mentality and get a reality check. Ever heard of Neighborhood Watch? Why is "Right to Carry" sweeping the nation? Maybe the cops can't be everywhere at once, but so what. Its someone else's responsibility, someone else's problem. If it doesn't directly hurt you, ignore it. If it does, just dial 911 and everything will be fine.

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862. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990411214704.14090.00001704@ng17.aol.com>
Source record: 145831

Sounds GREAT!

863. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7ernt8mqj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3710F6CC.CD2352B7@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> Brian wrote:
>
> > Its coded in Part 97. Why do you just now raise an objection?
> Please quote the relevant sections of Part 97 that deputize OOs
> as federal auxillary enforcement officers, as defined
> in the Communications Act.
>
> > Riley is ultra-cool. Don't say nuthin bad about Riley.
> I like him just fine. But he's not the boss. His boss
> gives him the policy guidelines. I take issue with
> some parts of this policy, not Mr. Hollingsworth.
> I have stated before that I believe him conscientious and sincere.
>
> > Hmmmm. The amateur radio service is federal.
> >I don't see any states out
> > there issueing amateur radio call signs.
> ??? Don't understand how this is relevant.
>
> >OO's are sanctioned in Part 97, not by Riley.
> >The regulations say that we are self-policing, furthermore,
> > the regs say that we have OO's (deppitty dawgs, if you will).
> Again: Please quote the relevant sections that sanction
> OOs as auxiliary enforcement officers. If it's there,
> it's in direct conflict with the Communications Act,
> which requires FCC (not ARRL proxy) training for any such office.
>
> > They are all tested, licensed amateur radio operators.
> So are WB2OTK, Walter Barstool, Brain-dead Dave, etc. etc.
> That sure doesn't qualify them to make charges against people.
>
> > They enforce nothing.
> That's not what Riley says. He said the commission will
> take action on the strength of OO notices and explicitly
> gave them standing as legal enforcement documents.
> What's to misunderstand? It was a very clear position.
>
> > Hmmmm. Show me an OO court and I'll jump up and down
> >and scream right along with you.
> Have you been listening??

>
> > Part 97 says we police ourselves.
> >Part 97 also provides for Official Observers.
> Even if it does, that's NOT THE POINT!
> They are OBSERVERS. They are ADVISORS.
> The FCC is now giving them status as (untrained) ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
> This is out of bounds on several counts.
>
> > I'm sure the FCC regulatory authorities and Mr Riley
> >have the ability to
> > discern whether an OO report is valid or not.
> Why are you sure? If the word of an OO with a simple
> Hallicrafters S-120 and a cassette tape recorder is all that
> is needed to determine who is guilty....
> then exactly why does the FCC need a large staff,
> a huge, expensive monitoring system and computers
> to crunch vectors and voice prints???
> Is it some pork barrel project, or is this big organization
> and all this equipment actually required to make a case??
> The answer is, of course, that the OO CAN'T be sure!
> He hasn't the training or the equipment.
> He can only ADVISE. Any other position means the
> FCC has wasted taxpayer money and time on an unneeded system.
> (I'll hold my breath until they admit that, OK?)
> And when the FCC enforcer says -explicitly-
> that the commission will act on that OO report just
> as though it were a report from a trained,equipped field officer--
> we've got a problem!
>
> Let me say it again... Please listen!
> He did NOT SAY that the reports would be used to
> help them make a case. He did NOT say they would
> investigate once they got a report.
> LISTEN CLOSELY----
> He CLEARLY SAID that the commission would act on the
> strength of OO reports! He DEMANDED formal
> replies that are LEGAL TESTIMONY in a CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION
> be made to OO reports of UNTRAINED VOLUNTEER OBSERVERS.
>
> Don't you get it??
>
> God....Why do I bother???
>
> "Well, it won't happen to me.
> "What do I care if someone gets nailed by mistake.
> Won't happen to me...."
> Nice attitude.
> How Very 1990s.
> Bet you change your mind when that first OO card shows up.
>

> sigh....
> Dave AB5S

Dave, why -do- you bother? I like the new attitude at the FCC, and if/when the 1st OO card shows up, I'll investigate my equipment or consider my operating habits and make any required changes. I'll staple the notice in my logbook and note any actions taken in my logbook. I operate my station in good faith that I am following the FCC rules. Would you suggest otherwise? I guess its just "a 90's thing" to want a clean signal and an operating style that attracts QSOs rather than broadcast racist political statements.

Sigh.a.nara,
Brian/N0iMD

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864. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7ero6v$n7q$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7eqqfghgm3@news.orbitworld.net>,
"Jones" <please_dont@qsl.com> wrote:
> Dick Carroll wrote
> > If they add previously received OO
> >reports that brought the offender to the FCC's attention to
> >this officially collected evidence, it only helps cement the
> >case and in no way constitutes any sort of impropriety.
>
> Snitches are like toilet paper. They're unpleasant when used, but necessary
for
> the job (of law enforcement). The problem is the slippery slope. We already
have
> one overzealous ham on the newsgroup that takes it upon himself to play ham
cop
> and warn others of their minor (ID time) violations. Give him a little real
> power as a FCC snitch and boy he could really feel important, and of course
make
> others life very rough. Most of us speed and most of us never get caught.
> Imagine if we allowed citizen patrols to turn in speeders. Even if the
violation
> was unjustified, there would be your name on the records. How would you look
> when license renewal time comes up? Well he's probably guilty, they would say,
> if not why is his name here? I am all for the use of police snitches in
> *specific* cases that cannot be solved in any other way. But to give blanket
> authority to a large group of hams to play ham cop is a dangerous precedent.
How
> would you like old Dick watching your every move Cecil, and just waiting for
you
> to make that one mistake (like using your IC706 on CB). Heck, if they give him
> snitch status tomorrow, he may turn you in just from your admissions here on
> usenet...
>
>

Gosh, slower speeds (and legal speed limit) and slower speed accidents.
Longer reaction times and fewer accidents. Fewer fatalities and lower
insurance premiums for those of us that obey that stupid law. How awful.

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865. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ernq4$e2m@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145834

Cc: abuse@talkway.com,abuse@dejanews.com

In article <OJ7Q2.19$z83.37@c01read02.service.talkway.com>,
numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>On 11 Apr 1999 19:42:50 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>> SOS does not consist of letters, Dave, but rather, a single character:
>> ...___...

>so in hawaii youse guys send "H O S" all strung togeather? I bet you
>haev a no code license, right?
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com

Bad girl, rosiec@my-dehanews.com; It's against your ISP's use policy
to make changes within someone's article, then attribute those new
additions to the original author (note the Cc: line). Let's review
my original post:

-----article 185474 in news.hawaii.edu rec.radio.amateur.misc------

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>In other words, knowing how to signal SOS using lights saved the fishermen.
>They didn't use radio at all, and they didn't even use anything other
>than those two letters of Morse.

___
SOS does not consist of letters, Dave, but rather, a single character:
...___...

>This may be a good argument for teaching everyone how to send and
>recognize SOS in primary school. I don't see how it's a good argument
>for knowing the entire Morse code alphabet for use in radio transmisssion.

How would you then be able to copy the distressed station's
*Nature of distress
*Position
*Type of assistance requested
*Number and type of injuries
*Equipment on hand
by radio if you only knew just one character, Dave?

73, Jeff KH6O (former CW operator at US Coast Guard Radio Honolulu, NMO)

Cc: abuse@talkway.com,abuse@dejanews.com

866. Yaesu FT-2200 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ddubois@sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <7ert98reh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145835

Hi all,

I need a Microphone for Yaesu FT-2200.
Mobile with DTFM 8 pins round connector
Thanks de Denis VE3HVS
E-mail ddubois@sympatico.ca

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867. Re: FS: NEW 2.4GHz Wireless COLOR Video Camera Surveillance System

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jerry r <jerryrc@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <371171C1.8AC5FB4B@pobox.com>
Source record: 145836
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.video,rec.radio.amateur.misc

How's it work, why are you selling it?

868. Re: Impulse-domain radio... comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilco@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eruhh$sb7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Also Lawrence Livermore seems to have claimed to invented it as well and files patents though their patent claims were files after time-domains. The interference issue is definitely a big one as Livermore sold licenses to several commercial customers, and sort of downplayed the fact that the FCC has not issued a type acceptance on the technology. So the licensees are suing since they spent a pile of money on a technology they can't use.

I saw mention of pulse on carrier wave, that sounds like an adaption we could use. What kind of data rates can you get with that technology and say compared to using spread spectrum?

Steve
WB9IRS

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869. Need science fair sched for Wed Apr 14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbercow@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eruiosba1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145838

For my son's kindergarten science fair, I'm hosting a table on Radio. I plan on taking my low-band gear to the fair and am hoping to make a quick contact as part of an amateur radio demonstration. Because I'll only be working off a random wire for an antenna, I was hoping to find someone in advance who could help guarantee a quick QSO for the kids. The closer to California, probably the better!

There are three separate kids groups between 12:30 and 2:30 PDT. I will be setting up in the morning and hope to have everything up by 11:00AM PDT. I would like to find one or more hams how would be ready to test around 11AM, test out bands and conditions, then be available for a "CQ" call during the fair hours. Interested??

If so, please send email to 'mbercow@palm.com'. Please do not respond to this message as I will not see it until after the event. Also, you could call and leave a message at 408-326-9050 (work number).

Thanks in advance!!!

Mark, N1DVH

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870. Need science fair Sched for Wed, Apr 14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mbercow@palm.com
Message-ID: <7eruq5ser1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145839

For my son's kindergarten science fair, I'm hosting a table on Radio this Wednesday, April 14th. I plan on taking my low-band gear to the fair and am hoping to make a quick contact as part of an amateur radio demonstration. Because I'll only be working off a random wire for an antenna, I was hoping to find someone in advance who could help guarantee a quick QSO for the kids. The closer to California, probably the better!

There are three separate kids groups between 12:30 and 2:30 PDT. I will be setting up in the morning and hope to have everything up by 11:00AM PDT. I would like to find one or more hams how would be ready to test around 11AM, test out bands and conditions, then be available for a "CQ" call during the fair hours. Interested??

If so, please send email to 'mbercow@palm.com'. Please do not respond to this message as I will not see it until after the event. Also, you could call and leave a message at 408-326-9050 (work number).

Thanks in advance!!!

Mark, N1DVH

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

871. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7ersekenb1@208.207.71.156>
Source record: 145840
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jones wrote:
>
> Dick Carroll wrote
> > If they add previously received OO
> >reports that brought the offender to the FCC's attention to
> >this officially collected evidence, it only helps cement the
> >case and in no way constitutes any sort of impropriety.
>
> Snitches are like toilet paper. They're unpleasant when used, but necessary for
> the job (of law enforcement). The problem is the slippery slope. We already have
> one overzealous ham on the newsgroup that takes it upon himself to play ham cop
> and warn others of their minor (ID time) violations. Give him a little real
> power as a FCC snitch and boy he could really feel important, and of course make
> others life very rough. Most of us speed and most of us never get caught.
> Imagine if we allowed citizen patrols to turn in speeders. Even if the violation
> was unjustified, there would be your name on the records. How would you look
> when license renewal time comes up? Well he's probably guilty, they would say,
> if not why is his name here? I am all for the use of police snitches in
> *specific* cases that cannot be solved in any other way. But to give blanket
> authority to a large group of hams to play ham cop is a dangerous precedent. How
> would you like old Dick watching your every move Cecil, and just waiting for you
> to make that one mistake (like using your IC706 on CB). Heck, if they give him
> snitch status tomorrow, he may turn you in just from your admissions here on
> usenet...

And it was you who was calling others 'paranoid' the other
day....

872. NTS TRAFFIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: chuck@chucks2way.com
Message-ID: <3712791c.2125106@eastcorp.supernews.com>
Source record: 145841

Hi All,

I have a piece of NTS Traffic that I might need delivered to Conway Ark. if this other route proves to be futile... if it does is there anyone in this newsgroup that could forward it to the proper people for delivery?

Please reply via E-MAIL ONLY! as I don't subscribe to this newsgroup and I don't read the often!

Thanks!

-Chuck K8CPA

-Chuck
Chuck's 2 way Radio Service and Computer Sales
Http://www.chucks2way.com
Phone: 1-313-389-2171

873. Re: Official Observer Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <T7fQ2.765$fH2.415@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145842

A nice idea, but they wish to remain anonymous, as that's their level
of accountability... sorta like us ! (course our drivel isn't used in a
FEDERAL COURT !!!)

MFL
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

874. Nothing like Refried Frozen Chick'n Said He

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <FifQ2.75$z83.167@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145843

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The Cuisine
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Any hams like to buy a lb bag of (greasy) store bought fried chickren
and freeze it, then heat it in the 2.4 GHz rig ? One guy I heard on 2
said it tastes good... for the love of God, so does rubber cement I
hear.

The Path
---------------
frozen chicken!thawed!fried!sits under heat lamp!trip home in hot car!
frozen!thawed!nuked

The Logic
----------------
That ham wants as much distance between him and the farm as humanly
possible ! Bet ths post follows fewer steps...<bleah !>
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
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875. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <BF4F2CF821393B7C.9863E8C151B3EF94.9959E83528D359B7@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145844
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

proudhawk wrote:
> ok,
> I'll specify the documents: ALL.

Fine, for every document ever made during the history of
man, 900 trillion dollars in advance. Now would you like
to be specific, JACKASS?
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

876. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <C1D7DDEF1ED1A434.2B70391B68521FF5.E627A2CB84535159@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

n7zzt@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> However, if there is some other reason why you cannot
> produce them (such as the documents are still certified as
> classified, or are part of an ongoing investigation, etc),
> then you have no credibility with any of us.

If the document are illegally classified, and you still
agree with an illegitimate government in their classsification,
then you have no credibility with anyone who counts. If the
documents mean so much to you, then get them declassified,
file a lawsuit, and demand a Vaughn index, then publish the index.

I am sick of you liberal blowhards who never act on anything.
Quit bellyaching, take action, then report back here when you
have something to talk about. I have done my part by pissing
you off, now get to work. It is not my job to sacrifice myself
for a bunch of disloyal scum who do not care about their country.
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Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
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877. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: proudhawk <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3711A8BC.4299CEE7@uswest.net>
Source record: 145846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ah, now we get interesting.
Sorry dude, but you miss my point. when I say all, I mean
ALL that YOU "supposedly" have.

Since you are now deliberately evading the issue, I submit that
you have no such documents purporting illegal actions on the part of
the US Government. Further, I submit that you may, in fact, be
considered an "enemy alien" and have duly noted your e-mail address
and other information and forwarded it to the proper authorities.

Also, you cannot possibly demand money upfront for documents that
can be obained for a mere fraction of the cost. And last, this point
about all documents printed since the beginning or recorded history?
You know better than that. The Library at Alenadretta was sacked some
1400 years ago and we have never entirely recovered all the lost
knowledge from
that little episode.

I dare say, you are the one responsible for making yourself look the
fool here George.
Granted, the US Government isn't perfect (no government ever is) but its
far better
than some that exist elsewhere on this tiny little world we have.

I figure if you have something to add to Amateur radio discussions that
don't involve
politics or yur rantings about black heleicopters and the waco
situation, then I'll
be willing to listen. However, until then, I cannot take you more
seriously than a bad cold.

Hawke

George Zimmerlee wrote:

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> > I'll specify the documents: ALL.
>
> Fine, for every document ever made during the history of
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> to be specific, JACKASS?
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> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

878. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7esf5s$a5g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371178D1.3E8F@ibm.net>,
w6rca@ibm.net wrote:
> Brian wrote:
> > Gosh, slower speeds (and legal speed limit) and slower speed accidents.
> > Longer reaction times and fewer accidents. Fewer fatalities and lower
> > insurance premiums for those of us that obey that stupid law. How awful.
>
> We, as a nation, tried that for years with a 55mph speed limit on the
> Interstates. We didn't like it and it was changed. One obvious way to
> eliminate vehicular accidents is to eliminate vehicles. Same for guns.
> Same for knives. Same for ponds. Same for trees. Same for anything.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

I read that some Cop clocked a ttree at 55 mph.

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879. FA: Ramsey 440 Mhz Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmeara@erols.com
Message-ID: <37120937.5170804@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145848

Like new, factory assembled Ramsey 440 Mhz Amp. Give that handheld or mobile rig some extra oomph! Auction starts at only 25 bucks.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=89650402

73 Bill N2CQR

880. NTS Traffic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Housworth <ki0jo@mvp.net>
Message-ID: <3711CCF3.CD4F614E@mvp.net>
Source record: 145849

Hi Chuck,
Saw your message in the newsgroup. I can get your message to Conway AR
delivered.

Just send it to me via email.

73 Tom/KI0JO
MO Asst SM
MO STM

881. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: cal25skipper <Brent_scottbugoff@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <RilQ2.4$Sa.240@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 145850

yeah, That does sound like a good idea! I would gladly retest every 5 years if that were the case. I believe Novice tickets used to be 2yr non renewable, but I hardly think that the general preception is that tech are not real hams. Maybe the twisted preception of someone who is trying to get under your skin (I guess it worked). In general, hams I know, recognize the tech class as a credible ticket. Rememeber ham radio has something for everyone.
Oscar wrote in message <37106BD5.2186BD73@att.net>...
>Since there is a perception that those with Technician Licenses are not
>"true ham" and that their licenses should expire in 2 or 3 years I
>propose the following:
>Novice: No renewal, expires at end of 1 year. The name of the license is
>sufficient explanation for this rule.
>Technician: Upgrade at end of 2 years or license expires.
>General: Retake all elements at end of 5 years.
>Advanced + Extra: Retake all elements at end of 10 years.

882. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7esng8$m24$1@camel25.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145851

More CW bullshit........ Yeah right... as if we as hams have anything to do with that.
its an international agreement guys. GET IT???

If every ham in America wanted to do away with the code it wouldn't mean beans.

So you all go on and Argue and Fuss, Rant and Rave about something that you have no control over and let the REAL issues about ham radio go unadressed.

Anyhow .... the only ones wanting a no code ticket are part of the "I WANT IT NOW - GIVE IT TO ME" generation who do not want to put forth the effort required to learn CW.

Aint life a Bitch?

William Lee N5WRX

883. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <1%lQ2.867$fH2.562@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145852

On 12 Apr 1999 03:03:32 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Cc: abuse@talkway.com,abuse@dejanews.com
>
> In article <OJ7Q2.19$z83.37@c01read02.service.talkway.com>,
> numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> >On 11 Apr 1999 19:42:50 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
> >> SOS does not consist of letters, Dave, but rather, a single character:
> >> ...___...
>
> >so in hawaii youse guys send "H O S" all strung togeather? I bet you
> >haev a no code license, right?
> >Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>
>
> Bad girl, rosiec@my-dehanews.com; It's against your ISP's use policy
> to make changes within someone's article, then attribute those new
> additions to the original author (note the Cc: line). Let's review
> my original post:

you were quoted exactly, you fucking asshole. God, you are stupid.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

884. Re: 09APR99 is a Y2K date!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <Y3mQ2.868$fH2.558@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145853

On 12 Apr 1999 02:46:00 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> and condemn my reading skills. You're a looney who should only reside in
> newsreader kill-files.
>

pot. kettle. black.

--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
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885. Re: Some are abusing this group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: G0GNF <gnfrykman@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3711ed4d.0@neptune.cds1.net>
Source record: 145854
Cross-posted to: alt.romath,alt.drugs.hard,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.baldspot

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Penis
Cunt Fanny
Bottom
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886. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3711F2F4.170CB430@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:
>... Its someone else's responsibility, someone
> else's problem. If it doesn't directly hurt you, ignore it.
>If it does, just dial 911 and everything will be fine.

What a fine 1990s attitude!
"Me first! Screw you, buddy!"- the true Motto of 1990s America.
Do you live in southern California, by chance?

If the ARRL, through a raw power grab,
and the FCC, through overstepping its authority,
unjustly accuses -anyone-, makes improper demands against -anyone-,
then it is EVERYONE'S problem, friend! Because when you let
Rich Whiten be improperly prosecuted, no matter how much
he might deserve it, it won't be long before it's YOUR turn.

If the FCC wants to get Rich, then by God do it RIGHT.
They should do their job and stop attempting to
invest inappropriate authority in a private pool
of ill-qualified and ill-equipped volunteers.
If they want to build a case, then spend the MONEY.
Do the WORK.

Dave AB5S

(Wonder how long before I get my OO notice for speaking out??)

887. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Cunningham <icom740@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <00D717C1C8323F21.433BF273F8417608.C7BED02E59F43AB1@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Have you tried torriods on all your AC cables and speaker leads? Have seen this help before.

Jim Long wrote:

> Hi folks,
>
> I am having some computer RFI problems and am hoping for some help from
> the group. For the sake of disclosure, I AM NEW AT THIS! I am studying
> for a tech-plus ticket,
> so my correspondence may not meet your technical expectations. Please
> bear with me.
>
> I had been experiencing tremendous RFI when operating my computer and my
> ICOM
> IC-746 at the same time. The RFI had been the worst on 160, 80,40 and
> 30m,
> but was present on all bands. To aleviate the problem, I've run two 8'
> ground rods, located seperately, one for the antenna and one for the
> radio and other shack equipment. #4 ground wire runs from one of the
> rods and is clamped to a 1/2" piece of copper pipe. I run a chasis
> ground from my 746 to this pipe. I initially ran a chasis ground from
> my computer to this pipe but found that created slightly more
> interference (ground loop?).
>
> This has eliminated 75% of the problem. The noise practically
> nonexistant on 10m and above, vastly improved on 40m, but still quite
> bothersome on 160m and 80m
>
> My concern is that the computer RFI is travelling up the shield of the
> coax and back
> down the center conductor. When the radio is not connected to an
> antenna there appears not to be any RFI problems, indicating to me that
> the radio's shielding is more than adequate.
>
> Both computer and rig are plugged into SEPERATE BX circuits with self
> grounding receptacles. My tranceiver is connected to a half-wave dipole
>
> with RG8-M (92% shielding) coax. The antenna is not yet grounded(my
> ligtning arrester just arrived today). The ICOM is grounded to the main
>
> cold water pipe at basement level with #8 gauge copper mesh.
>
> HERE IS MY QUESTION:

>
> Will a line isolator such as a Radio Works T-4G eliminate this problem
> completely?
>
> Thanks for all advice.
>
> Jim

888. Re: Attention, Illegal Operators: The Party is Over

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7ess4m$tr1$1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145857

Has the intended propose of the CB band ever been changed?
It was not intended to be a "HOBBY RADIO" back in the 60's.
You used to half to LIE on a F.C.C. application to get a CB License.
I once got a letter just for asking another station where I could buy a tire for my mobile and not identifying.
We were crossing a long bridge and the F.C.C. must have been right behind me and got my license plate.
That is what started me on the road to a "HAM" ticket.
It's original intent was for licensed base stations talking to their mobile units for business.
One licensee talking to a different one was against the rules.
I know that it is not used that way now, but did the F.C.C. ever really change that intent?

RFEnforcer wrote in message
<19990327102830.03863.00000511@ngol04.aol.com>...

Snip

> And let's not forget the millions of law-abiding CB operators
>who follow the rules and use 27Mhz as it was intended for short-range, informal
>communications.

889. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7essrm$98g$1@camel18.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145858
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi Dave, I do agree with what you say. They should do their job properly.
It's what we pay then to do.
If they go after someone then it should be someone who needs going after and
they should spend the time to get the goods on them. We both know there are
plenty of those types on the ham bands today.
But you know government employees. They will go after the easy ones first no
matter how small the crime.
The big offenders will get away only to come back when the fuss has calmed
down. They know the F.C.C. cannot afford to spend a lot of time or manpower
on this problem for long.

I hope I am wrong here. I hope the F.C.C. makes me eat crow on this one.
I really like Amateur Radio but a few bad apples can really spoil it for us
all.

Williamm Lee

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>then it is EVERYONE'S problem, friend! Because when you let
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>he might deserve it, it won't be long before it's YOUR turn.
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>If the FCC wants to get Rich, then by God do it RIGHT.
>They should do their job and stop attempting to
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>of ill-qualified and ill-equipped volunteers.
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>Do the WORK.
>
>Dave AB5S

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>(Wonder how long before I get my OO notice for speaking out??)

890. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu>
Message-ID: <37120059.41C6@eece.maine.edu>
Source record: 145859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a similar RFI problem, but it comes from operating my 40 CW radio and it bothering my 2m radio and the FM broadcast reciever. When I key the 40m radio, the 2m radio goes full scale, and the fm receiver's station increases in noise some. My question is, where I have an indoor 55' dipole (and antenna tuner) located about 6' above my other radios (antenna in attic, me in second floor bedroom), could it just be large RF fields from the nearby 40m radio causing the problem, or is it excessive harmonics from my 40m radio? Thanks.

--
****
Shawn Upton
Electrical Engineering Student
University of Maine at Orono
webpage: http://www.eece.maine.edu/~supton/
mail: supton@eece.maine.edu
KB1CKT Tech Plus
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891. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37120117.CEF0650C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

William Lee wrote:
>I hope I am wrong here. I hope the F.C.C. makes me eat crow on this one.
> I really like Amateur Radio but a few bad apples can really spoil it for us
> all.
>
> Williamm Lee

Me, Too, William! I'd like nothing better then to sit down
to a big crow pie if, indeed, it's being done correctly.
But I gotta tell ya, though-- it don't look good.

I don't like WB2OTK worth a flip, but the FCC tells him
"you're clean, keep doing what you're doing" and then,
when everyone raises heck about it, Rich is suddenly
Mr. Evil himself and getting nasty letters demanding
he reply to private, unoffical postcards like they were
FCC Field Office Notices.
I worked in Uncle Sam's Follies for nearly 15 years and
this sounds oh-so familiar....sigh.

This isn't a slam at Mr. Hollingsworth. His bosses hand
him the policy and he is forced to follow it.
And this sudden change in attitude about OTK smells
like word coming down from some congressman
to the commission, which then rolls down on Mr. H,
and he's forced to act on it. He has my sympathy.

73 DE Dave Stinson.
arc5@ix.netcom.com

892. Re: ARRL and Swatch, Get a Grip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay Zero Half Baked <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7et3h0qvf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy

cwdxer@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>
> Anyone who criticizes this (literal) Old Boys Club gets summarily dismissed,
> ridiculed and in many cases blacklisted.
>

Who lit the fuse on your Tampax? Sounds like sour grapes to me.

dit dit

de Hans, K0HB

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893. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3711FD4C.72FE@no.net>
Source record: 145862
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

George Zimmerlee wrote:
>
> proudhawk wrote:
> > ok,
> > I'll specify the documents: ALL.
>
> Fine, for every document ever made during the history of
> man, 900 trillion dollars in advance. Now would you like
> to be specific, JACKASS?
> --
> George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
> geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
> ---
> Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
> The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
> FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
> Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

You need to go crawl back under your rock.

894. Quad antenna tunning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jramirez@inteli.net.mx
Message-ID: <7et8qavrh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145863

Hi:

I just installed a 2 elements quad for the 10 and 15 mts bands from lightning bolt antennas, I have some questions:

a) Do you know the method for reflector tunning? (which frequency should I tune them?, tunning methods available?) b) What is the maximum F/B ratio that I can expect? c) How do you measure the antenna performance? (Gain, F/B Ratio, Side lobe rejection)

Best regards

Jaime Ramirez XE2NCE

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895. Ham Radio Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7et96jch1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145864

Hello All,

I have a wep page that has info on
Satellites, Satellite Tracking, VHF/UHF/HF,
Yaesu, FT-847 Page, My HF Rig Reviews, Classifieds,
and TONS of useful Ham Radio & misc Reource Links.

Please visit my web page @ URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Drop into my GuestBook, and sign my GuestBook.
Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

Web Masters:

Please add me to your links section, in return
I will add you to my links section.

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896. Re: RS HTX-202 Repair Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hillbilly Dave <daves@oztech.com>
Message-ID: <7et7b8$41v$1@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 145865

hi david, good to hear u on the news group......when you tighten the nut
put the ole super glue to it....it worked for me....

dave
KG5XR
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/Island/4371/index.html

David E. Lafferty wrote in message <7erei6$o4n$1@news1.alltel.net>...
>I've got a problem with my Radio Shack HTX-202.
>The BNC connector is loose and I have intermittent
>contact on both TX and RX. I removed the back plate
>but am unsure what all else needs to be removed so I
>can try to get to the problem. Can anyone advise me
>of what all needs to be removed?
>
>P.S., tightening the nut on the BNC connector will not
>correct the problem for more than a few hours. I'm
>going to have to get inside and see where the problem
>is.
>
>Thanks..
>David
>KF5PN
>
>
>

897. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <371714da.84570112@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 11 Apr 1999 23:10:01 -0400, Jim Long <longj@erols.com> wrote:
>I had been experiencing tremendous RFI when operating my computer and my
>ICOM
>IC-746 at the same time. The RFI had been the worst on 160, 80,40 and
>30m,
>but was present on all bands. To aleviate the problem, I've run two 8'
>ground rods, located seperately, one for the antenna and one for the
>radio and other shack equipment. #4 ground wire runs from one of the
>rods and is clamped to a 1/2" piece of copper pipe. I run a chasis
>ground from my 746 to this pipe. I initially ran a chasis ground from
>my computer to this pipe but found that created slightly more
>interference (ground loop?).

Two things. First, the National Electrical Code requires all grounding
electrodes to be bonded together. You can't use isolated grounds.
If the electrical inspector, or your homeowner's insurance claims
adjuster, sees this, you're hosed and your insurance will be voided.
Second, you've discovered that ill-considered grounding often makes
RFI problems *worse*. Ground is not a noise sink. It is sometimes a
noise source, and it is almost always a path for conducting noise from
one piece of equipment to another. You have to carefully think through
your grounding system to avoid this. The most powerful technique
to avoid this is to use single point grounding technique, also called
ground windowing.

>This has eliminated 75% of the problem. The noise practically
>nonexistant on 10m and above, vastly improved on 40m, but still quite
>bothersome on 160m and 80m
>
>My concern is that the computer RFI is travelling up the shield of the
>coax and back
>down the center conductor. When the radio is not connected to an
>antenna there appears not to be any RFI problems, indicating to me that
>the radio's shielding is more than adequate.

Your analysis is probably correct. Grounding is not the correct answer,
however. Suppressing common mode currents on the feedline is the
proper answer to this problem. You need a common mode choke in the
feedline (also called a current balun). This will stop antenna currents
from sneaking back down the outside of the coax to the shack (hot shack
syndrome), *and* it will stop RFI in the shack from sneaking up the outside
of the coax to the antenna, and thus back down *inside* the coax to the radio.
The proper place for this balun is at the antenna feedpoint. That's where it
has to be to properly do the balanced to unbalanced transition. A second

choke near the shack can also be helpful in some cases (and we'd call
it an unun here even though it is the same old common mode choke), but
the one at the antenna is the first priority.

>Both computer and rig are plugged into SEPERATE BX circuits with self
>grounding receptacles. My tranceiver is connected to a half-wave dipole
>with RG8-M (92% shielding) coax. The antenna is not yet grounded(my
>ligtning arrester just arrived today). The ICOM is grounded to the main
>cold water pipe at basement level with #8 gauge copper mesh.

Eeuuw! What a mess! You have unintended ground loops galore.
You need to create a station single point and bond all grounds to it,
and only to it. In other words, pick a point, tie all incoming grounds
to it, and tie all equipment grounds to it, and only to it. You can then
hook that single point to an Earth ground electrode (ground rod)
if you like for lightning protection. The latter should be single point
bonded to all external grounding electrodes on the premises, IE
power entrance ground rod, telco entrance ground rod, buried
cold water piping, etc. Do *NOT*, however, connect to your gas
line. That's a violation of the National Electrical Code, and could
lead to an explosion if you take a lightning hit.

>HERE IS MY QUESTION:
>
>Will a line isolator such as a Radio Works T-4G eliminate this problem
>completely?

I'm not familiar with that product. As noted, what you want is a choke balun.
That can be a few turns of coax coiled up, or it can be several ferrite beads
slipped over the coax, or it can be a twisted pair wound on a toroid (most
commercial ones are made this way). You can buy commercial choke baluns,
but you can easily make your own. (Note, current baluns are always I:1,
other ratios require a voltage balun, that won't do a good job of RFI
suppression in most cases. So even if you need a voltage balun to give
an impedance transformation, slap a current balun behind it for RFI
suppression too.)

This still won't eliminate the problem *completely*. You also need to
deal with the *sources* of the RFI so that radiated RFI won't be picked
up by your antenna. That won't be nearly as strong as conducted RFI
sneaking up the coax, but it will still be a bother.

To do that, first you have to find out the exact sources of the RFI.
It is likely that your monitor is a major source of RFI. To test that,
turn it off and see if the noise goes away. Likely a lot of it will.
Monitors usually have plastic cases, so they have very poor
shielding. Signals also radiate from their power and video cables.
Attack the latter first with snap on ferrite chokes (Radio Shack
sells them). That should help. If more suppression is needed,
you're going to have to shield the monitor case. Adhesive backed
copper foil, or copper window screening, can be used to shield
the monitor (the CRT face is self-shielded by the shadow mask).

You can install the shielding inside the case (looks neater), or outside the case. Get a good bond all around, including to the dag coating of the CRT (hook to the bracket holding the faceplate). That should take care of the monitor. (Note, if you install the shielding inside the case, use fish paper to prevent arcing from high voltage points inside the monitor.)

If there is still noise, scrape the paint from the mating surfaces of the computer case to get a good bond, and add more screws. Good RF shielding requires that seams be sealed by a screw every 5 centimeters along a seam. Snap chokes over cables hooked to the computer too. Any large openings in the case should be sealed with copper screen or foil (don't block ventilation openings). This should virtually eliminate noise from the computer. Now you're left with keyboard, mouse, and other perpherials such as a printer or scanner.

Printers are also often noisy beasts, and you may need to shield yours heavily. This is often a PITA, so just turn it off when you aren't printing. That should deal with that noise source. You can treat your scanner the same way. Keyboards and mice are hard to shield. You can try snap on chokes on their cords, but the best solution is to try different keyboards and mice until you find quieter ones. I've found that the Focus 2001 keyboards are very quiet. I use a cheapy no name $5 mouse that's also quiet. Some of the name brands aren't so quiet, some are, experiment. (Keyboards can make noise all the time, mice usually only make noise when they're moved.)

The secret to good RFI suppression is shielding and more shielding. You don't want to give the noise a chance to get outside the equipment where it is being generated. This has virtually nothing to do with grounding. Hooking up grounds willy nilly gives the noise a way to escape the shielding, the grounding leads will radiate, ground loops will conduct noise, and you'll have more noise problems than when you started (though they may be different problems).

Grounding is important, primarily for safety's sake, but it isn't a panacea for RFI suppression, and you don't need it at all for RF purposes if you're using a balanced antenna like a dipole. (If you're using an unbalanced antenna, like a vertical or an end fed random wire, you do need a ground for RF purposes, but that ground needs to be at the antenna feedpoint, not back at the radio. It needs to be short and direct, easy to do with a ground mounted vertical, harder to do with other end fed antennas.) Get to know *why* you're connecting a ground, and learn how to install a total station ground system properly to avoid ground loops through your equipment. Doing grounding right isn't very hard, but you have to do it carefully or you can cause yourself more problems than you solve.

Do a dejanews search of the rec.radio.amateur.antenna newsgroup on the topic of grounding. I've posted extensively there on the do's and don'ts of proper station grounding. There's a lot of folklore about grounding among amateurs, and even in the amateur literature. You

need to learn to separate fact from fiction here, or you can easily create situations that aren't good, or safe. Remember that Kirchhoff's laws always hold, analyze your system's meshes to see where currents are going to flow. Make sure that they don't flow places you don't want them. Primarily you do that with single point technique. That brings everything to a single common potential. No potential difference, no current flow.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

898. Mobile antenna for base station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lee <dwl@slip.net>
Message-ID: <7et9vjkco1@owl.slip.net>
Source record: 145867

I'm interested in setting up a base station with as small
an antenna as possible. It occured to me I could use one of those
glass mount mobile antennas. There's a Larsen in the latest
HRO catalog that has reasonable (~ 4db) gain. What do people
think of this idea?

Thanks
David

kf6asc

899. Help identify this receiver...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave@boatanchors.com
Message-ID: <7etdcg$41m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hello all,

I have just acquired an old regen chassis that I hate to see stripped out for parts. I'd like to restore it and make it operable, but I need to find out what it is first, and if anyone has the schematic. I don't have the coil or tube lineup (I'm sure it's coil, detector, and audio but I'm not sure). The underside components are all there and seem to be in good shape. There is a small inductor shaped like a very thick washer that's loose and I have no idea about. It's hanging under the chassis. A schematic would be very helpful!

It appears to be a Pilot 'kit' - the kind that had all the parts and panels, but you had to drill the holes yourself.

I have photos at:

http://www.boatanchors.com - then click on the link at the top of the page 'Help identify this receiver'.

I'd like to find a schematic, and a replacement vernier for the right dial which is broken. If anyone has one or is at all familiar with this little regen, drop me a note.

Thanks and 73

Dave WB7AWK
regen@boatanchors.com

http://www.boatanchors.com

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900. Re: Mobile antenna for base station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7etarjskc1@camel21.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145869

Why go to the trouble of a glass moun t antenna?
A 1/4 wave whip on a small mag mount (like MFJ)
would seem to fill your specs.

David Lee wrote in message <7et9vjkco1@owl.slip.net>...
>I'm interested in setting up a base station with as small
>an antenna as possible. It occured to me I could use one of those
>glass mount mobile antennas. There's a Larsen in the latest
>HRO catalog that has reasonable (~ 4db) gain. What do people
>think of this idea?
>
>Thanks
>David
>
>kf6asc
>

901. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <37123393.27603611@news.mint.net>
Source record: 145870

On Sun, 11 Apr 1999 11:13:02 -0600, tracy glenn <tglenn@imt.net>
wrote:

>CWnotCB wrote:
>>
>> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>>
>> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>
>
> I agree,and although I have been licensed only 3 years (attained extra
>class 7 months into it) I would gladly hit the books and take more
>tests,especially needed is a more difficult CW test.Nothing
>impossible,25-30WPM seems fair to me.AB7RS

You people just won't give it up, will you. What difference does it
really make? None what-so-ever. If I don't want to learn code, I'll
have to stick with what I am licensed to operate on. I won't be on
3940 pestering you "better than no-coders". Just because you can send
a bunch of dits and dahs doesn't mean you are any better than the next
guy. Next thing you know, there'll be a movement afoot to do away
with transistors and go back to tube radios with analog dials.

Kevin, N1UYW

902. FS: for parts, 1ea. Clegg 22'er and PolyComm 6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jparker@fix.net
Message-ID: <371236cc.15316242@news.fix.net>
Source record: 145871

I have one each of the following for sale for parts.

Both are real rough and dirty, but suitable for parts.

Clegg 22'er Make Offer + Shipping

PolyComm 6 Make Offer + Shipping

Email me at: jparker@fix.net

Thanks,,,Jerry...WA6OWR

903. ICOM W2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hank Shanley <hshanley@deltanet.com>
Message-ID: <371239B7.6F42FD4B@deltanet.com>
Source record: 145872

Anyone know how to do a reset on a W2A?? I Had to do this once before
when
it wouldnt turn on and now I can't find the manual.
TIA
Hank Shanley KD6AZE
hshanley@deltanet.com

904. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37123D7E.8426195C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve:
I appreciate your friendly and reasoned response.
Here are the problems I see:

K4YZ wrote:
>...If I were an OO I would certainly make sure that what I was
>reporting was substantiated or verifyable...
I do not doubt your sincerity, nor that of 99.9% of the OOs.
But you simply do not have the training or equipment
to charge someone with a radio offense with certainty.
If you could, then the FCC doesn't need that multi-million
dollar system they man to the tune of a zillion bucks a year.
All they need is a receiver and a tape recorder.
You CAN report to the best of your ability, and have
the FCC treat that as good, valuable advice, and
then go DO THEIR JOB by investigating to see if it's correct.
They have outright said they will treat these reports with
the same seriousness as they do those from their
expensive system. That's the problem. It's asking
for a terrible court battle that will drag the reporting
OO into it, as well. The accused and accuser will probably
go bankrupt. Only the lawyers will win.

>...Secondly is that not just anyone who asks gets to be an OO.
>The ARRL sets out certain criteria that must be met
>before they appoint anyone as an OO...
That is good an valuable. It's also irrelevant.
Section 4 of the Communications Act demands that the FCC,
not the ARRL, train these people to be competent
aux. enforcement officers. That has not happened in
any meaningful way. Until it does, treating their
reports as though they were official FCC notices
is inappropriate and probably illegal.

TNX OM ES 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S

905. Re: Attention, Illegal Operators: The Party is Over

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay Zero Home Brewer <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7etlgg$be4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145874

rfenforcer@aol.com (RFEnforcer) wrote:

> The FCC is investigating information indicating that Technician licensee
> Leonard Martin, KC5WHN, of Houston, Texas, operated outside of the amateur
> bands without a proper license.......

.....CLIP.....

There's a longer list of "hams operating in free-band area" citations
on the ARRL Members-Only website.

That's all fine and good. As tested licensees they oughta be smarter
than the average bear......

....but I don't see any notices about crackdowns on 'non-licensed'
induhviduals. Are they also being nabbed, and we're just not hearing
about it because they're not hams?

Hans

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906. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7etkbb$ptd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>I read that some Cop clocked a ttree at 55 mph.

Or possibly a cloud in line with the tree.

KH6O

907. Re: Mobile antenna for base station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay Zero Home Brewer <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7eto16$do1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145876

David Lee <dwl@slip.net> wrote:

> I'm interested in setting up a base station with as small
> an antenna as possible. It occured to me I could use one of those
> glass mount mobile antennas. There's a Larsen in the latest
> HRO catalog that has reasonable (~ 4db) gain. What do people
> think of this idea?

David,

Most UHF/VHF antennas designs for mobile use (including glass
mount) expect the large metalic surface of an automobile body
to act as a counterpoise (drives Corvette owners nuts).

If your installation can take advantage of the metal in the
window frame or perhaps metallic siding on your house, you
might pull this off. Otherwise the results are likely to be
poor.

Good luck,

Hans, K0HB

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908. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7etkrv$qab@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145877

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>>How would you then be able to copy the distressed station's
>>*Nature of distress
>>*Position
>>*Type of assistance requested
>>*Number and type of injuries
>>*Equipment on hand
>>by radio if you only knew just one character, Dave?

>Of course you couldn't. But these fishermen *didn't even use a radio*.
>Nor (it appears) did they know any Morse code beyond SOS. So they
>didn't communicate any of these things to their rescuers.

Did you forget what you posted, Dave? Here, let me refresh your memory:

--------Article 185474 in rec.radio.amateur.misc/news.hawaii.edu------
Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>This may be a good argument for teaching everyone how to send and
>recognize SOS in primary school. I don't see how it's a good argument
>for knowing the entire Morse code alphabet for use in radio transmisssion.

You mention having to only recognize ...---... for use in radio
transmissions, not me.

Are you using Cecil's editor? Like him, you make a statement, then
edit it out when you respond to a follow-up. Bad boy.

73, Jeff KH6O

909. Re: Mobile antenna for base station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracy glenn <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <37126008.627F@imt.net>
Source record: 145878

David Lee wrote:
>
> I'm interested in setting up a base station with as small
> an antenna as possible. It occured to me I could use one of those
> glass mount mobile antennas. There's a Larsen in the latest
> HRO catalog that has reasonable (~ 4db) gain. What do people
> think of this idea?
>
> Thanks
> David
>
> kf6asc
A vertical dipole from a coat hanger would be cheaper and better,perhaps
it would be too big for you.AB7RS

910. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <zmtQ2.596$tr2.11345@news13.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Good Post!

David Stinson wrote in message <370FEBBA.A426AE0A@ix.netcom.com>...
>
>I'm no fan of WB2OTK, but I see Big Government
> attempting to invest inappropriate authority in well-intentioned
> "volunteers." I think it unwise and perhaps illegal.
>
>Mr. Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says
> "Failure to take the notices seriously and to take corrective action
> where possible will not be tolerated by the Commission,"
>and he says:
> "The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical
> element of the Commission's enforcement program,"
> adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
> and other sanctions."
>
>Clearly, Mr. Hollingsworth has sanctioned OO's as formal and
>official extensions of the enforcement program.
>They have been defacto deputized.
>Defacto deputization in the absence of an executive order or
>national emergency may in itself be illegal;
>I don't know but I'd bet on it.
>
>It is much more important to realize that
>the OOs, while well-meaning, have no formal training in
>law enforcement. They have no formal training in FCC enforcement
>procedures. They have no formal psychological testing to weed out
>people with "wannabe-cop" and "ham radio god" mental problems.
>They do not even have any formal training in the laws and regulations
>Mr. Hollingsworth is insisting they help "enforce" (his term).
>
>The analogy of one neighbor calling the cops on another neighbor's
>barking dog is incorrect. The local police may accept his reports,
>but they do not deputize the reporter and make him a formal part
>of law enforcement when he has had no formal training.
>They do not take the word of the complaining neighbor and
>issue an arrest warrent on that basis.
>They investigate for themselves. They enforce the law themselves.
>
>I don't think the notices handed out by the Amateur Auxiliary (OOs),
>which Mr. Hollingsworth has said are to be taken as actual,
>official enforcement documents, have a prayer of

>making it through the first serious court challenge.
>
>The FCC is tasked with enforcement. There are federal statues
>defining what qualifies a person to be a formal law enforcement
>operative and I'd bet a buck not one OO qualifies. I certainly
>don't want some old man with a chip on his sholder writing me
>a half-baked OO report which is then going to be viewed
>by the FCC as an official enforcement document.
>That's ridiculous and I'd bet another buck it's illegal.
>
>The ARRL should be ashamed of its complicity in this
>and abuse of the honest efforts of the OOs.
>They are ADVISORS, not Law Enforcement Officers.
>Feeding them fairy tales about how they are now "Arms of the Law"
>is a direct abuse and affront and I, as a long time ham, resent it.
>
>Sincerely,
>David L. Stinson
>arc5@ix.netcom.com
>
>(Copied to Mr. Hollingsworth. I believe him to be
> a sincere and honest man and do not fear to speak my mind to him.)

911. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fa39un0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 145880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 12 Apr 1999 13:37:50 -0500, David Stinson wrote:

>Section 4 of the Communications Act demands that the FCC,
>not the ARRL, train these people to be competent
>aux. enforcement officers.

Read Section 4(f)(4)(B)(ii) CAREFULLY. It directly negates
your posting.

>That has not happened in any meaningful way.

In your (unqualified) opinion. When I helped set up the
Amateur Auxiliary interface at the Commission before I retired,
I examined the "checks and balances" and discussed them at
length with the League's General Counsel (who reviews and
approves all submissions from the OO system to the Commission)
and with the Chief, Legal Services Group at FCC (Riley
Hollingsworth's "hatchet squad") and found no problems with
them.

>Until it does, treating their reports as though they were official
>FCC notices is inappropriate and probably illegal.

How long have you been practicing communications regulatory
compliance law, and in what state(s) are you admitted to such
legal practice?

As I have stated quite a few times here, I will always be
happy to explain and teach compliance regulatory law which has
been my field for the last 30 years or so, but I will not argue
law with non-lawyer wannabees, no matter what grade of amateur
license they may (or may not) have.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
Principal Attorney
Communications Law Center
San Francisco, CA

912. Re: Motorola Micor Converting Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Pearl W4ABC <w4abc@gte.net>
Message-ID: <7etojr$k2q$1@news-1.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145881

<mikrounit@hughes.net> wrote in message
news:7ep417$m34$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> Hello All,
>
> This is Mike, KQ6MU.
> A friend of mine, and I, are trying to build
> a 2m repeater. We got a Motorola Micor VHF Hi
> Base Station. It was tuned to 155 MHz. We need some
> help on duplexing this, tunning it to the 2m band, and
> other things that will be needed to "Mod" this to a
> repeater. If anyone can give us info on this, we would
> greatly appreciate that. Anything is welcome.
> E-mail me with info please.
> Thanks & 73,
>
> Mike Green KQ6MU
> mikrounit@hughes.net
> http://kq6mu.8m.com
>
Go to Onelist.com and subscribe to one of the "Repeater" lists. Many of the
people that sponsor the web pages below, are in there on a daily basis.

While you're at it, take a look at...
http://www.kuggie.com/rbtip/
http://www.cdi2.com/build_it/
http://www.seits.org/repeater/repeater.htm
http://www.ham-radio.com/n6ca/appnotes/repeaters/repeaters.html
http://www.wa8dbw.ifip.com/RepeaterStuff.html
http://www.rayvaughan.com/

73 Jon Pearl
W4ABC

913. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7etujhjpi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3711F2F4.170CB430@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> Brian wrote:
> >... Its someone else's responsibility, someone
> > else's problem. If it doesn't directly hurt you, ignore it.
> >If it does, just dial 911 and everything will be fine.
>
> What a fine 1990s attitude!
> "Me first! Screw you, buddy!"- the true Motto of 1990s America.
> Do you live in southern California, by chance?

Do you understand sarcasm? I would blow my brains out before subjecting
myself to life in southern California. Its was bad enough travelling through
on my many trips overseas.

> If the ARRL, through a raw power grab,
> and the FCC, through overstepping its authority,
> unjustly accuses -anyone-, makes improper demands against -anyone-,
> then it is EVERYONE'S problem, friend!

Have you got a mob attorney on retainer?

Because when you let
> Rich Whiten be improperly prosecuted, no matter how much
> he might deserve it, it won't be long before it's YOUR turn.

Do you think this guy is getting railroaded? Go tell it to the ACLU. Most
of America is tired of hearing about your right to cause mayhem, until your
DNA is found in the wrong place.

> If the FCC wants to get Rich, then by God do it RIGHT.

What is right? Is there any chance that your right and my right might be
different? How bout we just do what is reasonable? Is this guy causing
trouble or not?

> They should do their job and stop attempting to
> invest inappropriate authority in a private pool
> of ill-qualified and ill-equipped volunteers.
> If they want to build a case, then spend the MONEY.
> Do the WORK.

Following a hot trail isn't doing their job? At least the OO's point them in
the right direction. As a taxpayer, I would rather them follow hot leads

rather than sifting through it all cold.

> Dave AB5S
>
> (Wonder how long before I get my OO notice for speaking out??)

I dunno. How long does it take your post office to deliver a postcard?
Paranoia strikes deep.

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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914. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7etv99$ka2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37120117.CEF0650C@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> William Lee wrote:
> >I hope I am wrong here. I hope the F.C.C. makes me eat crow on this one.
> > > I really like Amateur Radio but a few bad apples can really spoil it for us
> > > all.
> > >
> > > Williamm Lee
>
> Me, Too, William! I'd like nothing better then to sit down
> to a big crow pie if, indeed, it's being done correctly.
> But I gotta tell ya, though-- it don't look good.
>
> I don't like WB2OTK worth a flip, but the FCC tells him
> "you're clean, keep doing what you're doing" and then,
> when everyone raises heck about it, Rich is suddenly
> Mr. Evil himself and getting nasty letters demanding
> he reply to private, unoffical postcards like they were
> FCC Field Office Notices.
> I worked in Uncle Sam's Follies for nearly 15 years and
> this sounds oh-so familiar....sigh.
>
> This isn't a slam at Mr. Hollingsworth. His bosses hand
> him the policy and he is forced to follow it.
> And this sudden change in attitude about OTK smells
> like word coming down from some congressman
> to the commission, which then rolls down on Mr. H,
> and he's forced to act on it. He has my sympathy.
>
> 73 DE Dave Stinson.
> arc5@ix.netcom.com

Dave, that sure is a lot of conjecture.

Your conspiracy theory linking Senators, Commerce Dept "bosses," power grabbing ARRL officials, and poor little Riley is just marching along like a good little soldier is bizarre.

Maybe Riley is just a rogue wannabe BATF agent with really cool Leopold tactical scope on his rifle. Completely acting on his own and totally out of control. (in case you missed it, that was sarcasm again)

I think I've heard enough.

Brian/N0iMD

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915. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9sz@prairienet.org
Message-ID: <_TuQ2.215$zf.55@firefly>
Source record: 145884

>>
>>Mr. Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says
>> "Failure to take the notices seriously and to take corrective action
>> where possible will not be tolerated by the Commission,"
>>and he says:
>> "The volunteer work of these Official Observers is a critical
>> element of the Commission's enforcement program,"
>> adding that failure to act on an OO notice could lead to fines
>> and other sanctions."
>>
>>Clearly, Mr. Hollingsworth has sanctioned OO's as formal and
>>official extensions of the enforcement program.
>>They have been defacto deputized.
>>Defacto deputization in the absence of an executive order or
>>national emergency may in itself be illegal;
>>I don't know but I'd bet on it.
>>
>>It is much more important to realize that
>>the OOs, while well-meaning, have no formal training in
>>law enforcement. They have no formal training in FCC enforcement
>>procedures. They have no formal psychological testing to weed out
>>people with "wannabe-cop" and "ham radio god" mental problems.
>>They do not even have any formal training in the laws and regulations
>>Mr. Hollingsworth is insisting they help "enforce" (his term).
>>

The OO's are simply supposed to accurately report what they have heard with all the details. As far as I know they do not have any enforcement powers at all. I always considered them helpful, reporting to me any problems with my transmitted signal that I could fix before I DID get a notification from the FCC which DID have enforcement power.

The only problems for which I've received OO cards were poor quality signal reports (hum, chirp, etc) which I rapidly took actions to repair. If someone received an OO card for malicious interference, improper conduct on the amateur bands, etc., it would be appropriate to forward the report to the FCC also. The FCC wouldn't necessarily be able to act just on the OO report, but it would cetainly make them pay more attention to the offending station so they could look for repeat offenses and hear first-hand what was occurring.

Zack W9SZ

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916. Re: Official Observer Directory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990412191323.02562.00002023@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 145885

>A nice idea, but they wish to remain anonymous, as that's their level
>of accountability...

Except, of course, that they sign and provide return address that's real, on each notice that is sent.

917. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37128002.D3555B09@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Phil:
Regardless of whether you are right or wrong,
it appears that you cannot converse on this subject without
resorting to personal insults, so I will ignore your further
posts on this subject.

Your education and job experience do not give you
a license to be uncivil, rude and obnoxious.

Good Day.

918. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <UuvQ2.2745$Et5.57627@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145887

OK then, what do you guys think of the Tech Plus class license? I guess
that one sucks too huh? Seems that one would just be sure to take care of
themselves and not worry about what they can't control....

cal25skipper wrote in message ...
>yeah, That does sound like a good idea! I would gladly retest every 5
years
>if that were the case. I believe Novice tickets used to be 2yr non
>renewable, but I hardly think that the general preception is that tech are
>not real hams. Maybe the twisted preception of someone who is trying to
get
>under your skin (I guess it worked). In general, hams I know, recognize
>the tech class as a credible ticket. Rememeber ham radio has something for
>everyone.
>Oscar wrote in message <37106BD5.2186BD73@att.net>...
>>Since there is a perception that those with Technician Licenses are not
>>"true ham" and that their licenses should expire in 2 or 3 years I
>>propose the following:
>>Novice: No renewal, expires at end of 1 year. The name of the license is
>>sufficient explanation for this rule.
>>Technician: Upgrade at end of 2 years or license expires.
>>General: Retake all elements at end of 5 years.
>>Advanced + Extra: Retake all elements at end of 10 years.
>
>

919. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <37129E53.934CADF9@nationwide.net>
Source record: 145888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

...tee hee...<snicker><snicker>....

....doh!... =)

Dave wrote:

> On Mon, 12 Apr 1999 18:21:38 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> : Phil: ...
>
> : Your education and job experience do not give you
> : a license to be uncivil, rude and obnoxious.
>
> No it certainly doesn't. For that, you apparently need a ham license. :-/
>
> --
> Every four seconds a woman has a baby. Our problem is to find this
> woman and stop her.

920. Re: Help identify this receiver...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <b5xQ2.267$z3.34582@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Dave:

That's a really neat site you have there. RE: the photo: is all that
stuff on the shelves in front of you your station? I see a lot of old
Collins, Drake, Hallicrafters, and Hammarlund gear there.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

dave@boatanchors.com wrote in message <7etdcg$41m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Hello all,
>
>I have just acquired an old regen chassis that I
>hate to see stripped out for parts. I'd like to
>restore it and make it operable, but I need to
>find out what it is first, and if anyone has the
>schematic. I don't have the coil or tube lineup
>(I'm sure it's coil, detector, and audio but I'm
>not sure). The underside components are all there
>and seem to be in good shape. There is a small
>inductor shaped like a very thick washer that's
>loose and I have no idea about. It's hanging
>under the chassis. A schematic would be very
>helpful!
>
>It appears to be a Pilot 'kit' - the kind that had
>all the parts and panels, but you had to drill the
>holes yourself.
>
>I have photos at:
>
>http://www.boatanchors.com - then click on the link at
>the top of the page 'Help identify this receiver'.
>
>I'd like to find a schematic, and a replacement vernier
>for the right dial which is broken. If anyone has one
>or is at all familiar with this little regen, drop me a
>note.

>
>Thanks and 73
>
>Dave WB7AWK
>regen@boatanchors.com
>
>http://www.boatanchors.com
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

921. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: larry <kb9ksr@eriecoast.com>
Message-ID: <3712AD24.8F4818B6@eriecoast.com>
Source record: 145890

I have tried many times learing code and i cant

larry kb9ksr

Tony Pelliccio wrote:

> In article <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>, xray@woldnet.att.net
> says...
> > And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
> >
> > http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>
> I don't think we should abolish the no-code license, instead let's limit
> it to a three year license. I came into the hobby under a no-code and in
> a years time had my extra. It's not difficult...
>
> Tony
>
> KD1NR trustee WE1RD

922. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7eu9ra$oe5$1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 145891

you're still about 10 years too late.

CWnotCB wrote in message <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>...
>And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>
>http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>

923. Re: Please price this equipment for me.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7euaiu$op1$1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 145892

there must be a book similar to the "CB Slanguage Language" book running
around for new folks on the net.

then again, maybe numbnuts62 is just hooked on phonics...

JJ wrote in message <370E1A79.4AF1@no.net>...
>numbnuts62 wrote:
>
>> I just wanetd to comment on you. You said in the thread abouet
>> Mcdonalds that you sodomised sum guys sister and raped his mother. And
>> you have the guts to corect sumone else? You must be a Serb.
>>
>> Pple who live in glass houses shuld not undress.
>>
>
>People who post to newsgroups should learn how to spell or at least use
>a spell checker.

924. Re: W1WCR tries frequency take-over 4-11-99 HAMS LISTEN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7eub7vlms1@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 145893

you'd think he'd do it in streaming audio so you don't have to wait for 100%
of a download before hearing anything...

John Miles wrote in message <371137C1.133F@pop.removethistomailme.net>...
>Act Right On 3950 wrote:
>>
>> W1WCR moved his net from 3947.5 to an "occupied frequency".
>
>Sort of like what you're doing now? Quit spamming.
>
>-- jm KE5FX
>
>---
>Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam
>---

925. What ever happened to OFS WeatherFAX?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <3712B379.A4C7AC48@seidata.com>
Source record: 145894

Hello. I have the OFS WeatherFAX program and board and like
it.
I am trying to get a hold of Jerry Dahl to see if there is
an updated
version of the program available. I have Ver. 3.0 for DOS
currently.
He came out with a PCMCIA version, but have not seen this
product
or any mention of OFS for a long while. Any ideas if he is
still around?
I left a E-mail for him jdahl@worldnet.att.net with no
response.
Any info is appreciated.

Thanks,
Randy KB8ASO

p.s. The last address I have for him is:

Jerry Dahl
6404 Lakerest Court
Raleigh, NC 27612

926. Re: Impulse-domain radio... comments?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@area.com
Message-ID: <7euemv$qs0$1@vax.area.com>
Source record: 145895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <371193B1.3178@pop.removethistomailme.net>,
John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net> wrote:
>
>Perhaps, although in a carrier-less mode you'd theoretically have to
>examine the entire 1 GHz or so worth of frequency space to lock onto the
>transmitter's PRN sequence. That is what bugs me about the Fullerton
>stuff -- it seems to me that the "time domain" advantages could come
>into play only after a synchronous link is established. Especially at
>the microwatt ERP levels they are talking about, that must be the one of
>the toughest hurdles to overcome. I note that most of the micro-power

Actually, it's probably less difficult than acquiring GPS satellites.

>impulse work at LLNL is geared toward single-point applications like
>burglar alarms, studfinders, and such.

If there is any future for this technology, I would say it is
in radar not communications.

>True, I stand corrected... although I'm still not sure what
>ultra-precise time interval measurement does for them in an
>asynchronous, low-duty-cycle system.

It's not asynchronous. The ultra-precise time intervals allow
shorter pulses to be used hence expanding the code space.
>
>> It should be kept in mind that no impulse radio is legal at any
>> power level because it produces intentional radiation in forbidden
>> bands (See FCC part 15).
>
>But they are running at such low power levels as to be virtually
>undetectable, much less interfering.... basically they are trading BW

The FCC rules don't say anything about that. They just say you
cannot have *any* intentional radiation in a forbidden band.

>for log(S/N) in the Shannon equation. That is what seems so intriguing

In Shannon's equation, you eventually become power limited at -1.6 dB
of Eb/No (energy per bit over noise density). This is only 2 dB better
than a state of the art rate=1/2 turbocode QPSK system.

>to me about the concept -- a few microwatts of power can go a long way
>when it's synchronously recovered in a 1 GHz channel. It sounds great

Again, spreading out the energy doesn't make it go significantly farther.

>until you start to think about the practical implications of the
>'synchronous' part.
>
>Still, you can imagine the radio spectrum looking like a very different
>place in the next few decades, if even a fraction of the hype is to be
>believed. Someone on Slashdot was pointing out the grim implications
>for SETI, and the dangers of assuming that the rest of the universe uses
>frequency-domain carriers. :-)

Rick Karlquist N6RK
rick@area.com

927. Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3712BF88.C1EDC03F@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145896

I am curious to know what kind of medical conditions would qualify a person for a Morse code waiver for a ham license. I saw a guy with a waiver at a VE testing session the other night, and it looked like he could see, hear, and write pretty well to me. Just idle curiosity.

73

Marv
KC0EGB

928. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <C2B3A66959F79364.06E790AA19318446.B9FC39D80A4D5ABF@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I have yet to see anyone seriously challenge the
major points I have made under this thread.

(1) FCC acted illegally
(2) FBI acted illegally
(3) ARRL acted in the interested of profit only
and therefore is disloyal to the US, Americans,
Amateur Operators, the Amateur Radio Service,
and its membership by voting to supress the
story on jamming.

I have made the error of not locking squarely on
point and refusing efforts to distract on trivia,
minutiae, and attempts to execute the messenger.

Despite the efforts to establish alternative arguments
and win at these, the thesis remains unchallenged,
because the evidence is unimpeachable, and clearly
made available for all rational and analytical minds
who want the truth.

Returning to the original point of this thread at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative

Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
that I have figured out what the nature and content
of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
have two of the documents, and stand ready to
publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
country, and post them from a safe place.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

929. ICOM R2 YAESU VX5 YAESU FT100 YAESU VX1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: james coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <7eumps$m9e$1@nnrp02.primenet.com>
Source record: 145898
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YAESUVX5

Has over 415 users so far. Come join us if you are interested in the VX5 a
super cool little radio!!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YaesuVX1
.Has about 97 users If you have a VX1 this is the place to be!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/icomr2
Is the nerve center of everything that has to do with the ICOM R2.
If you have a R2 Come on and join us we need you !!! This is a great radio
with a great following of over 174 vsers on this mail list!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/FT100

So Far we only have 189 users! Not to bad ! If you are even thinking about
one of these units come join us
we may all learn somthing!!!

930. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: wrh@cbemg.cb.lucent.com
Message-ID: <7f02i3$ifv@nntpa.cb.lucent.com>
Source record: 145772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.roller-coaster

In article <370b9479.137021276@news.istep.com>,
<mshannon@[nospam]fusionsites.com> wrote:
>On 6 Apr 1999 23:22:33 GMT, jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent
>Phillips) wrote:
>
>>
>>In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
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>>>Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>>>
>>

now i do

i recall being a wooden clothes pin
(not the type with the spring)

i hope to, someday, be a small can of green beans

billh

931. YAESU VX-5 BATTERY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jose R. Camara" <camara@quantacorp.com>
Message-ID: <37138BE9.76E5E983@quantacorp.com>
Source record: 145773

A couple notes on the Li-ion battery used in the VX-5. Please add other info you have on it or correct errors:

1. First, a good source of information on Li-ion batteries, what you can , should or cannot do with them: http://www.cadex.com/cfm/index.cfm?Pg=55&Lp=1&Db=&Mo= I'm not endorsing their products, but the FAQ is certainly one of the most complete and useful.

2. During charge, the YAESU FNB-59LI (standard VX-5 battery, 7.2V 1100mAh) will initially draw current continuously, then as it becomes more and more charged it will start to draw current in pulses (internally disconnecting itself from the applied voltage). At one point, for instance, it might be 'ON' (connected, drawing current) for 0.3s, then off for 0.5s. As it gets more and more charged the length of the 'ON' period shortens, and total (OFF+ON) period increases. Close to full charge, it will draw current only for 0.15s every 2s.

3. With the supplied AC adapter (12v/0.5A) and the battery in the radio, the battery will charge at 300mA, taking over 4hrs for a full charge from an empty battery. The CPU has no control over the charge (as it could, having easy access to dv/dt, perhaps even temperature depending on the sensor position), it is simply a current limiter that the CPU can sense as conducting or not. Apparently after a fixed delay after not sensing current, the CPU displays 'complete' instead of 'now charging'. The CPU doesn't seem to keep track or use the total time during charge, but it is instead the battery's internal circuitry that decides when to stop taking current.

4. The charging does take place just as well while the radio is on. It will stop while transmitting. By the way, transmitting whith the supplied AC adapter is sure to fry it (or at least burn the internal fuse), so DON'T!

5. Yaesu has a CD-15 rapid charger that will charge the battery while on the radio (drop-in style) or alone (spare battery). It can use the standard 12v/500mA adapter, but it will then supply only 400mA to the battery, taking about 3h for a full charge. It is only worth of its name 'rapid charger' while attached to external power supply, and will charge at a 600mA rate when used with the maximum rated 16V input, for a quick 2h charge.

6. AT YOUR OWN RISK, DON'T TRY IT AT HOME, CAN LEAD TO INJURY, DEATH, OR WORSE: Since the battery has its own internal circuitry that seems to administer the intake of current pulses, it coudl be OK to charge it at a Maha 777 universal charger, which limits current to 600mA or

use any current-limited power supply for a couple hours and then remove the battery. I don't know how the battery behaves during attempted trickle charge, if the internal current limitation is enough to prevent damage to the battery or not, if it will explode and kill you or not, so other than your suicidal curiosity, there is no reason to try it. Buy the rapid charger or charge it overnight in the radio...

Regards,
Jose

932. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7f03p3$9$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145774

I will take those bets. You are wrong on every statment you made.

robh8304@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7eualrttb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>,
> CWnotCB <xray@woldnet.att.net> wrote:
>> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>>
>> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>>
>
> who really gives a rats ass on the code anyways, every time i pick up a
>shortwave reciver all i ever hear is a bunch of fowel mouth worse the any
>cb'er that i ever heard in my days in all my days in 11 meter/. becides i
can
>bet most of the "coded hams" that still use the code are sittin behind the
>computer keybord and prob forgot the stupid code long ago. and the last
thing
>i can also bet that a large part the the coded hams never even picked up
the
>key before they got thier ticket, they had there ve best friend pass them
>into the ham bands
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

933. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com>
Message-ID: <371393E2.46AE@ixpres.com>
Source record: 145775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jesper Kristiansen wrote:
>
> I never got any response on my first mail, so here I try again.
>
> Are there anyone on this group who are using, or has used, the magnetic
> loop antenna from MFJ (MFJ 1782).
> If so, I would appreciate your comment. I'm planning on putting one up
> on my balcony, but are they worth the money ?.
>
> Thanks.
> Jesper
> KF6VGH

Jesper OM,

No, they are not worth the money, in my opinion. Much less expensive
to make your own, even if you have to buy a vacuum variable! And you
won't need a vacuum variable unless you are running high power (several
hundred watts or more. You can also make your own variable capacitor,
if you are reasonably handy.
Also, any linear wire antenna, even of very small gauge, if at least a
quarter wave in length, will have much better radiating efficiency than
a small tuned loop on a balcony, and will cost you pennies to build.

73 and GL,
Don, W6JL

934. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pathagarus <n2yii@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3713875B.2E21869F@erols.com>
Source record: 145776
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.roller-coaster

I've always fancied myself as being a no pest strip!

- wrote:

> In article <370b9479.137021276@news.istep.com>,
> <mshannon@[nospam]fusionsites.com> wrote:
> >On 6 Apr 1999 23:22:33 GMT, jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent
> >Phillips) wrote:
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> >>In a previous article, bfomsd@starmedia.com () says:
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> >>>Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
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> now i do
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> i recall being a wooden clothes pin
> (not the type with the spring)
>
> i hope to, someday, be a small can of green beans
>
> billh

935. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#xzPQJeh#GA.329@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

936. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u8p9TJeh#GA.271@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping
For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

937. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#Mx5XJeh#GA.281@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $250.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

938. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tech55/ST1A55@Msn.com" <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OjO1eJeh#GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $200.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

939. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7f05j2$7ic$1@camel19.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Here is the typical lawyer logic.
Lay people are not qualified to know right from wrong.
The president (who is a lawyer) gets a blow job in the white house office
and tell us that it is not sex.
Lay people are two stupid to know the truth unless we pay a lawyer to tell
it to us.
Damm you lawyers. (woops.... too late.)
You and your kind are sending this great country down the tubes while you
get rich from it.

Phil Kane > wrote in message ...
>On Mon, 12 Apr 1999 13:37:50 -0500, David Stinson wrote:
>

> How long have you been practicing communications regulatory
> compliance law, and in what state(s) are you admitted to such
> legal practice?
>
> As I have stated quite a few times here, I will always be
> happy to explain and teach compliance regulatory law which has
> been my field for the last 30 years or so, but I will not argue
> law with non-lawyer wannabees, no matter what grade of amateur
> license they may (or may not) have.
>
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
> Principal Attorney
> Communications Law Center
> San Francisco, CA
>
>
>
>
>

940. Web page - You all may or maynot like to read!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f09j7knh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145782

Hello, Amateur Radio can be a very fun way to find and make new friends, But it has it's BUG's too! Like CB radio the FCC dose very little to stop Jammers, and poor miss guilded minds from the bands.... My page is up to let people know of the problems and try to find an answer to this ever growing problem on Amateur Radio.....

The Jammer Information Center Of Amateur Radio
http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html

Thanks For your time,

Bob - KE4JCD
Lakeland, FL.
Wabmaster!

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

941. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7f05qj$j9i$1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 145783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <7evpas$a5b$1@news.orbitworld.net>, nomail@nomail.com says...
>
>HighWaysinHiding wrote
>>If you desire, I will add you to my kill file and you to will vanish from
>the
>>posts that I see.
>
>Why is it that people must always *broadcast* the kill file threat? Just do
>it and save us the scary threats...
>
>
My posts were not meant as a "threat".
I have several friends who were unfamiliar with the concpt of a "killfile".
I was only trying to drive home the point that we (those who are not into
pointless fighting)do have an option other than just leaving the news groups.
Killfiles are a wonderful alternative.
And this is not meant as a threat, but "poof" you are in mine.
Have a nice day.
And I will bet that you are a lid on the air alos.

942. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3713A0D7.ED97B8F7@teleport.com>
Source record: 145784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> The radiating/receiving efficiency of ANY SORT of practical
> antenna is proportional to its physical dimensions measured
> in fractions of a wavelength. This is a an unavoidable
> fact of life. In more scientific terms it is one of the
> un-assailable laws of the universe - just like e = m *
> c-squared
>. . .

I'm afraid this might mislead people who would read "proportional" to mean "directly proportional". Given that everything else is equal, shortening a dipole below a half wavelength or a loop below a wavelength circumference will indeed lower its efficiency. But there's certainly no "law" establishing that if you shorten it by one-half the efficiency drops by 1/2, and for moderate shortenings the efficiency reduction is typically much less than that. Some small antennas can be very efficient. Certainly many small antennas are closer to a dipole in efficiency than the 6 dB you've repeatedly regarded as being insignificant.

Thank you for explaining your "law" so well in scientific terms!

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

943. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fa518w0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 145785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 13 Apr 1999 14:22:32 -0500, William Lee wrote:

>Here is the typical lawyer logic.
>Lay people are not qualified to know right from wrong.

The issue is not "right from wrong". The issue is "black
letter law" (i.e. what does the statute say) and case law (how
the statutes are interpreted).

>Lay people are two stupid to know the truth unless we pay a lawyer to tell
>it to us.

Do you do your own brain surgery, William ??

When it's spelled out in plain language AND explained in detail
and one still gets it wrong, the bystander scratches his head
and wonders "what's wrong with this picture".

One can say that red is green all one wants but it doesn't
make it so.

>Damm you lawyers. (woops.... too late.)
>You and your kind are sending this great country down the tubes while you
>get rich from it.
>
That must be some other lawyer, because this one "ain't" rich
by a long shot. Maybe it's because of the volunteer legal work
that I did on behalf of radio amateurs and on behalf of the
county legal aid for many years.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

944. Re: IC-W32A on bike-headlight batt?...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Speck <speck@qns.com>
Message-ID: <7f08u7$8i0$1@lotus.onenet.net>
Source record: 145786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I use a 12v lamp from a "Night Sun" system (bought at the Local Bike Shop) with a handlebar fixture made by Vista-lite, which usually comes with a 6v halogen. I connected it and the HT to a 7 AH 12v gel-cell, (the price was right, $0.00) although a little heavy. I used to use a 2.5 AH gel-cell which cost about $20. I connect to a wall charger when not riding (usually ride to work) and it's always up. I've used the lamp for an hour or so, and the HT on and off for the same time, and haven't noticed any sag in the battery, much less ran it down. YMMV. 73 Jim W5AI

BD wrote in message <7f00qg$qq8$1@newnews.startext.net>...
>Hmm.. Anyone make a suitable battery-pack for HT's and bicycling?
>It could weigh much more than what one would normally be willing to carry
>while walking around, but not TOO much.. ;)
>Will a headlight battery, as long as it's 12-13volts, work?
>The one I have will power a 5watt headlight for app 4-5hrs at a time..
>Thanks.
>
>
>

945. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3713B85C.3926@ibm.net>
Source record: 145787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

William Lee wrote:
>
> Here is the typical lawyer logic.
> Lay people are not qualified to know right from wrong.

I can use the same approach. "I will not argue electronics with non-electronic qualified wannabees, no matter what grade of amateur license they may (or may not) have." :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

946. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggs@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f0ehr$p26$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145788

In article <7esng8$m24$1@camel25.mindspring.com>,
"William Lee" <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
> More CW bullshit..... Yeah right... as if we as hams have anything to
> do with that.
> its an international agreement guys. GET IT???

The International agreement specifies NO partiular speed thus 1 WPD
(Word per Day) would suffice.

>
> If every ham in America wanted to do away with the code it wouldn't mean
> beans.
>

It might if the speed were made slow enough to allow the use of
a look up table. Not a suggestion just a thought.

> So you all go on and Argue and Fuss, Rant and Rave about something that you
> have no control over and let the REAL issues about ham radio go unadressed.
>
> Anyhow .... the only ones wanting a no code ticket are part of the "I WANT
> IT NOW - GIVE IT TO ME" generation who do not want to put forth the effort
> required to learn CW.
>

This statement is certainly not true. I'm not of that generation and I
have an HF license thus have nothing to gain but I am in favor of dropping
the code testing. Perhaps a more rigorous written might be appropriate.
OTOH I support the ARRL compromise. Left to their own devices the FCC
would have in all likelyhood reduced all code testing to 5 WPM by now.
The ARRL is working to hold that off and you procode fanatics think
they are the devil incarnate. How little you know.

> Aint life a Bitch?
>
> William Lee N5WRX
>
>
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A most interesting place the internet.
For a few dollars you can make as much
of an ass of yourself as you want.
Some folks seem to get a lot for their money.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

947. Yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7f0l2sulq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145789

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
I have a NEW Yaesu FT-50R Page.
It includes its specs., features, and other
technical info about the FT-50R Dual Band HT.
Please check it out:

http://kq6mu.8m.com/ft-50r.html

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

948. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8SN@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28690-3713B9C4-15@newsd-232.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145790

The code waver was designed to help people who passed the 5wpm test but
cant go any faster because of physical
limatations that would keep you from
copying code such as hearing loss,ect.
but, I know several people who were
perfectly able to copy code who got there doctors to sign there waver!

One guy I know got it for a BAD BACK!
Another guy got it because he had a heart attack 10 years before, and he
got his Dr. to sign the waiver saying CW tests were too stressfull and
might bring on a heart attack!! Both are now extras!

I dont know if the fellow with the waiver was like that,all Im saying is
it happens every day! there was a rumor that a Dr. near Pittsburgh, pa.
was signing waivers for $50!!

Its a shame that perple take the EASY WAY OUT!!

DANG SHAME

CHUCK N8SN

VISIT MY WEBSITE AT:http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/7903/
73 FROM N8SN FORMERLY KF8HT

949. Re: No Code and License Renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Jeffery <Trains@infinet.com>
Message-ID: <3713DAC0.2521@infinet.com>
Source record: 145791

William Lee wrote:
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> More CW bullshit........ Yeah right... as if we as hams have anything to
> do with that.
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> If every ham in America wanted to do away with the code it wouldn't mean
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> Anyhow .... the only ones wanting a no code ticket are part of the "I WANT
> IT NOW - GIVE IT TO ME" generation who do not want to put forth the effort
> required to learn CW.
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> Aint life a Bitch?
>
> William Lee N5WRX
The way I look at it is I have to crawl before I walk and I am going to
get my ticket and then I will go for the code. I hope you guy's don't
put everyone in the same bracket and think just because they get the
no-code tech they are not going to be HAMS. At least I am doing
something to keep it going. Once all the old HAMS are going what is
going to happen. So don't bad month everyone.

Thanks for taking to time to read this.

950. QST Easter Egg Hunt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Paper Chase <thepaperchase@hellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <W_PQ2.446$z83.618@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145792

Ya all know how software writers put them eggs in software, right ?

I work at a magazine publisher and every year soome of our staff pick an magazine we publish in April and stick some goodies inside as a joke. This year we chose QST by the ARRL.

There are 100 QSTs out there (May issue, NOT April !) that should be arriving in your boxes with various goodies glued in this week or next.

Examples are these

free coupons for McDonalds
1 C note (only ONE, sorry !)
5 10 dollar bills
1 25 dollar certificate at Target
and the ever original girlie pix are in another 94, but SOME also have either Mick Ds or cash

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

951. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8646$732e4f00$85e5abc3@default>
Source record: 145793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thanks, Roy, for your nit-picking, over-complicated,
do-gooding, but confusing observations.

It is of consequence, and innocent bystanders should take
note, you do not disagree with my conclusions.

The bigger the antenna, in terms of wavelengths, the
better.
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****
Reg, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp

****

952. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990413192011.06242.00000269@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 145794

>I am curious to know what kind of medical conditions would qualify a
>person for a Morse code waiver for a ham license. I saw a guy with a
>waiver at a VE testing session the other night, and it looked like he
>could see, hear, and write pretty well to me. Just idle curiosity.
>
>

The condition is known as LAZINESS!

953. Lista Radioamador

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eduardo - PU2LUW <pu2luw@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <924050367.368724@citroen>
Source record: 145795

E-Mail List "RADIOAMADOR".

In portuguese language from Brasil.

To subscribe: radioamador-subscribe@listbot.com

Visit:
www.qsl.net/pu2luw

954. Re: Jeff garbage (was Re: NCI garbage)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7f0qem$g6m$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7euoir$ngg@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >> > (because they [falsely] believe that code is archaic)
>
> >Your opinion is your opinion ... not everyone agrees. Many DO
> >believe that Morse code is archaic ... the tendency towards
> >that belief seems to concentrate towards the more technically
> >knowledgeable and up-to-date end of the amateur spectrum.
>
> If CW is archaic, then so is phone; both are about the same age.

Morse Code (which is REALLY what we're talking about) dates to
the early 1840s ... phone, even the crudest AM did not come about
until much later after the vacuum tube was invented. SSB came
even later, and FM did not become popular until the late 60's or
early 70's when a flood of older VHF/UHF commercial gear began
to become available on the surplus market.

Your assertion is all wet and reeling with procode spin as
usual, Jeff.

> >> > , so why
> >> > should it bother you to speculate that they would naturally work to
> >> > eliminate use of code
>
> >Speculation leads you to ASSume "facts" not in evidence, Jeff,
> >with the result that you come to the wrong "conclusion."
>
> It's a fact that their name, No Code International, does not specify
> elimination of just the code tests - no speculation nor assumption,
> it's factual.

"What's in a name?" I think the quote goes ... read the "What we
believe" (aka the "Mission Statement" according, at least, to
your good buddy Dick Carroll) ... that's where the rubber meets
the road ... you'll notice it SPECIFICALLY disavows any intention
to work for any sort of ban on the use of Morse ...
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> >> > You yourself won't even rule out that that's a possibility.
>
> >NCI, and its directors, including myself have repeatedly
> >stated that we have NO intention of EVER seeking any sort
> >of ban on the use of Morse by those who voluntarily choose
> >to use it ...
>
> They've made themselves quite clear: "No Code International." Nothing
> mentioned about limiting themselves to doing away with just code tests.

See above ... read the website "What we Believe" and the articles ...
you won'd find diddly about doing away with code usage ... in fact,
just the opposite.

But then you've never let the facts get in your way when
it comes to NCI-bashing, have you, Jeff?

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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955. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3713EAC5.8BE3DBDC@ibm.net>
Source record: 145797

Glad you said that !! I was just thinking the same thing.

Too bad that I can't get some kind of waiver so that I can play
basketball at the pro level because I am too old or short. Maybe
one to be doctor or lawyer would be nice too.

MailfrmPA wrote:
>
> >I am curious to know what kind of medical conditions would qualify a
> >person for a Morse code waiver for a ham license. I saw a guy with a
> >waiver at a VE testing session the other night, and it looked like he
> >could see, hear, and write pretty well to me. Just idle curiosity.
> >
> >
>
> The condition is known as LAZINESS!

956. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3713FC46.15DC97AD@teleport.com>
Source record: 145798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> Thanks, Roy, for your nit-picking, over-complicated,
> do-gooding, but confusing observations.
>
> It is of consequence, and innocent bystanders should take
> note, you do not disagree with my conclusions.
>
> The bigger the antenna, in terms of wavelengths, the
> better.

Always a pleaure.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

957. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924056776.391.20@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com> wrote in message
news:01be8646$732e4f00$85e5abc3@default...
> The bigger the antenna, in terms of wavelengths, the
> better.

But I already knew this! How does this relate to the relative value of
buying a magnetic loop versus other alternatives?

Michael.

958. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <19990414.0352.9901519snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Sunday, in article <7f0205$j6t$1@wanadoo.fr>
vantalon.f6bwf@wanadoo.fr "vantalon" wrote:

> Hello . In my past job i have had to use 3 bird 43 in our laboratory . All
> have given different measures (on the same load of course !)For an output
> of 40 watts , one of them gives 50w reading ! This one was used for " demo "
> with the customers !! 73 to all

What is your point? Are you claiming that Bird watt meters do not
meet their specified accuracy?

Your comments raise a few questions, such as how do you know that the
true power was 40 watts and what were the ranges and conditions of
the Bird elements with which you made those measurements? And also,
if you were serious about the last comment there's the ethical
question of why you were showing a reading to your customers that you
believed was false and fully 25% greater than the true power.

New standard Bird 43 meters are specified at +-5% of Full Scale in
carrier mode (and +-8% in PEP mode where that's available). So, even
if the true power was 40 watt (and you didn't explain how you reached
that conclusion), then measuring it with a new meter and new 250 watt
element will not guarantee a reading any of better than around 237 to
263 watts, and using an old and mishandled meter and element of any
rating may also not give a particularly accurate measurement.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

959. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924061466.283.25@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145801

Dave <root@warez.phantom.com> wrote in message
news:slrn7h7d0l.6d.root@wild.net...
> How is it, then, that some news servers have a different version?
Right

It's no big mystery. The author of a newsgroup posting can delete his own posting. It's possible that the error was spotted, and corrected. Dejanews probably pulls its newsfeed at longer periods than your other services. Thus, it pulled only the surviving, corrected version, while some other services got both.

In either case, I've managed to misspell my own name both in Morse and on the keyboard as well. As with any other live media, backspace and self-correction is normally granted as a common courtesy. I see no reason why it should be any less appropriate with a NG posting. However, it makes no sense to huff a puff when a simple "........" would suffice.

I think we can all let this die now.

Michael.

960. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37141670.CBAD99E0@jump.net>
Source record: 145802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Never used one myself. Try it. Find a used one. Borrow one. Should be
about as efficient as other small antennas. One advantage might be
directionality if it's sharp enough to null QRM. Been my experience a
single-ended wire (with a good ground) works as well as anything if you
can't use a dipole.
I'm working on a 160 meter rhombic array at the ranch. ;-)
H.
WA5IGW

Michael Young wrote:

> Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com> wrote in message
> news:01be8646$732e4f00$85e5abc3@default...
> > The bigger the antenna, in terms of wavelengths, the
> > better.
>
> But I already knew this! How does this relate to the relative value of
> buying a magnetic loop versus other alternatives?
>
> Michael.

961. Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <371434AE.87EF906F@parg.org>
Source record: 145803

I think someone is peeing up the wrong tree. I see no need to decide that CW sucks and we need to get rid of it, to get more people jamming the airwaves. There are already plenty of Hams now. The problem is, not enough of them are transmitting. Is that a problem? If you have roads should there always be a traffic jam?
At a recent Ham club meeting, they wanted to see a show of hands of those who had a HF station set up. It was a sad pitiful sight. 20% at the most. I bet most of the non hand raisers never or almost never got on any bands at all.
What are we supposed to be doing? Selling more radio gear or jamming the airwaves, or having a base of citizens knowledgeable about radios and electronics? Maybe we do need some new voices out there because I can think of a few I can't stand listening to. Maybe that's why those other people aren't on the air, they heard them too.

962. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f1kdbbpj1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

>My posts were not meant as a "threat".
>I have several friends who were unfamiliar with the concpt of a "killfile".
>I was only trying to drive home the point that we (those who are not into
>pointless fighting)do have an option other than just leaving the news groups.
>Killfiles are a wonderful alternative.
>And this is not meant as a threat, but "poof" you are in mine.
>Have a nice day.
>And I will bet that you are a lid on the air alos.

Is there any way to set up a killfile for Anony-Mouse messages?
Then we'd only have to read stuff from people who have the
balls to sign it.......

73, Jim KH2D

963. Re: Help identify this receiver...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Smith <billsmith@jps.net>
Message-ID: <3VMQ2.702$MQ1.7804@typhoon-sf.pbi.net>
Source record: 145805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi, Dave.

I talked to a friend of mine who is very knowledgeable about these units, and he seems to feel this was likely a homebrew. From the photos, it seems there are three tube sockets. One would be used for a coil, another for the regenerative stage, and the third for an audio amplifier. The transformer was likely an interstage between the regen and audio. The (magnetic) earphones would typically be hooked to the battery and plate of the audio amplifier.

It looks like a battery set - that is the tubes were directly heated filament/cathode. It was hard to tell from the pix whether the tube sockets were four or five pin. The resistance control is likely to adjust filament voltage, and the presence of a transformer in the regen circuit was more typical of battery sets than later "AC" sets that used tubes with indirectly heated cathodes.

Regarding the schematic. You are probably best off by finding a typical regen schematic, then tracing out the wiring in your set. There were many minor variations but all followed the same basic approach. From the size of the tuning capacitors (one was tuning, the other is likely a regeneration control) it looks like it was built as a short wave receiver.

The coil will probably take some educated guessing, but if you can find a typical schematic, you might borrow the coil winding data from that project. The coil windings are probably not too critical provided you have the basic windings and taps hooked to the proper places.

It should be straightforward to make the set work again, after all these years. Good Luck!

73 de Bill, AB6MT
billsmith@jps.net

<dave@boatanchors.com> wrote in message
news:7etdcg$41m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> Hello all,
>
> I have just acquired an old regen chassis that I
> hate to see stripped out for parts. I'd like to
> restore it and make it operable, but I need to
> find out what it is first, and if anyone has the
> schematic. I don't have the coil or tube lineup
> (I'm sure it's coil, detector, and audio but I'm
> not sure). The underside components are all there

> and seem to be in good shape. There is a small
> inductor shaped like a very thick washer that's
> loose and I have no idea about. It's hanging
> under the chassis. A schematic would be very
> helpful!
>
> It appears to be a Pilot 'kit' - the kind that had
> all the parts and panels, but you had to drill the
> holes yourself.
>
> I have photos at:
>
> http://www.boatanchors.com - then click on the link at
> the top of the page 'Help identify this receiver'.
>
> I'd like to find a schematic, and a replacement vernier
> for the right dial which is broken. If anyone has one
> or is at all familiar with this little regen, drop me a
> note.
>
> Thanks and 73
>
> Dave WB7AWK
> regen@boatanchors.com
>
> http://www.boatanchors.com
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

964. IC-8500 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jackthea1op@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eu5j1ppb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone have the mod for unblocking cell phone on the IC 8500 a friend on the Cape needs it before he buys one. Also anyone know whats gg on w AES ll ? Called 3 stores today and no answer.

73 JACK

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965. Put a Noise Blanker that Works in your Drake R-4C for $25!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-1204991759160001@csp-frohro.wwc>
Source record: 145900
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hi All,

After Drake's 4NB didn't do much for me on my QRN I decided to cobble something together that would work. While it is still a work I'd like to improve, I have something that works a whole bunch better than the 4NB. I used Ten-Tec's Model 297 accessory blanker for the Scout. The details of the project are on my web site. See them at:

http://www.wwc.edu/~frohro/R-4C/NoiseBlanker.htm

If you have any suggestions, I'd love to hear them.

73,

Rob, KL7NA

966. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eu5ua$9rh@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145901

In article <slrn7h4sot.67.root@wild.net>, Dave <abuse@warez.phantom.com> wrote:
>On 12 Apr 1999 20:25:35 GMT, Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:

>: Did you forget what you posted, Dave? Here, let me refresh your memory:

>Nowhere is it written that the *entire* post must be quoted. In fact,

Only the relevant parts need to be quoted:

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>This may be a good argument for teaching everyone how to send and
>recognize SOS in primary school. I don't see how it's a good argument
>for knowing the entire Morse code alphabet for use in radio transmisssion.
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
So, quit avoiding my question and tell me how you'd be able to copy
the station's nature of distress, position, type of assistance requested,
et cetera, upon hearing ...---... on a "radio transmission" (your choice
of words above, not mine)?

Jeff KH6O

967. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eu65m$a2s@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145902

In article <slrn7h4t3o.67.root@wild.net>, Dave <abuse@warez.phantom.com> wrote:
>On Mon, 12 Apr 1999 12:51:09 GMT, numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>: On 12 Apr 1999 03:03:32 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>: > Bad girl, rosiec@my-dehanews.com; It's against your ISP's use policy
>: > to make changes within someone's article, then attribute those new
>: > additions to the original author (note the Cc: line). Let's review
>: > my original post:

>: you were quoted exactly, you fucking asshole. God, you are stupid.

>Now, now. Remember what you said to me earlier: Be nice to people.
>And, hey, I notice that you spell much better when you are angry.
>P.S. It does look like you quoted Jeffry accurately, though. He DID
>say that SOS is ...___... (which I'm sure was simply a typo). Unsporting
>of him to accuse you of doing that, it was.

"Looks like"? Not according to Deja News. You can do a search under
my email address -- look for article 27 out of 108. Rosie added the
extra "dit" to make it appear that I typed HOS.

Jeff KH6O

968. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eu6kd$ac3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145903

In article <1%lQ2.867$fH2.562@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>On 12 Apr 1999 03:03:32 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> Cc: abuse@talkway.com,abuse@dejanews.com
>> In article <OJ7Q2.19$z83.37@c01read02.service.talkway.com>,
>> numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>> >On 11 Apr 1999 19:42:50 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>
>> >> SOS does not consist of letters, Dave, but rather, a single character:
>> >> ...___...

>> >so in hawaii youse guys send "H O S" all strung togeather? I bet you
>> >haev a no code license, right?
>> >Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com

>> Bad girl, rosiec@my-dehanews.com; It's against your ISP's use policy
>> to make changes within someone's article, then attribute those new
>> additions to the original author (note the Cc: line). Let's review
>> my original post:

>you were quoted exactly, you fucking asshole. God, you are stupid.

A quick check on Deja News will reveal to anyone that you modified my
original article.

Jeff KH6O

969. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: robh8304@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7eualrttb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145904

In article <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>,
CWnotCB <xray@woldnet.att.net> wrote:
> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>
> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>

who really gives a rats ass on the code anyways, every time i pick up a shortwave reciver all i ever hear is a bunch of fowel mouth worse the any cb'er that i ever heard in my days in all my days in 11 meter/. becides i can bet most of the "coded hams" that still use the code are sittin behind the computer keybord and prob forgot the stupid code long ago. and the last thing i can also bet that a large part the the coded hams never even picked up the key before they got thier ticket, they had there ve best friend pass them into the ham bands

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970. ACS Newsletter for 12 April 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7eu6uh$ang@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!
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>From the Editor's Desk:

The ACS Headquarters Training Unit is looking for a volunteer to serve as an ACS Plans/Programs Coordinator at the State level. This position involves developing plans, classes and training for the ACS program at the State level, assistance in the develo pment of the ACS Newsletter and EMCOMM Bulletin series. Most of the work required is conducted on the Internet and e-mail. Previous expwerience in emergency management and/or volunteer coordination is desirable. If you'd like to help, contact me at larton@garlic.com
.....

Please Welcome:

Bonnie Bennion <bennion@ix.netcom.com>
Foster City, CA

I am with the Coast Guard Auxiliary. Currently, I am the District Staff Officer for Communications and the District Emergency Call-Out Coordinator. I have been with the Auxiliary for 25 years and find it very rewarding.

John Driscoll N2MKH <jdinsyr@dreamscape.com>
Syracuse, New York

I am associated with the Oswego Co. Emergency Communicators (RACES) and act as Packet Coordinator. We have a system set up in our area which serves as an emergency communications system and, as such, are associated with the New York State Emergency Manage ment Office (NYSEMO). Our packet group is the SYRacuse Packet User Group (SYRPUG). We have an emergency Communicators Net on the 1st and 3rd Sundays(local repeater)followed by an Informal Packet Net. We are available for public safety events as well as em ergency communications. We participate in FEMA and NYS drills in the area. Drop a line if you want more info. N2MKH

Mike Johnson KF6QIC <MJ5580@aol.com>
Fortuna ,CA

Jim Lehman / KD6ZLB <jlehman@interx.net>
Napa, California
Looking to join up with a local unit in my area.

(Send an email to Robert Sanford <rsanford@pipeline.com>, who lives in the area and can get you some information on the local clubs in the Napa area... ED)

T. William Newman/N6USF <aask@earthlink.net>
Thousand Oaks, CA

Paul, WO4U <wo4u@icx.net>
Sevierville TN

We are planning to implement ACS in this part of TN. Your Web has been very helpful in getting us started.

Robert Mercer KE6FJN <KE6FJN@QSL.NET>
Redding, CA

Robert K. Woodward / KD6TWS <r_k_woodward@msn.com>
Richmond, CA
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Current Events:

FEMA Establishes Donations Phone Bank for Humanitarian Relief for Kosovo Refugees

--High-level coordination underway between FEMA, USAID and DoD to ensure effective delivery of assistance.

Washington April 6, 1999 - The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has established a phone bank to handle public donations for relief assistance for the Kosovar Albanian refugees, FEMA Director James Lee Witt announced today, as he urged Americans who want to help to call 1-800-USAID-RELIEF.

"Like all Americans, I am shocked by the conditions and the suffering that the Albanian people are enduring," Witt said. "I'm sure that Americans all across the country are anxious to help. At this time, we are asking for cash donations only. Because of security and logistical concerns we are not able to handle material goods.

"FEMA has extensive experience in coordinating donations as well as the deployment of supplies and equipment to help the victims of catastrophic disasters," Witt said. "We are going to use that expertise to help the Kosovo refugees."

Meanwhile coordination meetings took place today at FEMA's Washington headquarters following President Clinton's action on Monday naming Director Witt to help coordinate humanitarian relief for the refugees. Today's coordination meetings focused on ironing out procedures and operational details for a massive humanitarian relief effort, named Operation Sustain Hope by President Clinton. Brian Atwood, administrator of the U.S. Agency for International Development, was named coordinator of the overall effort.

Witt said that he is sending a high-level team, which includes FEMA's Deputy Director Mike Walker, to the NATO Mission in Brussels Wednesday, April 7. Walker will be responsible for coordinating the Agency's role in the relief effort with NATO and other organizations involved in the rapidly growing humanitarian relief effort.

The U.S. government has provided over $150 million in humanitarian assistance to displaced Kosovars since February of last year, including a provision of $50 million authorized by President Clinton on March 31. President Clinton also ordered the prepositioning of humanitarian supplies in the region well in advance of the current refugee crisis in preparation for a variety of contingencies. In addition, the U.S. has stockpiled enough food to feed 500,000 people for three months.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Office of Emergency Information & Public Affairs --- Washington, D.C.

Seminar Puts Dogs' Noses to the Test Dogs undergo `urban' training in Alameda

The whines of the droopy-eared bloodhounds could barely be heard yesterday over the louder whines of the California Highway Patrol helicopter, its rotors whirling to acclimate the dogs to the noise.

Some of the tracking dogs walked confidently with their handlers to the noisy machine, parked at the old Alameda Naval Air Station against the backdrop of the Oakland skyline. But other bloodhounds were clearly skittish, their paws paddling in protest as they were put inside.

The simulated ride was one of several exercises designed to put the police and search-and-rescue dogs through their paces as part of the first Golden State Bloodhound Seminar, a weeklong program sponsored by the Alameda police.

``What we're trying to do here is basically teaching urban training, to teach the dogs how to track human scent at pursuit speeds,'' said Alameda officer Henry Guillen, a police dog trainer.

The bloodhounds, famous for their scenting and tracking abilities, were joined by other breeds, including rottweilers and German shepherds. They ranged in size from Q, a 4-month-old puppy, to Einstein, a 150-pound behemoth.

At first, Einstein was afraid of the CHP helicopter. But with the help of his handler, he got into the copter, sat down and looked happily out the window.

Elsewhere on the sprawling former air base, dogs were splashing in the inner harbor, looking for dead pigs immersed in the water to simulate drowning victims.

Pigs are used because they smell like cadavers, said Alameda police officer Jeff Schettler, a bloodhound trainer and seminar host. In drownings, bloodhounds can detect human scents that rise to the surface during decomposition.

The dogs were also let loose in the base's abandoned houses and winding streets, honing their urban ``scent discrimination'' skills by following only the person whose scent was introduced to them -- even hours before. The strongest scents come from body fluids, like blood or sweat.

Their tracking prowess in rough terrain -- including ``contaminated'' crime scenes --will also be tested near Lake Chabot.

The seminar has drawn police agencies from Arizona to Maryland and as far away as Italy.

Schettler's bloodhound, Ronin, has been a hot commodity nationwide.

Last year, the two were called to North Carolina to help search for Eric Rudolph, the suspect in the Atlanta bombings who is still at large. In Alameda last August, Ronin picked up the scent from clothing found near an abandoned baby girl and followed the smell to the mother, who was arrested, Schettler said.

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(Sumitted by Robert Sanford WB6NYC)

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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC179 Attitude Makes the Difference 2/2
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

EMC179 Atitude Makes the Difference 2/2 For release 4/12/99
(continuation from EMC 178)

"In time, a change of name was needed since their then name seemed tied to two specific communities. After brainstorming for over a month they came up with three names and decided to vote on one of them. The result was CREST. They tried to come up with a slogan or acronym as to what CREST stood for, and unofficially it seemed to be: Corona Region Emergency Service Team.

They had "a name. Now they needed an attitude. When they had needed to raise money for a repeater they got it on their first and only application. To instill the attitue was their next process. 'CREST' is the 'BEST'". "We tried the REST and decided on CREST." This led to an attitude they could do anything."

In time they "organized the CREST REACT Amateur Radio Club and tried another impossible feat - getting ARRL recognition for their team. It was a long hard road but with their attitude they were successful and enjoy that recognition still today."

Their most recent endeavor was "to form a CREST Communications Team. What with the uncertainty at the REACT International level in l997, they decided they would survive even if it meant removing the patch they had worn so proudly for l9 years."

"Their new organization encompasses their REACT, their Amateur Radio Club, the Norco Citizens Patrol, The Canyon Watch, The Repeater Users Group and others. In l998 CREST had a membership of 120+ strong and is looking to double it to over 250."

"Remember, we can do anything we set ourselves to do" wrote Ed Greany, President in the July-Aug l998 issue (no 9) of "CREST REACTivities". (The above material was extracted from his article.)

Their Norco Citizens Patrol has developed a new program, "Norco Cares About Seniors" that seems to fill an important need that may apply to many communities. It is focused on seniors that live alone in a house. Here is how it was described in the same newsletter:

"It involves a senior citizen, concerned family member or friend that fills out a simple request form. Requesting parties can request visits from the Norco Citizens Patrol (vehicles) or a regular phone call to check on their well being. Visits will be sent to the mobiles by N.C.P dispatchers or patrol staff. Mobile

members will advise the dispatcher when they are at the location. If contact is made the mobile members can stay and visit for a while if they wish. If contact is not made, they will notify N.C.P dispatch to attempt a phone call, check for notice of vacation, etc. If there are circumstances that seem strange, bazaar or "kooky" a call to the Sheriff's Dispatch is in order."
(end)

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- For training assistance contact the ACS Training Officer at the web site or send an email to larton@garlic.com
- Submit suggestions, topics or comments on the bulletins to cary.mangum@macnexus.org or cary_mangum@oes.ca.gov

Bulletins are on the ACS Web page: http://acs.oes.ca.gov -and a Landline BBS: 916-262-0856 (graphical & standard interface); and a FTP Archive: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/packet/tcpip/incoming for some bulletins. For earlier ones: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/races
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Please let others in the emergency services field know of the newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions, suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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971. ARRL Update on Swatch 2-Meter Xmtr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990412223435.15750.00002120@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 145906

Subj: Re: Protesting Swatch Company's 2-Meter Advertising
Date: 99-04-12 19:49:24 EDT
From: w6rod@ix.netcom.com (Rod Stafford)
To: K5pf@aol.com

At 11:48 PM -0400 4/7/99, K5pf@aol.com wrote:
>In a message dated 99-04-07 16:24:44 EDT, you write:
>
><< The ARRL is aware of the activities of Swatch in this
> regard and we have faxed a letter protesting the commercial use of amateur
> frequencies. >>
>
>Thanks, Rod. Much appreciated!
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>73,
>Paul Folmsbee K5PF

Paul -- As a followup to your message and my reply, we at the League have
been in contact with the President and CEO of Swatch, a Swiss company.

I don't believe we're going to be able to move Swatch off it's intended
course of using the ham bands in a couple of weeks for their "beatnik"
campaign (as they call it). It is a situation where a Swiss company has
contracted with the Russian space authority to use their satellite so it is
difficult to get any leverage to "force" either the space agency in Russia
or the Swiss watchmaker to change its plans. The good news, so to speak,
is that with a 100 mw xmitter, the chances are good we won't hear a great
deal of these "space bound" messages.

We are working on making sure that this doesn't happen in the future
however. And that is the important aspect of this whole matter.

73, Rod Stafford W6ROD

---------- Headers ----------
Return-Path: <w6rod@ix.netcom.com>
Received: from rly-zb03.mx.aol.com (rly-zb03.mail.aol.com [172.31.41.3]) by
air-zb02.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Mon, 12 Apr 1999 19:49:24 -0400
Received: from dfw-ix2.ix.netcom.com (dfw-ix2.ix.netcom.com [206.214.98.2])
by rly-zb03.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with ESMTP id TAA18797 for <K5pf@aol.com>;
Mon, 12 Apr 1999 19:49:18 -0400 (EDT)
Received: (from smap@localhost)
by dfw-ix2.ix.netcom.com (8.8.4/8.8.4)
id SAA14076 for <K5pf@aol.com>; Mon, 12 Apr 1999 18:49:18 -0500 (CDT)
Received: from sji-ca41-247.ix.netcom.com(209.111.208.247) by

dfw-ix2.ix.netcom.com via smap (V1.3)
id rma014034; Mon Apr 12 18:48:51 1999
X-Sender: w6rod@popd.ix.netcom.com (Unverified)
Message-Id: <v03007800b33826e28aea@[209.109.237.145]>
In-Reply-To: <6d0e23ca.243d80f1@aol.com>
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"
Date: Mon, 12 Apr 1999 16:48:44 -0700
To: K5pf@aol.com
From: Rod Stafford <w6rod@ix.netcom.com>
Subject: Re: Protesting Swatch Company's 2-Meter Advertising

972. Re: Attention, Illegal Operators: The Party is Over

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990412234525.22301.00002142@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 145907

>There's a longer list of "hams operating in free-band area" citations
>on the ARRL Members-Only website.

Well then smarty pants,

Why don't you put it here for us to see!
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

973. BAs Available for Delivery to Belton Hamfest, 17 Apr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gharmon@idworld.net
Message-ID: <3712cc79.7891778@news.idworld.net>
Source record: 145908

I have decided to move some of my big iron to make room in the garage.
Actually, She WHo Must Be Obeyed suggested it.

The following can be delivered to the Belton, TX hamfest this weekend,
17 April. If you are interested send me an email or give me a call
for additional information. All are in VG to excellent condition,
a.k.a., no dogs. None have obvious mods. All are complete. None have
been restored. Manuals are available to copy. Untested as of right
now unless noted. I may have time to give a "light up" test before
Saturday.

1. CE-100V - $225
2. SX-42 - $175 (works)
3. HT-37 - $75
4. HT-41 with 572B finals - $250
5. HT-32A - $125 each for two
6. Apache - $150
7. Mohawk - $150 (works)
8. Marauder - $150
9. Warrior - $250

Thanks in advance and best 73,
gary

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974. Re: Jeff garbage (was Re: NCI garbage)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7euoir$ngg@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>> Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> > (because they [falsely] believe that code is archaic)

>Your opinion is your opinion ... not everyone agrees. Many DO
>believe that Morse code is archaic ... the tendency towards
>that belief seems to concentrate towards the more technically
>knowledgeable and up-to-date end of the amateur spectrum.

If CW is archaic, then so is phone; both are about the same age.

>> > , so why
>> > should it bother you to speculate that they would naturally work to
>> > eliminate use of code

>Speculation leads you to ASSume "facts" not in evidence, Jeff,
>with the result that you come to the wrong "conclusion."

It's a fact that their name, No Code International, does not specify
elimination of just the code tests - no speculation nor assumption,
it's factual.

>> > You yourself won't even rule out that that's a possibility.

>NCI, and its directors, including myself have repeatedly
>stated that we have NO intention of EVER seeking any sort
>of ban on the use of Morse by those who voluntarily choose
>to use it ...

They've made themselves quite clear: "No Code International." Nothing
mentioned about limiting themselves to doing away with just code tests.

Jeff KH6 Over

975. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <923990652.338.33@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145910

The specifics are on the back of Form 610. Basically, it allows any medical condition your physician deems sufficiently bad to prevent you from passing the code test, even with special accommodations. They are required to reveal the details to the FCC, but not to the VE. The FCC makes the final ruling; the VEC is only required to pass along the signed waiver, not judge appropriateness. The waiver applies only if you previously passed 1A, probably something to do with ITU requirements.

Michael.

Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote in message news:3712BF88.C1EDC03F@dimensional.com...
> I am curious to know what kind of medical conditions would qualify a
> person for a Morse code waiver for a ham license. I saw a guy with a
> waiver at a VE testing session the other night, and it looked like he
> could see, hear, and write pretty well to me. Just idle curiosity.

976. Welcome to the new www site de RK4CWA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Oleg A. Chernozyomov" <victoria@rada1.saratov.su>
Message-ID: <ABoojrw8R2@rada1.saratov.su>
Source record: 145911

Hello, everybody,

Welcome to the new amateur radio site of UA4C-oblast ARC:

rada.webjump.com/rk4cwa.htm

It is not wholly ready but someting interesting can be found there:

Callboook of UA4C hams with telephone numbers;
Cyrillic (Russian) Morse code;
UE4CAA and other activities from the landing place of Yuri Gagarin;
Links to other Russian sites.

Best 73,
Victor RA4CK

977. Check out the "TOP 100 HAM SITES"--Updated hourly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5www@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ev6tu$l50$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145912

Please go to either of the two (2) sites (mirror sites)listed on this posting for a link to the "TOP 100 HAM SITES" which is updated on an hourly basis. These sites also include pages dedicated to Ham Radio, Law Enforcement, UFO's/Unexplained Phenomena, and Texas related items. Please stop by and check it out--Tnx and best 73es--Ron/W5WWW (Katy, Texas) ---------- 1: http://www.qsl.net/w5www/

2: http://www.geocities.com/Eureka/Gold/9912

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

978. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Piercey <salmo@nf.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <37132cc3.0@209.128.1.3>
Source record: 145913
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you want something really simple, how about one of those switches they use in closets where, when you open the door the light comes on. In this can "lifting" the equipment would open the switch and turn on an alarm.

Or, instead of an audio alarm, you could use one of those strobe lights that are used for letting you know that a phone is ringing (Radio Shack sells them). Better still, use both the alarm and the light.

Good luck.

Keith Piercey VO1AE

979. Re: Attention, Illegal Operators: The Party is Over

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay Zero Home Brewer <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7evhkp$u48$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145914

I wrote:

> >There's a longer list of "hams operating in free-band area" citations
> >on the ARRL Members-Only website.

Someone lit the fuze on N0VFP's Tampax, and he said:

> Well then smarty pants,
>
> Why don't you put it here for us to see!
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4

Because it's copyrighted material, and I'd rather you join ARRL so
you can go see it for yourself. While you're there, check out my
new QSL card in the "photo" section.

73, de Hans, K0HB/4ID

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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980. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7evik3$26l$1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 145915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <7eqrpa$nr0@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>In article <7el5gr$1gc$1@news.uky.edu>, HighWaysinHiding <Why Bother?>
wrote:
>>Jim is as clueless as a my deaf cat.
>>Jut put him in your kill file and his trolls will vanish.
>>If everyone does this, then the trolls will stop getting their shrunken
>>little egos stroked and will go back to looking for alt.naked.kids sites.
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> TROLL-O-METER
> (version k0hb.1)
I am not sure as to why you think my post was meant as a troll. True, the
humour might escape some folks, but the point is still true, if we all put
these clowns in our kill file, and refuse to respond to them, the noise level
should drop. Even the most diehard lid will leve the air if now one ever
responds to his drivil. These lusers are the LIDS of the internet.
If you desire, I will add you to my kill file and you to will vanish from the
posts that I see. The kill file is as good as the lidlist in my TNC. I
thank the guys who dreamed them up. Now if I could just get my radio to
"kill file" the Lib..oh never mind.

Name withheld to stop, or at least limit, spam. And following the arrest of
some of the folks who sell data slicers, we may all need to hide. And for
what it is worth, data slicers and Jfax allow the reception of NOAA/Meteor
APT images.

981. MFJ-9030 IMPROVEMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Gili <paul.e.gili@lmco.com>
Message-ID: <371355D7.2B8E@lmco.com>
Source record: 145916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Improvement to the great little MFJ-9030 QRP transceiver for elimination
of the 6MHz i.f. feedthrough QRM are described at:

http://www.qsl.net/aa1ll

73, Paul, AA1LL
Greenville, NH

982. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37136E01.C15@ibm.net>
Source record: 145917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

HighWaysinHiding wrote:
> I am not sure as to why you think my post was meant as a troll. True, the
> humour might escape some folks, but the point is still true, if we all put
> these clowns in our kill file, and refuse to respond to them, the noise level
> should drop.

With proper kill-file programming, we could have two completely
seperate newsgroups within the same newsgroup.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

983. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8609$4ac05960$50f0abc3@default>
Source record: 145918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The radiating/receiving efficiency of ANY SORT of practical antenna is proportional to its physical dimensions measured in fractions of a wavelength. This is a an unavoidable fact of life. In more scientific terms it is one of the un-assailable laws of the universe - just like e = m * c-squared

Above 0.25 wavelengths you are laughing. Below 0.1 wavelengths you have severe problems.

So the answer to your question is simple - a magloop is only worth the money when there is not enough open space to erect something larger, longer or higher.

You will save much money and, indeed, obtain more satisfaction and pleasure by making your own magloop. The main cost will be that of the high-voltage tuning capacitor.

I don't know what your local environmental circumstances are. But if you can suspend a thin, unobtrusive wire, up, down, or horizontally outwards (especially up and outwards) from your balcony, you may be able to erect for a few pennies an antenna which performs much more efficently than an expensive magloop.

Think in terms of a length of enamelled copper wire, the longer the better, some sort of ground connection such as your domestic water pipes, and a simple antenna tuning unit (a home-made coil using the same wire and variable capacitor). Give it a try. Even if you eventually come back to magloops out of curiosity, you will never regret it !
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Reg, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp

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Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com> wrote in article <370FED0E.98577937@yahoo.com>...
> I never got any response on my first mail, so here I try again.
>

> Are there anyone on this group who are using, or has
used, the magnetic
> loop antenna from MFJ (MFJ 1782).
> If so, I would appreciate your comment. I'm planning on
putting one up
> on my balcony, but are they worth the money ?.
>
> Thanks.
> Jesper
> KF6VGH
>
>
>

984. Re: NCI Issues Formal Protests of Impending "Swatch" Intrusion into Amateur Satellite Band with Commercial Message Broadcasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7evpas$a5b$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

HighWaysinHiding wrote
>If you desire, I will add you to my kill file and you to will vanish from
the
>posts that I see.

Why is it that people must always *broadcast* the kill file threat? Just do
it and save us the scary threats...

985. Ham Radio Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7f01c9$cu3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145920

Hello All,

I have a wep page that has info on
Satellites, Satellite Tracking, VHF/UHF/HF,
Yaesu, FT-847 Page, My HF Rig Reviews, Classifieds,
and TONS of useful Ham Radio & misc Reource Links.

Please visit my web page @ URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Come on by my GuestBook, and sign my Guest Book.
Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

Web Masters:

Please add me to your links section, in return
I will add you to my links section.

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986. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <371a85d6.179044309@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 17:30:06 -0700, Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com> wrote:
>I never got any response on my first mail, so here I try again.
>
>Are there anyone on this group who are using, or has used, the magnetic
>loop antenna from MFJ (MFJ 1782).
>If so, I would appreciate your comment. I'm planning on putting one up
>on my balcony, but are they worth the money ?.

No. You can build a small loop of similar performance for less money.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

987. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37156A00.9CF7CD94@mwci.net>
Source record: 145672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Roy Lewallen wrote:

> Virtually all test equipment manufacturers guarantee and stand by the
> accuracy of their instruments.

5% of full scale is 12.5 watts. The error at 40 watts (or 12.5 watts) cannot be "assumed" to
also be 12.5 watts by any reasonable person. That is nonsense and anyone who knows anything about analog meters knows that it is nonsense.

The % error in any high quality analog meter degrades "gracefully" as you go downscale. The errors at less than full scale are definitely related to the full scale accuracy. Pick up a catalog of meters and you will see that the full scale accuracy is what is specified. That does
not mean the meter is "junk" at other readings.

Here is the main idea. A properly designed D'Arsonval meter maintains a certain definite relationship between "deflection" vs "input" over its range. The full scale accuracy is correlated to that relationship. Because of that relationship the scale can be marked with considerable confidence across most of the scale. At this moment I am looking at a Simpson catalog that specs full scale accuracy. Yet the picture shows finely spaced markings all across
the scale. Is this some kind of "fraud"?

Hogwash.

Meter designers and manufacturers learned long ago how to deal with this problem of reproducibility, so that "one" meter scale can be used over and over.

For a rectifier meter the rectifiers do introduce a problem, but with quality control this problem is manageable, and is responsible for a slightly relaxed spec for this kind of meter.
AC meters also have a crest factor problem.

> If the accuracy of the
> Bird 43 wattmeter is not specifed at some points on the scale, as you
> say, then it's useless for making any kind of meaningful measurement,
> as is any piece of test equipment with unspecified accuracy.

My experience with my 43, with its 2-30 MHz elements, is that it is quite "accurate" across most of the scale within that frequency range.

> I'll bet that if you were to send the
> Bird 43 meter to the calibration lab and it measured 30 watts with 40
> applied, or even 12 watts with zero in, it would be returned as being

> in calibration.

Baloney. It would be sent to the factory repair shop.

> Most labs will
> return a meter as calibrated if it meets its spec. If it has no spec,
> it can't be calibrated. The fact that the Boonton was returned as
> calibrated doesn't mean that it's dead on, only that it meets whatever
> spec Boonton or your company put on it.

It meets the requirements that Boonton says it supposed to meet. And when it is adjusted at full scale, it is very accurate across a 13 dB range, as determined by accurate RF attenuators.
I have been using these meters for 30 years and I know their quality.

As for going separate ways, go which ever way you like. If that is the way you want to behave
toward me, I couldn't care less.

Bill W0IYH

988. Re: Your Personal Callsign Mug.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <37157C52.4AFA9A92@teleport.com>
Source record: 145673
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Do you really think you'll sell more product by being obnoxious and cluttering up the newsgroup with frequent advertising? If you're rewarded for this behavior, I foresee the day when the newgroups won't have any postings except ads like this. (This has already happened to some.) So I sure hope no one responds to this by buying your product.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

A fellow entrepeneur, but with a very different philosophy

Jaw Jabber wrote:
>
> What better way is there to start off your morning except by drinking a cup
> of coffee using your very own CALLSIGN MUG. See at
> http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber
> All mugs are made with quality control in mind. They are dishwasher and
> microwave safe and if after you receive your mug you are unsatisfied just
> send the mug back in its original shipping container and I will refund you
> the cost of the mug. See at http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber for
> details.
>
> Georges Mug Shop
> http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber

989. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <3715126C.C0B9375@nationwide.net>
Source record: 145674

This is how the quoted message I sent earlier
appears on dejanews:
<snip>

...---...

<snip>

This is how it appears on Talkway:
<snip>
....---...
<snip>

Hope this doesn't make a liar out of anyone...I just followed Jeff's
suggestion
he made below....

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>
> It would be a simple test for an independent third party to post an
> article containing a line beginning with ...---... and compare the Deja
> News version with that of talkway.com.
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Mark Waldron wrote:

> ...---...
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> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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> > article containing a line beginning with ...---... and compare the Deja
> > News version with that of talkway.com.
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990. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: billgatez@email.com
Message-ID: <37150b95.267611110@news.inficad.com>
Source record: 145722
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Nuff said now shut the fuck up!

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 15:04:24 -0500, "3.950 Monitor" <3950mon@aol.com>
wrote:

>The above listed jammers continue their feeble attempt at spinning,
>their law breaking
>activities on 3.950, shortwave amateur radio.
>
>Their goal is to disrupt the legal and public communications of other
>law abiding
>amateur radio operators. The reason that these 'opponents of free
>speech' jam 3950,
>is because they disagree with some of the views expressed on this
>frequency.
>
>Some of the jammers (K5BLB and KK7HO) are so full of hatred that they
>have
>openly discussed killing other amateur radio operators on this
>frequency. The
>danger is that as these criminals get more and more angry, and violent
>because
>of their extreme beliefs, someone will likely get killed or maimed.
>
>I only wish that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth would put an end to their
>activities
>before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine, which
>should have
>been prevented.
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991. Re: YAESU VX-5 BATTERY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: kg4ckx@arrl.org
Message-ID: <37146af1.809841453@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145723

The VX-5R will not transmit during AC charging.

Kenny
KG4CKX

"Jose R. Camara" <camara@quantacorp.com> wrote:

>
> A couple notes on the Li-ion battery used in the VX-5. Please add
>other info you have on it or correct errors:
>
> 1. First, a good source of information on Li-ion batteries, what you
>can , should or cannot do with them:
>http://www.cadex.com/cfm/index.cfm?Pg=55&Lp=1&Db=&Mo= I'm not
>endorsing their products, but the FAQ is certainly one of the most
>complete and useful.
>
> 2. During charge, the YAESU FNB-59LI (standard VX-5 battery, 7.2V
>1100mAh) will initially draw current continuously, then as it becomes
>more and more charged it will start to draw current in pulses
>(internally disconnecting itself from the applied voltage). At one
>point, for instance, it might be 'ON' (connected, drawing current) for
>0.3s, then off for 0.5s. As it gets more and more charged the length
>of the 'ON' period shortens, and total (OFF+ON) period increases.
>Close to full charge, it will draw current only for 0.15s every 2s.
>
> 3. With the supplied AC adapter (12v/0.5A) and the battery in the
>radio, the battery will charge at 300mA, taking over 4hrs for a full
>charge from an empty battery. The CPU has no control over the charge
>(as it could, having easy access to dv/dt, perhaps even temperature
>depending on the sensor position), it is simply a current limiter that
>the CPU can sense as conducting or not. Apparently after a fixed delay
>after not sensing current, the CPU displays 'complete' instead of 'now
>charging'. The CPU doesn't seem to keep track or use the total time
>during charge, but it is instead the battery's internal circuitry that
>decides when to stop taking current.
>
> 4. The charging does take place just as well while the radio is on.
>It will stop while transmitting. By the way, transmitting whith the
>supplied AC adapter is sure to fry it (or at least burn the internal
>fuse), so DON'T!
>
> 5. Yaesu has a CD-15 rapid charger that will charge the battery while
>on the radio (drop-in style) or alone (spare battery). It can use the
>standard 12v/500mA adapter, but it will then supply only 400mA to the

>battery, taking about 3h for a full charge. It is only worth of its
>name 'rapid charger' while attached to external power supply, and will
>charge at a 600mA rate when used with the maximum rated 16V input, for
>a quick 2h charge.
>
> 6. AT YOUR OWN RISK, DON'T TRY IT AT HOME, CAN LEAD TO INJURY, DEATH,
>OR WORSE: Since the battery has its own internal circuitry that seems
>to administer the intake of current pulses, it coudl be OK to charge
>it at a Maha 777 universal charger, which limits current to 600mA or
>use any current-limited power supply for a couple hours and then
>remove the battery. I don't know how the battery behaves during
>attempted trickle charge, if the internal current limitation is enough
>to prevent damage to the battery or not, if it will explode and kill
>you or not, so other than your suicidal curiosity, there is no reason
>to try it. Buy the rapid charger or charge it overnight in the
>radio...
>
>Regards,
>Jose

992. DOVETRON TU WANTED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: JEAN PAUL <F5QE@CSI.COM>
Message-ID: <uWC$gqmh#GA.112@nih2naae.prod2.compuserve.com>
Source record: 145724

Help I want the rtty tu dovetron any model any option right price please
Ibuy bye visa or chech or ??? 73 JP F5QE in France

993. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <19990414.1200.9901524snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Wednesday, in article <37144BE3.3661C078@teleport.com>
w7el@teleport.com "Roy Lewallen" wrote:

> Anthony R. Gold wrote:

> > New standard Bird 43 meters are specified at +-5% of Full Scale in
> > carrier mode (and +-8% in PEP mode where that's available). So, even
> > if the true power was 40 watt (and you didn't explain how you reached
> > that conclusion), then measuring it with a new meter and new 250 watt
> > element will not guarantee a reading any of better than around 237 to
> > 263 watts, and using an old and mishandled meter and element of any
> > rating may also not give a particularly accurate measurement.
>
> With a 250 watt element, +/-5% of full scale is +/-12.5 watts. So it
> can read as much as 52.5 or as little as 27.5 watts with a 40 watt
> power level and still be within its specified accuracy.

Roy, I must remember not to try arithmetic late at night :-)

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

994. More BAs Going to Belton Hamfest, 17 April

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gharmon@idworld.net
Message-ID: <371481de.3570916@news.idworld.net>
Source record: 145726

Additional equipment has become available for the Belton trip this Saturday, 17 April.

If you are interested send me an email or give me a call for additional information. All are in G or better condition. None have been restored. Manuals are either available or available to copy. Untested as of right now unless noted. I may have time to check for smoke before Saturday.

1. Globe King 500 (not sure which model but no VFO; missing rear door, needs work) - $300

2. Heathkit DX-100 (2 units; one nice one has a modulator problem; other is untested) - $150 for both

3. Hallicrafters SX-25 - $125

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995. Iphone Repeaterlink demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <37144328.97BE2186@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.ham-radio

We will demo Iphone Repeaterlink to a 5th grade class today.

Please call for K2DJ. Look for the K2COP repeater in the REPEATERLINK room.

We will be monitoring the repeater output in Fairport, NY at 1515 UTC (11:15 AM eastern time) today, Wednesday, April 14.

Sorry for the late notice. This demo is for a Radio Coaches class (the last of 10 classes).

73,
Peter, W2SKY

996. auroral-Es

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jukarv@keskuskoulu.kajaani.fi
Message-ID: <7f22v8$ic1$1@news.kolumbus.fi>
Source record: 145728
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

hi,

I'm looking for digital audio recordings of different types of auroral-Es contacts and propagation events on 28, 50 and especially 144 MHz. So far my attemps have been unsuccesful. I have found only one realaudio clip from www.uksmg.org. Doubtless there are far more recordings on the tapes or already in the digital format. It would be nice if them shared to all.

If you find any, please email it to me with a short description. I will make them available for all on the webpage.

Juho,
OH8HFY
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[Juho Karvonen - jukarv@keskuskoulu.kajaani.fi - OH8HFY]

997. Re: Interference on Telephone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7f274v$7so$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145729

In article <19990413221133.09335.00000293@ng12.aol.com>,
ruspc@aol.com (RusPC) wrote:
> My 80 meter SSB signal is being heard on my telephone. I would like to hear
> from someone who has cured the problem.
>
> Thanks
>
> Rus
>
Rus,

Your getting a real bag of worms with Telephone interference. There are so many possibilities it can be mind boggling. I use a filter built by Rich, WB2OTK. It works very well, or K-COM sells a good series of them also. As a last resort go buy a phone from Radio Shack, its number is 43591. They do not seem to react to RF interference.

Dan/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

998. TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Meserve <stevenme@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <7f25ah$n5q@news.dns.microsoft.com>
Source record: 145730
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I had the idea to use a Windows CE unit (Compaq h/w) as the terminal for my mini packet station, the Kenwood TH-D7A. This creates a very small but powerful packet station with one slight problem. Since the real (pg-4w) cables from Kenwood are not yet available (I'm told they are backordered), I used the 3/32" 3 conductor plug with 4ft of wire provided in the box by Kenwood, and added a DB9 to the other end. While the data connectivity works flawlessly, the RF situation couldn't be worse. As soon as I bring the cable (connected to a running CE) close to the D7A, RF hash appears. If the cable is actually plugged into the radio, all but the strongest signal are obliterated. I've tried another CE unit, an HP 660, and get the same results.

Has anyone else tackled this problem? Does the Kenwood cable (the pg-4w, if you can find one in stock) fix the problem? My guess is to use a torriod and wrap the cable around it, but I don't know how to calculate the torriod/windings to create a choke to cleanup this RFI. Any info is appreciated. 73's

Steve
K1YZ

999. Re: Interference on Telephone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k3ph@dxis.monroe.pa.us
Message-ID: <FA6L3y.D6K@dxis.monroe.pa.us>
Source record: 145731

In article <19990413221133.09335.00000293@ng12.aol.com>,
RusPC <ruspc@aol.com> wrote:
>My 80 meter SSB signal is being heard on my telephone. I would like to hear
>from someone who has cured the problem.

Check out:

http://www.k-comfilters.com

I've had great success with their filters. We have an AT&T Trimline 210
(a most vile piece of equipment with respect to RFI) that used to
produce room level audio when we ran a KW on 40 meters. With the K-COM
filter, you can't even tell when we're on the air.

72/73,
Bob

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+---+
| Bob Schreibmaier K3PH | E-mail: k3ph@dxis.monroe.pa.us |
| Kresgeville, PA 18333 | ICBM: 40o55'N 75o30'W |
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1000. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37149496.E6999E61@mwci.net>
Source record: 145732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Roy Lewallen wrote:

> With a 250 watt element, +/-5% of full scale is +/-12.5 watts. So it
> can read as much as 52.5 or as little as 27.5 watts with a 40 watt
> power level and still be within its specified accuracy. If you want
> better accuracy than this you'll have to use a different instrument,
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> of greater accuracy.
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> People frequently misunderstand the 43's spec to be 5% of reading.
> It's not

This is not correct.

Within the past month or so, I purchased a *new* Model 43 with a *new* 250H element. I compared it with a recently calibrated Boonton Model 92B RF voltmeter and 50 ohm load setup. The readings compared as closely as I could read the scale at all levels from 10 watts to 250 watts. I found this to be impressive. I found the accuracy to be quite a bit better than the "guaranteed 5% of full scale".

The meter scale on the 43 is highly compressed at full scale but spreads out greatly at readings below full scale and is easier to read. For example, midscale is about 80 watts. At 40 watts the error is not +/- 12.5 watts for a 250 watt element. It is definitely not off by 31% at 40 watts.

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The manner in which they mark the meter scale indicates the confidence they have in those markings. The validity of the markings is verified at the factory, where they have made more than 230,000 Model 43s. The skeptical owner should verify this for himself, as I did.

The nonlinearity of the meter scale has to be considered.

I also checked my new 1000H element with the same results.

Bill W0IYH

1001. Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
Message-ID: <7f258f$i58$1@news-2.news.gte.net>
Source record: 145733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Hi Rob, KC2AEI,

I received a response from the ITU regarding a request
to intervene relative to the upcoming Amateur Space
activity by SWATCH onboard the Beatnik / Sputnik-99 /
RS-19 satellite.

The ITU requested that as a FIRST STEP, that the matter
be brought to the attention of "the Administration
responsible for Telecommunication matters in your country".
In the US, this would be the FCC.

The ITU also requested that this information be circulated
among those who could have been invited to send the same
request to the ITU.

The text can be viewed at:

http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-beatnik.htm

Could you please update your web page accordingly,

http://wmbc.umbc.edu/rob/swatch-protest/

and I'll also post this into rec.radio.amateur.misc,
rec.radio.amateur.policy and rec.radio.amateur.space.

Incidentally, the FCC is aware of the upcoming event.

73 and aloha,

Ron Hashiro, AH6RH
Honolulu, HI

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"The reason we engineer to fail is that we do not
engineer to succeed." - AH6RH 04/04/1999"

1002. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murray Kelly <mkelly@powerup.com.au>
Message-ID: <37149EF4.4B79@powerup.com.au>
Source record: 145734

Don't be so upset - just send me the $$$$:-)

Michael Young wrote:
>
> The specifics are on the back of Form 610. Basically, it allows any
> medical condition your physician deems sufficiently bad to prevent you
> from passing the code test, even with special accommodations. They are
> required to reveal the details to the FCC, but not to the VE.

> news:3712BF88.C1EDC03F@dimensional.com...
> > I am curious to know what kind of medical conditions would qualify a
> > person for a Morse code waiver for a ham license. I saw a guy with a
> > waiver at a VE testing session the other night, and it looked like he
> > could see, hear, and write pretty well to me. Just idle curiosity.

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* Dr Murray Kelly vk4aok mkelly@powerup.com.au *
* 29 Molonga Ter. / Graceville/ QLD. 4075/ Australia *
* ph/fax Intl+ 61 7 3379 3307 *
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1003. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37149815.EBF8CC96@mwci.net>
Source record: 145735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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> Bill W0IYH

One other thing. The RF should have all harmonics and sub-harmonics greatly attenuated.

1004. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <3714B18A.84008914@nationwide.net>
Source record: 145736

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Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3714B4C7.61CBAB7@teleport.com>
Source record: 145737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

William E. Sabin wrote:
>
> Roy Lewallen wrote:
>
> > With a 250 watt element, +/-5% of full scale is +/-12.5 watts. So it
> > can read as much as 52.5 or as little as 27.5 watts with a 40 watt
> > power level and still be within its specified accuracy. If you want
> > better accuracy than this you'll have to use a different instrument,
> > or perhaps get the meter specially calibrated against a known standard
> > of greater accuracy.
> >
> > People frequently misunderstand the 43's spec to be 5% of reading.
> > It's not
>
> This is not correct.

Which part of my statement is not correct: That the Bird accuracy is not as I said, that readings of 27.5 to 52.5 watts for a 40 watt signal are within its specified accuracy, or that you have to use a different instrument to get better accuracy than this? If you're referring to the last of this list, is your sole evidence the measurement of a single new meter? Certainly, any single meter or even the vast majority of meters could be much better than the specification. None should be worse. And a given one can be calibrated or verified to better than the specified accuracy, as I suggested in my posting. But it's perilous to infer the accuracy of all meters from a single sample. If all Bird meters were as good as yours, it would be foolish for Bird to specify them so loosely.

If "5% of full scale" doesn't mean 5% of full scale, then what does it mean? If I measure, say, 40 watts, exactly what range of power could actually be going through the meter with certainty guaranteed by Bird? If they can't specify a range of values, then there is no specification at all. I say this as a person who has spent most of his career designing test equipment, all with carefully defined specifications, although this is very basic metrology.

Out of curiosity, what was the specified accuracy of the Boonton you compared it with?

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

> Within the past month or so, I purchased a *new* Model 43 with a *new* 250H
> element. I compared it with a recently calibrated Boonton Model 92B RF voltmeter

> and 50 ohm load setup. The readings compared as closely as I could read the scale at
> all levels from 10 watts to 250 watts. I found this to be impressive. I found the
> accuracy to be quite a bit better than the "guaranteed 5% of full scale".
>
> The meter scale on the 43 is highly compressed at full scale but spreads out greatly
> at readings below full scale and is easier to read. For example, midscale is about
> 80 watts. At 40 watts the error is not +/- 12.5 watts for a 250 watt element. It is
> definitely not off by 31% at 40 watts.
>
> 5% of 250 watts does not imply 12.5 watts at "all" meter readings. That is not what
> the term means. In fact, the term doesn't really say much of anything about the
> accuracy at lower readings.
>
> The manner in which they mark the meter scale indicates the confidence they have in
> those markings. The validity of the markings is verified at the factory, where they
> have made more than 230,000 Model 43s. The skeptical owner should verify this for
> himself, as I did.
>
> The nonlinearity of the meter scale has to be considered.
>
> I also checked my new 1000H element with the same results.
>
> Bill W0IYH

1006. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3714B50E.67AE@rpi.edu>
Source record: 145738

I wonder if it's possible to get a waiver for something like Attention Deficit and Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) or other cognitive problems? At our university, we must provide extra time on tests for people who have been diagnosed by our Learning Center with any learning or attention disorder. I think that this is a universal thing in academia.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP
RPI Department of Chemistry

CHUCK COOK wrote:
>
> The code waver was designed to help people who passed the 5wpm test but
> cant go any faster because of physical
> limatations that would keep you from
> copying code such as hearing loss,ect.
> but, I know several people who were
> perfectly able to copy code who got there doctors to sign there waver!
>
> One guy I know got it for a BAD BACK!
> Another guy got it because he had a heart attack 10 years before, and he
> got his Dr. to sign the waiver saying CW tests were too stressfull and
> might bring on a heart attack!! Both are now extras!
>
> I dont know if the fellow with the waiver was like that,all Im saying is
> it happens every day! there was a rumor that a Dr. near Pittsburgh, pa.
> was signing waivers for $50!!
>
> Its a shame that perple take the EASY WAY OUT!!
>
> DANG SHAME
>
> CHUCK N8SN
>
> VISIT MY WEBSITE AT:http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/7903/
> 73 FROM N8SN FORMERLY KF8HT

1007. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <437972682673818NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>
Source record: 145739
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 09:30:54 -0400, "Steve Meserve" <stevenme@microsoft.com> wrote:

> Has anyone else tackled this problem?

Get a HP200LX!

73 Jeff W4JEF

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*--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
|jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
| Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
|200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
*-----------------------------------------------------------------*
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1008. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3714BAC7.A35F3528@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145740

larry wrote:

> I have tried many times learing code and i cant
>
> larry kb9ksr

Larry,

There is no doubt in my mind that you *can* learn code. Perhaps you were going about it the wrong way, or perhaps you were trying too hard or trying to go too quickly. I think the secret is to be relaxed and not in a hurry, and persevere.

73,

Marv
KC0EGB

1009. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb9dnn@gmx.net
Message-ID: <3714b0db.27697136@news.hasler.ascom.ch>
Source record: 145741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 03:54:18 -1000, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
wrote:

> The ITU requested that as a FIRST STEP, that the matter
> be brought to the attention of "the Administration
> responsible for Telecommunication matters in your country".
> In the US, this would be the FCC.

Very good idea. I have contacted OFCOM (Swiss FCC) last thuesday. See
below for details.

> The text can be viewed at:
> http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-beatnik.htm

> Incidentally, the FCC is aware of the upcoming event.

OFCOM is investigating the case, too.
Please do not spam them with complaints, they are really working hard
on the problem and are *very* cooperative fighting for the radio
amateur's rights (do I have to mention, that the guy working on that
case is an amateur, too?). If You have something they might be
interesed in, let me know and I will forward it to them.
As mentioned above I contacted them last thuesday and since then they
have tried to gather as much information as possible to hunt down
Swatch. There seem to be quite a few problems due to the fact, that
the satellite is not operated by Swatch, but the Russian Space Control
Center (if somebody has secure information *who* uploads the Swatch
messages, please let me know). Swatch only forwards the messages to
the operator. Cooperation with Russian authorities seems to be always
one way (complaints are never answered, but in some cases solved...).

I think, Swatch will not stop that project. N. Hayek's sense for right
and wrong seems to be (to be polite) strange. The only language such
people understand is brute force. This means boycott of their product
and anti PR in the mass media. I am shure that at least the second one
will happen, if Swatch has the satellite launched on friday.
So keep on complaining (politely!) on the Swatch comment page.
Spamming them won't help at all, however.

Best 73

Robert, HB9DNN
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Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN

1010. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7f2ffb$9fv$1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 145742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <3714b0db.27697136@news.hasler.ascom.ch>, hb9dnn@gmx.net
says...
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>On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 03:54:18 -1000, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
>wrote:
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>> be brought to the attention of "the Administration
>> responsible for Telecommunication matters in your country".
>> In the US, this would be the FCC.
>
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>below for details.
>
>> The text can be viewed at:
>> http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-beatnik.htm
>
>> Incidentally, the FCC is aware of the upcoming event.
>
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>on the problem and are *very* cooperative fighting for the radio
>amateur's rights (do I have to mention, that the guy working on that
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>Center (if somebody has secure information *who* uploads the Swatch
>messages, please let me know). Swatch only forwards the messages to
>the operator. Cooperation with Russian authorities seems to be always
>one way (complaints are never answered, but in some cases solved...).
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>and anti PR in the mass media. I am shure that at least the second one
>will happen, if Swatch has the satellite launched on friday.
>So keep on complaining (politely!) on the Swatch comment page.
>Spamming them won't help at all, however.
>
>Best 73

>
>Robert, HB9DNN
>--
>
>Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN
If everyone sends swatch 100 emails, it might just crash their mail server. And while I would never suggest illegal activity, there are ways to mail bomb a site and (cometimes) cost them their net connection. Plus, they have at least two 1-800(800-937-9282 Pa and 800-598-6949 NYNY) phone numbers. Call them from every pay phone you pass and tell them why you think it is a bad idea to spam hams.. They will have to pay, and just might get the idea that hams are not as polite as they might have wished.
The more brave (and/or foolhardy) could even get a pc to autodial the numbers, but you might be prosecuted for this.
The only way to get most businesses attention is to hit their balance sheet. 800 call average around a $1 (us) each. 100 calls per day per pissed ham could really add up.
Or just roll over and watch our frequencies get grabbed by the money hungry, couldn't careless, corperations.

1-800-937-9282
1-800-598-6949

1011. FS Saber 1 uhf 12ch $240 w/2batt.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: xeon <xeon@ultinet.net>
Message-ID: <3714C4D1.465C9531@ultinet.net>
Source record: 145743

Saber 1 uhf 12ch
6D core, H/pwr, non secure
Model # H44SAN7139CN
comes w/ 1 batt.motorola used (not so good)
plus 1 brand-new batt motorola (7.2v @ 1800 ma)
& ant. the shape of the radio is in
good shape I'll give it a 7.

*** Note ****

Asking $240.+ you paid for S+H

**** Need to read radio for band spread ? ****
Don't know band spread!

I'm not going to paid someone $40 or $30 so i can read
the radio. If I'm not going to kept it.

Then i used my scanner to see what were the
CH. And this is what i found.

Ch. 1 447.285
Ch. 2 449.925
Ch. 3 460.000
Ch. 4 460.500
Ch. 5 449.125
Ch. 6 447.125
Ch. 7 --- Blank
Ch. 8 --- Blank
Ch. 9 --- Blank
Ch. 10 --- Blank
Ch. 11 --- Blank
Ch. 12 --- Blank

Save $40 or $30.

And this is why I'm selling it!
1) I got it with a trade!
2) It cost to much for me to keep this radio.
I would need a charger, software, cable,
rib box and get this a 386 computer. Ha

You can e-mail me

Xeon@ultinet.net

1012. ARRL Website down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David E. Lafferty" <dplaff@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <7f2hgm$555$1@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 145744

I've been unable to get into the ARRL website for
the past several days. Does anyone know if they
are down?
David
KF5PN

1013. WAS e-mail group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990414130012.26069.00000549@ng13.aol.com>
Source record: 145745

Hello everyone.
I have started an E-Mail group for Hams wanting to setup schedules with fellow Hams.

So if you need WAS, WAS/QRP, WAZ, DXCC, or you have an upcoming special event, here is the place to post it, and look for it.

You can subscribe by sending an empty e-mail to: skeds-subscribe@egroups.com

Please join us today and I hope this is helpful to all Hams!

73
Dan, N8IE
FISTS #4985
QRP-l #1404

1014. Re: ARRL Website down?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990414130406.26069.00000551@ng13.aol.com>
Source record: 145746

>I've been unable to get into the ARRL website for
>the past several days. Does anyone know if they
>are down?
>David
>KF5PN

David,
I just went there and it was up and running.
www.arrl.org

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

1015. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Dunckel <wdunckel@best.com>
Message-ID: <3714CEA5.847D73FD@best.com>
Source record: 145747
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: wdunckel.vcf

I have a Sharp Mobilon and it works great with my TH-D7a. I am using a homemade cable that is attached to the Mobilon cable. The mobilon cable does have a torroid coil nearest the HPC.

Hope this helps,

Walter

Steve Meserve wrote:
>
> I had the idea to use a Windows CE unit (Compaq h/w) as the terminal for my
> mini packet station, the Kenwood TH-D7A. This creates a very small but
> powerful packet station with one slight problem. Since the real (pg-4w)
> cables from Kenwood are not yet available (I'm told they are backordered), I
> used the 3/32" 3 conductor plug with 4ft of wire provided in the box by
> Kenwood, and added a DB9 to the other end. While the data connectivity works
> flawlessly, the RF situation couldn't be worse. As soon as I bring the cable
> (connected to a running CE) close to the D7A, RF hash appears. If the cable
> is actually plugged into the radio, all but the strongest signal are
> obliterated. I've tried another CE unit, an HP 660, and get the same
> results.
>
> Has anyone else tackled this problem? Does the Kenwood cable (the pg-4w, if
> you can find one in stock) fix the problem? My guess is to use a torriod and
> wrap the cable around it, but I don't know how to calculate the
> torriod/windings to create a choke to cleanup this RFI. Any info is
> appreciated. 73's
>
> Steve
> K1YZ

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1016. DM-3472 from Johnson Data

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jamie Cutler <jwc@stanford.edu>
Message-ID: <3714D673.2F519004@stanford.edu>
Source record: 145748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello,

Just wondering if anyone who has ever worked with the
DM-3472 UHF Transceiver. It's from Johnson Data (johnsondata.com).

We're getting some strange behavior. Every once in awhile after a
power cycle, the radio permanently looses it's transmit frequency.
The radio has a loader that contains a small processor and EEPROM
to load the radio's synthesizer with a frequency. Occasionally,
the transmit frequency gets set to 268.41250MHz. It's quite stange.

I'll go into more detail if anyone is interested. I've contacted
Johnson but no luck getting ahold of them yet.

Thanks.

--Jamie
jwc@stanford.edu
Space Systems Development Laboratory
Stanford University
http://aa.stanford.edu/~ssdl/

1017. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Curt M. Breneman" <brenec@rpi.edu>
Message-ID: <3714DCA0.62B2@rpi.edu>
Source record: 145749
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve Meserve wrote:
>
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> wrap the cable around it, but I don't know how to calculate the
> torriod/windings to create a choke to cleanup this RFI. Any info is
> appreciated. 73's
>
> Steve
> K1YZ

Steve,

I think that a single large piece of ferrite would do the trick with
only one pass through it. Look at how the power supply and other cables
from many laptop computers have those characteristic parasitic lumps on
them. I think that's what you need.

Curt Breneman
KC2EBP

1018. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be86e9$3f2bf560$f8e5abc3@default>
Source record: 145750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you already knew this, you already knew the answer to
whatever question you were asking.

So please try to stop wasting people's time and bandwidth..
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****
Reg, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp

****

1019. MOTOROLA SPECTRA SERVICE MANUAL NEEDED .!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <7f2tgbsng1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145751

IF THERE IS ANYONE WHO'S GOT MOTOROLA SPECTRA SERVICE MANUAL FOR VHF VERSION OF RADIO I WOULD BE ETERNALLY GRATEFUL TO THE PERSON WHOU WOULD BE WILLING TO MAIL TO ME THIS MANUAL .!!!

I CAN HELP OUT WITH OTHER MOTOROLA PRODUCTS IN RETURN .!!!

REGARDS

FOX
--
Trustno1, do you ??

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1020. Re: Food for thought

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Lovekamp <plvekamp@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <1y6R2.2228$Mu2.4390@nnrp2.ptd.net>
Source record: 145752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I was following along pretty well until the part about 'negative energy'...
Yeah, you can have negative energy flow, but energy's gotta be conserved
somehow!! Think 'unterminated transmission line'... where does the
energy go?? High SWR, reflected waves, hmmmm.... I bet the final amp is
getting pretty warm by now.... !!! Unless you use a tuner, which
probably will dissipate some heat itself.

Of course, you can also have ground losses, radiation patterns straight up
into space, maybe others I haven't thought of. The point is, there are a
lot of possibilities besides breaking a law of physics that hasn't been
disproved in 100 years. You'd have to eliminate all those things and then
some to make me drop my trust in thermodynamics. (Not faith.. trust...)

Paul, KE3LR

1021. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Meserve <stevenme@microsoft.com>
Message-ID: <7f2ugk$tpq@news.dns.microsoft.com>
Source record: 145753
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In addition to the Compaq I have an HP 660LX, and it exhibits the same RFI problem.

Steve

Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote in message news:437972682673818NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET...
> On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 09:30:54 -0400, "Steve Meserve" <stevenme@microsoft.com> wrote:
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>
> 73 Jeff W4JEF
>
> *--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
> |jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
> | Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
> |200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
> *---*
>

1022. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <3714F4EC.743218B8@mwci.net>
Source record: 145754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Roy Lewallen wrote:

> Which part of my statement is not correct: That the Bird accuracy is
> not as I said, that readings of 27.5 to 52.5 watts for a 40 watt
> signal are within its specified accuracy?

Yes. That is what I said. Suppose you read 12.5 watts. Does that mean the power is between 0 and 25 watts. Read the scale on a 43 in good condition and you will see that this does not make sense.

> If all Bird meters were as good as yours, it would be
> foolish for Bird to specify them so loosely.

It would not be foolish at all. See explanation below.

> If "5% of full scale" doesn't mean 5% of full scale, then what does it
> mean?

It means what it says and should not be extrapolated. If the reading is 250 watts the error can be +/- 12.5 watts (0.22 dB). It does not say that a 40 watt reading is also +/- 12.5 watts. In certain applications, for best "percent" error, we would try to pick a plug-in element whose full scale coincides with the power that we are interested in.

The maximum error in watts is not a constant number at every point on the scale.

> If I measure, say, 40 watts, exactly what range of power could
> actually be going through the meter with certainty guaranteed by Bird?

As I said before, the exact accuracy at readings below full scale is not specified (there may be some formula that they use and that my inquiry to them could not determine). It is very difficult and dangerous legally to "guarantee" the accuracy at every point on the scale. My guess is that they computer-check maybe five points in the factory. I also guess that their diodes are tightly specified and hand picked (I have seen this practice also). For reasons of their own they do want to be involved with tight specs on portable instruments that may be misused or abused or operated over a wide ambient temp range (because of the tempco of the diodes).

But if you look at the scale, the markings are very well done, and the pointer is an anti-parallax type for accurate reading. I don't think this is just "window dressing." There is a certain error associated with the ability to read the meter that has to be considered. At low wattage the percent error can increase somewhat because of this. If the needle gets bent because of misuse, or if the meter has an aging effect, these things aggravate errors over time. The D'Arsonval meter does have certain systematic errors with age.

There are digital instruments that are used only in metrology laboratories such as Rock-Col that are used to check things such as 43s, which are then used at the test stations on the production line. In some applications there may be a correction chart attached to the 43.

> If they can't specify a range of values, then there is no
> specification at all. I say this as a person who has spent most of his
> career designing test equipment, all with carefully defined
> specifications, although this is very basic metrology.

I am sure that I know as much about these matters as you do. And I know exactly what 5% of full scale means, and what it does not mean.

> Out of curiosity, what was the specified accuracy of the Boonton you
> compared it with?

It was calibrated by the Rockwell Collins metrology dept. I don't know the exact number but you can be damned sure it is not off by 1.6 dB at 40 watts. Government contracts require periodic and accurate calibration of all test equipment. And the 92B is an excellent instrument that is capable of very close calibration. I use a Boonton 100:1 voltage divider for xmit measurements, and it has been verified also.

The 43 and the two elements that I bought are just a random sample of one each. Also, I am confident that Bird checks the 43 at their test stations to better tolerance than what they guarantee at the customer's site. This is common practice. The guarantee to the customer is more relaxed than their production line test. Companies have to do this to cover their butts. Tek does the same thing, I'll wager.

I also know that the 43 can be abused. I have seen plenty of that.

And if the instrument is initially much better than 5% of full scale, then over a long time, with proper usage, it will probably still be within 5% of full scale. I know that is how I would spec it.

And be sure to filter out the harmonics, amplitude ripple and other spurious.

Bill W0IYH

1023. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <4294962159268268034 8NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>
Source record: 145755
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 16:40:48 -0400, "Steve Meserve" <stevenme@microsoft.com> wrote:

> In addition to the Compaq I have an HP 660LX, and it exhibits the same RFI
> problem.

My 200LX (I love this little machine) has no problems with high levels of
RFI.

73 es gl Jeff W4JEF

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*--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
|jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
| Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
|200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
*-----------------------------------------------------------------*
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1024. Railroad or railfan nets?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: johnande@interl.net
Message-ID: <7f34f3$33e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145756

I have a page on railroad museums and one of my readers (a ham) wondered if there were any railroad nets on hf? Does anyone know?
Thanks, John K0BKL

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1025. Re: Help identify this receiver...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7f3425$mo2$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 145757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Dave

I suspect it is a homebrew.

Most of the components are 1920 vintage
and are very common items. Early homebrews
typically used wood breaboards and bakelite
front panels, not metal; so there is a bit of
an anachronism here. The large
rheostat is for controlling the filament voltage
on the two tubes. The tube sockets appear
to be wafers--again a contrast to the earlier
vintage vernier dials and transformer.

The larger capacitor was probably used for
tuning. 140-pF was a "standard" tuning capacitor
value during the 30s and 40s, manufacturers
supplied coil sets for that value tuning capacitor.
The smaller variable was most likely used in series
with the tickler winding, as a throttle control, to set
the regeneration point.

If the tube sockets are 4-pin, likely tube candidates
are 30, UX199, and UX201. Blank 4-pin coil forms
are available from Ocean State Electronics. Antique
Electronic Supply I believe offers 5 and 6 pin forms.

Regards

Peter, K1ZJH
restoration columnist, PopComm Magazine
dave@boatanchors.com wrote in message <7etdcg$41m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Hello all,
>
>I have just acquired an old regen chassis that I
>hate to see stripped out for parts. I'd like to
>restore it and make it operable, but I need to
>find out what it is first, and if anyone has the
>schematic. I don't have the coil or tube lineup
>(I'm sure it's coil, detector, and audio but I'm
>not sure). >It appears to be a Pilot 'kit' - the kind that had
>all the parts and panels, but you had to drill the
>holes yourself.
>
>I have photos at:

>
>http://www.boatanchors.com - then click on the link at

1026. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37151694.5695B36C@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

I seem to be missing something here. SWATCH is apparently pissing off
all hams with their plan to transmit a message, and for the most part
only hams will hear the message. This sounds like a net loss for them.
They should fire the idiot that ever suggested the idea to them.

Marv
KC0EGB

HighWaysinHiding wrote:

> In article <3714b0db.27697136@news.hasler.ascom.ch>, hb9dnn@gmx.net
> says...
> >
> >On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 03:54:18 -1000, Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net>
> >wrote:
> >
> >> The ITU requested that as a FIRST STEP, that the matter
> >> be brought to the attention of "the Administration
> >> responsible for Telecommunication matters in your country".
> >> In the US, this would be the FCC.
> >
> >Very good idea. I have contacted OFCOM (Swiss FCC) last thuesday. See
>
> >below for details.
> >
> >> The text can be viewed at:
> >> http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-beatnik.htm
> >
> >> Incidentally, the FCC is aware of the upcoming event.
> >
> >OFCOM is investigating the case, too.
> >Please do not spam them with complaints, they are really working hard
>
> >on the problem and are *very* cooperative fighting for the radio
> >amateur's rights (do I have to mention, that the guy working on that
> >case is an amateur, too?). If You have something they might be
> >interesed in, let me know and I will forward it to them.
> >As mentioned above I contacted them last thuesday and since then they
>
> >have tried to gather as much information as possible to hunt down
> >Swatch. There seem to be quite a few problems due to the fact, that
> >the satellite is not operated by Swatch, but the Russian Space
> Control
> >Center (if somebody has secure information *who* uploads the Swatch

> >messages, please let me know). Swatch only forwards the messages to
> >the operator. Cooperation with Russian authorities seems to be always
>
> >one way (complaints are never answered, but in some cases solved...).
>
> >
> >I think, Swatch will not stop that project. N. Hayek's sense for
> right
> >and wrong seems to be (to be polite) strange. The only language such
> >people understand is brute force. This means boycott of their product
>
> >and anti PR in the mass media. I am shure that at least the second
> one
> >will happen, if Swatch has the satellite launched on friday.
> >So keep on complaining (politely!) on the Swatch comment page.
> >Spamming them won't help at all, however.
> >
> >Best 73
> >
> >Robert, HB9DNN
> >--
> >
> >Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN
> If everyone sends swatch 100 emails, it might just crash their mail
> server. And while I would never suggest illegal activity, there are
> ways
> to mail bomb a site and (cometimes) cost them their net connection.
> Plus, they have at least two 1-800(800-937-9282 Pa and 800-598-6949
> NYNY) phone numbers. Call them from every pay phone you pass and tell
> them why you think it is a bad idea to spam hams.. They will have to
> pay, and just might get the idea that hams are not as polite as they
> might have wished.
> The more brave (and/or foolhardy) could even get a pc to autodial the
> numbers, but you might be prosecuted for this.
> The only way to get most businesses attention is to hit their balance
> sheet. 800 call average around a $1 (us) each. 100 calls per day per
>
> pissed ham could really add up.
> Or just roll over and watch our frequencies get grabbed by the money
> hungry, couldn't careless, corperations.
>
> 1-800-937-9282
> 1-800-598-6949

1027. Sams $.25 ea

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: vintel@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990414184741.06243.00000625@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 145759

Sam's Photofacts available as low as $.25 per SET(not folder but set) in
quantity Follow the "Schematics" link from http://www.vintage-electronics.com/
Also selling Tubes, Radios, Test Equip, Tube Amps(couple nice Marantz units
among others), books, other things related to vintage electronics.
Thanks for taking the time to check this out.
John

1028. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <k99R2.2662$fH2.1180@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145760

On 14 Apr 1999 08:10:12 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> As far as apologizing to "rosie" -- I don't apologize to anyone who
> tosses rocks all the while hiding behind the cloak of an anonymous
> screen name. His last name-calling post showed his true spirit.

I wouldent expect it anyway. Your neibor Ralph Hedges says you have
always been a pain.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

1029. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <kb9R2.2665$fH2.1134@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145761

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 10:17:30 -0500 Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
wrote:
> ...---...
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> > >
> > > It would be a simple test for an independent third party to post an
> > > article containing a line beginning with ...---... and compare the Deja
> > > News version with that of talkway.com.
> > >
>

so their you are.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

1030. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f36pn$7ie@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145762

In article <3714B18A.84008914@nationwide.net>,
Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
>...---...

>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> It would be a simple test for an independent third party to post an
>> article containing a line beginning with ...---... and compare the Deja
>> News version with that of talkway.com.

I don't know if it will matter, but the original article used _ instead
of - for the three dashes.

1031. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371524AB.F69A4CE1@ibm.net>
Source record: 145763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

> William E. Sabin wrote:
>
> > Roy Lewallen wrote:
> >
> > > With a 250 watt element, +/-5% of full scale is +/-12.5 watts. So it
> > > can read as much as 52.5 or as little as 27.5 watts with a 40 watt
> > > power level and still be within its specified accuracy. If you want
> > > better accuracy than this you'll have to use a different instrument,
> > > or perhaps get the meter specially calibrated against a known standard
> > > of greater accuracy.
> > >
> > > People frequently misunderstand the 43's spec to be 5% of reading.
> > > It's not
> >
> > This is not correct.
> >
>

That is correct. It is not speced at 5% of the reading, but of full
scale.
That means it could be way off at the lower power readings. Lots of
meters becides the Bird watt meters are speced that way, that is why
for the analog meters, you should try to get the reading on the
upper portion of the scale.
The scale is not linear and the diodes are very poor in calibration
at the lower levels. They are operating in the square low reagon
and could be way off.

I will agree that the Birds are usually more accurate than that. I
work with lab instruments calibrating other instruments every day
and find a quality instrument will normally beat the specs by a
large ammount under controlled conditions, but if they are operated
in a very hot area or very cold area, they can 'drift' near the
limits. Don't know about the Bird, but suspect if you place one at
the extream ends of the temp range, it will be luckey to hold as
near as 2 or 3 %.

1032. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3715332A.5110C470@teleport.com>
Source record: 145764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

William E. Sabin wrote:
>
> Roy Lewallen wrote:
> . . .
> > If I measure, say, 40 watts, exactly what range of power could
> > actually be going through the meter with certainty guaranteed by Bird?
>
> As I said before, the exact accuracy at readings below full scale is not specified (there
> may be some formula that they use and that my inquiry to them could not determine). It is
> very difficult and dangerous legally to "guarantee" the accuracy at every point on the
> scale. My guess is that they computer-check maybe five points in the factory. I also
> guess that their diodes are tightly specified and hand picked (I have seen this practice
> also). For reasons of their own they do want to be involved with tight specs on portable
> instruments that may be misused or abused or operated over a wide ambient temp range
> (because of the tempco of the diodes).
>. . .

Virtually all test equipment manufacturers guarantee and stand by the accuracy of their instruments. Certainly all the companies I worked for did. I've spent many, many hours writing specifications, verifying them, and establishing that I had with high confidence that all instruments would meet their published specifications. The specifications are written so they can be met. If the accuracy of the Bird 43 wattmeter is not specifed at some points on the scale, as you say, then it's useless for making any kind of meaningful measurement, as is any piece of test equipment with unspecified accuracy. I'll qualify that to say that it's useless unless you've specifically calibrated it against a standard which does have known accuracy. (Incidentally, I've heard that at least on some of the ranges, the Bird is near the lower end of its spec at one end of the frequency range and near the upper end at the other. I haven't investigated this personally, though.) I believe that the reason Bird gets by with such a sloppy spec is that they don't have any serious competitor that's willing to guarantee a better one. Or perhaps the market for their instrument feels as you do -- that hey, what the heck, I know they're pretty good.

You mentioned the calibration of the Boonton meter. (I apologize for cutting the quote too quickly.) I'll bet that if you were to send the Bird 43 meter to the calibration lab and it measured 30 watts with 40 applied, or even 12 watts with zero in, it would be returned as being in calibration. You might check this with the lab. Most labs will return a meter as calibrated if it meets its spec. If it has no spec,

it can't be calibrated. The fact that the Boonton was returned as calibrated doesn't mean that it's dead on, only that it meets whatever spec Boonton or your company put on it.

At this point it's clear that you have an entirely different approach to measurement verification than I do, so this is probably a good time to once again go our separate ways.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

1033. Re: Interference on Telephone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <JIaR2.215$GQ2.22600@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145765

Check out a ham store catalog -- recommend either Amateur Electronic Supply
or ham Radio Outlet. Look for filters made by K-Com. They have two types
of filters:

-- One is enclosed in a plastic case with telephone jack on one end, plug on
the other. Just unplug your phone and plug in the filter. Recommend you
inset the filter at the phone.
-- The other filter is naked -- just filter with four leads coming off it.

Back when I was seriously on the air, I installed the naked filters in the
wall behind each phone outlet in the house and put the plastic-enclosed
filters on each phone that was experiencing interference. Cleaned it right
up.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

RusPC wrote in message <19990413221133.09335.00000293@ng12.aol.com>...
>My 80 meter SSB signal is being heard on my telephone. I would like to hear
>from someone who has cured the problem.
>
>Thanks
>
>Rus

1034. Re: Iphone Repeaterlink demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Ashline <Ashline@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <7f3dtb$6jm$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145766

Where is the repeater link room?

Ryan
Peter Fournia wrote in message <37144328.97BE2186@frontiernet.net>...
>We will demo Iphone Repeaterlink to a 5th grade class today.
>
>Please call for K2DJ. Look for the K2COP repeater in the REPEATERLINK
>room.
>
>We will be monitoring the repeater output in Fairport, NY at 1515 UTC
>(11:15 AM eastern time) today, Wednesday, April 14.
>
>Sorry for the late notice. This demo is for a Radio Coaches class (the
>last of 10 classes).
>
>73,
>Peter, W2SKY
>
>
>

1035. Re: 5 wpm ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924143983.850.45@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145767

Torbjï¿½rn Morka <scanman@online.no> wrote in message
news:1K8R2.596$y75.4360@news1.online.no...
> Does this make you able to use voice on HF ?
> What power/frequencies ?

No.

>
> 5wpm = 25 chars / minute ?

Yes.

1036. Re: Iphone Repeaterlink demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <37151184.285CF0B0@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145768

It's all academic now. We had a great session with the 5th grade class with a "sparks to spaceships" presentation by W8JW involving a spark gap transmitter loaned from the AWA museum in Holcome. NY. We also had ATV demos and brief overview of the 2meter/10meter repeater and Internet phone involving the K2COP repeater which is online for Iphone calls. Unfortunately I learned later that the K2COP internet connection was not working.

Not sure exactly how to connect to K2COP/r. I did it one time using a demo version of Iphone that has since expired. Guess I got to break down and buy the SW. It was a lot of fun using it and I look forward to getting on Iphone again and making use of those repeaters that are connected to the internet. Sure home the FCC doesn't stop that action.

73,
Peter, W2SKY

Ryan Ashline wrote:

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> >
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> >Peter, W2SKY
> >
> >
> >

1037. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry L. Ornitz" <ornitz+U@dpnet.net>
Message-ID: <5McR2.276$GQ2.30204@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In all my years of working with instrumentation in the mechanical, electrical, and chemical areas, my training and experience tell me that Roy's understanding of percent of full scale is correct. If a manufacturer specifies percent of _reading_, that is exactly what is meant. But percent of _full scale_ is quite different - the actual reading can be in error as much as this percentage of the full scale reading _anywhere_ along the scale. In general, stating accuracy as percent of full scale is done to make a poor calibration look better than it actually is. For those wanting to quibble about definitions, ISA (formerly Instrument Society of America, now International Society for Measurement and Control) publishes a number of International Standards giving definitions of all of these terms.

I suspect Bird is just lazy in not giving better accuracy statements. For example, I have seen precision digital instruments specify accuracy as X% of reading + Y% of full scale +/- 1 count. In this case, the X value relates mostly to how well the true reading matches the divisions of the instrument's scale. The Y value relates more to the errors obtained when switching from one scale to the next. Finally the +/- one count relates to the ambiguity of the digital electronics (such as a counter or A/D converter).

What Bird really needs to do is present a calibration curve of actual value versus indicated value. Added to this should be two additional curves, one above and one below, indicating the 95% confidence limits as determined for a large number of instruments. This sort of statistical accuracy presentation is expensive, obviously, and I doubt if Bird will ever give one.

Percent of full scale is, in my opinion, a cop-out for Bird. Whenever accuracy is stated this way, it means the actual accuracy of any reading will always be worse than the full scale accuracy (unless the reading IS full scale, in which case the accuracy is the full scale accuracy).

73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net

1038. Your Personal Callsign Mug.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaw Jabber <jawjabber@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7f3m05muu1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145770
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

What better way is there to start off your morning except by drinking a cup
of coffee using your very own CALLSIGN MUG. See at
http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber
All mugs are made with quality control in mind. They are dishwasher and
microwave safe and if after you receive your mug you are unsatisfied just
send the mug back in its original shipping container and I will refund you
the cost of the mug. See at http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber for
details.

Georges Mug Shop
http://home.earthlink.net/~jawjabber

1039. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37156C36.608214E6@mwci.net>
Source record: 145771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Barry L. Ornitz wrote:

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> electrical, and chemical areas, my training and experience tell me that
> Roy's understanding of percent of full scale is correct.

It is not correct. High quality meters of all types routinely specify full scale accuracy. Because of quality control of the relationship between "deflection" and "input" they can mark the scale with considerable confidence. The accuracy degrades "gracefully" below full scale.

I definitely do not agree with your comments on this. They are contrary to my experience with high quality laboratory analog meters of many types.

Bill W0IYH

1040. Re: Web page - You all may or maynot like to read!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <3715dcdd.25592852@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145806

On Tue, 13 Apr 1999 20:31:34 GMT, ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Hello, Amateur Radio can be a very fun way to find and make new friends, But
>it has it's BUG's too! Like CB radio the FCC dose very little to stop
>Jammers, and poor miss guilded minds from the bands.... My page is up to let
>people know of the problems and try to find an answer to this ever growing
>problem on Amateur Radio........
>
If you would update your page it would be much better. The same stuff
has been on there for months. ZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZ.

1041. FS Bendix-King 800 mobil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990413205613.05710.00000313@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 145807

Model LMX-ll01. With mic in good condition. Needs power cord. $55 plus shipping.

1042. FS Lafayette 6/mtr AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990413205735.05710.00000316@ng25.aol.com>
Source record: 145808

HE-45B with manual and power cord. Needs mic. $85 plus shipping.

1043. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.117dba4f9d8809e39896b4@news>
Source record: 145809

In article <3712AD24.8F4818B6@eriecoast.com>, kb9ksr@eriecoast.com
says...
> I have tried many times learing code and i cant
>
> larry kb9ksr

I didn't think I'd ever learn code either. But I found out that ten days in a tent while it's raining like hell outside is plenty of encouragement. With enough batteries and a walkman I tolerate old Gordo's code practice tapes for hours on end. When I look back at 5WPM I can't believe how slow it is.

Tony

1044. Interference on Telephone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ruspc@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990413221133.09335.00000293@ng12.aol.com>
Source record: 145810

My 80 meter SSB signal is being heard on my telephone. I would like to hear from someone who has cured the problem.

Thanks

Rus

1045. Re: QST Easter Egg Hunt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990413222053.13051.00000292@ng106.aol.com>
Source record: 145811

>There are 100 QSTs out there (May issue, NOT April !) that should be
>arriving in your boxes with various goodies glued in this week or
>next.

Why do we not believe this........The fake e-mail address, perhaps?

1046. Lotta Lotta Bird Stuff 4 Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7f0v4o$p6n$2@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145812

I have some Bird equipment for sale, and here is the list:

1. Bird 8201 500 watt 50 ohm dummy load in great condition W/ N
connector $275.00
2. Bird 4381 RF Power Analyst W/ N connector, no manual. Don't know
if it takes regular batteries or rechargeables. It has a charger
connection great condition, but can't test $575.00
3. Bird 4304A 25-1000 MHZ 500 wattmeter, increments of
5,15,50,150,500 scale W/N connectors great $275.00
4. Bird 43 N $150.00 good
5. Bird 43 N $150.00 good
6. Bird 43 N $125.00 scratch, and little dent on bottom
7. Bird 1000C 100--250 MHZ 1000 watts $38.00
8. Bird 1000C " " " $38.00
9. Bird 500C 100--250 MHZ 500 watts $38.00
10. Bird 500C " " " $38.00
11. Bird 250C 100-250 MHZ 250 watts $38.00
12. Bird 50C " " 50 watts $38.00
13. Bird 50C " " 50 watts $38.00

14. Bird 1K W max it looks like a element
with a BNC connector in the middle, and states on it
40 DB 125-250 MHZ $55.00

15. MA-COM nice heavy dry dummy load I would guess
about 200 watts capability model 44017 $70.00

ALL OF THIS ITEMS ARE PLUS SHIPPING

Leo KJ6HI Ph/Fax (310) 670-6969

1047. FS:Radio Shack PRO-62 Hand Held Scanner On Ebay NO-RESERVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew <xandrew@tropicom.net>
Message-ID: <371415FF.AE6A0A@tropicom.net>
Source record: 145813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have on Ebay a Radio Shack PRO-62 Hand Held Scanner on Auction. This
has NO RESERVE. This will sell to the highest bidder GUARANTEED.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=90988866

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********** DO NOT AUTOREPLY **********

TO REPLY REMOVE THE 'X' FROM MY EMAIL
ADDRESS. ANTI SPAM MEASURES IN EFFECT

XANDREW@TROPICOM.NET

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1048. W7AQ Yakima Amateur Radio Club - Washington State Ham convention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3715386a.1832968@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 145814

Yakima Amateur Radio Club W7AQ
Is proud to announce the Washington State Ham Convention
and Yakima Hamfest May 22 & 23 1999

Doors open 9:00-4:00 Saturday, Breakfast starts at 7:00
Doors open 9:00-1:00 Sunday, Breakfast starts at 7:00

Prize Drawing Sunday at 12:00
!!!!!!! Grand Prize - Icom IC-706MKII !!!!!!!

New Location!! We are back in Yakima!! This Year we will be holding
the
event at the Masonic Center, 510 North Naches Ave. Easy access off
I-82

ARRL Guests

Greg Milnes W7OZ--ARRL NW Division Director
James Fenstermaker K9JF--ARRL NW Division Vice Director
Dean Straw N6BV--ARRL Senior Assistant Technical Editor
Kyle Pugh KA7CSP--Eastern Washington Section Manager
Jack Babbitt WA5ZAY--Eastern Washington Emergancy Coordinator

Saturday Night Banquet Dinner
Dinner will be catered on site. $12.50 per plate
Dinner Program by Dean Straw N6BV "Logistics and Planning for the
6Y2A DXpedition"

ARRL VE Testing Walk-ins
Welcome, Don't forget a copy of your licence.
Saturday at 12:30 on site Contact Sean
Byrne AC7AJ (509) 966-9838 for more information

For more information or to register
for the convention, please send E-Mail to
KB7HDX@ARRL.NET

Please include your mailing address
or call (Eve. after 6:00 Pacific) Area code 509-965-3379
Mark J. Tharp KB7HDX
C. Jo Whitney KA7LJQ

1049. Re: Magnetic Loop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: gelleric@goethe.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de
Message-ID: <7f1gge$3dt$1@inf2.informatik.uni-stuttgart.de>
Source record: 145815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Jesper,

There were some reviews of that antenna in ham radio magazines.

vy 73,

Wolfgang DJ3TZ

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@ARTICLE{ quednau:96,
AUTHOR = {B. Quednau},
TITLE = "{Getestet: MFJ Super Hi-Q Loop Antenna}",
JOURNAL = {Funkamateur},
YEAR = {1996},
pages = {1214-1215},
month = {November}}

@ARTICLE{ kleinschmidt:94,
AUTHOR = {K. Kleinschmidt},
TITLE = "{The MFJ-1786 High-Q Loop Antenne for 10 to 30 MHz}",
JOURNAL = {QST},
YEAR = {1994},
pages = {62-64},
month = {August}}

@ARTICLE{ hart:94,
AUTHOR = {P.J. Hart},
TITLE = "{Loop Antennas for the HF Bands}",
JOURNAL = {Radio Communication},
YEAR = {1994},
MONTH = {Juli},
pages = {41-44}}
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1050. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <37144BE3.3661C078@teleport.com>
Source record: 145816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Anthony R. Gold wrote:
>
> On Sunday, in article <7f0205$j6t$1@wanadoo.fr>
> vantalon.f6bwf@wanadoo.fr "vantalon" wrote:
>
> > Hello . In my past job i have had to use 3 bird 43 in our laboratory . All
> > have given different measures (on the same load of course !)For an output
> > of 40 watts , one of them gives 50w reading ! This one was used for " demo "
> > with the customers !! 73 to all
>
> What is your point? Are you claiming that Bird watt meters do not
> meet their specified accuracy?
>
> Your comments raise a few questions, such as how do you know that the
> true power was 40 watts and what were the ranges and conditions of
> the Bird elements with which you made those measurements? And also,
> if you were serious about the last comment there's the ethical
> question of why you were showing a reading to your customers that you
> believed was false and fully 25% greater than the true power.
>
> New standard Bird 43 meters are specified at +-5% of Full Scale in
> carrier mode (and +-8% in PEP mode where that's available). So, even
> if the true power was 40 watt (and you didn't explain how you reached
> that conclusion), then measuring it with a new meter and new 250 watt
> element will not guarantee a reading any of better than around 237 to
> 263 watts, and using an old and mishandled meter and element of any
> rating may also not give a particularly accurate measurement.
>
> Regards,
> --
> Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

With a 250 watt element, +/-5% of full scale is +/-12.5 watts. So it
can read as much as 52.5 or as little as 27.5 watts with a 40 watt
power level and still be within its specified accuracy. If you want
better accuracy than this you'll have to use a different instrument,
or perhaps get the meter specially calibrated against a known standard
of greater accuracy.

People frequently misunderstand the 43's spec to be 5% of reading.
It's not.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

1051. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f1ih4$stq@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145817

Michael Young <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>Dave <root@warez.phantom.com> wrote in message
>> How is it, then, that some news servers have a different version?
>Right

>It's no big mystery. The author of a newsgroup posting can delete his
>own posting. It's possible that the error was spotted, and corrected.
>Dejanews probably pulls its newsfeed at longer periods than your other
>services. Thus, it pulled only the surviving, corrected version, while
>some other services got both.

But Deja News will show that an article has been cancelled; the article gets yanked and a cancellation message is put in its place. On the date I posted that ...---... article (and thereafter), you see no cancellations from me.

It would be a simple test for an independent third party to post an article containing a line beginning with ...---... and compare the Deja News version with that of talkway.com.

Both news.hawaii.edu and Dejanews.com agree on the fact that my posting was correct.

As far as apologizing to "rosie" -- I don't apologize to anyone who tosses rocks all the while hiding behind the cloak of an anonymous screen name. His last name-calling post showed his true spirit.

Jeff

1052. Re: NCI and The Future

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f1j19$t7g@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145818

In article <37106F26.AB82BA12@att.net>, Oscar <oscarrben@att.net> wrote:
>Eric, Obviously your diatribe is against dropping the CW requirement.
>But more importantly I can tell you've not been through MCRD as a
>recruit (Marine Corps Recruit Depot),thus, your analogy is inane.
>First, most of boot camp is not spent in hand-to-hand combat or learning
>to fight with a bayonet. Second, boot camp has changed quite a bit over

His funny fable was supposed to take place in the future, not the
present. Who can predict what boot camp will be like at that point in
time?

Semper Paratus (USCG),
Jeff KH6O

1053. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: billgatez@email.com
Message-ID: <37160bdc.267682356@news.inficad.com>
Source record: 145819

nuff said

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 15:04:24 -0500, "3.950 Monitor" <3950mon@aol.com>
wrote:

>The above listed jammers continue their feeble attempt at spinning,
>their law breaking
>activities on 3.950, shortwave amateur radio.
>
>Their goal is to disrupt the legal and public communications of other
>law abiding
>amateur radio operators. The reason that these 'opponents of free
>speech' jam 3950,
>is because they disagree with some of the views expressed on this
>frequency.
>
>Some of the jammers (K5BLB and KK7HO) are so full of hatred that they
>have
>openly discussed killing other amateur radio operators on this
>frequency. The
>danger is that as these criminals get more and more angry, and violent
>because
>of their extreme beliefs, someone will likely get killed or maimed.
>
>I only wish that the FCC and Mr. Hollingsworth would put an end to their
>activities
>before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine, which
>should have
>been prevented.
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1054. Re: Deeply Distrubed Jammers - K5BLB, WA9KJI, WB0CXJ, KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: billgatez@email.com
Message-ID: <37140b44.267530652@news.inficad.com>
Source record: 145820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

nuff said now shut the fuck up

On Wed, 07 Apr 1999 15:04:24 -0500, "3.950 Monitor" <3950mon@aol.com>
wrote:

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>activities on 3.950, shortwave amateur radio.
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>before we are reading about 'silent keys' in the ARRL magazine, which
>should have
>been prevented.
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1055. Re: NCI garbage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f1kp8$14q@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message

>> If CW is archaic, then so is phone; both are about the same age.

>Morse Code (which is REALLY what we're talking about) dates to
>the early 1840s ... phone, even the crudest AM did not come about
>until much later after the vacuum tube was invented. SSB came
>even later, and FM did not become popular until the late 60's or
>early 70's when a flood of older VHF/UHF commercial gear began
>to become available on the surplus market.
>
>Your assertion is all wet and reeling with procode spin as
>usual, Jeff.

If you're going to go back to Morse sent along a wire, then you need to remember that voice sent along a wire isn't all that much younger: 1876. Morse and phone via wire are very close in ago, as are Morse and phone via radio. (The first phone broadcast, including music, was made Christmas Eve, 1906. See "History of Radio to 1926.")

Say what you want; the chosen title "No Code International" makes no mention of code exams.

Jeff KH6O

1056. Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: pcr@ten.ci
Message-ID: <37167885.0@news.ic.net>
Source record: 145622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Swatch has retreated. They have said that due to a problem with MIR, they donated the batteries from the Beatnik satellite to power other systems on the MIR station. Here is the latest from their web site:

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Spasiba Swatch.

On April 16th, the Russian Space Program and Swatch were to launch the satellite "beatnik" in orbit with the capability of sending voice and text messages from people all around the world.

Unfortunately, the Russian transmission "Gelios", a key link with the MIR space station, was severely damaged a few days ago.This has created a situation of uncertainty and made communications to the MIR problematic.

Swatch has decided to donate the batteries supporting the beatnik satellite to the MIR cosmonauts who will be using them to run the printer onboard which is the lifeline to earth through which the cosmonauts receive their daily instructions and key operations points.

To thank Swatch for this gesture, we have decided to publish the messages that had been recorded in the beatnik memories and that we are now not able to transmit on the radio waves.

The first Russian satellite "Sputnik" has a special place in the hearts and memories of the Russian people.The gesture of Beatnik has made Swatch special too.

Here are the beatnik's messages
{messages deleted - if you want to read them, go look at www.swatch.com}

There has been a lack of understanding between us and some of you have been very agressive regarding the transmission of these messages. It was a real shame!

Now that this situation has been resolved, we would like to invite you to take part, with us, in this cyberspatial mission, spreading these positive messages all over the net.

=====end=====
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...phil / w8sca
Copyright, Phillip C. Reed, 1999.
Naughty words: eWorks! OT7 AOL bomb Green Card hack phreak breast sex
PGP fingerprint = C5 41 B5 9E B4 56 0C C3 26 FC B9 ED BC D7 CA 8B

1057. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bowden <**76606.611_@_compuserve.com>
Message-ID: <7f608s$4g8$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145623
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Carl Schulz wrote in message <7f43oc$g2q$1@grandprime.binc.net>...
>I had an idea for a car "alarm'. The idea was to hook up a fuel pump cut
>off switch to a reciever. When you transmit the right DTMF code on that
>frequency. it kills the fuel pump and stalls the car.
>
>If anyone actually tries this, I want a 10% cut of the profits. :)
>
>

Why not just hide a switch somewhere that kills the pump?
That way if a thief starts the car, he won't go too far.

-Bill

1058. Testing Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: N9QPI <chankins@logan.net>
Message-ID: <37168dc8.0@207.51.128.11>
Source record: 145624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Can anyone tell where I might be able to download testing software. My new step-son is wanting to study and everything I have is very out dated..
Thanks in advance

Jim
N9QPI

1059. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry L. Ornitz" <ornitz+U@dpnet.net>
Message-ID: <f9xR2.708$GQ2.75060@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

William E. Sabin wrote in message <37156C36.608214E6@mwci.net>...
>
>Barry L. Ornitz wrote:
>
>> In all my years of working with instrumentation in the mechanical,
>> electrical, and chemical areas, my training and experience tell me that
>> Roy's understanding of percent of full scale is correct.
>
>It is not correct.

Yes it is by definition of what an accuracy statement referenced to
full-scale is. Read ANY elementary book on instrumentation.

>High quality meters of all types routinely specify full
>scale accuracy. Because of quality control of the relationship between
>"deflection" and "input" they can mark the scale with considerable
>confidence. The accuracy degrades "gracefully" below full scale.

What you refer to here is a different accuracy statement. This implies
accuracy as a percent of reading. This was not what was specified.

As I stated yesterday, precision instruments usually give an accuracy
statement including both percent of reading and percent of full-scale.
Percent of reading accuracy is easy to measure with a linear scale, but
much more difficult with a nonlinear scale. With nonlinear instruments,
you are concerned with two things - how well the scale calibration fits the
instrument response curve, and how well the curve represents reality. The
Bird accuracy statement tells you only that the one reading, that taken at
the full-scale reading of the dial, is within 5% of the actual value. It
tells
you nothing of how well the dial calibration fits the actual instrument
response.

In the instrumentation industry, manufacturers routinely go through the
game of "specmanship". I would much rather have an instrument with an
accuracy of 1% of reading plus 20% of full scale than I would one with 5%
of reading and 5% of full scale. In the first case, I can do one
calibration at the full-scale value and then make any measurement to within
1%. In the second, all measurements are no better than 5%. And when a
manufacturer gives only the full scale accuracy for a nonlinear
measurement, you have no actual idea of the real accuracy at lower scale.
It likely is not as bad as only the full-scale accuracy suggests, but the
only guarantee from the manufacturer is the one point.

>I definitely do not agree with your comments on this. They are contrary to
>my experience with high quality laboratory analog meters of many types.

Please go back and consult the actual accuracy specifications on these meters. The better ones will state accuracy as a percent of reading. The excellent ones will give you a full set of statistics.

73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net

1060. Swatch backs down on plans to abuse 2m satellite band!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7f67s7$f85$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

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Swatch's website at http://www.swatch.com has been updated
with a really bogus-sounding message claiming that they have
donated the batteries from the satellite (which didn't belong
to them in the first place) "to save MIR from a
disastrous communications failure" by using the batteries to
run a printer they claim are the Cosmonaut's only link to earth ...

... like we don't all know that the Cosmonauts have 2m FM,
packet radio, and SSTV capabilities in addition to MIR's
operational communications systems :-)

Swatch's PR people really must have done their advanced
studies at Bandini University :-)
(for those who may not be familiar, Bandini is a US
fertilizer company well-known in some areas for its
bovine-derived product :-)

My personal compliments to *all* who wrote strong, yet polite
messages of protest to Swatch ... together, the amateur
community as a whole turned this around. To those who used
foul language: next time (and their will, unfortunately
be a next time when *someone* will try something like Swatch
tried ... or worse), keep it clean, firm and to the point,
but dignified.

Let's hope that we can continue to work together whenever
necessary to fend off attempts at encroachment on or
reallocation of our precious amateur bands.

73,
- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org
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1061. Help Icom 740

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3716A47F.4EA7@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145627
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello
I have a Icom 740 that I need help with trouble shooting. The rig lights up fine in moble and with built in power supply. All the relays appear to be working fine. In other words all the mechanics of the radio work fine. The problem with the rig is there is no transmit nor receive. I mean no even a little bit. I can key down a radio next to the Icom 740 and no receive, no meter movment nothing. The same thing with the radio in the transmit mode all the relays work but no signal not even a millwatt of output. When the rig is put in the FM mode I can hear the white noise come out of the radio but there again no receive or transmit. Does anyone have any idea which board I should look at?
Thanks for reading
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1062. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3716C4BF.529DA468@uswest.net>
Source record: 145628
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Well, lets see.

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> I have yet to see anyone seriously challenge the
> major points I have made under this thread.
>
> (1) FCC acted illegally
>

Produce the documentation that proves this allegation

> (2) FBI acted illegally

in 1 case (the ruby ridge incident) this might be proven as valid.
However, you have yet to produce any documentation to back
up your other allegations.

>
> (3) ARRL acted in the interested of profit only
> and therefore is disloyal to the US, Americans,
> Amateur Operators, the Amateur Radio Service,
> and its membership by voting to supress the
> story on jamming.

Really? Based on what proof or documents?

>
>
> I have made the error of not locking squarely on
> point and refusing efforts to distract on trivia,
> minutiae, and attempts to execute the messenger.

Ah yes, but you have done all of the above without remorse or
compassion.

>
>
> Despite the efforts to establish alternative arguments
> and win at these, the thesis remains unchallenged,
> because the evidence is unimpeachable, and clearly
> made available for all rational and analytical minds
> who want the truth.

It does? You state this as though you have already proven
BY DOCUMENTATION all of the above points. Yet you have
not produced any documentation to backup your claims, or you have

used the excuse "stand ready to publish them, as soon as I
can arrange to leave the□country, and post them from a safe place.",
Etc.

>
>
> Returning to the original point of this thread at:
> http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Cheapy webpage.. All unsubtsatiated rumors, etc.

>
>
> FCC JAMS HAMS,
> the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
> engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
> a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.
>

In YOUR opinion, though not apparently backed up by any facts
or documentation (you have yet to produce any at all)

>
> The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
> purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
> with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
> purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
> broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
> station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
> Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
> emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
> As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

Again, only your opinion and not neccessarily based on fact.
Where are your facts? where's the documents that prove this?
Your website is not sufficient as evidence.

>
>
> FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
> Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
> allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
>

funny, I have tried this and actually gotten some interesting documents.

It doesn't wash George!

> Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
> website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
> FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
> Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
> that I have figured out what the nature and content

> of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
> verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
> that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
> point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
> have two of the documents, and stand ready to
> publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
> country, and post them from a safe place.
>

I see you are using this excuse again! If you think the
Government is such a risk to you, then why not leave?

>
> Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
> FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
> documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
> FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
> purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
> described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
> pertaining to such classification at the time of
> classification.
>

again, this is only supposition on your part and appears
to hve no real basis in fact.

>
> Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
> Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
> Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
> criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
> criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
> Force engaged in Communications Act violations.
>

Funny, I spent some time on the phone with mine over
the last 2 days. It seems they have heard of you George.
They ask why anyone would be spouting off like you
do unless its because you desire attention.
Be careful what you ask for, you might just get it!

>
> Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
> tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
> Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
> reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
> What decent person would be a member of such
> a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
> moral integrity demands you quit.
>

again, produce the documentation. Otherwise, shut up and go away.
Its folks like you that give me serious pause in considering whether to become an Amateur Radio Operator or not. Frankly, I feel that you (and others like you) are more damaging to the Amateur radio service than all the government controls ever enacted.

1063. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7f6icaprq1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145629

>tracy glenn wrote:
>> WHAT??? 160 miles plus is childs play on SSB or CW.

>Martin Meserve wrote
>I guess then that you must be the ultimate authority on it. Maybe
>you can do it from your location, but I know I can't from mine.

You forget, the Midwest is flat. Here in Phoenix, it's hard to go 50 miles
without running into a mountain...

1064. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7f6icbprq2@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145630

Bill Bowden wrote
>Why not just hide a switch somewhere that kills the pump?
>That way if a thief starts the car, he won't go too far.

Better yet use the switch to kill the ignition. Then the thief won't go
anywhere...

1065. SO CAL: Emergency Preparedness Fair this weekend!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Humphrey <brian.humphrey@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <7f6mcpomu1@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145631
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Your "shack" may be prepared for disaster, but are you? Are you really aware of the latest emergency preparedness products and procedures? Find out this weekend!

The Los Angeles Fire Department warmly welcomes Amateur Radio and Monitoring enthusiasts to the:

LOS ANGELES EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FAIR

April 16, 17 and 18, 1999
10 am - 4 pm
Los Angeles Zoo North Parking Lot

This is a FREE event for the whole family.

City departments will be demonstrating how families can prepare for effective response to emergencies. They will be joined by more than 140 agencies and vendors. Fire engines, rescue vehicles and emergency helicopters will be on display. Search and rescue teams will demonstrate the latest emergency response techniques. The United States Armed Forces will demonstrate their disaster support capabilities. Emergency supplies and services will be on sale from private vendors. There will be face painting, fingerprinting, food, free prizes and entertainment.

Remember, Admission is FREE !!!

The Los Angeles Zoo is near the intersection of the 5 (Golden State) and 134 (Ventura) Freeways in Griffith Park. Follow the "LA Zoo" signs from either freeway. The huge outdoor exhibits will be in the Zoo's north parking lot.

For more information, visit: http://www.lafd.org/eqfair.htm

See you there!

Brian Humphrey
Firefighter/Paramedic
Public Information Officer
Los Angeles Fire Department

LAFD website: http://www.lafd.org

1066. Fuzzy Modes website has moved!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <371516de@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 145675
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Hi,
The "Fuzzy Modes" web site, which specializes in human readable visual modes
for Radio Amateurs, has been moved to:

http://www.qsl.net/zl1bpu/

Please update your bookmark.

Human readable visual modes include Hellschreiber (Feld-Hell, MT-Hell) and
Medium Scan TV.

The "Fuzzy Modes" web site has plenty of information on these modes, and
includes really good software for Hellschreiber transmission and reception.
Hell is a sensitive weak signal mode, and the performance is very good.
There are probably well over 100 Amateur Hell operators world-wide.

The new site has upgraded pages, new information, and several improvements.

73,

Murray ZL1BPU
as149@detroit.freenet.org

1067. 5 wpm ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@online.no>
Message-ID: <1K8R2.596$y75.4360@news1.online.no>
Source record: 145676

Does this make you able to use voice on HF ?
What power/frequencies ?

5wpm = 25 chars / minute ?

Seems ok for me, but i live in Norway :-(

1068. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <371536e3@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 145677

It's not always LAZINESS!

I helped a friend with a technician licence get our equivalent of Extra Class, by arranging a docyors certificate. In this case, I had more trouble getting my friend to admit that he was disabled, than actually getting the certificate or the licence.

My friend has Parkinson's Disease, which seriously disturbs his motor ability, and therefore his ability to write or send on a key.

Murray ZL1BPU

1069. fs kenwood tm 732

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: robh8304@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f3jatfhk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145678

i have a kenwood tm732 that i dont need any more since i just bought a 742 i no longer need the dual bander, I will take any serious offers into consideration, Rob kb8whz

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1070. Re: Physician's Code Waiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
Message-ID: <37154513.614736809@news.npwt.net>
Source record: 145679

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 11:32:30 -0400, "Curt M. Breneman"
<brenec@rpi.edu> wrote:

>I wonder if it's possible to get a waiver for something like Attention
>Deficit and Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) or other cognitive problems?
>At our university, we must provide extra time on tests for people who
>have been diagnosed by our Learning Center with any learning or
>attention disorder. I think that this is a universal thing in academia.

It is certainly possible and has been done but their is of
course no garantee that this will be respected by the VE's out there.
One or tow of them have boated about NOT accepting signed waivers from
people they did not consider diasabled. Indeed I have heard enough of
these stories to wonder hwo much of the socalled waiver abuse that
cuased the ARRL to ask and not get thank god to ask for the authority
check peoples private medical records

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

1071. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f3jl8$gsa@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145680

numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 10:17:30 -0500 Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>

>> ....---...

>> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> > It would be a simple test for an independent third party to post an
>> > article containing a line beginning with ...---... and compare the Deja
>> > News version with that of talkway.com.

>so their you are.
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com

So my original post *was* correct. Conclusion: Your talkway.com newsreader
stinks.

Jeff

1072. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f3jvu$h0o@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145681

In article <k99R2.2662$fH2.1180@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>I wouldent expect it anyway. Your neibor Ralph Hedges says you have
>always been a pain.

Never heard of him.

1073. Re: Iphone Repeaterlink demo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: va3rzs@rac.ca
Message-ID: <37155ec5.40540291@news.cgocable.net>
Source record: 145682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.ham-radio

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 08:26:32 +0100, Peter Fournia
<glide@frontiernet.net> wrote:

can you tell me what the site is ?? and how you are setting it up I
would not mind doing this with our local repeater here in Peterborough
On. Canada

thank you

>We will demo Iphone Repeaterlink to a 5th grade class today.
>
>Please call for K2DJ. Look for the K2COP repeater in the REPEATERLINK
>room.
>
>We will be monitoring the repeater output in Fairport, NY at 1515 UTC
>(11:15 AM eastern time) today, Wednesday, April 14.
>
>Sorry for the late notice. This demo is for a Radio Coaches class (the
>last of 10 classes).
>
>73,
>Peter, W2SKY
>
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>

1074. So you really want to know about the ARRL and OO Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990414235140.01907.00000901@ng27.aol.com>
Source record: 145683

ubj: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
Date: 4/14/99 7:54:32 PM Eastern Daylight Time
From: w9xn@NetUSA1.net (Martin A. Chittum, Sr.)
To: Richwhiten@aol.com

A remarkable event occurred at the Dayton Hamfest in 1993. After years of being harassed with blanket mailings by ARRL OO's (including K9MX, N9MX, W8IRT and others), an amateur was actually verbally and physically assaulted by one of these "Official" League functionaries. Ironically, this sad occurrence took place just a few feet from the site of an upcoming FCC Forum. ARRL OO David Boyd (K9MX), apparently incensed by the fact that he had been unable to "nail" WB2OTK, began shouting taunts across a crowded room in the direction of Rich Whiten. It was hard to believe that a man who represented both the ARRL and the U.S. Army Officer Corp. would behave in this manner. But there he was, screaming insults and threats at Whiten, while Rich was pushing a handi-ham in a wheelchair (Tom McMillen, WB3HGW).

Unable to gain a response with his jeers and taunting, Boyd actually physically assaulted Whiten. He shoved himself right up against Whiten and yelled out that he was now "getting in the face" of WB2OTK. He actually challenged Rich to "do something about it". Whiten defended himself with a mere shove. It is fortunate for Boyd that WB2OTK is not a person who would gain any pleasure from thrashing a pathetic little man with a chip on his shoulder. Had Boyd assaulted a different kind of man, the results might have been far more tragic.

When this episode began to wind down, Boyd and his OO henchmen stormed out of the arena. But OO K9MX didn't leave without first threatening to "bring down" WB2OTK "if it is the last thing that I ever do." We haven't heard much from David Boyd in the past few years. Perhaps he has thought better of using his position as an OO to carry on a vendetta against a fellow ham and that ham's friends.

Within a few weeks of these happenings, a strong letter of protest was filed with David Sumner, K1ZZ, at the ARRL. What was the result? Sumner refused to acknowledge any ARRL responsibility for the incident. He claimed that the OO's were all volunteers and that they had no professional or expert status that could, or would, be supported by the League. In other words, when an OO misbehaves, the ARRL suddenly has no "official" connection with them. So much for the "official" status of Official Observers.

And now, in 1999, the advisories of OO's such as David Boyd, K9MX, are being elevated to the status of de-facto Notices of Violation from the FCC? It seems that Rich Whiten is still being pursued by the ARRL's gang of untrained vigilantes. The only difference is that now an uninformed bumpkin at the FCC thinks he can use smoke and mirrors (provided by the OO's) to

create evidence where no admissible evidence exists. Would anyone blame WB2OTK if he decides to challenge the illegal practice of elevating an OO's report to the status of Notice of Violation? We think not.

(The events at the Dayton Hamvention were witnessed by dozens of amateurs and their families including N0JPZ and son, WB3HGW, W9XN and son, and the xyl of WB2OTK. Amazingly, most of these events were captured on a video tape that is in the possession of WB2OTK. No amount of spin-control from Newington can change the contents of that tape.)

Submitted by witnesses to these events.

---------- Headers ----------
Return-Path: <w9xn@NetUSA1.net>
Received: from rly-zc01.mx.aol.com (rly-zc01.mail.aol.com [172.31.33.1]) by
air-zc04.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 19:54:32 -0400
Received: from mars.netusa1.net (mars.netusa1.net [205.139.170.12])
by rly-zc01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with ESMTP id TAA21680 for <Richwhiten@aol.com>;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 19:54:31 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from default (and-59-97.netusa1.net [208.158.59.97])
by mars.netusa1.net (8.8.8/8.8.8) with SMTP id TAA08521
for <Richwhiten@aol.com>; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 19:07:36 -0500 (EST)
Message-ID: <004001be86d2$13bf2260$613b9ed0@default>
From: "Martin A. Chittum, Sr." <w9xn@NetUSA1.net>
To: <Richwhiten@aol.com>
References: <f8d293fe.24461fe5@aol.com>
Subject: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 18:54:02 -0500
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
X-Priority: 3
X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 5.00.2314.1300
X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft MimeOLE V5.00.2314.1300

1075. Re: I really control the ARRL and OO Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Pumpkin Head K1ZZ" <puppetmaster@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <_zeR2.2786$fH2.1186@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145684

years of
> being harassed with blanket mailings by ARRL OO's (including K9MX, N9MX,
> W8IRT and others), an amateur was actually verbally and physically

Does this surprise you Richard ? All amateurs are entitled to receive
between 10-25 lbs of ARRL produced environmentally unconscious junk
mail a year, as a ARRL public service to the amateur community !

It was hard to believe that a man who
> represented both the ARRL and the U.S. Army Officer Corp. would behave in
> this manner. But there he was, screaming insults and threats at Whiten,
> while Rich was pushing a handi-ham in a wheelchair (Tom McMillen, WB3HGW).

Richard, he was just annoyed by the fact that Tom couldn't be drafted
for combat.

>
> Unable to gain a response with his jeers and taunting, Boyd actually
> physically assaulted Whiten. He shoved himself right up against Whiten and
> yelled out that he was now "getting in the face" of WB2OTK.

Richard, you do realize that hams often like to share what they had for
lunch at flea markets, don't you ?
>
> Within a few weeks of these happenings, a strong letter of protest was filed
> with David Sumner, K1ZZ, at the ARRL. What was the result? Sumner refused
> to acknowledge any ARRL responsibility for the incident. He claimed that
> the OO's were all volunteers and that they had no professional or expert
> status that could, or would, be supported by the League.

Please, we are masters of spin and contortion. Slobodan Milosevic
stopped by for pointers on his way from Dayton in 1993.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.

1076. The OO's Creed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pope David the First <hisholiness@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <4TeR2.2808$fH2.1229@c01read04.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145685

I believe in ARRL the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.&#65533;

And in Riley Hollingsworth their only Son our Overlord;
who was conceived during ARRL Board's Annual Meeting,
born of the many Virgins at ARRL HQ, suffered under
FCC staff cutbacks, was buried under ARRL requests;
he descended into hell; the third
year he rose again from the dead; he
visited W1AW, and sitteth on his ass
in a leather swivel chair in Gettysburg;
from thence he shall come to judge the
quick and the dead, yet not ye contesters whose
poor operating is part of their unsavory lifestyles..&#65533;

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I believe in the Ghost of Saint Hiram of Rettysnitch;
the wholly boring Amateur Service; the communism of K1ZZ;
the public stoning of violaters; the resurrection
of the bodies of half dead hams; and the lack of a life everlasting.
Over over.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
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1077. DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Schulz <meteu@mailbag.com>
Message-ID: <7f42cjfbs1@grandprime.binc.net>
Source record: 145686

I just got my Tech ticket. I'm still waiting for my call sign. I have a friend in Chicago (I'm in Madison, WI) that is studying too. I am going to buy a 2 meter rig soon. I thought we might be able to talk on 2 meters (aprox 160 miles between us). Will this work? if not, what is a good band to use? I don't have my code yet so HF is out. According to the ARRL handbook it's possible but a local ham told me it's not.

Also, being in the midwest, what is a good band to use to talk to any of the coasts? I have another friend that is going to be touring the country and may take up ham radio too. I thought it could be cool to talk while he is out and about the country.

Thanks for your help.

1078. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Schulz <meteu@mailbag.com>
Message-ID: <7f43cv$fs0$1@grandprime.binc.net>
Source record: 145687

First, this isn't a flame on Tom. I'm just adding my two cents worth.

How many people want to get on the HF bands but can't afford the gear? I'm one. I am glad there is a no code tech. It got me in the door. HOWEVER, I am going to learn the code. I find it very interesting and look forward to mastering it someday.

I do know people that have a license just to talk around town but what is wrong with that? I started with a CB in my first car (still have it). Later I moved to GMRS and now to Ham. My station will be small. Al I am going to start with is a 2 meter rig and a home brew antenna. I am going to learn the code, save some money, upgrade my equipment and become a better ham. That is my goal.

Some purists out there may not like the people that use the no-code test as a way in. They may not feel that we no-code folks are not worthy of ham radio. Tough.

- Carl
(waiting for my callsign)

Tom B. wrote in message <371434AE.87EF906F@parg.org>...
>I think someone is peeing up the wrong tree. I see no need to decide
>that CW sucks and we need to get rid of it, to get more people jamming
>the airwaves. There are already plenty of Hams now. The problem is, not
>enough of them are transmitting. Is that a problem? If you have roads
>should there always be a traffic jam?
>At a recent Ham club meeting, they wanted to see a show of hands of
>those who had a HF station set up. It was a sad pitiful sight. 20% at
>the most. I bet most of the non hand raisers never or almost never got
>on any bands at all.
>What are we supposed to be doing? Selling more radio gear or jamming the
>airwaves, or having a base of citizens knowledgeable about radios and
>electronics? Maybe we do need some new voices out there because I can
>think of a few I can't stand listening to. Maybe that's why those other
>people aren't on the air, they heard them too.
>

1079. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Schulz <meteu@mailbag.com>
Message-ID: <7f43oc$g2q$1@grandprime.binc.net>
Source record: 145688
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I had an idea for a car "alarm'. The idea was to hook up a fuel pump cut off switch to a reciever. When you transmit the right DTMF code on that frequency. it kills the fuel pump and stalls the car.

If anyone actually tries this, I want a 10% cut of the profits. :)

1080. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb9dnn@gmx.net
Message-ID: <3715aa77.91599182@news.hasler.ascom.ch>
Source record: 145689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On 14 Apr 1999 16:24:11 GMT, we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

<< advice to spam Swatch >>

Nice try, but IMO the wrong way. If You want to be taken serious, then
You have to behave serious.
SPAMMING, MAILBOMBING, and TELPHONE-TERROR is a NO-GO!

We should try to organize a boycott for Swatch products. This is the
only way to give them, what they deserve.

BTW: According to what AMSAT-FR said, the Russian Space Agency knew
from the beginning, that they were going to break the law. Instead of
making that fact know to all, AMSAT-FR preferred to complete their
work. Hopefully they learned their lesson: never make business with
the mafia.

Regards

Robert
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Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN

1081. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hb9dnn@gmx.net
Message-ID: <3715ad8a.92386334@news.hasler.ascom.ch>
Source record: 145690
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 16:28:36 -0600, Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
wrote:

> I seem to be missing something here. SWATCH is apparently pissing off
> all hams with their plan to transmit a message, and for the most part
> only hams will hear the message. This sounds like a net loss for them.
> They should fire the idiot that ever suggested the idea to them.

This PR stunt came from the son of N.Hayek, and (You guess it), he
fully agrees with this "great idea to fight for freedom".
These guys care a shit about the right of others.

Regards

Robert (HB9DNN)
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Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN

1082. Re: So you really want to know about the ARRL and OO Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: count65 potty mouth inc <buttfrig@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <01be872c$3d250660$0b650e26@686c73d8383f0>
Source record: 145691

Richwhiten <richwhiten@aol.com> wrote in article
<19990414235140.01907.00000901@ng27.aol.com>...
> ubj: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
> Date: 4/14/99 7:54:32 PM Eastern Daylight Time
> From: w9xn@NetUSA1.net (Martin A. Chittum, Sr.)
> To: Richwhiten@aol.com
>
> A remarkable event occurred at the Dayton Hamfest in 1993. After years of
> being harassed with blanket mailings by ARRL OO's (including K9MX, N9MX,
> W8IRT and others), an amateur was actually verbally and physically assaulted
> by one of these "Official" League functionaries. Ironically, this sad
> occurrence took place just a few feet from the site of an upcoming FCC
> Forum. ARRL OO David Boyd (K9MX), apparently incensed by the fact that he
> had been unable to "nail" WB2OTK, began shouting taunts across a crowded
> room in the direction of Rich Whiten. It was hard to believe that a man who
> represented both the ARRL and the U.S. Army Officer Corp. would behave in
> this manner. But there he was, screaming insults and threats at Whiten,
> while Rich was pushing a handi-ham in a wheelchair (Tom McMillen, WB3HGW).
>
> Unable to gain a response with his jeers and taunting, Boyd actually
> physically assaulted Whiten. He shoved himself right up against Whiten and
> yelled out that he was now "getting in the face" of WB2OTK. He actually
> challenged Rich to "do something about it". Whiten defended himself with a
> mere shove. It is fortunate for Boyd that WB2OTK is not a person who would
> gain any pleasure from thrashing a pathetic little man with a chip on his
> shoulder. Had Boyd assaulted a different kind of man, the results might
> have been far more tragic.

I would have grabbed the nearest non-fixed object
of sufficient mass and length, took a swing at his
kneecaps (always a vunerable spot) and while
he was on the floor, kick his phucking front teeth
down his throat. Remember, you don't necessarily need
a firearm to take-out your adversary, just swing *first*
for their *legs*. This is an area the average moron
or other self-righteous asshole does not expect to be hit.
It is also a proven technique to go after the back of the
kneejoint or front of the shins. Short of this, pepper Mace
is also good to use, just aim for the throat or nose.
Then when he/she is on the ground, unable to stand and
writhing in pain, you may have your way with the same.

1083. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3715D343.7B6E7251@ibm.net>
Source record: 145692

While people complain about the cost of the HF gear, there is plenty
of the older stuff to be fournd for around 100 to 300 dollars. The
antenna can be a wire dipole built for almost nothing in many
cases. If an older tube radio is bought, it will load the antennas
with out tuners and such in many cases.
You probably can not get on VHF any cheeper than that.

Carl Schulz wrote:
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> How many people want to get on the HF bands but can't afford the gear? I'm
> one. I am glad there is a no code tech. It got me in the door. HOWEVER, I
> am going to learn the code. I find it very interesting and look forward to
> mastering it someday.
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1084. Monthly Morse QTCs as Audio Files

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7f4osg$t1h$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 145693
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,fido.belg.ham,fr.rec.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Starting with QTC No 10 e.g. the one of Sunday, March 20, 1999, the
Deutscher Telegrafie Club announces that its regular monthly QTCs are
available in audio format (MIDI-type) at our web site
http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html in three different speeds: 12 WPM,
20 WPM and 30 WPM. As unfortunately not all browsers can handle these files
online, we did take care of that and offer these files as a ZIP archive for
individual downloads as well.

We do welcome any comments about this new feature in our guest book !

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The full monthly QTC bulletin in German is transmitted
every first Sunday of the month at
09:30 CET/CEST on 3575 kHz (+/-QRM).

This QTC is repeated in English every third Sunday of
the month at 09:30 CET/CEST on 7033 kHz (+/- QRM).

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

1085. Re: The OO's Creed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3715EEEE.8F9A97EC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145694

LOL! Ya gotta love it.

1086. OOs and the FCC- A Reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3715F9CB.FE3DD07F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I received a reply from Mr. Hollingsworth re: my
concerns about OOs. He explained his thinking
and his views on these valuable and useful reports
and I believe he and the commission mean to view them
in the appropriate light.
I'd like to publicly thank him for taking time
from his work to address this concern.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

1087. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher J. McLoughlin" <cjmcloug@uncg.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.990415105842.17481A-100000@hamlet.uncg.edu>
Source record: 145696

I agree.
Chris
KC2DPF

On Thu, 15 Apr 1999, Carl Schulz wrote:

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> I do know people that have a license just to talk around town but what is
> wrong with that? I started with a CB in my first car (still have it).
> Later I moved to GMRS and now to Ham. My station will be small. Al I am
> going to start with is a 2 meter rig and a home brew antenna. I am going to
> learn the code, save some money, upgrade my equipment and become a better
> ham. That is my goal.
>
> Some purists out there may not like the people that use the no-code test as
> a way in. They may not feel that we no-code folks are not worthy of ham
> radio. Tough.
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> - Carl
> (waiting for my callsign)
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> >think of a few I can't stand listening to. Maybe that's why those other
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1088. FT-90 FT-2600 ICOM R2 YAESU VX5 YAESU FT100 YAESU VX1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: james coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <7f50o3$3gl$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 145697
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/Ft90
Is a new list devoted to the new Micro micro mobile radio from Yaesu the
FT-90.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/ft2600
Is a new List devoted to the new Mystery radio from Yaesu the FT-2600.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YAESUVX5
Has over 429 users so far. Come join us if you are interested in the VX5 a
super cool little radio!!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YaesuVX1
Has about 101 users If you have a VX1 this is the place to be!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/icomr2
Is the nerve center of everything that has to do with the ICOM R2.
If you have a R2 Come on and join us we need you !!! This is a great radio
with a great following of over 182 vsers on this mail list!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/FT100
So Far we only have 198 users! Not to bad. If you are even thinking about
one of these units come join us. Join Us and get the MOD!!
we may all learn somthing!!!

1089. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7f53ilnrk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145698

In article <Pine.GSO.3.96.990415105842.17481A-100000@hamlet.uncg.edu>,
"Christopher J. McLoughlin" <cjmcloug@uncg.edu> wrote:
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> > >people aren't on the air, they heard them too.
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I have heard comments that one can't afford to get on HF because of the cost of equipment for years. I wonder how many have considered picking up some "older" equipment and fixing it? If you don't know how, then go to your local club and ask for help. I for one have helped many people get on the air in this manner. It also helps you "learn the ropes" and starts the process of turning you from an "appliance operator" to a real ham.

Dan/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1090. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <37160900.59E2B600@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 145699

Carl Schulz wrote:
>
> I just got my Tech ticket. I'm still waiting for my call sign.

Congratulations.

> I have a friend in Chicago (I'm in Madison, WI) that is studying
> too. I am going to buy a 2 meter rig soon. I thought we might be
> able to talk on 2 meters (aprox 160 miles between us). Will this
> work? if not, what is a good band to use? I don't have my code
> yet so HF is out. According to the ARRL handbook it's possible
> but a local ham told me it's not.
>

There are a lot of things that need to be taken into account.
Communications on 2 Meters is essentually line-of-sight, barring
some sporadic propagation conditions. Unless you have your antenna
very high, 160 miles is not going to be realisable, for simplex
operation. However, if you looking at repeater operation, you
should be able to find a repeater path that can get you there
easily. The problem here is that, some 2 Meter gear, that is capable
of accessing repeaters, can get pretty expensive.

You could probably get better simplex range by using 6 Meters
instead, but reliable point-to-point communication at that range
is going to be iffy.

> Also, being in the midwest, what is a good band to use to talk
> to any of the coasts? I have another friend that is going to be
> touring the country and may take up ham radio too. I thought
> it could be cool to talk while he is out and about the country.
>

Now, if you did get your code speed up, and upgraded to Tech+,
you could use 10 Meters SSB. For about $100 you can pick up a used
Radio Shack HTX-100 and very easily work that kind of distance.
I regularly work the midwest and east coast, from Phoenix, with
my HTX-100 and a simple dipole or vertical.

You need to read a little bit more, in the ARRL handbook, about
propagation. Even if you were to get on 10 Meters, you
have to pay attention to propagation conditions, which change
during the course of the day. For example, from my QTH, band
conditions are usually very good to the east coast in the morning
and early afternoon. In the early evening, that shifts to the
west and is good for Japan, Australia, etc.. Late night, the

propagation is poor an I'm lucky if I can get out of town, but then
40 Meters is good.

Good luck on learning the code.

Martin

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I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1091. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37160D5E.C262A172@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145700

Carl Schulz wrote:

> First, this isn't a flame on Tom. I'm just adding my two cents worth.
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> How many people want to get on the HF bands but can't afford the gear? I'm
> one. I am glad there is a no code tech. It got me in the door. HOWEVER, I
> am going to learn the code. I find it very interesting and look forward to
> mastering it someday.
>

Hi Carl,

Don't overlook the tons of older gear that is available at very good prices.
Now is the best time to get on HF while we are in the current sun spot cycle.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

1092. Operating QRP in national parks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu>
Message-ID: <37161389.1CFB@eece.maine.edu>
Source record: 145701

I hope to be spending some time in Yellowstone this year; does anyone
know of any laws/regulations preventing one from doing some QRP CW work
while out in the backcountry? A friend of mine thought there might be
some regulations on it, and I haven't had the time just yet to get in
touch with the park to find out. Thanks.
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mail: supton@eece.maine.edu
KB1CKT Tech Plus
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1093. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990415124140.00318.00001288@ng-fp1.aol.com>
Source record: 145702

When I got my Tech Plus license two years ago, I bought an FT-101 for $150.00, spent about $20.00 on wire and misc items for an antenna.
I had a ball with this set up.

I'm also into R/C Airplanes, to get my first ship up and flying cost over $500.00, and thats used equipment too.

This hobby like any one can be as expensive as you want it to be, or as cheap. :-)

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

1094. New High Speed CW Record

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB@ARRL.ORG
Message-ID: <37161827.5B0A@ARRL.ORG>
Source record: 145703

Valerie Brady, WD8KVD, is not only the fastest CW operator among YLs,
but--as far as can be determined--operated CW faster on the air
(with KO0U--now K0XP) than any other amateur anywhere.

Would you believe 1720 WPM?

Check out the story on the ARRL "Members Only" webzine.

73, Hans, K0HB

1095. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Mowery <jmowery@nswc.navy.mil>
Message-ID: <37161DE7.A32E8D0@nswc.navy.mil>
Source record: 145704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Ralph,
You don't want the readings near full scale. While I was a Calibration
Tech, the method was to keep
the meter reading between 20%-80% of full scale deflection. The middle of the
scale was were the
accuracy was checked.

Joe,
KF4YYA

Ralph Mowery wrote:

> > William E. Sabin wrote:
> >
> > > Roy Lewallen wrote:
> > >
> > > > With a 250 watt element, +/-5% of full scale is +/-12.5 watts. So it
> > > > can read as much as 52.5 or as little as 27.5 watts with a 40 watt
> > > > power level and still be within its specified accuracy. If you want
> > > > better accuracy than this you'll have to use a different instrument,
> > > > or perhaps get the meter specially calibrated against a known standard
> > > > of greater accuracy.
> > > >
> > > > People frequently misunderstand the 43's spec to be 5% of reading.
> > > > It's not
> > >
> > > This is not correct.
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> >
> That is correct. It is not speced at 5% of the reading, but of full
> scale.
> That means it could be way off at the lower power readings. Lots of
> meters becides the Bird watt meters are speced that way, that is why
> for the analog meters, you should try to get the reading on the
> upper portion of the scale.
> The scale is not linear and the diodes are very poor in calibration
> at the lower levels. They are operating in the square low reagon
> and could be way off.
>
> I will agree that the Birds are usually more accurate than that. I
> work with lab instruments calibrating other instruments every day
> and find a quality instrument will normally beat the specs by a

> large ammount under controlled conditions, but if they are operated
> in a very hot area or very cold area, they can 'drift' near the
> limits. Don't know about the Bird, but suspect if you place one at
> the extream ends of the temp range, it will be luckey to hold as
> near as 2 or 3 %.

1096. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3716202F.A3C1255@teleport.com>
Source record: 145705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

William E. Sabin wrote:
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> Roy Lewallen wrote:
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> > Virtually all test equipment manufacturers guarantee and stand by the
> > accuracy of their instruments.
>
> 5% of full scale is 12.5 watts. The error at 40 watts (or 12.5 watts) cannot be "assumed" to
> also be 12.5 watts by any reasonable person. That is nonsense and anyone who knows anything
> about analog meters knows that it is nonsense.

I have to confess that I know more about oscilloscopes than analog meters. Tektronix scopes not only has specifications on all important parameters but the manual generally contains a verification procedure. This is a list of equipment, and complete setup instructions, for a customer to verify that the scope is meeting its specifications. Some of the larger customers routinely order this equipment at the same time they order the scope, and the scope won't get past incoming inspection unless it meets all the specs during the verification test. I was the project engineer for a 50 GHz sampling head. (I didn't design that sampler, but improved production control on the existing 40 GHz one.) We had to reduce the stated accuracy of the instrument substantially because of the uncertainty in our ability to verify it. (Even such normally mundane items as the uncertainty in connector adapter SWR added to the overall uncertainty.) I have good evidence that a large percentage of the sampling heads would actually do 60 GHz. But we were never able to assemble a system to reliably verify it. So the spec remains 50.

Some typical specifications from my 2246 manual: Step response (5-division step) Rise Time -10C to 35C: 3.5 ns or less. Vertical deflection system accuracy (includes ADD MODE and Ch 2 INVERT) 15 to 35C: Within +/- 2%. -10C to 15C and 35C to 55C: Within +/- 3%. And so forth. You've undoubtedly got manuals for Tek or HP equipment, so know how these instruments are specified.

And every specification is taken literally, by both the manufacturer and the customers. Those specifications which aren't guaranteed are plainly labeled "typical".

> The % error in any high quality analog meter degrades "gracefully" as you go downscale. The

> errors at less than full scale are definitely related to the full scale accuracy. Pick up a
> catalog of meters and you will see that the full scale accuracy is what is specified. That does
> not mean the meter is "junk" at other readings.

That's nice, but "gracefully" is a pretty loose spec for serious measurement, don't you think?

> Here is the main idea. A properly designed D'Arsonval meter maintains a certain definite
> relationship between "deflection" vs "input" over its range. The full scale accuracy is
> correlated to that relationship. Because of that relationship the scale can be marked with
> considerable confidence across most of the scale. At this moment I am looking at a Simpson
> catalog that specs full scale accuracy. Yet the picture shows finely spaced markings all across
> the scale. Is this some kind of "fraud"?

Absolutely not. My 260 manual states DC accuracy of 2% of full scale. On the 50 volt range, I expect the reading to be within one volt of the actual value. Period. Anywhere on the scale.

> Hogwash.

Now there's a statement that's difficult to rationally argue against.

> Meter designers and manufacturers learned long ago how to deal with this problem of
> reproducibility, so that "one" meter scale can be used over and over.
>
> For a rectifier meter the rectifiers do introduce a problem, but with quality control this
> problem is manageable, and is responsible for a slightly relaxed spec for this kind of meter.
> AC meters also have a crest factor problem.
>
> > If the accuracy of the
> > Bird 43 wattmeter is not specifed at some points on the scale, as you
> > say, then it's useless for making any kind of meaningful measurement,
> > as is any piece of test equipment with unspecified accuracy.
>
> My experience with my 43, with its 2-30 MHz elements, is that it is quite "accurate" across
> most of the scale within that frequency range.

"Quite accurate" isn't a specification. I wish all the customers I've designed instruments for were as easy to please as you are. My life would have been much easier! (I can see it now, "Roy's Pretty Good Scopes".)

> > I'll bet that if you were to send the
> > Bird 43 meter to the calibration lab and it measured 30 watts with 40
> > applied, or even 12 watts with zero in, it would be returned as being

> > in calibration.
>
> Baloney. It would be sent to the factory repair shop.
>
> > Most labs will
> > return a meter as calibrated if it meets its spec. If it has no spec,
> > it can't be calibrated. The fact that the Boonton was returned as
> > calibrated doesn't mean that it's dead on, only that it meets whatever
> > spec Boonton or your company put on it.
>
> It meets the requirements that Boonton says it supposed to meet.

Yet if the Bird meter were sent to the cal lab it would have to exceed
the accuracy Bird says it will meet? How do they decide which meters
have to meet spec and which have to be better than spec? Quite a cal
lab you've got there!

> And when it is adjusted at
> full scale, it is very accurate across a 13 dB range, as determined by accurate RF
attenuators.
> I have been using these meters for 30 years and I know their quality.

I wondered about the spec on the Boonton, and you say "very accurate",
and it was used to verify the Bird, which you describe as "quite
accurate". By this I infer that "very accurate" is more accurate than
"quite accurate". Perhaps we can get the meter manufacturers to
standardize these terms for those of us more used to working with
numbers. Your cal lab obviously knows how to translate them.

> As for going separate ways, go which ever way you like. If that is the way you want to
behave
> toward me, I couldn't care less.
>
> Bill W0IYH

Sorry I've made you grumpy again. I know there's no way of changing
your mind once set, but I'll continue posting a bit longer for the
benefit of other readers who'd like to decide for themselves what
specifications mean.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

1097. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Boorman <XZY.bboorman@harris.com>
Message-ID: <3715E8E6.5E62F637@harris.com>
Source record: 145706
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If I only *try* this, then obviously there is no profit.

Are you willing to chip in 10% of the cost?

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Rochester, NY 14610
XYZ.bboorman@harris.com
<Remove the XYZ. for valid address>

1098. Re: IC-8500 MODS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Beckman <csle87@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <7f57ut$69d$1@schbbs.mot.com>
Source record: 145707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Two comments:
1) It is no longer legal to unblock cellular frequencies, thanks to a recent FCC ruling.
2) Since the owner Terry Sturman passed away last weekend, it's quite possible that all AES stores were closed the day of his funeral.

jackthea1op@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7eu5j1ppb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Anyone have the mod for unblocking cell phone on the IC 8500 a friend on the
>Cape needs it before he buys one. Also anyone know whats gg on w AES ll ?
>Called 3 stores today and no answer.
>
>73 JACK
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1099. Still want to know about the ARRL and the OO Program?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990415140536.26071.00001176@ng13.aol.com>
Source record: 145708

Subj: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
Date: 4/14/99 7:54:32 PM Eastern Daylight Time
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1103. Email address for Swatch is: webmaster@swatch.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: 5mbv@airmail.net
Message-ID: <5C55F5C3FE1CD8EC.CAB2CB8B30E33A0E.7E5F724481F95E28@library-proxy.airnews.net>
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If you want to send Swatch an email with your opinions about illegal commercial use of the Amatuer frequencies you can use the email address: webmaster@swatch.com

Ken K5MBV

1104. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hop_a_Long <jtipton@korrnet.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.95.990415151302.5236A-100000@georgia.korrnet.org>
Source record: 145713
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What you are talking about is not new. You can buy one at either Auto
Zone or PepBoys. Sorry to burst your bubble.

HL

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"But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount
up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall
walk, and not faint.

--Isaiah 40:31--
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1105. Re: Attention, Illegal Operators: The Party is Over

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f5em1$in@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145714

In article <7evhkp$u48$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
Kay Zero Home Brewer <k0hb@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>Someone lit the fuze on N0VFP's Tampax, and he said:

Are you forgetting the amateur's creed, Hans? =:o

73, Jeff KH6O

1106. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracy glenn <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3716432F.6B95@imt.net>
Source record: 145715

Carl Schulz wrote:
>
> I just got my Tech ticket. I'm still waiting for my call sign. I have a
> friend in Chicago (I'm in Madison, WI) that is studying too. I am going to
> buy a 2 meter rig soon. I thought we might be able to talk on 2 meters
> (aprox 160 miles between us). Will this work? if not, what is a good band
> to use? I don't have my code yet so HF is out. According to the ARRL
> handbook it's possible but a local ham told me it's not.
>
> Also, being in the midwest, what is a good band to use to talk to any of the
> coasts? I have another friend that is going to be touring the country and
> may take up ham radio too. I thought it could be cool to talk while he is
> out and about the country.
>
> Thanks for your help.
160 miles should be a piece of cake and reliable on 2 meter CW or
SSB.Probably need to wait for your tech+ to talk reliably to either
coast,and by then you will have studied which bands will work.AB7RS

1107. Re: DX question

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Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tracy glenn <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <371644FE.1939@imt.net>
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>
> There are a lot of things that need to be taken into account.
> Communications on 2 Meters is essentually line-of-sight, barring
> some sporadic propagation conditions. Unless you have your antenna
> very high, 160 miles is not going to be realisable, for simplex
> operation. However, if you looking at repeater operation, you
> should be able to find a repeater path that can get you there
> easily. The problem here is that, some 2 Meter gear, that is capable
> of accessing repeaters, can get pretty expensive.

WHAT??? 160 miles plus is childs play on SSB or CW.
>
> You could probably get better simplex range by using 6 Meters
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> is going to be iffy.
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> > Also, being in the midwest, what is a good band to use to talk
> > to any of the coasts? I have another friend that is going to be
> > touring the country and may take up ham radio too. I thought
> > it could be cool to talk while he is out and about the country.
> >
>
> Now, if you did get your code speed up, and upgraded to Tech+,
> you could use 10 Meters SSB. For about $100 you can pick up a used
> Radio Shack HTX-100 and very easily work that kind of distance.
> I regularly work the midwest and east coast, from Phoenix, with
> my HTX-100 and a simple dipole or vertical.

10M is capable of reaching anywhere on this planet,but is also closed
for months at a time,especially at northern latitudes,you don't here

traffic or emergency nets on 10M.
>
> You need to read a little bit more, in the ARRL handbook, about
> propagation. Even if you were to get on 10 Meters, you
> have to pay attention to propagation conditions, which change
> during the course of the day. For example, from my QTH, band
> conditions are usually very good to the east coast in the morning
> and early afternoon. In the early evening, that shifts to the
> west and is good for Japan, Australia, etc.. Late night, the
> propagation is poor an I'm lucky if I can get out of town, but then
> 40 Meters is good.
>
> Good luck on learning the code.
>
> Martin

I apreciate your trying to help but I think you need to explore your
hobby a little more,it offers a lot more than you think.AB7RS

1108. Re: Attention, Illegal Operators: The Party is Over

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay-Zero Happy Baby <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7f5l1c$89o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145717

> Are you forgetting the amateur's creed, Hans? =:o
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

Nope. I checked, and the Amateurs' Creed does not say I
could reproduce copyrighted material, so I didn't do it.

He'll have to go and look himself.

73, de Hans, K0HB

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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
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1109. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <37165B66.1CFBAE39@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 145718

tracy glenn wrote:
>
> WHAT??? 160 miles plus is childs play on SSB or CW.
>

I guess then that you must be the ultimate authority on it. Maybe
you can do it from your location, but I know I can't from mine.

>
> 10M is capable of reaching anywhere on this planet,but is also closed
> for months at a time,especially at northern latitudes,you don't here
> traffic or emergency nets on 10M.
>

Well, of course, but you can do that on all the HF frequencies,
provided conditions are right and you are in the right place, at the
right time.

> I apreciate your trying to help but I think you need to explore your
> hobby a little more,it offers a lot more than you think.AB7RS

At least I tried to help. Your answer is no help at all.
I've been licensed since 1966 and have explored my hobby
quite a bit, but I don't pretend, like you, to be the authority.

Martin

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I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

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1110. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29194-3716588B-55@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145719

Looks like Pork-Butt, Banana-Nose, Marty Cheatem and their ADL lawyers
are gearing up to put Riley in his place.

1111. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37166C6F.D0DBBA86@mwci.net>
Source record: 145720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Roy Lewallen wrote:

> Sorry I've made you grumpy again. I know there's no way of changing
> your mind once set, but I'll continue posting a bit longer for the
> benefit of other readers who'd like to decide for themselves what
> specifications mean.

This kind of arrogant garbage doesn't deserve a reply, so I won't bother.

Bill W0IYH

1112. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <37166A53.3FDA273C@mwci.net>
Source record: 145721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Joseph Mowery wrote:

> Ralph,
> You don't want the readings near full scale. While I was a Calibration
> Tech, the method was to keep
> the meter reading between 20%-80% of full scale deflection. The middle of the
> scale was were the
> accuracy was checked.

That does make some sense. The top end of the scale is quite crowded and the 20% to 80% has much better resolution. Below 20% the diodes can effect the readings at high/low ambient temps.

But if you look carefully, the top end can be read accurately, although it requires more effort. The Bird 43 is well marked and readable.

The big fallacy here is that if a meter is specified 5% at full scale (all meter mfrs do this) that it is somehow worthless any where below full scale because it is not officially specified everywhere. This is contrary to the common knowledge of those who are knowledgeable about D'Arsonval meters.

The correct viewpoint is that a 2% full scale spec (very common) is, believe it or not, a measure of the quality of the meter across the rest of the scale. It is not true that the rest of the scale can be "anything".

A meter that is accurate at zero and full scale, but highly inaccurate elsewhere is not a *reliable* meter *anywhere*. It is poorly designed.

The "art" of meter design is to get a movement that is as reproducible as possible. This movement cannot have gross systematic errors because that would make that goal impossible.

Bill W0IYH

1113. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f7m6p$md5@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145572
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <371727E7.2253C224@erols.com>, Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com> wrote:
>For liability purposes make sure that there can be no false triggers (use two digits
>in sequence) and be sure you can see the car when you disable it. If you kill it as
>the thief is crossing a rail road track or pulling out in front of an 18 wheeler,
>for example you could be in for some big liability.

Has any court ruled in favor of a car thief in either of the above
scenarios?

This would be an ideal 6m radio control application.

Jeff

1114. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7f7m92inb2@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 145573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <7f7ek8otj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
says...
>
>In article <7f258f$i58$1@news-2.news.gte.net>,
> Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net> wrote:
>> Hi Rob, KC2AEI,
snip
>Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
>want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
>as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
^^
The "FCC" is a distinct group and, in English, is reffered to in the
singular, as "is" not "are". If you are a native english speaker then
you are even dumber than I thought.
They really souldn't let 3rd graders post to the net.

1115. Re: Operating QRP in national parks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7f7m5a$29v$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 145574

In article <37161389.1CFB@eece.maine.edu>,
Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu> wrote:
>I hope to be spending some time in Yellowstone this year; does anyone
>know of any laws/regulations preventing one from doing some QRP CW work
>while out in the backcountry? A friend of mine thought there might be
>some regulations on it, and I haven't had the time just yet to get in
>touch with the park to find out. Thanks.
****

I cannot imagine any kind of a problem. Since the usual QRP uses earphones
there is no noise to disturbe others. The power is too low to cause
interference or problems of any kind.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

1116. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7f7m14inb1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 145575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f7ebc$op8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
says...
>
>In article <7f68aroro1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> This is the biggest Russian lie since they claimed they didn't get
screwed by
Barry, you are the 7th fool that I have added to my kill file.
I have the sad feeling that you are a ham want to be, or a lid.
I further suspect that if you lived near me, and used packet, that I
would have had to put your call in the lidlist on the digipeater.
Further comments or flames by you will go unseen by me.

1117. Re: ⁄Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: igillman@arinc.com
Message-ID: <7f7qiv$4hc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

In article <7f7jmr$tv3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
igillman@arinc.com wrote:
> I see, thanks for you reply!
> So, the quality... hmm... Is the quality near a 16kbps Real Audio file? Or can
> you raise an example comparing its quality?
>

By quality I mean signal to noise ratio and not distortion. The quality varies widely but the most common reception I get has a few beeps and whistles in the background and the station will fade from strong to medium in signal strength. You would be surprised as to how much interference you can get but still be able to understand what the announcer is saying. There are so many factors involved in reception of a signal that you could find really poor reception from a station 100 miles away and very good reception from a station halfway round the planet. Also, the same station broadcasts on multiple frequencies so you can normally find one frequency which comes in fairly well.

There are some SW radio receivers hooked up to the internet if you want to try and tune one and see how it sounds. I have never used them so I cannot comment on what they are like.

A word on the radio stations themselves. Most of them are government run or sponsored but there has been an increase in commercially run SW radio stations in the last few years or so. This means that you listen to the "official" line from the government. This makes for interesting listening, especially at the moment with Yugoslavia.

http://www.ilgradio.de/ilgradio.htm
Once you register (free) you get a password on e-mail which allows you to download their databases. This will give you an idea of the number of stations that are broadcasting on SW, the times and languages. All times are UTC which does not change from summer to winter and used to be called GMT.

http://www.chilton.com/scripts/radio/R8-receiver
Web controlled SW radio.

TTFN
Ian

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1118. Re: ¿Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Shields <mshio@teron.com>
Message-ID: <37176545.11DB39D9@teron.com>
Source record: 145577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

I recommend getting into Internet radio. Especially if you have a fast connection. With shortwave, unless you have a great radio (upwards of $1000) and a lot of time, it's really hard to find what you want. There's like 9 bands and all you do is scan unless you have a guide which takes a degree to understand. All I ever got was BBC and Radio Australia and a lot of religious and foreign language programs. The quality was usually awful.

Check out the new Internet Explorer radio features. You not only get BBC 24 hours, you get all kinds of foreign stations and rock stations around the country. And it will only grow as more and more stations go on-line. This is cheaper and the signal is always there and strong. Shortwave radios will soon be a thing of the past like UHF TV.

mmkc@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I see, thanks for you reply!
> So, the quality... hmm... Is the quality near a 16kbps Real Audio file? Or can
> you raise an example comparing its quality?
>
> Thanks
>
> In article <7f79mtkdu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> igillman@arinc.com wrote:
> > In article <7f6s0m$9j3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> > mmkc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > > hello, Is there a radio that receives worldwide stations? I've heard of
> > > those really technical ones then do all those difficult stuff to capture the
> > > frequencies etc. eek so complicate. I just want to get a radio and listen
> to
> > > a radio station at overseas... could anyone please help?
> > >
> >
> > Yes there are radios that pick up worldwide stations, they are known as
> > shortwave radios. You do not need anything too expensive to try out the hobby
> > either, you can pick up radios for under $100 that have a SW band on them. To
> > avoid any undue disappointment with a very cheap radio I would recommend one
> > around $100 or just over (these are US $'s).
> >
> > If you have never listened to SW before then you should know that reception
> > is hardly ever crystal clear. Do not expect FM quality on SW. There are lots
> > of technical reasons for this but the simple explanation is that the signal
> > has had to travel many thousands of miles, bouncing between the atmosphere
> > and the ground and so it is not in peak condition when it arrives.
> >

> > After buying a cheap radio, if you decide that you really like the hobby then
> > you can get a more expensive setup if you want to but a lot of us are using
> > radios that cost around $200-$300 and we are quite happy with them.
> >
> > http://www.webring.org/cgi-bin/webring?ring=shortwave2&id=12&list
> > Shortwave radio ring.
> >
> > http://oak.oakland.edu:8080/pub/hamradio/arrl/infoserv/faqs/swlfaq1.txt
> > http://oak.oakland.edu:8080/pub/hamradio/arrl/infoserv/faqs/swlfaq2.txt
> > Short introduction to SW
> >
> > TTFN
> > Ian
> >
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1119. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lenny <captainvideo46@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3717628D.20C9@hotmail.com>
Source record: 145578
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> In article <371727E7.2253C224@erols.com>, Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com> wrote:
> >For liability purposes make sure that there can be no false triggers (use two digits
> >in sequence) and be sure you can see the car when you disable it. If you kill it as
> >the thief is crossing a rail road track or pulling out in front of an 18 wheeler,
> >for example you could be in for some big liability.
>
> Has any court ruled in favor of a car thief in either of the above
> scenarios?
>
> This would be an ideal 6m radio control application.
>
> Jeff
There was a case in New York City some years ago that involved an
apartment dweller who was repeatedly being robbed by way of the fire
escape window. He'd just about had it.
He rigged up a shotgun with a trip wire and blew some asshole's arm off
on the next attempt. He was prosecuted and convicted for assault.
Is it fair? I don't know. I have heard that if the intruder was actually
in the room at the time, it might have been viewed as self defense.
It's a very sick world out there. Try to stay healthy. Lenny Stein.

1120. RX-320 Free Beta Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mktg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <37346adc.13371876@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145579

April 16, 1999

Dear RX-320 User,

Beta version D of the Flexi-Tuner software for operating the Ten-Tec RX-320 is now available.

Many thanks to the many beta testers for their excellent comments, ideas, and suggestions. I have tried to incorporate as many ideas as possible into this beta version.

The biggest change in this version is the addition of a comprehensive logging function (described below).

The major features of the beta version D are as follows:

1. Operates the RX-320 from virtually any desktop or laptop computer, including older 386 machines.
2. Works in either DOS or Windows (this is a DOS program).
3. Implements 34 selectivity filters.
4. All modes: AM, USB, LSB, CW.
5. AGC implemented: Fast, Medium, Slow.
6. Tuning steps down go 1 Hz or up to 1 Mhz.
New! 7. Now includes 3 Khz tuning step for marine channels. Also includes 9 Khz tuning steps for European AM stations.
8. Adjustable squelch.
New! 9. Pause S-meter function on front panel. This eliminates the "chuffing" heard on some RX-320 systems.
10. Bandpass tuning (offset from center freq.)
11. Scanning using scan files. Adjustable parameters.
12. Built-in scan file editor.
New! 13. Built-in logging function with log editor. Easily track, edit, sort, monitor, and export log entries. Items logged include station name (or notation), frequency, mode, filter, date, time, and S-meter reading. Time and date can be adjusted if you want to log in UTC or other time zone.
New! 14. More sensitive S-meter.
15. Almost all parameters adjustable (great for knob twiddlers like me).
New! 16. Tighter code for faster operation.
17. No mouse required (or supported).

Beta version D has been running for a couple of weeks on several computers, including an old B&W Grid laptop (80386 at 25 Mhz), an 80486 machine, and several Pentiums. It works equally well on all the tested computers.

As reported last time, it really is a lot fun to use an old DOS laptop to operate the RX-320 while sitting in an easy chair across the room. By the way, the RX-320 sounds great when played through a good stereo system. Also, I tried Michael Young's idea (April 2 posting on rx320@onelist.com) on how to wire a new serial cable to eliminate the chuffing and crosstalk heard in some systems - this solved my crosstalk problem.

I would be happy to supply free of charge this Beta version to anyone interested who has an RX-320. The software will not function without an RX-320.

The program is supplied along with several scan files in a single zip file. Installation and removal are simple, as the program does not affect any system settings either in DOS or windows (it does not mess with your registry, DLL's, or other system programs).

The program is easy to use - just press various keys to engage the different functions.

Installation, removal, and operating instructions are included.

A final version of the program is expected within a month or so, depending on feedback. It will probably be offered on a shareware basis for a nominal amount (all this work has to be worth something :-) The final version will have greatly expanded scan file and log capacity;and any inconsistencies, cosmetic irregularities, and faults will have been fixed. As always, the final program will be small and easy to install without effects on system files.

If you would like to receive the latest beta version at no charge, send me an e-mail at mktg@ix.netcom.com and I will send you the zip file by return e-mail.

Regards and 73,

David
W7HTJ

1121. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7f7qg4$cet@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145580

"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> writes:
>You're saying that SOS isn't morse, that morse-code is only morse-code when
>using a radio, or that people usually/often call 911 to assist 'just any'
>blinking flash-light?...

I'm saying that:

- Many people know that "short-short-short long-long-long short-short-short"
means SOS and is a distress signal, without knowing *anything* else about
Morse code.

- In the example that someone reported, that seems to be all that the
fishermen transmitted, and all that the observer needed to know.

- From this, one might be able to argue that everyone should be taught
this particular sequence in grade school so they can use it or
recognize it when needed.

- Nothing in this example suggests that knowing the rest of even the
Morse alphabet was necessary.

- Nothing in this example suggests that it's particularly advantageous
to know Morse code in order to have an amateur radio licence, beyond
the usefulness of Morse code to the population at large.

- If anything, this example might suggest that people should know Morse code
before they are allowed to fish, but it says nothing one way or the
other about the usefulness of Morse code in radio - there wasn't even
a radio involved.

Dave

1122. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37176C6B.2C4DC61F@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

> In article <37151694.5695B36C@dimensional.com>,
> Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote:
> > I seem to be missing something here. SWATCH is apparently pissing off
> > all hams with their plan to transmit a message, and for the most part
> > only hams will hear the message.
>
> You are missing something. Only a few vocal and very stupid hams are
> pissed off. The majority were quietly waiting with bated breath for
> the exciting event.
>
> >This sounds like a net loss for them.
> > They should fire the idiot that ever suggested the idea to them.
>
> Not at all. The result is a great deal of free advertising for
> Swatch and a loss of face for the amateur radio brigade.
>
> > Marv
>
> Barry
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Well, Barry, scientists have just discovered the largest known bacteria
(visible to the naked eye), and I am thinking that either you are dumber
than those bacteria or else you work for Swatch. So which is it?

Marv
KC0EGB

1123. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7f7qrg$cfl@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145582

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>*You* mention having to only recognize ...---... for use in radio
>transmissions, not me.

Of course I mentioned that, since *that was my point*. This example,
where no radio of any service was used, isn't very relevant to radio,
is it? Yet it was posted in an amateur radio newsgroup - suggesting
that either the original poster was very confused, or that they were
attempting to make a link between the ability to send SOS by flashlight
and amateur radio. My point was that this link is extremely tenuous.

>Are you using Cecil's editor? Like him, you make a statement, then
>edit it out when you respond to a follow-up. Bad boy.

Please read the Usenet FAQ. People are *supposed* to quote only the
portions of previous articles that they are directly responding to.
Anyone who wants to go back and read the previous article in its
entirety can do so - that's what threaded newsreaders are for.
Even limited-function newsreaders like Netscape provide threading.

The "bad boys" in Usenet are the people who include the *whole* article
they are following up, without editing any of it.

Dave

1124. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7f7r85$cgb@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145583

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>>This may be a good argument for teaching everyone how to send and
>>recognize SOS in primary school. I don't see how it's a good argument
>>for knowing the entire Morse code alphabet for use in radio transmisssion.
^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
>So, quit avoiding my question and tell me how you'd be able to copy
>the station's nature of distress, position, type of assistance requested,
>et cetera, upon hearing ...---... on a "radio transmission" (your choice
>of words above, not mine)?

I *did* answer this question once. You don't seem to be reading my
replies very well. Once again:

Without a knowledge of Morse code, I *clearly*, *obviously*, would not
be able to copy details such as you describe in a distress transmission
made via Morse code.

If you wish to suggest that a knowledge of Morse code is useful in
radio, please tell us about examples where someone in distress *actually*
transmitted such a distress call using Morse code on amateur radio bands.

An example where fishermen transmitted exactly one message (SOS) using
a flashlight does *not* demonstrate that (a) a knowledge of the full
Morse code is necessary for flashlight transmission or (b) that Morse
code is useful in real emergencies using radio, not flashlight, transmission.

The example quoted demonstrated that it's useful to be able to send and
receive SOS by flashlight - nothing more.

Dave

1125. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7f7rr0$ch2@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

barryo@fastlink.com.au writes:

>Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
>want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
>as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
>they approve scanners that receive cellular perfectly on images.

If you were paying attention, you would have noticed that it wasn't
the FCC that wanted scanners to be unable to receive cellular phone
transmissions - it was the cellular industry. They convinced Congress,
which passed a law, and the FCC had to do what they were ordered.
So now scanning receivers sold in the USA can't tune cellular frequencies
directly.

It so happens that many such radios can still receive cellular channels
as image frequencies. I have no doubt that the FCC, being somewhat
technically knowledgeable, knew this all along. It's Congress that
was too stupid to figure this out. Someday someone will point out
that the image frequencies are still usable, there will be more hearings,
and eventually a new law - and another pain in the side for the FCC to
deal with. Meanwhile, why should the FCC care?

Dave

1126. Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: frohro@wwc.edu
Message-ID: <frohro-1604991029480001@csp-frohro.wwc>
Source record: 145585
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi All,

I've been trying in vain to find someone who can weld some solder tabs on about 30 NiMH cells I want to use. Is there anywhere that I could send these batteries to get this service performed at a reasonable cost?

Thanks,

Rob

1127. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7f7ure$88s$2@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

HighWaysinHiding wrote to Ron Hashiro:
>The "FCC" is a distinct group and, in English, is reffered to in the
>singular, as "is" not "are". If you are a native english speaker then
>you are even dumber than I thought.

Allow me to play English cop on one of *your* later posts Mr. HighWays. The [brackets] indicating *errors in your English* (in your post below) are mine:

HighWays wrote in another recent post:
>While I still think we should have started getting all the people we
>could to call the swatch[capitalization error] 800 numbers 10 times a day just to drive the
>point home, I must disagree about ingoring[spelling error] any "mayday" call. Even from
>our very "good" freinds[spelling error] and trustworth[should be trustworthy] allies the Sov..er I mean
>russians[Capitalization error]. I just can not see refusing to provide emergency comms to
>they[should be the] poor patriotic fools who occupy Mir. Fools because it is clear
>that that boat has outlived its' [incorrect apostrophe] utility. Of course, about all any of
>us could do would be to take down their last thoughts as there is no way
>to lunch[spelling error] a "rescue" mission in any realistic time frame.
>Besides the russians[capitalization error] are not the only government that likes to twist the
>truth. Ours has done it a "Few" times.

At least 9 English errors so far... (Did I miss any?)

>They really souldn't[spelling error] let 3rd graders post to the net.

Oops. That's ten. People in glass houses...

1128. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f7vu2$t8s@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145587

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>- Nothing in this example suggests that it's particularly advantageous
> to know Morse code in order to have an amateur radio licence, beyond
> the usefulness of Morse code to the population at large.

You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the
international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view
while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

(Daily worldwide comms don't normally take place above 50 MHz, so a common
mode in that region can be chosen on a national level; for us it's of
course FM phone.)

73, Jeff KH6O

1129. Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Hoffman <gary@carcs3.wustl.edu>
Message-ID: <371788CB.41C6@carcs3.wustl.edu>
Source record: 145588

I am considering using Esperanto in the text of my
QSL cards. Has any of you done this before? Have any
of you received QSL cards written in Esperanto?

Thanks.

Gary
KB0QGE

1130. Re: Thankyou

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <371788C2.4E9D@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Oris wrote:
>
> Hello
> I have a Icom 740 that I need help with trouble shooting. The rig
> lights up fine in moble and with built in power supply. All the relays
> appear to be working fine. In other words all the mechanics of the radio
> work fine. The problem with the rig is there is no transmit nor receive.
> I mean no even a little bit. I can key down a radio next to the Icom 740
> and no receive, no meter movment nothing. The same thing with the radio
> in the transmit mode all the relays work but no signal not even a
> millwatt of output. When the rig is put in the FM mode I can hear the
> white noise come out of the radio but there again no receive or
> transmit. Does anyone have any idea which board I should look at?
> Thanks for reading
> 73 from Oris
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
Hello all,
I would like to say thankyou to the response that I have gotton in
regaurd to the repair of my Icom 730. The radio is back on the air.
Gary told me to got to the ICOMamerica sight and follow the FAQ link.
There I found a description of my problem and the solution.
Well it was R1 on the regulator board. I would think that this
resistor works like a fuse. When the meter lamp shorted against the
cabnet it took this resistor out. I replaced the resistor and the radio
came up like nothing was ever worng with the rig. Again thanks to all.
best 73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1131. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7f810q$960$2@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Dave Martindale wrote
>Someday someone will point out
>that the image frequencies are still usable, there will be more hearings,
>and eventually a new law -

Digital will take probably take over by then, hopefully making further
legislation unnecessary...

1132. Re: 5 wpm ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924291099.249.6@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145591

> > > Does this make you able to use voice on HF ?
> > > What power/frequencies ?
> >
> > No.
> Wait a minute. Can't Tech Plus ops run phone on a subband of 10
meters?

Oops. Novice and Tech Plus have SSB privileges 28.3 to 28.5 MHz, 200 W
PEP.

1133. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <371794C7.9C9A7AE4@innocent.com>
Source record: 145592

Cannon-ball@webtv.net wrote:
>
> You are 100% correct, CRT. It was that racist outburst that actually got
> the FCC BACK INTO the enforcement aspects of ham radio. They received so
> many complaints about that particular incident, they HAD to do something
> since it was obvious things were out of control.

If that is indeed the thinking at the Commission, which I doubt,
then that is confused thinking indeed.

OTK's crude racial remarks were certainly ungentlemanly, but they
were also perfectly legal and protected speech, and violated no FCC
regulation.

The lesson we learned from that outburst was about hypocrisy, not
about race. We learned how hypocritical some are who, for years,
used the excuse that they were jamming to fight "racism" or out of
"outrage" against "bigotry."

Malicious interference is malicious interference, and it must stop.

But expressions of opinions on any subject whatever, especially
political and social issues, are no more the business of the FCC
than are your political bumper stickers the business of your local
traffic policemen.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

See me: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/america/kas1.jpg

Resources on the Internet (Not all are affiliated with me; I speak
only for myself.):

Patriotic Education --
http://www.natall.com http://www.natvan.com
Exalted European Art --
http://www.isleofavalon.co.uk/gframing/gframing.html
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~jdbrus/preraphday.htm
http://nouveaunet.com/prbpassion/index.htm
Free Speech in Canada --
http://www.freedomsite.org/
White Singles Page --
http://ws.stormfront.org/

Politically Incorrect --
http://www.sound.net/~fenix/
Western Imperative Network --
http://www.usaor.net/users/ipm
Library of Yggdrasil --
http://www.ddc.net/ygg/
Institute for Historical Review --
http://www.ihr.org/index.html
Nationalist Resource Page --
http://www.stormfront.org/
The Zundelsite --
http://www.webcom.com/ezundel/english/
British National Party --
http://www.webcom.com/bnp/
The Incomparable Revilo Oliver --
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/america

1134. looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob 'rab' Bickford <a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com>
Message-ID: <7f85h0$52g@news.dns.microsoft.com>
Source record: 145593
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

Many years ago (1970s), when I was a radio broadcast engineer, I had on the wall of my shack a largish poster that presented the electromagnetic spectrum as a series of color-coded bands, each labelled with the common use and the start/end frequencies. As I recall, it was extremely detailed in the middle (e.g., it gave the frequencies for _every_ US television channel) and not so much at the low and high ends, just saying "gamma rays" for the latter for example.

I've long since lost that chart, and when I recently realized that I'd like to give one to a promising young proto-engineer, I found I have absolutely no idea where to get another. This seemed like something that physics junkies might know about, hence this post. (Cross-posted to a couple of likely radio groups, too.)

I tried looking for web resources, and came up blank. It seems like something that ought to be available as a reference, say at the IEEE site or something like that, but all I was able to find anywhere were a few poor encyclopedia articles. So, pointers to *detailed* presentations of the EM spectrum are also appreciated.

--
Bob 'rab' Bickford
a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com

1135. Re: New High Speed CW Record

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Cheung <cheung@netbistro.com>
Message-ID: <01be884b$4fee61e0$0100007f@LocalHost>
Source record: 145594

1720 wpm - is this a typo? I didn't think we could even think that fast!
Or is this some late April fool's thing?

1136. Re: Email address for Swatch is: webmaster@swatch.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9904161653570.27231-100000@Ocean.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 145595

On Thu, 15 Apr 1999 5mbv@airmail.net wrote:

> If you want to send Swatch an email with your opinions about illegal
> commercial use of the Amatuer frequencies you can use the email
> address: webmaster@swatch.com
>
> Ken K5MBV
>
You'd better find a better email address, or even a regular mail address.

A webmaster is in charge of the website, not policy. He or she maintains the website. In many cases, especially commerical sites, the webmaster isn't even connected with the owner of the website, rather like an ad agency is separate from a compnay but takes care of advertising for the company for a fee.

Even if the webmaster is directly connected with the website, often they are more concerned with html than content. This can work to a disadvantage, because the people deciding on content don't have a clue what the internet is about or how to effectively use it, and the webmaster may not be familiar with the content suffieciently to help them figure out how to make a good site.

The exception to all this is the personal webpage, where somebody puts up a webpage about something that interests them, doing both content and layout. While sometimes the content may be lacking, these often are the best sites since their content comes out of familiarity with the internet.

Michael VE2BVW

1137. Re: ¿Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Shields <mshio@teron.com>
Message-ID: <3717A7CE.F8A04B0A@teron.com>
Source record: 145596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

Your full of shit.

BD wrote:

> I don't think I'd be posting evidence of such a lack of intelligence
> (concerning shortwave AND uhf tv), if I were you... Sounded more like a
> 'troll', tho...
> With a $50 radio and built-in antenna, you can usually hear the england,
> austrailia, canada, japan, cuba, etc. etc. from the US...
>
> Mark Shields <mshio@teron.com> wrote in message
> news:37176545.11DB39D9@teron.com...
> > I recommend getting into Internet radio. Especially if you have a fast
> connection.
> > With shortwave, unless you have a great radio (upwards of $1000) and a lot
> of time,
> > it's really hard to find what you want. There's like 9 bands and all you
> do is scan
> > unless you have a guide which takes a degree to understand. All I ever got
> was BBC
> > and Radio Australia and a lot of religious and foreign language programs.
> The
> > quality was usually awful.
> >
> > Check out the new Internet Explorer radio features. You not only get BBC
> 24 hours,
> > you get all kinds of foreign stations and rock stations around the
> country. And it
> > will only grow as more and more stations go on-line. This is cheaper and
> the signal
> > is always there and strong. Shortwave radios will soon be a thing of the
> past like
> > UHF TV.

1138. Re: " KENWOOD HF rig AUCTION -new auction number

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave <cubit@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <7f8a9m$28ju$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 145597
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,ba.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thanks for the positive comment.

I forgot to mention the Automatic Antenna Tuner option in the rig.

Radio is currently at auction with a new eBay auction number: 91747444

Link: http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=91747444

auction ends: 4/22/99
helmsman@mindspring.com wrote in message
<3712370f.17460743@news.mindspring.com>...
>"Dave" <cubit@prodigy.net> wrote:
>>Click link:
>>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=88644038
>>
>>auction number: 88644038 ends Thursday 4/15/99
>>
>Nice radio, got one just like it!
>
>==================================
>http://www.mindspring.com/~helmsman
>
>SETI@home. You can participate by running a program
>that downloads and analyzes radio telescope data.
>http://setiathome.ssl.berkeley.edu/
>
>

1139. Re: New High Speed CW Record

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3717AEF2.B7E6828@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145598

Bill Cheung wrote:

> 1720 wpm - is this a typo? I didn't think we could even think that fast!
> Or is this some late April fool's thing?

This was the speed that the equipment (computer to computer) sent/copied the code. No human that I am aware of can copy 1720 WPM unassisted.

73

Marv
KC0EGB

1140. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3717AF69.145D30F1@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145599

Gary Hoffman wrote:

> I am considering using Esperanto in the text of my
> QSL cards. Has any of you done this before? Have any
> of you received QSL cards written in Esperanto?
>
> Thanks.
>
> Gary
> KB0QGE

I think you would indeed have a universal QSL card - it would be
universally unintelligible. :-)

73,

Marv
KC0EGB

1141. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3717B436.1655@imt.net>
Source record: 145600

Martin Meserve wrote:
>
> tracy glenn wrote:
> >
> > WHAT??? 160 miles plus is childs play on SSB or CW.
> >
>
> I guess then that you must be the ultimate authority on it. Maybe
> you can do it from your location, but I know I can't from mine.

What have you used in this attempt and how far did you get?
>

1142. ARRL and Yaesu, Lovers Forever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f8gmqpbv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yes, I don't like that I bought a new Yaesu that was defective and got the old AES/Yaesu runaround that many others have reported on the FT-100 and FT-847 boards as well as contesting.com.

However, Yaesu and ARRL really are Siamese twins. Same law firm, ARRL approves the DXpeditions Yaesu equips, and Yaesu backs up ARRL in its FCC dealings (see the new scanner NPRM- Kenwood didn't comment until the replies, I believe, so someone at ARRL brought Yaesu into it at first).

ARRL "held over" by "popular demand" the review of the FT-100 on its site. What BS ! ARRL feels sorry for Yaesu that it took them 4 years to play catch up with Icom. Please, the FT100 has come through defective for many, many people and don't give me that all new rigs line... the FT-1000 MP crowd is still bitching 3 years later.

Icom and Kenwood ought to tell ARRL where to stick their ads based on this sort of preferential treatment....

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1143. Re: New High Speed CW Record

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924300232.084.8@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145602

The full article is on ARRL. The real focus is on getting a CW message through the short bursts available in meteor scatter. Scatter provides a propagation channel not normally available. They time compress a CW message and send it repeatedly. The message will get through on one of the bursts. DSP software or specialized hardware at the receiving end play back the received signal at readable speeds, 30 wpm or whatever. The wet-ware challenge is in dragging the dih dahs from DSP artifacts and distortion, not CW copy. The limitation -- why 1720 wpm and not higher -- is the compression and decompression losses.

Unless presented as the hyperbole "fastest CW alive!", few would have paid more than passing attention.

Bill Cheung <cheung@netbistro.com> wrote in message news:01be884b$4fee61e0$0100007f@LocalHost...
> 1720 wpm - is this a typo? I didn't think we could even think that fast!
> Or is this some late April fool's thing?
>

1144. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilco@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f8hcb$ps0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145603

In article <3717AF69.145D30F1@dimensional.com>,
Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote:
> >

> I think you would indeed have a universal QSL card - it would be
> universally unintelligible. :-)
>
> 73,
>
> Marv
> KC0EGB
>

That's true, Esperanto is a good idea that never got off the ground
(well maybe a few feet in its early years). Actually as far as "invented or
artificial" spoken languages go, more people speak Klingon then Esperanto.
(Klingon was really designed as a language starting with one of the Star Trek
movies, the Klingon language institute helps Klingon grow in an orderly
manner,even if Star Trek writers often break the rules).

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1145. Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f8i9b$ql1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yes. It is a popularly accepted fact in sociological circles that Jews often resent the encroachment of blacks into their neighborhoods as cities grow (and grew) and matured during the 20th cenrtury. Of course, I don't see any mullonjohns welcoming their white brothers back with open arms either....

Blacks typically followed Jews into these urban areas of settlement, with tensions often mounting. Witness recent events in NY City between Hasidim and blacks.

Irregardless, FCC is full of shit in your case. Had we been graced with a Republican president instead of northern soccer mom elected Dudley do Nothing Right, I wouldn't have needed to type this reply. Clinton has done more to lower the world and moral standing of the U.S. than WB2OTK spouting on 20 or 75 ever could.

Besides, he's in SC. We accept their way of thinking as unusual to keep the Union together.

Don't reply with liberal NWO/N.W.A NAACP horseshit; did anyone in your family get an ax buried in their forearm by one during a robbery ? So much for gun control, too.

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1146. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3717B4BD.3F71@imt.net>
Source record: 145605

Jones wrote:
>
> >tracy glenn wrote:
> >> WHAT??? 160 miles plus is childs play on SSB or CW.
>
> >Martin Meserve wrote
> >I guess then that you must be the ultimate authority on it. Maybe
> >you can do it from your location, but I know I can't from mine.
>
> You forget, the Midwest is flat. Here in Phoenix, it's hard to go 50 miles
> without running into a mountain...

I'm in Montana and guarantee you there are mountains all around,how much
power do you use and how much antenna? Tracy

1147. WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990416183541.04135.00001147@ng33.aol.com>
Source record: 145606

I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC and sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin on them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK was a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some hell on the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK

1148. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990416185041.14480.00001539@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 145607

>It's very easy for
>distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin
>on
>them.

> if I can't raise some hell on
>the radio, I'm just not going to get on!".

If it walks like a duck, and quacks like a duck.....

1149. Yakima Amateur Radio club- W7AQ, Washington State Ham Convention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3718be75.4630093@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 145608

Yakima Amateur Radio Club W7AQ
Is proud to announce the Washington State Ham Convention
and Yakima Hamfest May 22 & 23 1999

Doors open 9:00-4:00 Saturday, Breakfast starts at 7:00
Doors open 9:00-1:00 Sunday, Breakfast starts at 7:00

Prize Drawing Sunday at 12:00
!!!!!!! Grand Prize - Icom IC-706MKII !!!!!!!

New Location!! We are back in Yakima!! This Year we will be holding
the
event at the Masonic Center, 510 North Naches Ave. Easy access off
I-82

ARRL Guests

Greg Milnes W7OZ--ARRL NW Division Director
James Fenstermaker K9JF--ARRL NW Division Vice Director
Dean Straw N6BV--ARRL Senior Assistant Technical Editor
Kyle Pugh KA7CSP--Eastern Washington Section Manager
Jack Babbitt WA5ZAY--Eastern Washington Emergancy Coordinator

Saturday Night Banquet Dinner
Dinner will be catered on site. $12.50 per plate
Dinner Program by Dean Straw N6BV "Logistics and Planning for the
6Y2A DXpedition"

ARRL VE Testing Walk-ins
Welcome, Don't forget a copy of your licence.
Saturday at 12:30 on site Contact Sean
Byrne AC7AJ (509) 966-9838 for more information

For more information or to register
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KB7HDX@ARRL.NET

Please include your mailing address
or call (Eve. after 6:00 Pacific) Area code 509-965-3379
Mark J. Tharp KB7HDX
C. Jo Whitney KA7LJQ

1150. Re: ?Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris <swlchris@bellsouth.net.spam>
Message-ID: <p9PR2.237$2z3.77852@news4.atl>
Source record: 145609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

HI there
Nope You don't have to go out and buy a $1000 radio to hear shortwave stations . Depending on where you live a simple little radio from Radio Shack would work just fine for you in a lot of cases.
Ummm I can't speak for overall quality of the various overseas broadcasters but since we are talking about stations that are usually very very far away the quality will not be like your cd for the most part excepting the major broadcasters such as Voice of America,BBC,Deutsche Welle,and possibly Radio France Intl.For a idea on what it is and what it sounds like I have some RealAudio files of various stations I have heard here at my location loaded up on my website.Some will be of good quality some may not be that cd quality you are asking about.It all has to do with things called propagation ,transmitter wattage ,direction the signal is beamed and propagation(how the signals are being reflected back to earth to you).The files I have were recorded off an older tube type radio called a Drake R-4A and as such the receiving ability is a bit limited but does serve the purpose :) If you have RealPlayer 5.0 or the newer G2 you can hear these audioclips I have put up at

http://members.tripod.com/~swlchris/index.html

This will give you an idea of what can be heard using a basic setup that was under 200 dollars us.Also in there is some info on how get started listening to shortwave stations and while some may laugh at that info it is how I got started :)
Contrary to popular belief the majority of SW broadcasters will be using radiowaves instead of pc lines for sometime to come because the simple fact is majority of world population doesn't have telephones or computers let alone internet service.Live in a third world country in middle of nowhere and you might see that fact.Hell even batteries are sometimes hard to come by there :)
Until those usually extremely poor countries get a basic Westernised infrastructure complete with non interuppted power,basic telecoms, and someone who is willing to buy a ton of computers for the general population and then figure out how to get win 95 to recognise the native language I can't picture the SW broadcasters relying exclusively on internet feeds.
Only the more modernised countries are clamoring for this new internet radio thingy but take away their phonelines,powerlines,computers and asdl or cable modems and they would be relying on an old radio too :)
Truth be told I rarely if ever use my RealPlayer to listen to stations on the Internet because it sucks to have the little net congestion thingy show up all the time.I would rather hear a bit of fading but no

1 or 2 minute interruptions on a Sangean ATS803a :) Not to mention half the stations I chase after aren't anywhere near an Internet Service Provider :))))))
Chris

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Remove spam hater to reply
Monitoring in Kentucky with Drake R-4A\Sangean ATS-803A\Realistic DX-160\Realistic DX-380\Hallicrafters SW-500
21 ft vertical \60 ft v antenna
HEY If you got some time come check out my now updated website with some cool stuff and now with some audio files Whatcha waitin for? come to http://members.tripod.com/~swlchris and leave a note on how you like it or if you want to make a complaint here's a quarter :)

1151. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3717CABF.48350D7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145610

I thought Esperanto was exposed as a hoax back in the 70s??

1152. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: PoppaPump <poppa0pump@aol.com>
Message-ID: <bqQR2.1042$o31.27043@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 145611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

You are also correct I, believe Roy is wrong

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>
>Within the past month or so, I purchased a *new* Model 43 with a *new* 250H
>element. I compared it with a recently calibrated Boonton Model 92B RF
voltmeter
>and 50 ohm load setup. The readings compared as closely as I could read the
scale at
>all levels from 10 watts to 250 watts. I found this to be impressive. I
found the
>accuracy to be quite a bit better than the "guaranteed 5% of full scale".
>
>The meter scale on the 43 is highly compressed at full scale but spreads
out greatly
>at readings below full scale and is easier to read. For example, midscale
is about
>80 watts. At 40 watts the error is not +/- 12.5 watts for a 250 watt
element. It is
>definitely not off by 31% at 40 watts.
>
>5% of 250 watts does not imply 12.5 watts at "all" meter readings. That is
not what
>the term means. In fact, the term doesn't really say much of anything about
the
>accuracy at lower readings.
>
>The manner in which they mark the meter scale indicates the confidence they
have in
>those markings. The validity of the markings is verified at the factory,
where they
>have made more than 230,000 Model 43s. The skeptical owner should verify
this for
>himself, as I did.
>
>The nonlinearity of the meter scale has to be considered.
>
>I also checked my new 1000H element with the same results.
>
>Bill W0IYH
>
>

>

1153. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: PoppaPump <poppa0pump@aol.com>
Message-ID: <uDQR2.1046$o31.27140@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 145612
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

We must also take into consideration the bird meters slug, they vary greatly
from one to another. Take 3 different slugs all of them the same power
rating you will see 3 different readings

William E. Sabin wrote in message <3717322A.25148D5A@mwci.net>...
>I took some data on two 2 inch panel meters that I bought in 1946, 53 years
>ago. For 10 years they were in a CW transmitter, needles flopping around at
>25 WPM. A Beckman 310 with accuracy of 0.75% +/- 1 digit was the reference.
>Both meters are rated nominal 3% of full scale.
>
>Meter number 1: 0 to 50 mA:
>Reading Actual % error
>50 48.5 3.0%
>40 39.1 2.3%
>30 29.1 3.0%
>20 19.7 1.5%
>10 9.5 5.0%
>5 4.0 20%
>
>Meter number 2: 0 to 200 mA:
>200 198 1.0%
>150 149 0.7%
>100 102 2.0%
>50 51.5 3.0%
>25 26.1 4.2%
>
>So much for the intuition that a panel meter that is specified only at full
>scale cannot be trusted in regions above, say 20% of full scale.
>
>Bill W0IYH
>

1154. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: pcr@ten.ci
Message-ID: <3717dc91.0@news.ic.net>
Source record: 145613
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f7ebc$op8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au says...

{blather deleted}

Boy, it didn't take *you* long to land in my kill file.
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...phil
Copyright, Phillip C. Reed, 1999.
Naughty words: eWorks! OT7 AOL bomb Green Card hack phreak breast sex
PGP fingerprint = C5 41 B5 9E B4 56 0C C3 26 FC B9 ED BC D7 CA 8B

1155. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <3717E430.87778339@teleport.com>
Source record: 145614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

PoppaPump wrote:
>
> You are also correct I, believe Roy is wrong

Which of my statements was wrong?

I hope no one thinks I'm claiming that no individual Bird wattmeter can measure more accurately than its specification. (In fact, I'm quite sure that all of them do. And in many cases, an individual meter with an individual slug might commonly be a great deal better.) All I've said is that the Bird accuracy specification of 5% of full scale means that they guarantee that the reading will be within 5% of full scale. With a 250 watt slug, this means +/- 12.5 watts. They don't have different specifications for different parts of the scale, so it applies to a reading anywhere on the scale. If they stated the spec as "5% of full scale at full scale" with no more information, then the only reading they'd be guaranteeing is full scale, with no guarantee of accuracy anywhere else on the meter. If they specified "5% of reading", the guarantee would be, for a 250 watt slug, 12.5 watts at full scale, 6.25 watts at the 125 watt level, and so forth. But neither of these is what the specification says.

If this is what you disagree with, there's nothing more I can really add to the discussion. Either you take specifications literally, as I do, or interpret them in some other way as Bill does. If I made some other statement that you believe was wrong, I'll be glad to listen to your reasons for thinking so.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

1156. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <A3SR2.369$Bm3.34256@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145615

I must be too old fashioned for amateur radio of the 20th century, but, I cannot agree with the "freedom of speech" argument that claims that one can utter any old thing he/she wishes on the radio. I would not stand up in the midst of, say, a sporting event and shout the "N" word and I would use the same word on the air. Just because we may have the freedom to do it does not mean that doing it is in good taste, is appreciated by others, or is appropriate to the occasion. Thee are some things that are not done because doing them is not polite or not in good taste. And if you have to ask for an explanation of what is and is not polite or is or is not good taste, then you are too damn dumb to understand the answer.

My old granddaddy taught me that gentlemen do not say the first thing that comes to mind. I must be out of date.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

Richwhiten wrote in message <19990416183541.04135.00001147@ng33.aol.com>...
>I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC
and
>sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I
>have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same
>scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for
>distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin
on
>them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK
was
>a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some
hell on
>the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to
>answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
>racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK

1157. FS: Motorola HT-90 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#IrahxHi#GA.91@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1158. FS: Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OwOZtyHi#GA.265@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145617
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $100.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1159. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv With Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OeiWa5Hi#GA.243@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

1160. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7f961i$e1d@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145619

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

<You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
<ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
<communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
<least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
<world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
<use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
<him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
<modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
<but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
<extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the
<international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
<equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
<equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view
<while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
<personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

That makes a nice "warm fuzzies" story. But if the ITU really has this
global view, and understands the value of Morse code, why doesn't it
require some minimal level of Morse proficiency for operators of *other*
services that use the HF bands: marine, aeronautical, etc?

The other explanation I've heard for why amateur licences require Morse
code, and this one rings truer to me, is that amateurs used to share
bands with other services on a secondary basis, services where the
primary users used Morse for communications. It was necessary for the
primary users to be able to tell amateurs to change frequencies to
avoid interference (i.e. "buzz off"), in Morse, and have the amateurs
understand.

Since no other services use Morse anymore, this reason has gone away.

Do anyone know the real history of the Morse requirement?

Dave

1161. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Shayler <paul@g6tsf.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant1617460b0Kjhw@g6tsf.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145620
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <42949621592682680348NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>, Jeff Johns
<URL:mailto:jeffj@scott.net> wrote:
> On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 16:40:48 -0400, "Steve Meserve" <stevenme@microsoft.com> wrote:
>
> > In addition to the Compaq I have an HP 660LX, and it exhibits the same RFI
> > problem.
>
> My 200LX (I love this little machine) has no problems with high levels of
> RFI.
>
> 73 es gl Jeff W4JEF
>
Could it also have some thing to do with the much higher processor speed
and generation of RFI this ??

--
NO RISC?.....NO FUN!!
This message is brought to you by the power of the StrongARM (TM)
ACORN SA-RPC using SA-110 processor
Paul G6TSF g6tsf@amsat.org

1162. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <37168a79.39279545@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145632

The OO's aren't the problem, Rich. You went way over the line with your racist comments a few months back. That is going to get your license. Not the jamming or the other stuff, but the comments. If you forgot what you said just catch about the 50 or more webpages it's on. I've heard you take Al to task about the way he feels about blacks and the comments he's made, but nothing I've ever heard him say comes close to yours. Come 2001 you should either get a lawyer and fight or get another hobby.

1163. A Victory For Truth and Common Sense

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <371689cc.207811@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Forwarded Bulletin Follows:

Finally, common sense has prevailed!

Date sent: Thu, 15 Apr 1999
From: Rob Carlson <rcarls2@umbc.edu>
Subject: Sputnik-99 launch cancelled by Swatch!

Sputnik-99 launch cancelled by Swatch!

By deceiving AMSAT organizations in Russia and France, the Russian SCSC
(Space Flight Control Centre) in cooperation with the Swatch company had
arranged to use the two meter Amateur band for direct advertising via the
"Beatnik" satellite (a mini-Sputnik-99 project formerly to be known as
RS-19) across the entire world.

Thanks to the protests of my fellow radio amateurs worldwide, Swatch has
cancelled the mission to use the frequency of 145.815 to advertise their
trademarks from space! Thanks to everyone who helped spread the word and
let Swatch and other companies know that intrusions on the amateur bands
will not be tolerated. Although the call-off message on their web site is
something of a cop out, the result of our efforts is plainly evident.
We've proven again that the fight to preserve and enjoy our amateur radio
spectrum is a good one.

You can see the Swatch site at
http://www.swatch.com/beatnik/index.php3
for the real deal, and the wind down of the protest operation on my site
at http://rob.carlson.org/swatch-protest. I couldn't have done this
without all of you, and I'm so greatful to have had the opportunity to
represent the interests of Amateur Radio.

73 and good luck in the future,
Rob Carlson, KC2AEI <rcarls2@umbc.edu>

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Rob Carlson, KC2AEI | rcarls2@umbc.edu | http://rob.carlson.org

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Thanks to Rob for his efforts!

1164. SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f68aroro1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This is the biggest Russian lie since they claimed they didn't get screwed by Hitler in a non aggression pact.

>>Unfortunately, the Russian transmission "Gelios", a key link with the MIR space station, was severely damaged a few days ago.This has created a situation of uncertainty and made communications to the MIR problematic.

>>Swatch has decided to donate the batteries supporting the beatnik satellite to the MIR cosmonauts who will be using them to run the printer onboard which is the lifeline to earth through which the cosmonauts receive their
daily instructions and key operations points.

Uh, sure guys, whatever you say guys. Run out of DC outlets boys....

>>To thank Swatch for this gesture, we have decided to publish the messages that had been recorded in the beatnik memories and that we are now not able to transmit on the radio waves.

More Russian propaganda from the same pro Yugo folks who say they are aiming their nukes at us at midnight and by 8 am say it was all a mistake. BTW, remember how they criticized hams for responding to SWATCH next time they crash into something with their underfunded rowboat and yell MAYDAY on 2m....

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1165. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f67rb$it6@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145635

robh8304@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
>i can also bet that a large part the the coded hams never even picked up
>the
>key before they got thier ticket, they had there ve best friend pass them
>into the ham bands

There are still quite a few of us around who took our test from an FCC examiner and who had to submit one minute of error-free copy to the stern-faced government man. (One could pass without "even pick(ing) up the key before they got their ticket.")

73, Jeff KH6O

1166. I work at ARRL and Spit on the Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. Pumpkin Head K1ZZ" <puppetmaster@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <YLxR2.58$C76.217@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145636

Dear Fellow Ham

I feel it is my responsibility to do whatever I can to ensure ham radio
is around in another 75 years.

What I don't tell you is that while promoting the Idiot Class HF
license, I will continue doing what I've done for 25 years !

I will contest, and work DX on CW ONLY in the CW SUBBANDS WITH PEOPLE
WHO KNOW CW AT 30 WPM and are members of FOC and A-1 OPS!

That's the ARRL philosophy and we are sticking it to you.

Warm regards,
Mr. Pumpkin Head, ARRL Executive Vice President

Surf Usenet at home or on the road -- always at Talkway.
http://www.talkway.com

1167. Re: Help Icom 740

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3716c2a5.4981499@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 145637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 15 Apr 1999 22:46:23 -0400, Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrotf:

>Hello
> I have a Icom 740 that I need help with trouble shooting. The rig
>lights up fine in moble and with built in power supply. All the relays
>appear to be working fine. In other words all the mechanics of the radio
>work fine. The problem with the rig is there is no transmit nor receive.
>I mean no even a little bit. I can key down a radio next to the Icom 740
>and no receive, no meter movment nothing. The same thing with the radio
>in the transmit mode all the relays work but no signal not even a
>millwatt of output. When the rig is put in the FM mode I can hear the
>white noise come out of the radio but there again no receive or
>transmit. Does anyone have any idea which board I should look at?
> Thanks for reading
> 73 from Oris

Have a look at the service FAQ's on www.icomamerica.com There should
be one for the 740 that may help.

Gary Fiber

Washington State Resident

1168. IC-706MKIIG Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Seamus E. Casey" <Casey@Nosferatu.CC>
Message-ID: <eZzR2.11275$tY1.7131@wbnws01.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 145638

Does anyone have one yet ?

If so, what do you think ?

Do you like it ?

Would you recommend it ?

Thanks !

Seamus E. Casey, N1IOX
Casey@Nosferatu.CC

1169. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f6l79$s1s@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145639

In article <k99R2.2662$fH2.1180@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>On 14 Apr 1999 08:10:12 GMT jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

>> As far as apologizing to "rosie" -- I don't apologize to anyone who
>> tosses rocks all the while hiding behind the cloak of an anonymous
>> screen name. His last name-calling post showed his true spirit.

>I wouldent expect it anyway. Your neibor Ralph Hedges says you have
>always been a pain.
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com

Nice job randomly pulling a name out of the Honolulu phone directory.
My "neighbors" and I live in a 1500 unit ocean-front condo. There is no
"Hedges" in this complex. But I am flattered that you would spend the
time a conducting a random search for some stranger in another Ala Moana
Blvd. high-rise.

Jeff

1170. KNWD 530 Question???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstanisi@isd.net
Message-ID: <924245904.612.65@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145640

I just aquired a Kenwood 530 and was wondering if the s-meter is supposed to be disabled when the AGC switch is set to "off"..Thanks...

1171. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny Hendrickx <hendrida@se.bel.alcatel.be>
Message-ID: <3716DF91.4AB27EC@se.bel.alcatel.be>
Source record: 145641
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Bill Bowden wrote:
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> Carl Schulz wrote in message <7f43oc$g2q$1@grandprime.binc.net>...
> >I had an idea for a car "alarm'. The idea was to hook up a fuel pump cut
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> >frequency. it kills the fuel pump and stalls the car.
> >
> >If anyone actually tries this, I want a 10% cut of the profits. :)
> >

I think Mercedes or BMW already implemented this. Was it your idea ? In
that case, contact them. Both of them are in Germany I believe ;-)

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Regards,
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SW-Engineering - Routing - VJ24 Hendrickx Danny
phone : +32-3-240 3916 ALCATEL TELECOM
fax : +32-3-240 9899 Fr.Wellesplein 1
mailto:daniel.dh1.hendrickx@alcatel.be 2018 Antwerp Belgium
_____________________________________________\ /___________
URL: http://www.se.bel.alcatel.be/CH_sector1/SS31/ \/
**********************************************************************
I couldn't repair your brakes, so I made your horn louder.
**********************************************************************
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1172. Re: Testing Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: SwTempo <swtempo@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <JJBR2.1072$Ji.4742124@rsnws01.mn.mediaone.net>
Source record: 145642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try www.hamtest.com

N9QPI <chankins@logan.net> wrote in message news:37168dc8.0@207.51.128.11...
> Can anyone tell where I might be able to download testing software. My new
> step-son is wanting to study and everything I have is very out dated..
> Thanks in advance
>
> Jim
> N9QPI
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1173. ?Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmkc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f6s0m$9j3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145643
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

hello, Is there a radio that receives worldwide stations? I've heard of those really technical ones then do all those difficult stuff to capture the frequencies etc. eek so complicate. I just want to get a radio and listen to a radio station at overseas... could anyone please help?

Thanks!!

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1174. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim Courtney <tim.courtney@soton.sc.philips.com>
Message-ID: <3716E4FB.4CF2@soton.sc.philips.com>
Source record: 145644
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Danny Hendrickx wrote:
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> Bill Bowden wrote:
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> > Carl Schulz wrote in message <7f43oc$g2q$1@grandprime.binc.net>...
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> > >off switch to a reciever. When you transmit the right DTMF code on that
> > >frequency. it kills the fuel pump and stalls the car.
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> I think Mercedes or BMW already implemented this. Was it your idea ? In
> that case, contact them. Both of them are in Germany I believe ;-)
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> --
> Regards,
> _________________
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/snip/

This is exactly how my car immobiliser works. it's a Renault and is from
1996 so it is a way old idea.

Tim

1175. Re: ❓Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: igillman@arinc.com
Message-ID: <7f79mtkdu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

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> those really technical ones then do all those difficult stuff to capture the
> frequencies etc. eek so complicate. I just want to get a radio and listen to
> a radio station at overseas... could anyone please help?
>

Yes there are radios that pick up worldwide stations, they are known as shortwave radios. You do not need anything too expensive to try out the hobby either, you can pick up radios for under $100 that have a SW band on them. To avoid any undue disappointment with a very cheap radio I would recommend one around $100 or just over (these are US $'s).

If you have never listened to SW before then you should know that reception is hardly ever crystal clear. Do not expect FM quality on SW. There are lots of technical reasons for this but the simple explanation is that the signal has had to travel many thousands of miles, bouncing between the atmosphere and the ground and so it is not in peak condition when it arrives.

After buying a cheap radio, if you decide that you really like the hobby then you can get a more expensive setup if you want to but a lot of us are using radios that cost around $200-$300 and we are quite happy with them.

http://www.webring.org/cgi-bin/webring?ring=shortwave2&id=12&list
Shortwave radio ring.

http://oak.oakland.edu:8080/pub/hamradio/arrl/infoserv/faqs/swlfaq1.txt
http://oak.oakland.edu:8080/pub/hamradio/arrl/infoserv/faqs/swlfaq2.txt
Short introduction to SW

TTFN
Ian

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1176. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: josumer@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7f7aim$l3h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145646

In article <3710D81D.63F1@imt.net>,
tglenn@imt.net wrote:

> I agree,and although I have been licensed only 3 years (attained extra
> class 7 months into it) I would gladly hit the books and take more
> tests,especially needed is a more difficult CW test.Nothing
> impossible,25-30WPM seems fair to me.AB7RS

Tracy what about the crap you hear on 14300/14313 and at nite with whittenand
his ilk? they had to do morse code, i am going for my codless tech and may
never have the desire to learn CW

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1177. Need a program to ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Lynch <jwl@sgi.com>
Message-ID: <371740B7.83EE9D20@sgi.com>
Source record: 145647

Our local club has been asked by another organization if they could put their repeater on our tower. Before we say "sure", we'd like to run the numbers to see if there are conflicts with the frequencies. I know there was a program around once upon a time that would take the drudge work out of this but I have no idea what it is called or what to search for. Any suggestions would be much appreciated.

Thanks,
Jim. K4GVO

1178. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <371724C8.ED934209@erols.com>
Source record: 145648
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The first time I did this was about 1977. Make sure I get my cut, okay :-)

Tim Courtney wrote:

> Danny Hendrickx wrote:
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> > Bill Bowden wrote:
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> > > Carl Schulz wrote in message <7f43oc$g2q$1@grandprime.binc.net>...
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> /snip/
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> This is exactly how my car immobiliser works. it's a Renault and is from
> 1996 so it is a way old idea.
>
> Tim

1179. Re: Help me catch a thief

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <371727E7.2253C224@erols.com>
Source record: 145649
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For liability purposes make sure that there can be no false triggers (use two digits in sequence) and be sure you can see the car when you disable it. If you kill it as the thief is crossing a rail road track or pulling out in front of an 18 wheeler, for example you could be in for some big liability.

Also, opening the primary to the ignition is a faster way - you don't have to wait for the fuel to be pumped from the lines.

1180. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16912-37171BAD-9@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145650

You are 100% correct, CRT. It was that racist outburst that actually got the FCC BACK INTO the enforcement aspects of ham radio. They received so many complaints about that particular incident, they HAD to do something since it was obvious things were out of control.

1181. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7f7ebc$op8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f68aroro1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> This is the biggest Russian lie since they claimed they didn't get screwed by
> Hitler in a non aggression pact.

As a ham you would know about lieing.

> >>Unfortunately, the Russian transmission "Gelios", a key link with the MIR
space station, was severely damaged a few days ago.This has created a
situation of uncertainty and made communications to the MIR problematic.
>
> >>Swatch has decided to donate the batteries supporting the beatnik satellite
to the MIR cosmonauts who will be using them to run the printer onboard which
is the lifeline to earth through which the cosmonauts receive their
> daily instructions and key operations points.
>
> Uh, sure guys, whatever you say guys. Run out of DC outlets boys....
>
> >>To thank Swatch for this gesture, we have decided to publish the messages
that had been recorded in the beatnik memories and that we are now not able to
transmit on the radio waves.
>
> More Russian propaganda from the same pro Yugo folks who say they are aiming
> their nukes at us at midnight and by 8 am say it was all a mistake. BTW,
> remember how they criticized hams for responding to SWATCH next time they
> crash into something with their underfunded rowboat and yell MAYDAY on 2m....

Get real you guys. Ham radio is nothing. It's probably the crappy 2 metre
radio that caused the problems they are having. Wake up to yourselves.
The amateur bands will be taken from you. The immature response to the
exciting venture by Swatch have shown the world just how low hams can
sink. Swatch got thousands of dollars advertising value and hams lost
any respect they may have had. Nice one guys. You lose.

Barry

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1182. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7f7ek8otj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <7f258f$i58$1@news-2.news.gte.net>,
Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net> wrote:
> Hi Rob, KC2AEI,
>
> I received a response from the ITU regarding a request
> to intervene relative to the upcoming Amateur Space
> activity by SWATCH onboard the Beatnik / Sputnik-99 /
> RS-19 satellite.
>
> The ITU requested that as a FIRST STEP, that the matter
> be brought to the attention of "the Administration
> responsible for Telecommunication matters in your country".
> In the US, this would be the FCC.

Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
they approve scanners that receive cellular perfectly on images.

> The ITU also requested that this information be circulated
> among those who could have been invited to send the same
> request to the ITU.
>
> The text can be viewed at:
>
>
> Could you please update your web page accordingly,
>
>
> and I'll also post this into rec.radio.amateur.misc,
> rec.radio.amateur.policy and rec.radio.amateur.space.
>
> Incidentally, the FCC is aware of the upcoming event.

And they can do nothing about it. Suckers!

>
> Ron Hashiro, AH6RH
> Honolulu, HI

Hello.

Barry

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1183. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7f7f1spci1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145653
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <37151694.5695B36C@dimensional.com>,
Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote:
> I seem to be missing something here. SWATCH is apparently pissing off
> all hams with their plan to transmit a message, and for the most part
> only hams will hear the message.

You are missing something. Only a few vocal and very stupid hams are
pissed off. The majority were quietly waiting with bated breath for
the exciting event.

>This sounds like a net loss for them.
> They should fire the idiot that ever suggested the idea to them.

Not at all. The result is a great deal of free advertising for
Swatch and a loss of face for the amateur radio brigade.

> Marv

Barry

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1184. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7f7fasphm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <37167885.0@news.ic.net>,
pcr@ten.ci (phil reed {domain actually ic.net - reversed for anti-spam})
wrote:
> Swatch has retreated. They have said that due to a problem with MIR,
> they donated the batteries from the Beatnik satellite to power other
> systems on the MIR station.

Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
able to.

Barry

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1185. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7f7fgfpsu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145655

In article <7eualrttb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
robh8304@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <371013AC.6B9B9DA5@woldnet.att.net>,
> CWnotCB <xray@woldnet.att.net> wrote:
> > And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
> >
> > http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
> >
>
> who really gives a rats ass on the code anyways, every time i pick up a
> shortwave reciver all i ever hear is a bunch of fowel mouth worse the any
> cb'er that i ever heard in my days in all my days in 11 meter/. becides i can
> bet most of the "coded hams" that still use the code are sittin behind the
> computer keybord and prob forgot the stupid code long ago. and the last thing
> i can also bet that a large part the the coded hams never even picked up the
> key before they got thier ticket, they had there ve best friend pass them
> into the ham bands
>
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I hate to break your bubble but CW is alive and well in ham radio. Have
you ever listened during a major cw contest weekend? Do you think we are
all sitting there with code readers and keyboards? No way Jose!!. I taught
myself CW at the age of 12. I practiced until I became proficient. And I
still use and enjoy it on a daily basis. And no, I dont use a keyboard or a
code reader. Instead of bitching and moaning about something you obviously
have no experience in, try it you will like it.

Dan/W4NTI

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1186. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7f7fi4pti1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

In article <3715aa77.91599182@news.hasler.ascom.ch>,
hb9dnn@gmx.net (Robert M. Ganter) wrote:
> On 14 Apr 1999 16:24:11 GMT, we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:
>
> << advice to spam Swatch >>
>
> Nice try, but IMO the wrong way. If You want to be taken serious, then
> You have to behave serious.
> SPAMMING, MAILBOMBING, and TELPHONE-TERROR is a NO-GO!
>
> We should try to organize a boycott for Swatch products. This is the
> only way to give them, what they deserve.

As if Swatch is going to be bothered by a few pathetic hams boycotting
them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
much free advertising.

> BTW: According to what AMSAT-FR said, the Russian Space Agency knew
> from the beginning, that they were going to break the law. Instead of
> making that fact know to all, AMSAT-FR preferred to complete their
> work. Hopefully they learned their lesson: never make business with
> the mafia.

Never take any notice of a few vocal hams.

> Regards
>
> Robert

Barry

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1187. MIDWINTER MADNESS,Blaine MN Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Dorf <jerryd@mirage.skypoint.net>
Message-ID: <7f7dm5$2t6$3@shadow.skypoint.net>
Source record: 145657

Here is the Internet Midwinter madness Update:

Official advertisement:

18th annual Midwinter Madness hobby electronics show, National Sports
Center, Blaine MN, north of Minneapolis/St Paul on 35W, exit #32.
VE testing, Friday April 16, 1999. Exposition April 17, 1999
7:30am to 3:00PM. 40+ commercial vendors, 300-flea market tables.
Super buys on computers, hardware, components, peripherals, and amateur
radio equipment. Admission $7.00 at the door.
Info: RARC, 4737 S. HWY 101 #276, Minnetonka MN 55345 or call 612 537-1722.

PDF version of the mailer at http://www.visi.com/~jerryd

If you have any questions use the info above or respond to this message.

Thank you.

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= jerryd@skypoint.com * = Lost in the world of *
* Jerry Dorf, N0FWG = 45.11.24 N * Telecommunications? *
= Buffalo MN * 93.51.54 W = Internet, Usenet! *
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1188. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <3717322A.25148D5A@mwci.net>
Source record: 145658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I took some data on two 2 inch panel meters that I bought in 1946, 53 years ago. For 10 years they were in a CW transmitter, needles flopping around at 25 WPM. A Beckman 310 with accuracy of 0.75% +/- 1 digit was the reference. Both meters are rated nominal 3% of full scale.

Meter number 1: 0 to 50 mA:
Reading Actual % error
50 48.5 3.0%
40 39.1 2.3%
30 29.1 3.0%
20 19.7 1.5%
10 9.5 5.0%
5 4.0 20%

Meter number 2: 0 to 200 mA:
200 198 1.0%
150 149 0.7%
100 102 2.0%
50 51.5 3.0%
25 26.1 4.2%

So much for the intuition that a panel meter that is specified only at full scale cannot be trusted in regions above, say 20% of full scale.

Bill W0IYH

1189. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: we@bulldog.org
Message-ID: <7f7evnbpr1@news.uky.edu>
Source record: 145659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f68aroro1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com says...
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>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

While I still think we should have started getting all the people we could to call the swatch 800 numbers 10 times a day just to drive the point home, I must disagree about ingoring any "mayday" call. Even from our very "good" freinds and trustworth allies the Sov..er I mean russians. I just can not see refusing to provide emergency comms to they poor patriotic fools who occupy Mir. Fools because it is clear that that boat has outlived its' utility. Of course, about all any of us could do would be to take down their last thoughts as there is no way to lunch a "rescue" mission in any realistic time frame.
Besides the russians are not the only government that likes to twist the truth. Ours has done it a "Few" times.

1190. Re: ❓Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmkc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f7jmr$tv3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145660
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

I see, thanks for you reply!
So, the quality... hmm... Is the quality near a 16kbps Real Audio file? Or can
you raise an example comparing its quality?

Thanks

In article <7f79mtkdu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
igillman@arinc.com wrote:
> In article <7f6s0m$9j3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mmkc@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > hello, Is there a radio that receives worldwide stations? I've heard of
> > those really technical ones then do all those difficult stuff to capture the
> > frequencies etc. eek so complicate. I just want to get a radio and listen
to
> > a radio station at overseas... could anyone please help?
> >
>
> Yes there are radios that pick up worldwide stations, they are known as
> shortwave radios. You do not need anything too expensive to try out the hobby
> either, you can pick up radios for under $100 that have a SW band on them. To
> avoid any undue disappointment with a very cheap radio I would recommend one
> around $100 or just over (these are US $'s).
>
> If you have never listened to SW before then you should know that reception
> is hardly ever crystal clear. Do not expect FM quality on SW. There are lots
> of technical reasons for this but the simple explanation is that the signal
> has had to travel many thousands of miles, bouncing between the atmosphere
> and the ground and so it is not in peak condition when it arrives.
>
> After buying a cheap radio, if you decide that you really like the hobby then
> you can get a more expensive setup if you want to but a lot of us are using
> radios that cost around $200-$300 and we are quite happy with them.
>
> http://www.webring.org/cgi-bin/webring?ring=shortwave2&id=12&list
> Shortwave radio ring.
>
> http://oak.oakland.edu:8080/pub/hamradio/arrl/infoserv/faqs/swlfaq1.txt
> http://oak.oakland.edu:8080/pub/hamradio/arrl/infoserv/faqs/swlfaq2.txt
> Short introduction to SW
>
> TTFN
> Ian
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------

> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

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1191. SELL:FT-990 excellent/complete station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9CSM <k9csm@pcisys.net>
Message-ID: <7f7gqadlt1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 145661

I am selling my FT-990, HD supply, boxes, manual & Shure 444D desk mike.
All excellent, late model actually AS NEW for $1150 shipped prepaid.
k9csm@pcisys.net Ben

1192. Re: 5 wpm ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Lynch <jwl@sgi.com>
Message-ID: <37176613.1B89B961@sgi.com>
Source record: 145662

Michael Young wrote:
>
> Torbjï¿½rn Morka <scanman@online.no> wrote in message
> news:1K8R2.596$y75.4360@news1.online.no...
> > Does this make you able to use voice on HF ?
> > What power/frequencies ?
>
> No.
Wait a minute. Can't Tech Plus ops run phone on a subband of 10 meters?
>
> >
> > 5wpm = 25 chars / minute ?
>
> Yes.

1193. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <371c4bf7.2438391@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>In article <37167885.0@news.ic.net>,
> pcr@ten.ci (phil reed {domain actually ic.net - reversed for anti-spam})
>wrote:
>> Swatch has retreated. They have said that due to a problem with MIR,
>> they donated the batteries from the Beatnik satellite to power other
>> systems on the MIR station.
>
>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
>able to.
>
>Barry

I am curious. What is your callsign?
Since this is an amateur radio newsgroup and the satellite in question
was to transmit in one of the amateur radio bands what is your
interest here?

W4SCO.

1194. Re: SWATCH President Former East German Border Guard !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37174de4.14541371@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.art-bell,rec.radio.amateur.space

ROTFLVVL!

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 02:49:35 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Now that I have your attention, it does seem he has a problem with
>international treaties.
>
>Of course, I have wanted to test the fan on my 2m rig on air, under real
>world SWR to see if it works, and my satellite tracking software is often
>unreliable, at best.
>
>SWATCH's response makes it sound like they only want to help give everyone a
>voice and equal access under law to ham frequencies, God knows we are pigs
>what with hoarding those 30 MHz out of 55 GHz to ourself !... Seems it
>should've had a CB Radio giveaway sweepstakes then.
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1195. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37174eed.14805849@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Well said, Robert!

I notice that the Tim & Jim club etc., who so vehemently defended Swatch's illicit behavior, are strangely silent now that a voice of reason from Switzerland has spoken with predictable sanity and force about this issue.

It was hilarious to watch the absurd defenses mounted for this illegal, annoying and dangerous behavior by Swatch.

Their defenders should go away and get a clue!

On Thu, 15 Apr 1999 09:16:28 GMT, hb9dnn@gmx.net (Robert M. Ganter) wrote:

>On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 16:28:36 -0600, Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
>wrote:
>
>> I seem to be missing something here. SWATCH is apparently pissing off
>> all hams with their plan to transmit a message, and for the most part
>> only hams will hear the message. This sounds like a net loss for them.
>> They should fire the idiot that ever suggested the idea to them.
>
>This PR stunt came from the son of N.Hayek, and (You guess it), he
>fully agrees with this "great idea to fight for freedom".
>These guys care a shit about the right of others.
>
>Regards
>
>Robert (HB9DNN)
>--
>
>Robert M. Ganter HB9DNN

1196. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37175037.15136357@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
>able to.
>
>Barry

And ask them to please put "Mr. Morailty" Barry on the nose cone at
launch time!

1197. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37174f99.14978698@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:56:25 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>As if Swatch is going to be bothered by a few pathetic hams boycotting
>them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
>much free advertising.

Now that the pressure has stopped them, you may clean that
egg off your face!

Go and play your didgery-doo!

1198. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.faa76f1.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 145668
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:40:25 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

Well, if itsn't our old chum "barryox". When d'ja lose the
"x", mate??

> > The ITU requested that as a FIRST STEP, that the matter
> > be brought to the attention of "the Administration
> > responsible for Telecommunication matters in your country".
> > In the US, this would be the FCC.

This was to be expected because the ITU resolves complaints from
member Administrations, not from individual licensees.
>
> Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
> want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
> as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
> they approve scanners that receive cellular perfectly on images.

For folks who want a serious reply (does that let you out,
chum?) the FCC's "voice" in international interference resolution
circles is very loud and well respected. You see, the FCC's
HF now-remote-controlled direction-finding system is the
largest and most accurate in the world (it certainly did not
"go away" when the monitoring facilities went unmanned) and
other Admins regularly ask for FCC assistance in resolving and
pinpointing HF problems, most of which are unknown to the ham
community because they are not in the ham bands.

As far as the "scanner cellular channel ban" goes, the FCC was
FORCED to do the above by The Congress against the private
judgement of knowledgeable technical staffers and outsiders in
the business. If the FCC had its way there wouldn't be any such
restriction because all is does is to add more equipment
inspection duties (imports and retail outlets) to a field staff
that has more important things to so. But when the cellular
industry says "jump" The Congress says "how high" on the way
up. The FCC is caught in the middle.

Such is life.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

1199. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <7f7jc0$knj@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 145669
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1999 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
last updated April 10, 1999 |

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

APRIL 1999

April 11 (Sun): Middleton, WI. Madison Area Repeater Association. 8 AM - 1 PM Middleton Conference Center, 1313 John Q. Hammons Drive Middleton, WI 53562. The Middleton Conference Center is located in Middleton, WI, near the west side of Madison, WI. From the intersection of Interstate 90 and Highways 12 and 18 near Madison's South-East corner, take Highway 12 West. Stay on Highway 12 until you reach Greenway Blvd. Exit to Greenway Blvd. and turn left. Then turn left on John Q. Hammons Drive. The Conference Center is attached to the Marriot which is clearly visible from the intersection of Highway 12 and Greenway Blvd. Talk-in Frequency: 147.75/.15. Info: Paul Toussaint, N9VWH, MARA President, prt@execpc.com. The MARA telephone voice mail (608)245-8890 . http://skywarn.ssec.wisc.edu/mara/swapfest

Apr 17 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). Dupage County Fairgrounds.

Apr 18 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). orland Park Civic Center.

April 25 (Sun): Galva, IL. Area Amateur Radio Operators Hamfest. When: 8 am until 2pm, April 25, 1999. Where: The National Guard Armory Tickets: Advance tickets $5 double stubs, at the door $5 single stub, No advance sales after March 25th. Outside flea market space available. Electricity, available on a first come first serve basis. Bring your own extension cords. VE Testing will be available by appointment only. Talk in 145.4900 - 88.5 PL / 146.460 simplex. Breakfast and Lunch will be available and served by the National Guard Relief Members. For set up times, advance ticket sales or other information, contact: (1) Bill Anderson WB9TEW, 103 SE 2nd Ave. Galva, Illinois 61434-1854.

tel. 309-932-3023, bill@inw.net. (2) Tom Davis N9OSP, 802 Rose Street, Kewanee, Illinois 61443. Tdn9osp@cin.net

April ?? (Sun): Stickney, IL. Dupage Amateur Radio Club, Hawthorne Race Course. Hours 8 AM - 2 PM. Setup 6 AM.

MAY 1999

May 1 (Sat), Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee Radio Club Swapfest, Info: Joe Holly, AA9HR, 1702 Holly Ln., Grafton, WI 53024, 414-377-2137

May 2 (Sun), Sandwich, IL - Kishwaukee Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Sandwich Fairgrounds. Admission $?. Ends at 2 PM. Talk-in 146.73 MHz. Info: Bob Yurs W9ICU, phone 815-895-3219, email: w9icu@tbcnet.com. (Nice mid-sized hamfest out in country. Lots of tailgating. Few commercial exhibitors. Always a good time. Fairly good restroom facilities - AJ9S).

May 14, 15, 16 (Fri - Sun) - Dayton, OH. Dayton HamVention. See http://www.hamvention.org

May 15 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). | Dupage County Fairgrounds. |

May 16 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale | (see below). orland Park Civic Center. |

JUNE 1999

Jun 6 (Sun), Princeton, IL - Starved Rock RC. info: Frank Carraro, KF9NZ, PO Box 198, Leonore, IL 61332/ 815-856-3773. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/ E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 13 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Dupage County Fairgrounds. Six Meter Club of Chicago. info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. tel. 630-963-4922

Jun 13 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale | (see below). orland Park Civic Center.

JULY 1999

Jul 11 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Kankakee Area Radio Society. Will County fairgrounds. Admission $5 at the gate. Take I-57 to Peotone Exit 327 (east). 146.94 MHz (-600) talk-in. info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. tel. 815-939-7548, E-mail: k9nr@juno.com. http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/5711 For Reserved Tables and Advanced Tickets, send check (payable to

KARS) and S.A.S.E. to: CHIP MOORE, K9IOC, 289 S. Euclid Ave. Bradley, IL 60915, E-Mail: chipm@megsinet.net or to BILL DESALVO, W9OQW, 403 Birch Dr., Shorewood, IL 60431. 815-744-5099.

Jul 18 (Sun), Sugar Grove, IL. Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. For tables, tickets, and information: contact N9UZC James E. Von Olnhausen, n9uzc@amsat.org, (630)-879-3042, FRRL, Box 673, Batavia, IL 60510-0673. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html (good, small to midsized hamfest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 1999

Aug 7 (Sat) - Quincy, IL. Western Illinois Amateur Radio Club Ham Radio and Computer SWAPFEST 1999. 8:00AM to 2:00PM. The Eagles Alps Grounds (3737 North 5th Street) 4.5 miles north of downtown Quincy with easy access from US Highway 24. Admission $3.00 at the Gate ($2.50 in advance) per person, under 12 - Free. ARRL VEC testing for all license classes at 12:30PM. Indoor Flea Market space available for $5.00 which includes one 5' table. Outdoor tailgating space - Free. Talk-in on 147.63/147.03 MHz. Plenty of convenient parking available. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Children's playground area. For additional information contact N9JF, jfunk@adams.net

Aug 8 (Sun), Peotone, IL - Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. E-mail: nf9n@aol.com. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 14 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). | Dupage County Fairgrounds. |

Aug 29 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. Talk-in: 146.52 Simplex. info: Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/. Tickets: Advance With Double Stub $4.00 - At Gate $5.00 Single Stub - $6.00 With Double Stub . Exhibit Building: 8:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. Table Rental: $14.00 For 8' Table. Flea Market: 6:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. No Additional Charge For Flea Market Space Info (708) 944-0500. Fax (847) 658-1678. (fairly good, small to mid sized hamfest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1999

Sept 25, 26 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel.

708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are held by Micro Media, Inc. Shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (708)974-3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies, games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors, diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables, expansion boards, services, etc. Lake County Fairgrounds, Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet. For a show map, exhibitor info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at http://www.ccxpo.com.

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1200. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <371751f4.15581499@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

From: "Paul"
Date: Fri, 16 Apr 1999

Hi

I saw you comment on the Swatch Web Site and agree with what you said.

I am from Universal Time Organisation which is promoting a system that rivals Swatch Beat. If you would like to check out our web site visit www.universal-time.org We are a free non-profit organisation and oppose Swatch in what they are doing.

Send me an Email with your comments to <address suppressed>
Thanks for your time!

Paul

1201. Re: ⁄Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kaimbridge <kaimbridge@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7f7obf$2gv$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

In article <7f7jmr$tv3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
igillman@arinc.com wrote:
> I see, thanks for you reply!
> So, the quality... hmm... Is the quality near a 16kbps Real Audio file? Or can
> you raise an example comparing its quality?

Think of the shortwave bands (about 3-30 MHz = 3000-30000MHz) as the AM/BCB band, under 24hr nighttime skywave (of course, different parts of the spectrum varies, in terms of intensities and paths, with season, location and--to some extent--local time of day). P=) P=) P=)

~Kaimbridge~

Approxal--A quantity's *transcendental subequivalency*:
Zo = .00000...01; Za = "Zero Asymptotic": V^Za = .5x[V^-Zo + V^+Zo];
Q = Q{Za} = [.5x(1+Q^Za)]^(2-:-Za) <=> Q{dQ} = [.5x(1+Q^dQ)]^(2-:-dQ).
(The closer dQ is to 0, the closer Q{dQ} will be to Q)

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1202. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2ms@webspan.net
Message-ID: <3717dccb.15968757@news.webspan.net>
Source record: 145472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 23:49:01 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
no such word as irregardless.
>Yes. It is a popularly accepted fact in sociological circles that Jews often
>resent the encroachment of blacks into their neighborhoods as cities grow
>(and grew) and matured during the 20th cenrtury. Of course, I don't see any
>mullonjohns welcoming their white brothers back with open arms either....
>
>Blacks typically followed Jews into these urban areas of settlement, with
>tensions often mounting. Witness recent events in NY City between Hasidim and
>blacks.
>
>Irregardless, FCC is full of shit in your case. Had we been graced with a
>Republican president instead of northern soccer mom elected Dudley do Nothing
>Right, I wouldn't have needed to type this reply. Clinton has done more to
>lower the world and moral standing of the U.S. than WB2OTK spouting on 20 or
>75 ever could.
>
>Besides, he's in SC. We accept their way of thinking as unusual to keep
>the Union together.
>
>Don't reply with liberal NWO/N.W.A NAACP horseshit; did anyone in your family
>get an ax buried in their forearm by one during a robbery ? So much for gun
>control, too.
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1203. Re: ARRL and Yaesu, Lovers Forever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
Message-ID: <3717dc3a.63585818@news.npwt.net>
Source record: 145473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 23:22:09 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Yes, I don't like that I bought a new Yaesu that was defective and got the old
>AES/Yaesu runaround that many others have reported on the FT-100 and FT-847
>boards as well as contesting.com.

Now assuming that contesting.com caters to contesters I'l
coment. I would expect the ft 100 to be an esp good contest rig, or
the 847. In the case of the I seem to recal the QST review as saying
good for the casual contester on the 847 but not for the really
serious contester. Indeed simple logic would suggest that either it's
likely to be something of compromise rig. yeah it is all in one, but
like a jack of all trades it not a master of them all. every review of
the 847 suggests to me that it at best in VHF/satelite modes as dos
Yeasu's advetising of it. I have not yet form a firm opinion of the
FT100 other than it is likely not the radio for me, the 847 looks a
lot better for what I want.
>
>However, Yaesu and ARRL really are Siamese twins. Same law firm, ARRL approves
>the DXpeditions Yaesu equips, and Yaesu backs up ARRL in its FCC dealings (see
>the new scanner NPRM- Kenwood didn't comment until the replies, I believe, so
>someone at ARRL brought Yaesu into it at first).

gee I always thought it was Kenwood that the ARRL's favorite
everytime somebody does not like a piece of gear why is that that
Somebody always comes out bacuss the ARRL of being bed withthem, can't
Hams even think anymore
>
>ARRL "held over" by "popular demand" the review of the FT-100 on its site.
>What BS ! ARRL feels sorry for Yaesu that it took them 4 years to play catch
>up with Icom. Please, the FT100 has come through defective for many, many
>people and don't give me that all new rigs line... the FT-1000 MP crowd is
>still bitching 3 years later.

Alll reviews from qst are avalable on it's website, like I
pulled the reviews of the alinco and adi 220 band hts this week to aid
me in my thinking
>
>Icom and Kenwood ought to tell ARRL where to stick their ads based on this
>sort of preferential treatment....
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

1204. info on a Tennadyne T5 Hawk LPDA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed/N3WJA <n3wja@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1IRR2.1030$BA4.7556353@news-read1.qis.net>
Source record: 145474

Tennadyne T5 Hawk LPDA

Just became an heir to one of these. Looks neat with its 12 foot double
boom. Anyone know how well it works? 5 element, 5.0dBd forward gain,
Front/Back up to 24 dB, Freq. Coverage 14-29.7, 12 foot boom,
longest element 35.2 feet, weight 27 lbs., wind load
4.5 sq. ft., wind load @ 80 mph 72 lbs., power cap.
full legal limit. Anyone using one? Ed/N3WJA

1205. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f8n5q$gsf@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145475

Carl Schulz <meteu@mailbag.com> wrote:
>
>How many people want to get on the HF bands but can't afford the gear? I'm

That shouldn't be a problem. Many have already suggested purchasing an older transceiver (I use a Galaxy GT-550 from the late '60s) but no one has yet mentioned an even cheaper but educational approach to getting on HF: Build your own rig. There are literally hundreds of construction articles that have been published over the decades detailing every step necessary to putting together your own radio. Many of those articles were/are written for the novice builder.

For years I've built transmitters using components taken from old TV sets. (A TV's UHF tuner contains a nice variable capacitor for use in a VFO.)

If you'd rather not go the "build from scratch" route, there are many manufacturers that offer kits, with fully detailed building instructions.

Cost should be no excuse for remaining off of HF!

73, Jeff KH6O

1206. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: EAVSDROPPER <ian@nospam.kmed70.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7f8o4tvgt1@news8.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 145476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

What would these batteries supply ?, as far as i know it would only
supply a 200 milliwatt transmitter on the sat, so would use would they be?

ian k.

1207. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990416215000.09883.00001317@ng115.aol.com>
Source record: 145477

These Dealers don't give a darn about us hams. I have finally decide to buy fro
the cheaoest Dealer as the they all give poor service so what is the point.
TIM

1208. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990416215831.09883.00001321@ng115.aol.com>
Source record: 145478

I heard from 10 other guys on the Newgroup that had a FT-100 die on them. I also heard froma salesman at a Ham store that they have a lot of FT-100 come back etc and that the reason the radio was delayed for so long was due to technical problems

1209. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <371fec27.98350247@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 12 Apr 1999 10:16:58 -0400, Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu> wrote:
>I have a similar RFI problem, but it comes from operating my 40 CW radio
>and it bothering my 2m radio and the FM broadcast reciever. When I key
>the 40m radio, the 2m radio goes full scale, and the fm receiver's
>station increases in noise some. My question is, where I have an indoor
>55' dipole (and antenna tuner) located about 6' above my other radios
>(antenna in attic, me in second floor bedroom), could it just be large
>RF fields from the nearby 40m radio causing the problem, or is it
>excessive harmonics from my 40m radio? Thanks.

Likely it is fundamental RF overload. You're in the near field of the
40m antenna. You get about 22 dB of isolation by getting outside
the first wavelength from the antenna. 6 feet is awfully close, you
want something more on the order of 130 feet, but any extra separation
will help. An outside antenna would be a big help in solving this problem
(it'd work better too).

But there is something you can do with filters that may help. The
problem is 40m energy getting into the front end of the VHF equipment
and desensing it. The reason it can do that is that the filters (input/output
networks) in the VHF equipment are likely pi-section, and that has a
lowpass response. So it will pass any frequency below its cutoff frequency
directly into the receiver (that cutoff frequency will be above the radio's
operating frequency, and way way above 40m, so the 40m signal can just
waltz right on in).

A highpass filter with a cutoff just above HF placed in the antenna lead of the
VHF receiver will stop the 40m energy from getting into the VHF receiver
without attenuating the VHF energy that it's supposed to receive. This works
for VHF comm radios and for TVs when the problem is fundamental overload
by a HF signal. Of course you also have to make sure that the HF signal isn't
getting into the VHF equipment by another route, IE the power supply, exposed
speaker wiring, etc.

If you're using a built in antenna on the FM broadcast radio (pull out whip),
you've got problems because there's no way to fit a high pass filter externally.
If it is hooked to an external antenna, you can fit the filter.

Note that a filter on the transmitter won't help. That would only be useful
if it were radiating harmonics. It can't help with fundamental overload problems.
Harmonics would occur at discrete frequencies. They wouldn't produce the
broadband symptoms you present. That's the classic symptom of fundamental
overload, and that can only be solved by separation or by better filtering of the
receiver.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1210. Hey Buddy, Could You QSY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7hg033.sf2.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 145480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc

New this week on Jehosophat ....

Hey Buddy, Could You QSY?

Finding a clear spot on the 80 meter dial can be tough but once you find that spot you better hang on tight! Find out how I didn't and ended up performing an 80 meter-ectomy on my rig.

Join the fun!

http://www.jehosophat.com/ham/qsy.html

Vy 73,
--
jeff, n9avg

1211. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f92rf$883$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3717dccb.15968757@news.webspan.net>,
kb2ms@webspan.net (kb2ms) wrote:
> On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 23:49:01 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> no such word as irregardless.

This can be debated. See below. We need W2ILP to weigh in here.

> >Irregardless, FCC is full of shit in your case. Had we been graced with a

What the heck does irregardless mean, anyway?

ir-

1in- or il- or im- or ir- prefix
[ME, fr. MF, fr. L; akin to OE un-]
:not: NON-, UN- - usu. il- before l <illogical> and im- before b, m, or p <
imbalance>
<immoral> <impractical> and ir- before r <irreducible> and in- before other
sounds <inconclusive>

regardless

1re-gard-less \ri-'gard-les\ adj
(1591)
:HEEDLESS, CARELESS
- re-gard-less-ly adv
- re-gard-less-ness n

2regardless adv
(1872)
:despite everything <went ahead with their plans regardless>

So, combining the two, we get irregardless. Based on the definitions above
(from Webster's),
one would expect the word to mean "not regardless" or, to remove the double
negative, "with
regard".

Instead, however, common usage has given the following definition:

irregardless

ir-re-gard-less \,ir-i-'gard-les\ adv
[prob. blend of irrespective and regardless]
nonstand.
(ca. 1912)
:REGARDLESS

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1212. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f9387$8cs$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145482

In article <A3SR2.369$Bm3.34256@news20.ispnews.com>,
"Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
> I must be too old fashioned for amateur radio of the 20th century, but, I
> cannot agree with the "freedom of speech" argument that claims that one can
> utter any old thing he/she wishes on the radio. I would not stand up in the
> midst of, say, a sporting event and shout the "N" word and I would use the
> same word on the air.

Hmmm, then the n word is the first thing that comes to your mind. It doesn't
in my case, yet I might be apt to use it if pushed. Just like "dirty filthy
warmonger murdering Slav Nazi bastards".

Oddly enough, blacks called each other n this and n that in front of me
several times. Entrapment or a double standard....

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1213. Luder on Russian Lies- Life Imitates Prose ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f93l8$8ql$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

According to CNN, the Sputnik was launched, sooooo, I guess the Russkies are at it AGAIN....

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1214. Ham links and more!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjsrule@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990416235550.01827.00001436@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 145484

Found this page while surfing the web.....

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

1215. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37180503.3296864@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145485
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 14:42:42 GMT, sco@sco-inc.com wrote:

>On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
>
>>In article <37167885.0@news.ic.net>,
>> pcr@ten.ci (phil reed {domain actually ic.net - reversed for anti-spam})
>>wrote:
>>> Swatch has retreated. They have said that due to a problem with MIR,
>>> they donated the batteries from the Beatnik satellite to power other
>>> systems on the MIR station.
>>
>>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
>>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
>>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
>>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
>>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
>>able to.
>>
>>Barry
>
>
>I am curious. What is your callsign?
>Since this is an amateur radio newsgroup and the satellite in question
>was to transmit in one of the amateur radio bands what is your
>interest here?
>
>W4SCO.

He must be VK3DUM

1216. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718048f.3180954@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 11:07:43 -0700, "Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:

>
>At least 9 English errors so far... (Did I miss any?)
>
>>They really souldn't[spelling error] let 3rd graders post to the net.
>
>Oops. That's ten. People in glass houses...

He he, but tere are so mani of them in theese newsgroups!

1217. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718036e.2891964@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On 16 Apr 1999 15:50:58 GMT, we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

>In article <7f7ek8otj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
>says...
>>
>>In article <7f258f$i58$1@news-2.news.gte.net>,
>> Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net> wrote:
>>> Hi Rob, KC2AEI,
>snip
>>Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
>>want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
>>as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
> ^^
>The "FCC" is a distinct group and, in English, is reffered to in the
>singular, as "is" not "are". If you are a native english speaker then
>you are even dumber than I thought.
>They really souldn't let 3rd graders post to the net.

While Barry may have displayed a singularly high degree of dumbness
in his other postings, you shuould realize that the convention is
different in MOST ENglish-speaking countries from what it is in
America.

American English represents a minority oin the English-speaking world.

In standard English it is a common practice to refer to a group like
FCC or THE CROWD in the plural.

This is always used with a company too.

As in, for example:

Hoover are giving a big discount on vaccum cleaners this week because
the hams who supported Swatch need something new to suck with.

See the difference?

SO, while I must agree that Barry sounds extremely dumb a lot of the
time, you have picked on him here for what is normal English grammar
in most countries like England, Australia, South Effrica, India, etc.

Cedric

1218. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718057b.3417020@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

He appearts to be a Burt Fisher wannabe!

On 16 Apr 1999 15:46:44 GMT, we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

>In article <7f7ebc$op8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
>says...
>>
>>In article <7f68aroro1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
>> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>> This is the biggest Russian lie since they claimed they didn't get
>screwed by
>Barry, you are the 7th fool that I have added to my kill file.
>I have the sad feeling that you are a ham want to be, or a lid.
>I further suspect that if you lived near me, and used packet, that I
>would have had to put your call in the lidlist on the digipeater.
>Further comments or flames by you will go unseen by me.
>

1219. What to purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: samwriter@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f944g$95v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145489

It's been a LONG TIME since I was on the air. Have kept my call (original W5 call) and am thinking of getting back on but wish to keep it simple. Please recommend a hand-held or mobile rig for idle chatting around town or on country roads. Not interested in DX or power. I remember fondly the days of noiseless six meters and two meters. Even bought a vintage Benton Harbor Lunch Kit (six) but haven't fired it up yet. Am I dreaming or is there a quiet corner out there for casual chatting. Thanks, Sam

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1220. Wanted: FM board for KWD TS930s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <timj@omen.net.au>
Message-ID: <3718020F.DF6374A5@omen.net.au>
Source record: 145490
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.swap,aus.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi,

I am looking for a FM board for my Kenwood TS930s. If you have one, or know where there is one available for sale at a reasonable price can you please let me know via Email to: timj@omen.net.au as I do not browse the news groups very often.

Thanks.

Tim. VK6EI Perth, Western Australia

PS I am will to pay shipping costs etc. from where you are.

1221. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9904170003500.6120-100000@Ocean.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 145491

On 17 Apr 1999, Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>[stuff deleted]
> For years I've built transmitters using components taken from old TV sets.
> (A TV's UHF tuner contains a nice variable capacitor for use in a VFO.)
>
Did you actually build a VFO with one of those? I've looked at them and wondered, but they didn't look so great mechanically. There's a big difference between a variable oscillator for use with a 6Mhz wide IF and something with a 3KHz bandwidth. I've never tried using one because it didn't look too sturdy mechanically.

On the other hand, the boxes those old UHF tuners are certainly nice and strong. I'be been planning to use one for a variable oscillator (actually, a VCO using a varicap). Most metal boxes we can get access to are rather flimsy for VFO use.

Michael VE2BVW

1222. HT-1000 Programming Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc B. Schauber" <waffull@skibuff.com>
Message-ID: <37181106.66752945@skibuff.com>
Source record: 145492

I am having trouble with my current version of the HT-1000 RSS
software... I have two version and both appear to be too old to program

the radios I have. I was wondering if anyone had a newer version
(something with a 1997-1999) software date on it?
Thank you VERY much for the help..
Marc

1223. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <371814be.140227976@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145493

On 16 Apr 1999 22:35:41 GMT, richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:

>I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC and
>sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I
>have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same
>scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for
>distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin on
>them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK was
>a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some hell on
>the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to
>answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
>racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK

Come on Rich, don't backtrack. Your comments weren't those of someone
that was kidding. You see your ticket being flushed down the radio
toilet and now you're getting desperate. Admit your faults and take
your medicine.

1224. Re: ¿Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob <lilindn@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <37182332.B046D16@prodigy.net>
Source record: 145494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

mmkc@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I see, thanks for you reply!
> So, the quality... hmm... Is the quality near a 16kbps Real Audio file? Or can
> you raise an example comparing its quality?

Not that simple.
With a strong and steady signal (more likely <4000 km away, not that often would a station on the other side of the world be steady), and if free from interference (on its own channel and all four of those 5-10 kHz on either side), it can sound much better that internet audio. In fact, if the radio has a wide bandwidth (such as many older radios and many cheap radios), audio quailty may seem near-perfect. Problem is, such a radio is all the more prone to interference, difficult for listening when interference is in, and useless for serious DXing.
A good, modern radio is less susceptible to interference, but has audio that lacks brilliance, because the greater selectivity, by nature, causes a treble cutoff in the audio.
Shortwave signals (skywave) usually have some fading, even at close distances, with fading basically increasing with distance from the transmitter (this is why European shortwave broadcasters do not, for the most part, transmit to Americas directly by shortwave. They transmit to the Americas on shortwave via satellite-fed transmitters in Canada and various Caribbean islands).
Whereas shortwave has artifacts from fading and interference, shortwave completely lacks the artifacts of internet audio (tremolo, vibrato and repeating echoes). Shortwave at its best is better than internet audio - after that its a matter of taste as to whose artifacts are worse.
IMHO, the two technologies shouln't be thought of as having to compete with each other - only internet audio is suitable during a major solar flare, or for listening in a metal-cage building, but only shortwave is suitable for listening in a field or in a car.
Rob
"Everything I have is Y1.96K compliant"

1225. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilco@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f9crc$gi8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f8o4tvgt1@news8.svr.pol.co.uk>, "EAVSDROPPER"
<ian@nospam.kmed70.freeserve.co.uk (remove no spam from address to reply)>
wrote:

> What would these batteries supply ?, as far as i know it would only
> supply a 200 milliwatt transmitter on the sat, so would use would they be?

Maybe they supply the power for all the Swatch watches donated to the Mir
crew, so they'll know the exact minute Mir will conk out :-)

-- Steve

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1226. Re: Alinco DJ-580 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke6drn@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417024532.15028.00001692@ng04.aol.com>
Source record: 145496

Well, I have a dj580 for about 4 years now. the case rubbing the numbers off is not really what happens. if you use the radio, you are using the keys, that is what rubs the numbers/labels off. at least that is what happened to mine. good thing was that by the time I rubbed the labels off, I knew what keystrokes I needed to use for common or not so common tasks. (I really like the radio.)

I have not tried to replace the dtmf pad or screen. I have tried to be careful about scratching the screen, but best laid plans do run amok. I think the screen is tacked in with plastic welds.

1227. Laughing Policemen! you can count on us 5021

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: gnfrykman@aol.com
Message-ID: <wlXR2.70750$Eb.14636@nnrp2.clara.net>
Source record: 145497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,fr.rec.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.wicen,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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http://www.laughingpoliceman.com

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Seventy Trees G0GNF

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1228. Re: Already Plenty HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7f9gq2$5gg@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145498

Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG> wrote:
>On 17 Apr 1999, Jeffrey Herman wrote:

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>> (A TV's UHF tuner contains a nice variable capacitor for use in a VFO.)

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>difference between a variable oscillator for use with a 6Mhz wide IF and
>something with a 3KHz bandwidth. I've never tried using one because it
>didn't look too sturdy mechanically.

I certainly did build a 40m VFO using one of those UHF TV tuner variable caps. I connected the three ganged sets of plates together in parallel and adjusted it (using a trimmer cap) so that it covers the lower 100 kHz of the band. (The tank coil came from an old 2 MHz marine band transmitter!)

The one that I used was built like a brick s___house, fully enclosed in a heavy chassis, with a geared drive. In fact, every one that I've run across has been heavily constructed.

73, Jeff KH6O

1229. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: masrjmh@brunel.ac.uk
Message-ID: <7f9i0oggn1@mimas.brunel.ac.uk>
Source record: 145499

In <371788CB.41C6@carcs3.wustl.edu>, Gary Hoffman (gary@carcs3.wustl.edu)
wrote:
: I am considering using Esperanto in the text of my
: QSL cards. Has any of you done this before? Have any
: of you received QSL cards written in Esperanto?

If I remember correctly, the international association of radio amateurs
in the police (I don't know the exact name) uses Esperanto - at least in
their logo.

Also, Esperanto has a large number of friends in Hungary and the states
of the former Soviet Union. I just found this link with Altavista:
http://www.qsl.net/ly2fn/esperanto/esperanto.html
(Internacia Ligo de Esperantistoj Radioamatoroj).
For another (IMHO more "natural") auxiliary language (Interlingua)
see http://www.algonet.se/~armann/ . Don't know how much this one is used
among radioamateurs.

73, Jan-Martin

1230. Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Cunningham <D.L.C@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <7f9lnq$3sk$1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 145500
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the composite video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest how to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor requires.

Thanks, John Cunningham.

1231. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4910-371872C1-9@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145501

The tape I sent to Riley and to k1man WAS NOT doctored. It had the ENTIRE qso between wb2otk and n9gor. The amazing thing about that particular tape was listening to n9gor. He was getting VERY upset at Rich's comments, but Rich just kept it up! I think THAT is what Riley is looking at. It wasn't any "good ole boy kidding around" when it happened. I would venture to guess that because Ron was already drinking that morning, the next day he didn't fully remember the incident and so to cover for his black-out, just went along with "the gang".

And didn't I tell you Rich was going to play the "jewish card"???? To answer your question: yes Mr. Whiten....I HAVE met racist Jews!!!!!!!!!!

1232. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: EAVSDROPPER <ian@nospam.kmed70.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7f9ue4jsc1@news5.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 145502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>
> > What would these batteries supply ?, as far as i know it would only
> > supply a 200 milliwatt transmitter on the sat, so would use would they
be?
>
> Maybe they supply the power for all the Swatch watches donated to the Mir
> crew, so they'll know the exact minute Mir will conk out :-)
>
> -- Steve
>
Good point :-)

ian

1233. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4911-371876CE-4@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145503

Kevin:

This is where you, and many others, are getting confused between "free speech" and "FCC rules". Once you've put your signature on the bottom line of your license, you have relinquished all your so-called First Amendment rights. You have given "license" to the Federal Communications Commission to dictate what you can say....and what you cannot say. The Commission also has a very broad rule in Part 95 about acts that "are not in the best interest amateur radio". This incident with Pork Butt certainly IS NOT in the best interest of amateur radio.

Kevin, I know this whole racist incident bothers you. And yes, it IS hypocritcal of these Clinton-loving liberal bastards. But what BETTER way to get this LUDICROUS hate speech legislation out of our legislature than to first start prosecuting liberal, Clinton supporting jews like WB2OTK right off the bat!! Let this crap backfire on THEM!! Just look at Pork Butt's comments in a previous post. In his repsonse to Riley, WB2OTK asks: "Have you ever met a racist jew"? What better way for the whole world to see that....yes....there ARE racists liberal Clinton-loving jews and this one just lost his license for being a racist!!

We're going down this slippery slop anyway, Kevin. Whether you like it or not. So we might was well drag a few WB2OTK's down the hill with us. The weight alone from these degeneates might help to slow us down.....

1234. Re: SWATCH and Russians Twist Truth Until the Very End

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fa1p0vuf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

:In article <7f7ebc$op8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
:says...
:>
:>In article <7f68aroro1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
:> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
:>> This is the biggest Russian lie since they claimed they didn't get
:screwed by
:Barry, you are the 7th fool that I have added to my kill file.

Ah! Kill files. The last resort of the weak.

You have the wrong person. I didn't write "This is the biggest Russian
lie since they claimed they didn't get screwed by", and, since you can
see this I am not in your killfile.

:I have the sad feeling that you are a ham want to be, or a lid.

I am a want to be ham, which is why I have a licence.

:I further suspect that if you lived near me, and used packet, that I
:would have had to put your call in the lidlist on the digipeater.

I would just open the lid.

:Further comments or flames by you will go unseen by me.

How do you explain the fact that you are reading this reply then?

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1235. Re: 28.085 MHZ & Other New Truckers Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa24g$5j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145505

"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

:And, yes, I'd prefer 2meters.. But it's a lot more convenient to 'pull out'
:a spare walkie-talkie for anyone without a CB than to convince 'em to get a
:license before the trip... ;)

I, too, would prefer 2 meters. But where can you find a radio these
days that doesn't use an LCD display instead of meters?

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1236. Re: 28.085 MHZ & Other New Truckers Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa29qdm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145506
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Will White wrote:

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Did you mistake the ng for the www?

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1237. Re: 28.085 MHZ & Other New Truckers Frequencies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2bddq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145507

k4yz@aol.com (K4YZ) wrote:

:JJ and NG, : : >>>>They are already up above 28.5.<<<< : : They are in the bottom 2 MHz of the old 30-50MHz public service band, too. : There ARE a couple of legit business licensee's there, but the rest is your :basic 10-4 good buddy trucker comms. : : Go figure!

The skip makes it difficult to monitor local 30MHz cordless phones.

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1238. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2elgr1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

:Well said, Robert!
:
:I notice that the Tim & Jim club etc., who so vehemently defended
:Swatch's illicit behavior, are strangely silent now that a voice of
:reason from Switzerland has spoken with predictable sanity and force
:about this issue.
:
:It was hilarious to watch the absurd defenses mounted for this
:illegal, annoying and dangerous behavior by Swatch.

The annoying and dangerous behaviour came from the amateur side.
The Swatch behaviour was interesting and exciting.

:Their defenders should go away and get a clue!

I am confident that only a small minority of hams are as clueless
as you, although, being so vocal, they have tainted all of amateur
radio.

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1239. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2g2$h1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote:

:Well, Barry, scientists have just discovered the largest known bacteria
:(visible to the naked eye), and I am thinking that either you are dumber
:than those bacteria or else you work for Swatch. So which is it?

There is your evidence. Amateur radio is in desperate need of some
defending if it is to extract itself from the mire that the few
vocal idiots have got it into.

:Marv
:KC0EGB

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1240. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2hk$h8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

:On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:56:25 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
:
:>As if Swatch is going to be bothered by a few pathetic hams boycotting
:>them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
:>much free advertising.
:
:Now that the pressure has stopped them, you may clean that
:egg off your face!
:
:Go and play your didgery-doo!

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them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
much free advertising.

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1241. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2j4hl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

:In article <7f7ek8otj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
:says...
:>
:>In article <7f258f$i58$1@news-2.news.gte.net>,
:> Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net> wrote:
:>> Hi Rob, KC2AEI,
:snip
:>Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
:>want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
:>as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
: ^^
:The "FCC" is a distinct group and, in English, is reffered to in the
:singular, as "is" not "are". If you are a native english speaker then
:you are even dumber than I thought.

Most postings to the net are in American, in which it is impossible
to misspell or use incorrect phraseing.

:They really souldn't let 3rd graders post to the net.

If only 3rd graders posted it would be an improvement.

Was there something you wanted to say?

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1242. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2kkhv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale) wrote:

:barryo@fastlink.com.au writes:
:
:>Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
:>want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
:>as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
:>they approve scanners that receive cellular perfectly on images.
:
:If you were paying attention, you would have noticed that it wasn't
:the FCC that wanted scanners to be unable to receive cellular phone
:transmissions - it was the cellular industry. They convinced Congress,
:which passed a law, and the FCC had to do what they were ordered.
:So now scanning receivers sold in the USA can't tune cellular frequencies
:directly.

I stand corrected. It would seem that both the FCC and ACA are underfunded
and understaffed and thus unable to carry out their duties as they would
like.

:It so happens that many such radios can still receive cellular channels
:as image frequencies. I have no doubt that the FCC, being somewhat
:technically knowledgeable, knew this all along. It's Congress that
:was too stupid to figure this out. Someday someone will point out
:that the image frequencies are still usable, there will be more hearings,
:and eventually a new law - and another pain in the side for the FCC to
:deal with. Meanwhile, why should the FCC care?

Good point. I know that in the early years of the law many scanners
were produced that could be easily modified. I understand that now
the law requires that scanners not be easily modifiable. It seems
only a matter of time before the image reception loophole is closed.

Over here there is no such law but we still get radios that are
blocked for the US market.

Thanks.

: Dave

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1243. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <7fa2ncko1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sco@sco-inc.com wrote:

:On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
:
:>In article <37167885.0@news.ic.net>,
:> pcr@ten.ci (phil reed {domain actually ic.net - reversed for anti-spam})
:>wrote:
:>> Swatch has retreated. They have said that due to a problem with MIR,
:>> they donated the batteries from the Beatnik satellite to power other
:>> systems on the MIR station.
:>
:>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
:>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
:>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
:>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
:>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
:>able to.
:>
:>Barry
:
:
:I am curious. What is your callsign?

You don't need to know, but I imagine you could look it up.

:Since this is an amateur radio newsgroup and the satellite in question
:was to transmit in one of the amateur radio bands what is your
:interest here?

The above reasons.

:W4SCO.

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1244. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <4N%R2.508$Bm3.53257@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145514

I do not know any of the principals in this cat fight, though I do follow the threads on this NG about 3950 and other sewers.

Seems to me the point is not who was drunk, who was urging whom to knock it off, or any other similarly irrelevant matter. Point is that speech on the radio is public discourse and anyone who has simple respect for others conducts that speech within the bounds of good taste. If there were some way to take a vote, I suspect that this is the point that most hams would find to be the problem -- that a few of our number insist on behaving very badly while trying to hide behind "free speech" and "it's my station, I'll do what I want to with it." I am mainly a CW and VHF/UHF operator; the air is a lot cleaner in the CW segments.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

Cannon-ball@webtv.net wrote in message
<4910-371872C1-9@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
The tape I sent to Riley and to k1man WAS NOT doctored. It had the ENTIRE qso between wb2otk and n9gor. The amazing thing about that particular tape was listening to n9gor. He was getting VERY upset at Rich's comments, but Rich just kept it up! I think THAT is what Riley is looking at. It wasn't any "good ole boy kidding around" when it happened. I would venture to guess that because Ron was already drinking that morning, the next day he didn't fully remember the incident and so to cover for his black-out, just went along with "the gang".

And didn't I tell you Rich was going to play the "jewish card"???? To answer your question: yes Mr. Whiten....I HAVE met racist Jews!!!!!!!!!!

1245. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <mP%R2.509$Bm3.53973@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145515

The point -- which you, sir, obviously choose to ignore -- is not the specific word or phrase that I choose to illustrate my point.

The point is that public discourse needs to be tempered by taste and concern for the impact that discourse has on others. Behaving in a somewhat civilized manner is not restriction on free speech.

If you can't express yourself without degrading another, then you really are not smart enough to make a difference.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7f9387$8cs$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <A3SR2.369$Bm3.34256@news20.ispnews.com>,
> "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
>> I must be too old fashioned for amateur radio of the 20th century, but, I
>> cannot agree with the "freedom of speech" argument that claims that one
can
>> utter any old thing he/she wishes on the radio. I would not stand up in
the
>> midst of, say, a sporting event and shout the "N" word and I would use
the
>> same word on the air.
>
>Hmmm, then the n word is the first thing that comes to your mind. It
doesn't
>in my case, yet I might be apt to use it if pushed. Just like "dirty filthy
>warmonger murdering Slav Nazi bastards".
>
>Oddly enough, blacks called each other n this and n that in front of me
>several times. Entrapment or a double standard....
>
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1246. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: C Bauman <cbauman@impulse.net>
Message-ID: <37189483$0$202@sienna.impulse.net>
Source record: 145516
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Cunningham wrote in message
<7f9lnq$3sk$1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>...
>I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
>with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
>from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
>hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
>cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
>sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the
composite
>video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
>monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest
how
>to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
>requires.

Don't bother. Sell the monitor for what you can get and buy a cheap TV.
You'll have to duplicate _all_ of the functions of the TV, except the high
voltage section, and if the monitor doesn't support interlacing, the result
won't be all that great anyway. (that's NTSC system, PAL or another system
may have better viewing results, but the effort to do the conversion is the
same.) What you essentially need is a TV chassis minus the HV section so
that you can then connect the color gun drivers to the appropriate pins on
the monitor connector. (if the VCR was scrapped because of the tape
mechanism and it had A/V outputs, you probably threw away 80% of the
circuitry you needed, lacking only the color demodulator and gun drivers) If
you still want to do this, I or someone else can get you the pinouts to the
connector.

-CB

1247. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417102609.16216.00001641@ng112.aol.com>
Source record: 145517

Can't you just hear the hatred in his voice for the jews? You make yourself soooooooooo clear!

1248. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3718A08A.BA322DFA@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

> Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote:
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> :Well, Barry, scientists have just discovered the largest known bacteria
> :(visible to the naked eye), and I am thinking that either you are dumber
> :than those bacteria or else you work for Swatch. So which is it?
>
> There is your evidence. Amateur radio is in desperate need of some
> defending if it is to extract itself from the mire that the few
> vocal idiots have got it into.
>
> :Marv
> :KC0EGB
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

I am certainly vocal and definitely *not* an idiot. An idiot is someone who would say something such as, as I quote you, "The Swatch behaviour was interesting and exciting." What is interesting and exciting about crass commercialism? If the Russians had any money in the bank this would never have happened. I suspect that if I offered them a few million myself they would be willing to launch a satellite with a beacon that transmitted "barryo is a bozo". Would you find such an endeavor "interesting and exciting?"

73,

Marv
KC0EGB

1249. KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718ad01.16376116@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

J1aguiar & friends,

I really think NO-CODE is a mis-nomer.

They SHOULD be called ANTI-code, for that is the net effectof their destructive efforts, in my opinion.

I wonder if anyone has seen this rather axcellent and well thought-out editorial by KA7NOC from his web site?
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KA7NOC on CW

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- KA7NOC

1250. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Cunningham <D.L.C@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <7fabr7$r2v$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 145520
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

C Bauman wrote in message <37189483$0$202@sienna.impulse.net>...
>
>David Cunningham wrote in message
><7f9lnq$3sk$1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>...
>>I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
>>with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
>>from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
>>hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
>>cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
>>sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the
>composite
>>video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
>>monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest
>how
>>to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
>>requires.
>
>
>Don't bother. Sell the monitor for what you can get and buy a cheap TV.
>You'll have to duplicate _all_ of the functions of the TV, except the high
>voltage section, and if the monitor doesn't support interlacing, the result
>won't be all that great anyway. (that's NTSC system, PAL or another system
>may have better viewing results, but the effort to do the conversion is the
>same.) What you essentially need is a TV chassis minus the HV section so
>that you can then connect the color gun drivers to the appropriate pins on
>the monitor connector. (if the VCR was scrapped because of the tape
>mechanism and it had A/V outputs, you probably threw away 80% of the
>circuitry you needed, lacking only the color demodulator and gun drivers)
If
>you still want to do this, I or someone else can get you the pinouts to the
>connector.
>
>-CB
>
>Thanks for your reply. I dont really need an extra television, I want to
convert the monitor just for fun. I think that I have all that I need with
the TV tuner, I tried connecting the comp. video output to the scart socket
of a television, and all was well. I was particularly careful when
dismantling the VCR to save all of the circuitry I needed for this purpose.
What I was thinking of was to make some circuit which would split the
composite video signal into separate R,G,B and horizontal/vertical sync.
pulses. Im not too bothered if the picture isn't perfect. If anyone has the
pinout of the monitor plug, i.e. a 9 pin D type, I would be grateful if they

could send me the info. Perhaps I could obtain an IC which would decode the comp. video signal? I would appreciate any suggestions.
73 de John.
>
>

1251. Oopss..Re: Wanted: FM board for KWD TS930s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <timj@omen.net.au>
Message-ID: <3718AF00.86D51CC1@omen.net.au>
Source record: 145521
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.swap,aus.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Oopss, sorry everyone, that should have read TS430s heh !

Tim wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> I am looking for a FM board for my Kenwood TS930s. If you have one, or
> know where there is one available for sale at a reasonable price can you
> please let me know via Email to: timj@omen.net.au as I do not browse the
> news groups very often.
>
> Thanks.
>
> Tim. VK6EI Perth, Western Australia
>
> PS I am will to pay shipping costs etc. from where you are.

1252. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718af19.16911830@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:32:36 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>As if Swatch is going to be bothered by a few pathetic hams boycotting
>them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
>much free advertising.

News must travel VERY slowly in Australasia!
The joke's on YOU, Barry!

1253. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718aeef.16869709@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

GO FOR IT, Marv!!

On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 08:54:02 -0600, Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
wrote:

> I suspect that if I offered them a few million myself they
>would be willing to launch a satellite with a beacon that transmitted "barryo
>is a bozo". Would you find such an endeavor "interesting and exciting?"
>73,
>Marv
>KC0EGB

1254. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718ae7e.16756752@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:31:46 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>There is your evidence. Amateur radio is in desperate need of some
>defending if it is to extract itself from the mire that the few
>vocal idiots have got it into.

Barry, with a "genius" like YOU to DEFEND amateur radio, like
you have the last week or so on here, I am SURE that we will
have no problem maintaining the amateur radio service over the
next few years, and perhaps extract a great price for it by selling it
to the likes of UPS and SWATCH.

You really should keep your day job, OM!

He he he he he!

1255. Re: ham radio is dead

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718b053.17225570@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Pfft! It is NOT an "obselete technology" when close to 50% of all
amateur radio HF QSOs take place in this mode!!

Go and look obselete up in your FUNK-N-WAGNALLS!!

On 17 Apr 1999 15:32:07 GMT, n7zx@aol.com (N7ZX) wrote:

>>No, 'we' aren't moaning about it. The guys who haven't passed the test yet
>>are the ones moaning about it.....
>>
>>73, Jim KH2D

>So the guys that havent passed the test yet for an obsolete technology are
>moaning about it.

1256. TM-211A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Sutami <sutami@biogate.com>
Message-ID: <7fbtcc$ha81@indo-news>
Source record: 145526

I'm looking for the way how to make modification on TM211A for out of band.
If you know please ..... let me know.

1257. Re: Take a close look at SWATCH CEO.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3718b1a3.17561655@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 10 Apr 1999 00:32:51 GMT, "Dennis Dease"
<n4nr@vulcan.RE.MOVE.com> wrote:

>What will be the next move of big business?
>
>73,
>Dennis - N4NR

Ijust found this announcement on the web:

NEW SPACE OPERATION ANNOUNCED

17 April 1999, 0000:02:21 UTC

Commercial use of space and Amateur Frequencies by Beer Company

Watch the news for announcements by Heineckin Beer Co.,
which is planning to launch a Drake L-7 driven by an Index Labs
transceiver set up as a continuous beacon on the moon, with a 3
element wire yagi aimed at earth transmitting a continuous message
with the word "DRINK!" in every message.

These messages are being recorded on the Internet right now,
and you can add YOURS to the memory chips that will be sent up
next month by the Russian Space Agency!

Of course the transmissions will be in the fashionable, MODERN mode of
SSB on a frequency somewhere between 3890 and 3900 Kilo Hertzes.

There will be no batteries to go bad or get "left behind" or be
"inadequate" this time, like in the previous attempt by Swatch!
THIS launch will not even need a satellite! No, it will be a
GROUND-BASED system, and the only requirement is that someone
go to the moon every 30 days and add fuel to the supply tank for the
1 KW generator!

Tim, KA8DZZ has volunteered to be trained as an astronaut so he can do
this duty for Heineckin, but NASA has not responded yet as to whether
they will accept and train him.

Broadcasts will begin in May and continue through the expected life of
the system which is expected to run though November and end at 2359Z
on the last night of Sweepstakes.

There have been no comments in response as yet, from organizations
such as ARRL, ITU and No-Code Intergnashinal

To add your message and to make comments, please see the company's web site at:

http://www.ka8dzz.com/heineckin.htm

1258. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37174abe.13735121@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 15:35:21 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:

>Kay Zero Half Baked <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:
>
>>This is not about some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE Asia rain-forest;
>>it is about a deliberate and well financed commercial promotion by
>>an international corporation arrogantly using the amateur bands to
>>advance their pecuniary interests.
>
>I don't really believe that, Hans.

Again Jim demonstrates hi superior intelligence in that he now states
that he believes Swaych was in fact some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE
Asia rain-forest!!

Amazing Jim!

Didn't you know they are a SWISS WATCH COMPANY?

1259. Re: [amsat-bb] (Fwd) Well, Maybe One More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37174a23.13579923@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 9 Apr 1999 19:33:59 -0700, "Dale Ireland"
<direland@drdale.com> wrote:

>I also think that it is completely
>out of the hands and beyond the control of Swatch. I will bet they couldn't
>stop it now if they tried,

WA HA HA HA HA HA HA!!!
VERY funny, Dale!!

Cedric

1260. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alankg@siscom.net>
Message-ID: <3718c5fe@news.siscom.net>
Source record: 145530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Yes, I admit it ! I am ANTI-CODE ! For hams that want to use code, I say fine, go for it. But maintaining code proficiency as a requirement for HF usage is totally ridiculous and completely without merit! Face it guys, code has no place in modern communications except as a hobby. If I either desire or for some reason I cannot possibly imagine need to transmit code, I can have my PC do it with far greater proficiency than anyone using a key. I see it as a live and let live proposition...for those that wish to keep using this dusty dinosaur from the past, I say fine. But in the same regard keep your noses out of my business when I wish to have no knowledge of the same dusty dinosaur.
Cedric <sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:3718ad01.16376116@news.earthlink.net...
J1aguiar & friends,

I really think NO-CODE is a mis-nomer.

They SHOULD be called ANTI-code, for that is the net effectof their destructive efforts, in my opinion.

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1261. Mirage B-23a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Torrance <n7qax@vcn.com>
Message-ID: <01be88fb$50cf8a20$4ff0a2d0@default>
Source record: 145531

Does anyone have a Schematic for a Mirage B-23a 144 MHZ 30 watt Amp?
Bill N7QAX

1262. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fajliqfa1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

>Well said, Robert!

>I notice that the Tim & Jim club etc., who so vehemently defended
>Swatch's illicit behavior, are strangely silent now that a voice of
>reason from Switzerland has spoken with predictable sanity and force
>about this issue.

Not 'strangely silent', 4-1000. Bored Shitless would be a better
definition. You really need to take a reading comprehension class.

I don't recall 'defending' what Swatch did, I think the point I was
trying to make is that a bunch of Handy Talky Geeks who write
like they quit school in the third grade sending emai to Swatch
was not the best way to fix 'the problem'. And I also recall saying
that it seemed to me it was a very minor problem.

But anyway, our heros have saved the day and defended amateur
radio from the evils of commercial advertising, so we'll just have to wait
until the next big 'problem' comes along. Maybe you and Tim can
find something to piss on each other about until that comes
along, just to keep us entertained ......

73, Jim KH2D

1263. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fajqm$qg1$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145533
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

we@bulldog.org (HighWaysinHiding) wrote:

>In article <7f7ek8otj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, barryo@fastlink.com.au
>says...
>>
>>In article <7f258f$i58$1@news-2.news.gte.net>,
>> Ron Hashiro <rhashiro@gte.net> wrote:
>>> Hi Rob, KC2AEI,
>snip
>>Fortunately. the FCC has no say in the matter. Would you really
>>want to have anything to do with the FCC after they were so stupid
>>as to ban scanners that cover cellular? The FCC are so stupid that
> ^^
>The "FCC" is a distinct group and, in English, is reffered to in the
>singular, as "is" not "are". If you are a native english speaker then
>you are even dumber than I thought.
>They really souldn't let 3rd graders post to the net.

And they really shouldn't allow Anony-Mouse knuckle heads post to
UseNet but the fact that you're here verifys that they do.....

73, Jim KH2D

1264. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fajvd$qg1$2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

>SO, while I must agree that Barry sounds extremely dumb a lot of the
>time, you have picked on him here for what is normal English grammar
>in most countries like England, Australia, South Effrica, India, etc.

>Cedric

I knew if we kept reading this newsgroup that you'd post something
useful sooner or later, Cedric. I never knew that anybody in England
could speak English.....

73, Jim KH2D

1265. The NUT Doesn't Fall Far from his Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fao4m$i3r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145535

>>Oh, I love this post...

Hi Gang

While this is directed ESPECIALLY to... I
would ask anyone reading this message with more than one tower to pse reply
as well.

BACKGROUND

I am now in the midst of litigation...with respect to the right to
install a second amateur radio support structure (tower).

As expected, this will be a struggle.

>>(oh yes, like cancer, life as a parapalegic, being a POW)

And, I am asking at this time for some
data which will prove invaluable at a point in the near future.

Basically, the Town will be taking the position that their required
ACCOMODATION under PRB1 has been fully met by allowing me one 115 foot tower.
They will then assert that they are under no obligation to permit the
installation of a second structure.

>>(are you WOR or an amateur. Why do hams think their towns need to let them act like
professionals ? Why do zoning laws for toolsheds exist, but hams think they can litter
their yard with multiple towers)

So that is the deal - in a nutshell. Their position is that they granted me
one and anything else is not permissable - and they feel no obligation under
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1266. The Nut Doesn't Fall Far from his Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fao61$i45$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>>Oh, I love this post...

Hi Gang

While this is directed ESPECIALLY to... I
would ask anyone reading this message with more than one tower to pse reply
as well.

BACKGROUND

I am now in the midst of litigation...with respect to the right to
install a second amateur radio support structure (tower).

As expected, this will be a struggle.

>>(oh yes, like cancer, life as a parapalegic, being a POW)

And, I am asking at this time for some
data which will prove invaluable at a point in the near future.

Basically, the Town will be taking the position that their required
ACCOMODATION under PRB1 has been fully met by allowing me one 115 foot tower.
They will then assert that they are under no obligation to permit the
installation of a second structure.

>>(are you WOR or an amateur. Why do hams think their towns need to let them act like
professionals ? Why do zoning laws for toolsheds exist, but hams think they can litter
their yard with multiple towers)

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1267. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17517-3718D141-14@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145537

Can't you just hear the hatred in Rich's voice for black Americans, people from Puerto Rico and the "beaners" from Mexico?? It is soooooo clear. (And can be heard regularly on 14.313/3901 MHz)

1268. questions abt FT-757 gx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antoon <antoon.milatz@tek.com>
Message-ID: <7fapno$j6k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145538

Dear OM's,

Who can tell me the differences between a FT757gx and FT757gxII ?
Is there a picture of the unit somewere on the WWW ??
When was it build ?

pse respond to "antoonm@box.nl"

Best regards, Antoon

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1269. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fam55$rt0$2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

>Again Jim demonstrates hi superior intelligence in that he now states
>that he believes Swaych was in fact some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE
>Asia rain-forest!!

>Amazing Jim!

>Didn't you know they are a SWISS WATCH COMPANY?

Out of context, 4-1000, and obviously way above your elementary
comprehensive level. Take Basic NewsReader 101 and maybe you
can figure out who wrote what.....

73, Jim KH2D

1270. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: herbs@islands.vi
Message-ID: <7fato7mif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145540

". I have a question for people to answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
> >racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK
>

What a silly question Rich. Are we to believe that you are not a racist or a bigot because your Jewish? You are no more Jewish than Adolph Eichman and considerably less Jewish than Adolph himself. After you played the Jewish card when you recieved your huge NAL I asked you the dates of major Jewish holidays, Rosh Hashana, Yom Kippur, and Hanukkah and you had no idea.

The FCC is wacking you not because you are a racist or a bigot but rather for your questionable conduct on the amateur bands.

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1271. Re: I really control the ARRL and OO Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: herbs@islands.vi
Message-ID: <7fauaq$n26$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145541

>
>
> > this manner. But there he was, screaming insults and threats at Whiten,
> > while Rich was pushing a handi-ham in a wheelchair (Tom McMillen, WB3HGW).
>
> Notice how Richard is trying to hide behind the handicapped now. He will use

anything i.e. senior citizens, nets, and even anti-semetism to try to avoid the inevitable. Most amazing because both bragged on the air that they were packing heat at Dayton. Tom claims to have had a 10mm and Richard a 9mm for protection. Richard had also bragged about putting people in bodybags and blowing them away if he ran into them at Dayton. Not Cool Richard!

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1272. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fartn$67d@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371c4bf7.2438391@news.mindspring.com>, <sco@sco-inc.com> wrote:
>On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
>>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
>>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
>>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
>>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
>>able to.
>>Barry

>I am curious. What is your callsign?
>Since this is an amateur radio newsgroup and the satellite in question
>was to transmit in one of the amateur radio bands what is your
>interest here?
>W4SCO.

Barry has apparently been run off the aus.radio.amateur NGs again so
he's chosen to pay us a visit.
Jeff KH6O

1273. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3718F3A8.8885E4A0@uakron.edu>
Source record: 145543

Joe,

Thank you for you exilent coment!

I agre

Lou WA8PHD
http://www.ifip.com/wa8phd.htm
http://www.ifip.com/liberal.htm

Joe Schlatter wrote:

> The point -- which you, sir, obviously choose to ignore -- is not the
> specific word or phrase that I choose to illustrate my point.
>
> The point is that public discourse needs to be tempered by taste and concern
> for the impact that discourse has on others. Behaving in a somewhat
> civilized manner is not restriction on free speech.
>
> If you can't express yourself without degrading another, then you really are
> not smart enough to make a difference.
>
> --
> Regards,
> Joe Schlatter
> joe@schlatter.org
> http://www.schlatter.org/
> http://www.miafacts.org/
> http://www.asphome.org/
> Amateur radio callsign W4HH
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> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
> <7f9387$8cs$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >In article <A3SR2.369$Bm3.34256@news20.ispnews.com>,
> > "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
> >> I must be too old fashioned for amateur radio of the 20th century, but, I
> >> cannot agree with the "freedom of speech" argument that claims that one
> can
> >> utter any old thing he/she wishes on the radio. I would not stand up in
> the
> >> midst of, say, a sporting event and shout the "N" word and I would use
> the
> >> same word on the air.
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> >Hmmm, then the n word is the first thing that comes to your mind. It
> doesn't

> >in my case, yet I might be apt to use it if pushed. Just like "dirty filthy
> >warmonger murdering Slav Nazi bastards".
> >
> >Oddly enough, blacks called each other n this and n that in front of me
> >several times. Entrapment or a double standard....
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> >-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1274. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3718F54D.D043A250@uakron.edu>
Source record: 145544

"FLUENT" APHASIA.
http://www.ifip.com/aphasia.htm

Louis Albert wrote:

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1275. Re: What to purchase?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fasi8$6k2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145545

<samwriter@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>It's been a LONG TIME since I was on the air. Have kept my call (original W5
>call) and am thinking of getting back on but wish to keep it simple. Please
>recommend a hand-held or mobile rig for idle chatting around town or on
>country roads. Not interested in DX or power. I remember fondly the days of
>noiseless six meters and two meters. Even bought a vintage Benton Harbor
>Lunch Kit (six) but haven't fired it up yet. Am I dreaming or is there a
>quiet corner out there for casual chatting. Thanks, Sam

Hi Sam, I'm afraid you're not going to find too many folks to chat with
using that Heath "Sixer." Almost everyone has shifted to FM. You might
QSY to rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors to see which 6m frequency is being
used by the AM boatanchor gang; I believe they have a single calling
frequency they all monitor (50.4 Mc?). (I installed a squelch on my
"Twoer" back when the only repeater in town was AM -- K6MYK on Mount
Lee in the Hollywood Hills, CA; it sure made for more pleasurable
monitoring!)

73, Jeff KH6O

1276. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fat4h$71d@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145546

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

><You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
><ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
><communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
><least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
><world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
><use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
><him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
><modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
><but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
><extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the
><international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
><equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
><equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view
><while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
><personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

>That makes a nice "warm fuzzies" story. But if the ITU really has this
>global view, and understands the value of Morse code, why doesn't it
>require some minimal level of Morse proficiency for operators of *other*
>services that use the HF bands: marine, aeronautical, etc?

The details of a country's license requirements are left to the
individual member nation. Remember, the ITU is just a body of the UN.
Jeff KH6O

1277. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fb0kc$p07$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145547
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f92rf$883$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <3717dccb.15968757@news.webspan.net>,

Yes, you're a Jewish, liberal former Deputy Sheriff.

Excellent !

I enjoy watching your fellow constitutional "defenders" in the FBI and ATF get paraded across the TV screen during their annual "N------ Checkpoint" festivities in VA where no "N----- are allowed".

Why do I enjoy this ? Because these same ignoramous neo-Nazis will then tell Rich Whiten he can't make ignorant remarks on ham radio when their Lesbian boss tells them to jump or lose their hefty Stasi pensions....

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1278. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7faqt9$9fn$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jim wrote
>And they really shouldn't allow Anony-Mouse knuckle heads post to
>UseNet but the fact that you're here verifys that they do.....

99% of Usenet is anonymous. Only ham groups seem to want to identify themselves. But I can always tell when I win the debate, when my opponent plays the anonymous card...

1279. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <3718f350.197214383@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145549

On 17 Apr 1999 14:26:09 GMT, richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:

>Can't you just hear the hatred in his voice for the jews? You make yourself
>soooooooooo clear!

Do you really think this is going to get you off the hook? Saying people are against you because you say you're a jew? Give me a break. There are tapes of you saying nasty things against jews a number of years ago, so you can't go there. You're license is gone after 2000, so get used to it. Here's some of the tape:

"Now there's a nigger if there ever was one. Take your black ass and go back to Africa. You better take another hit on that crack pipe, boy. Lawd have mercy, I can't believe these black people in here. Ah hell, black woman got all that black bushy hair, looks like a brillo pad, turn her upside down and use her head to scrub your pots." This damn porch monkey spear chucking bubbas talking about good white folks." (unknown voice telling Rich that he was recorded by the amateur enforcement line). " Good I'm glad, you can take that enforcement line and stick it clear up your ass, I don't like niggers, N1GJT de WB2OTK. You know Jigabo is worried about what goes on here. Hey Doc, your a biggot. What the hell is the NWACP gonna do? They ain't gonna do shit. They need to call a real nigger, Louis Farakahn." He goes on to call Al Sharpton a real nigger and admit that he (Rich) is indeed a racist. " You're right. I'm a biggot and I'm a racist. I don't like niggers, I don't like niggers I don't like people who come to this country for a free lunch". This from Rich who doesn't hold a job. Being a jew, (is he?) isn't going to save your fat from the FCC fire.

1280. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3718F995.24727713@uakron.edu>
Source record: 145550
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I am Jewish, I am a liberal, and I was a Deputy Sheriff.

Lou WA8PHD
http://www.ifip.com/cj.htm

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Yes. It is a popularly accepted fact in sociological circles that Jews often
> resent the encroachment of blacks into their neighborhoods as cities grow
> (and grew) and matured during the 20th cenrtury. Of course, I don't see any
> mullonjohns welcoming their white brothers back with open arms either....
>
> Blacks typically followed Jews into these urban areas of settlement, with
> tensions often mounting. Witness recent events in NY City between Hasidim and
> blacks.
>
> Irregardless, FCC is full of shit in your case. Had we been graced with a
> Republican president instead of northern soccer mom elected Dudley do Nothing
> Right, I wouldn't have needed to type this reply. Clinton has done more to
> lower the world and moral standing of the U.S. than WB2OTK spouting on 20 or
> 75 ever could.
>
> Besides, he's in SC. We accept their way of thinking as unusual to keep
> the Union together.
>
> Don't reply with liberal NWO/N.W.A NAACP horseshit; did anyone in your family
> get an ax buried in their forearm by one during a robbery ? So much for gun
> control, too.
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1281. Re: Hey Buddy, Could You QSY?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@SPAMLESSjimdee.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <3718e260.10646698@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 145551
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc

On 17 Apr 1999 03:28:40 GMT, Jeff@jehosophat.com (Jeff Davis (N9AVG))
wrote:

>New this week on Jehosophat ....
>
>Hey Buddy, Could You QSY?
>
>Finding a clear spot on the 80 meter dial can be tough but once you find that
>spot you better hang on tight! Find out how I didn't and ended up
>performing an 80 meter-ectomy on my rig.
>
>Join the fun!

You could use CW and slot in between the SSB-ers.

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- 73 de Jim, g(m)4rga | The English could find that they are no
olympus%jimdee.prestel.co.uk | longer British but, for the first time in
dynastic%cwcom.net | 300 years, just English again.
marula%zdnetmail.com |
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu | - Simon Heffer on the effects of Scottish
Pgp key: pgpkeys.mit.edu:11371 independence.

1282. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fauin$de1$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jim wrote in message <7fajliqfa1@brokaw.wa.com>...
>sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:
>
>>Well said, Robert!
>
>>I notice that the Tim & Jim club etc., who so vehemently defended
>>Swatch's illicit behavior, are strangely silent now that a voice of
>>reason from Switzerland has spoken with predictable sanity and force
>>about this issue.

Actually Cedric I just got tired of pointing out pathetic your arguments were, you had your head completly up your ass regarding 3rd party international traffic, saying it wasn't permitted 'period' I had to point you to the ARRL web page that shows all the countries we have agreements with.

You didn't have a clue that one way transmissions were permitted and that there are special considerations for space transmissions. In a RAGE of ignorance you tell me that no brand names are allowed to be mentioned by most countries including all European countries, of course I emailed you the reply from RSGB, where do you get this stuff Cedric? Do you make it up for fun? Try spending a day or two acutally doing some homework before you start pointing out how stupid the rest of us are.

I never once said I supported what Swatch was doing, I was questioning the amateur communitys responce as well as interpretations of radio regulations, you twisted it as best you could into your own fantasy debate making claims that if it's illegal "Tim" must be for it. Your a dweeb anon troll Cedric, nothing more. Get name, post a call, do something but have the balls to at least stand behind your words, I don't give a damn if you want to write the story of Heineken on the moon and post my name and and call, just sign yours. Nobodys going to fire bomb your house Cedric, but it's time to step up to the plate or simply resign as another nameless spinless troll.

Tim ka8ddz

1283. 50 MHz DX Bulletin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <cb8S2.443$F7.8593@news020.image.dk>
Source record: 145553
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-015 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

1284. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <kn8S2.913$C76.543@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145554

On 16 Apr 1999 22:26:10 -0700 davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca (Dave Martindale)
wrote:

> Since no other services use Morse anymore, this reason has gone away.
>
> Do anyone know the real history of the Morse requirement?

I think it was started by hawaiins who were so used to beating on drums
thaet they needed soemthing similar for the radio. now that lots of
them live in high rise condoms, they doent need it anymoer.

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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

1285. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417192221.11752.00001723@ng102.aol.com>
Source record: 145555

The convicted one, must play.....

1286. Re: I really control the ARRL and OO Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17517-37190E56-21@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145556

Glad to see you in this newsgroup, Herb! Hope to see you more often!

We have fun picking on Rich here in rec.radio.amateur.misc. Ole Pork-Butt can't seem to put a single sentence together without some error in grammar.

1287. LIVE FROM BELEGRADE!!!! 3950 and you!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx302man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417194549.16594.00002046@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145557

Just a few short hours! DON'T Miss it!!!!

Get that TinyTenna powered up for a ring-side seat!

Tonite:

Live from Belgrade:

The Liberty Net will have a focus report on the "Klinton's little war" We have a excellant oppurtunity to interview Mr. Slobodan Milosevic, and this interview will be played on 3950 tonite, with commentary by W1WCR and WB4AIO.

They will also examine some activities of one named "PorkButt" He has been the focus of a ongoing investigation by Mr. R. Hollingsworth. They have some inside information on the fate of Porkbutt and a possible NAL to be issued.

Also tonite,

Will K5BLB tell us who the "faggots" are? Will he tell us what should be done with them??

Will K5ZU aka "ArkyBob" come on with one of his great speeches??

Come and find out!!!

"Where's that big ol' NitWitNaziNet?"
"I want to hear them whine tough!"

1288. Re: ¿Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dyuob poltice <dyuob@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <371927A6.8CE66317@yahoo.com>
Source record: 145558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

i disagree totally.
when i lived in phoenix 15 years ago,
i would hook up my parents cheapo sw tv cassette player
to their tv antenna.
ok,
it wasnt digital audio,
but it was great to hear music from around the world.
im really excited to be getting back into the hobby.

Mark Shields wrote:
>
> I recommend getting into Internet radio. Especially if you have a fast
> connection. With shortwave, unless you have a great radio (upwards of
> $1000) and a lot of time, it's really hard to find what you want.
> There's like 9 bands and all you do is scan unless you have a guide
> which takes a degree to understand. All I ever got was BBC and Radio
> Australia and a lot of religious and foreign language programs. The
> quality was usually awful.

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"They say that Brian is back,
well I've known him for oh so long.
They say Brian is back,
well, I never knew that he was gone.
Still they say Brian is back,
I know he's had his ups and downs.
They say Brian is back,
but in my heart he's always been around..."
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1289. Re: Operating QRP in national parks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <ucLWKdTi#GA.163@upnetnews03>
Source record: 145559

Shawn Upton wrote in message <37161389.1CFB@eece.maine.edu>...
>I hope to be spending some time in Yellowstone this year; does anyone
>know of any laws/regulations preventing one from doing some QRP CW work
>while out in the backcountry? A friend of mine thought there might be
>some regulations on it, and I haven't had the time just yet to get in
>touch with the park to find out. Thanks.
>--

Been to Yellowstone, and after almost being killed by crazy old people in GIANT motorhome driving in excess of the posted speed limits. Your operating QRP in the back country wont even be noticed. Just remember to pack out all of your trash, especially dead batteries and all should be okay.

Ivan Ivanovich

1290. Doctor DX Simulator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: cynthia Descher <mermaid1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fbe4g$du1$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for the old AEA "Doctor DX" Contest Simulator. There was an interface unit and software that ran on a Commodore 64 or 128. I also need the computer and accessories required to run it.

If you have one of these around and would like to get rid of it, please send me an e-mail.

73,

Ron N4RT

1291. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37195479.2743@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145561

Cannon-ball@webtv.net wrote:
>
> Kevin:
>
> This is where you, and many others, are getting confused between "free
> speech" and "FCC rules". Once you've put your signature on the bottom
> line of your license, you have relinquished all your so-called First
> Amendment rights. You have given "license" to the Federal Communications
> Commission to dictate what you can say....and what you cannot say. The
> Commission also has a very broad rule in Part 95 about acts that "are
> not in the best interest amateur radio". This incident with Pork Butt
> certainly IS NOT in the best interest of amateur radio.
One I think that it is in the best interest of amateur radio that the
station of W2OTK/WB2OTK take a break from the ranks of amateur radio.
Its been my expeirance in the over 3 Years that I have known this
station I have heard him make serval racest slurs. I will not repete
them to do that would do anyone anygood.
I also beleive that the right to free speech does not include ones
right to stand on a street corner and yell nasty words nor does it give
anyone the right to yell FIRE! at the movies. Amateur radio is like a
very large street corner and is subjected to the rules that the FCC
subjects them to. Something about community stardards which the supreme
said that communities have the right to pass laws governing community
standards. George Carlin had taken this all the way to supreme court
with his seven dirty word that you can't say on TV. The supreme court
ruled against him. So the FCC has the right to govern what is said over
Amateur Radio. I would sujest that one would read and go by Paul
Seagal's Amateur code if one is to stay out of trouble with the FCC. If
you want to read the amateur code go to

http://www.dirtball.com/code.html
>
> Kevin, I know this whole racist incident bothers you. And yes, it IS
> hypocritcal of these Clinton-loving liberal bastards. But what BETTER
> way to get this LUDICROUS hate speech legislation out of our legislature
> than to first start prosecuting liberal, Clinton supporting jews like
> WB2OTK right off the bat!! Let this crap backfire on THEM!! Just look
> at Pork Butt's comments in a previous post. In his repsonse to Riley,
> WB2OTK asks: "Have you ever met a racist jew"? What better way for the
> whole world to see that....yes....there ARE racists liberal
> Clinton-loving jews and this one just lost his license for being a
> racist!!

In my opinion being Jewish has nothing to do with this. I would call
this guy a agnostic. I me in all truths he eats pork doesn't respect the

sabith. He even celebrates Christmas What jewish person does that? I got Christmas card from him last year. I have been told that his child married a practicing Christan. The Jewish faith has strong rules about marring out of faith. The Jewish faith doesn't celebrate the brith of the savor. So I don't think that being Jewish has anything to do with anything. So in all practacality we could call him a agnostic.

>
> We're going down this slippery slop anyway, Kevin. Whether you like it
> or not. So we might was well drag a few WB2OTK's down the hill with us.
> The weight alone from these degeneates might help to slow us down.....

Well the fact that amateur radio is going down hill. We need the FCC to keep on cracking down on these stations that give nothing back to the sevice, or who abuse the service. Also those who give false information over the air waves. This free speech issue would be a good start! So I beleive that dragging a few bad apples down the hill could possibly raise the standard of amateur radio, make the hill higher.

As far as the OO program is concerded, I think that if the service isn't abused it is a good service to amateur radio. Heck what if you transmitter is producing a image somewhere else and it is interfering with important radio communiucations. What if your breaking some rule and wasn't aware of it. I think that this is a good service to us all. Thats just my opinion I could be wrong
73 From Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1292. Heathkits For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0IMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <37197D37.1F8B@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145562

I have about 60 or so Heathkits for sale,
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky look under for sale....I will be
putting a couple hundred more pieces of Heathkit ham gear up in the near
future..73 Gary K0IMJ

1293. Heathkits For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0IMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <37197DE9.7AA3@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145563

I have about 60 or so Heathkit pieces both test and ham gear, look under
for sale at http://home.earthlink.net/~docky 73 Gary K0IMJ

1294. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fbr3g$k53$2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Jones" <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:

>Jim wrote
>>And they really shouldn't allow Anony-Mouse knuckle heads post to
>>UseNet but the fact that you're here verifys that they do.....

>99% of Usenet is anonymous. Only ham groups seem to want to identify
>themselves. But I can always tell when I win the debate, when my opponent
>plays the anonymous card...

It's hard for me to understand how we are supposed to respect someone's opinion, no matter how right or wrong it may seem, when someone doesn't respect their own opinion enuff to sign their name to it....

73, Jim KH2D

1295. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7fc057$n2u$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jim wrote
>It's hard for me to understand how we are supposed to respect someone's
>opinion, no matter how right or wrong it may seem, when someone doesn't
>respect their own opinion enuff to sign their name to it....

Of course I respect my own opinion, (except of course when I play devils
advocate). Many great writers (like me) of the past used pseudonyms...

1296. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike W <mike@corn2.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <d$rwnCAS3IG3Ew1Y@corn2.freeserve.co.uk>
Source record: 145566
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <37189483$0$202@sienna.impulse.net>, C Bauman
<cbauman@impulse.net> writes
>
>David Cunningham wrote in message
><7f9lnq$3sk$1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>...
>>I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
>>with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
>>from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
>>hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
>>cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
>>sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the
>composite
>>video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
>>monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest
>how
>>to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
>>requires.
>
>
>Don't bother. Sell the monitor for what you can get and buy a cheap TV.
>You'll have to duplicate _all_ of the functions of the TV, except the high
>voltage section, and if the monitor doesn't support interlacing, the result
>won't be all that great anyway. (that's NTSC system, PAL or another system
>may have better viewing results, but the effort to do the conversion is the
>same.) What you essentially need is a TV chassis minus the HV section so
>that you can then connect the color gun drivers to the appropriate pins on
>the monitor connector. (if the VCR was scrapped because of the tape
>mechanism and it had A/V outputs, you probably threw away 80% of the
>circuitry you needed, lacking only the color demodulator and gun drivers) If
>you still want to do this, I or someone else can get you the pinouts to the
>connector.
>
>-CB
>
>
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>
Read what he said CB.. he has a tuner ... TUNER.. giving composite video
out.. no need for IF etc as its already there...same for audio.. its a
TV TUNER as in RADIO TUNER as in RECIEVER with no output stages... DUH..

but you are right about not bothering with the vga monitor.. get a
BBC'B' monitor for a few quid at the carboot sale, its composite and af

ready.. cheers... Mike.. using a TV TUNER with a Phillips CM8833 monitor

Mike W mike@corn2.freeserve.co.uk

Never underestimate the power of Human stupidity {;o)>

1297. Re: Another stellar evening on 3.950 mHz SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <C8AF321D89990752.633D5F0975C726CA.C6A344A737168953@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Did you know that in these modern times, it is considered liberal to be racist?
It seems the majority of people are tight assed about racism now, which makes even
the old liberals more along the lines to conservative compared to us free thinkers who are
not afraid to admit that they prefer their race over others. ;)

1298. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <27AE9AB231C5F1F3.28FD53F42472F7FF.9F04FDC2BF133D5F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Since when did preferring your race over another become illegal?
I'm white and prefer being around white people.
Am I the only liberal person left in society?
Even the liberals sound like a bunch of tight assed conservatives when it comes to racial preference.
I thought the motto of liberals was "to each his own".
Doesn't that mean I should have a right to dislike as much as I like?

1299. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <7F25B941EF12B606.EEA20D5B9DC3B4DA.935E354C8A8DBF2E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

>Heck if this where so we could all speak pig latin and it would be legal and we all
> know that its not legal to speak pig latin over the radio.

If people are allowed to speak in different languages over ham radio though they are all Americans then doesn't that give people the right to speak in whatever content they desire too?
I always wondered why a person would sit around and watch or listen to something offensive and then bitch to the broadcaster of the offensive material.
Why didn't they just frigging turn to another channel in the first place?
Why do people want others to take responsibility when they can't even have enough responsibility
to turn the dial?
Talking about hyprocrites.

1300. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pricerbumanto@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7f8j1g$r9o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145621

In article <371788CB.41C6@carcs3.wustl.edu>,
Gary Hoffman <gary@carcs3.wustl.edu> wrote:
> I am considering using Esperanto in the text of my
> QSL cards. Has any of you done this before? Have any
> of you received QSL cards written in Esperanto?
>
> Thanks.
>
> Gary
> KB0QGE
>

If you already know enough Epseranto to write a simple letter, I suggest that you contact the _Internacia Ligo de Esperantistaj Radio-Amatoroj_ (ILERA), whose address is P.f. 7223, DE-15872 Eisenhuettenstadt, Germanio (Germany). The last I knew (1997) the president was Wolf Krueger DL1 CC, and there were more than 500 members (and an unknown number of other esperanto-speakers who are not ILERA members). If you _don't_ already know much (or anything about!) Esperanto, then I would suggest that you visit some of the links from <http://www.esperanto.net>.

I see that a couple of others have already responded to your post with the customary silliness. I've been unable to find any basis whatsoever for the notion that more people speak Klingon than speak Esperanto (and I've tried!). There's certainly an orders-of-magnitude larger web presence in Esperanto than in Klingon (and, in fact, of the handful of webpages which are actually _in_ Klingon rather than just mentioning it, a significant number belong to people who are also fluent in Esperanto!). OTOH it's likely that the maximum number of people who are really competent speakers of Esperanto is about a million and a half, just a drop in the bucket among 6 billion humans... although I have the impression that the percentage of ham operators among them is higher than in the population at large.

I suspect that through ILERA you can also contact folks who will happily render the text of your QSL card into other languages, the 6 official UN languages for starters (which covers rather less than 50% of humanity, but is still a pretty good start).

Best wishes! George

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1301. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371A909B.A4827E9A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145322

Joe Schlatter wrote:

> Hey, "The Bakers."
>
> Were all your mother's children born without brains or just you?

That is very witty. Did you think it up all by yourself ?

> I have been licensed since 1958 and have never violated a single FCC reg.

Well, you're covered under the "glass houses/throw stones" clause but you neglect to mention whether you've ever *operated* an amateur radio station (or any radio transmitting station, for that matter) in that period of time.

> Clowns such as "freebanders," jammers, filth talkers, and the like have no
> place in amateur radio.

You are certainly entitled to your opinion. Perhaps surprisingly, I agree. However, I find the delusion that your little bravado-laced attempt at vigilanteism really makes any difference to be laughable.

> Shove your toy police car.

10-4 on that, good buddy :-)

1302. WTB: AEA Morse Machine MM-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cynthia Descher <mermaid1@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fe5cr$f0p$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for an AEA MM-3 "Morse Machine" Keyer. I understand it has CW operating simulators like "Dr. DX" and "Dr. QSO" built-in.

Does anyone have one of these that they would like to sell or trade?

I would need the manual/documentation also.

Please e-mail if you have info.

73,

Ron N4RT

1303. Re: you all stupes. rich Wb2otk dont hate niggars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <lRwS2.2220$Bm3.133281@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145324

Were all your brothers and sisters born brain dead, too, or are you the only
deviant in your family?

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in message <7fe4mp$7i3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>you all stupes an all that shit. cause rich no raceist not a bit. He a
>jewdish jus like rich say. you all ginst the jewdish ever one a you an all
>that shit. you all mad cause rich beet the FTC for. he gone beet them agin
>jus like rich say. He has 3.1 in bank an stray A dawter an playboy cent her
>fold wife an purr bread dog an all that shit. He beet this rap jus like all
>the others an all that shit. the smart peeples in worlt such like me no
ready
>that a jewdish cant be no raceist cause it ginst there reel legion. the
>niggars hate them an all that shit. the jewdish dont hate them back not a
>bit. the jewdish even rents to the niggar an that proofs they dont hate the
>niggars. in all realism the jewdish like the niggar an all that shit. rich
>an phil good frens so that can sells any thing rich say an all that shit.
>wont Mr ridley hollandworts be pissed when N9Gor teste flys on richs count
an
>all that shit??????????? You all the stupest bunts a andy cemites need o
>NaZi bad hams from 3950 jus like rich say. they scart a rich on that
channal
>calls him the Jewdish PorkBut an all that shit. when is Mr. ridley gone go
>get them????? for they say it okay to be smelting the jewdish in the oven
an
>all that shit. I here them say they give Porkbut what the olt which try to
>give Hands All an Gret Tall.they say they want to make porkbut in to ginger
>bred for the hoggs an all that shit. Now is that rite????????? evry body no
>they bin oparatin with in puny tea up on 3950 an all that shit. who gone
stop
>them NaZi????? rich an doc are only ones tuff nuff stop them skin heds jus
>like rich say. You all be sorry big time when they goof steps down your
blok.
>They be sing in Walter Millar songs an all that shit. drink you beer an
>screws yor women folk like they did in Rust Yuh an the Ball Cans. Your
stupe
>ass be put in a box car an sends to the gin ger bred oven an all that shit.
>All be cause you went ginst rich Wb2oTk just like rich say. See it is like

>this. I no what I am say in. you can ask any one bout me. I dont hate the
>niggars nether. We has niggars here they all rite by me most a them. Few a
>them like rich say are jungel bunnys an spear chuker ports monkies. Most a
>them o.k. by me. they mines there own bizzy nest. some them on crack cocane
>an all that shit. we got wite niggars here to jus like rich say. I was
>temper airy maryed to a wite niggar. she was no gud an all that shit. she
>charred my Mastar Cart way up an all that shit. so that proofs she a wite
>niggar. that proofs what wB2otk say that wite niggar bad as black niggar
an
>all that shit. I will teste fly to that bout wite niggars. her bruthers all
>wite niggars to live in trayler parks with come on law wifes. so I kick
that
>bits out my place for ever an for life an all that shit. the state want
money
>from me an all that shit for chilt sport. rich will win like he all ways
do.
>you all stupes can cry bout it all you want. I be laffin at you all stupes
>BWAAA HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAH. rich gone win!!!!!
BWAAAAAAAA
>HA HA HA HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA. too bat for you white niggars an all that
shit.
>You all jus W.T.I.A. an all that shit jus like rich say. When i done
>astronot skool i jam your white niggar asses from out her space.
>
> pilot J
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1304. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <371A81A5.ED6E70CF@qsl.net>
Source record: 145325
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Cunningham wrote:
>
> I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
> with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
> from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
> hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
> cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
> sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the composite
> video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
> monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest how
> to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
> requires.
>
> Thanks, John Cunningham.

John
From what I've read of the responses you would be better off with a used
Apple 11 color computer monitor! I use one on a busted vcr (eats tapes)
with computer speakers for sound. The best thing is the Apple uses a
RCA phono jack for the video input and it has a real sharp picture.
Maybe you can find one at a yard sale or trade yours in at a computer
store for what you need!
--
To reply remove the extra @

"73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
<'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
E-Mail me at: kb9tmp<AT>@qsl.net
Home Page: http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
Church URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/

1305. Re: WTB: AEA Morse Machine MM-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7feafl$9vl$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 145326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Ron,

There's a bunch of CW software for the PC at:

http://www.ac6v.com/pagez.html

There is also a program written by a Japanese ham called
PED that does what you are looking for.

73, Jim KH2D

"cynthia Descher" <mermaid1@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I am looking for an AEA MM-3 "Morse Machine" Keyer. I understand it has CW
>operating simulators like "Dr. DX" and "Dr. QSO" built-in.

>Does anyone have one of these that they would like to sell or trade?

>I would need the manual/documentation also.

>Please e-mail if you have info.

>73,

>Ron N4RT

1306. Re: Cherokee 6 meter HT rig, any good, will freebanders use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <371AA128.481DE66B@parg.org>
Source record: 145327

Cherokee is like Uniden. Known mostly for their CB gear, they offer equipment for other markets.
Robert Casey wrote:

>
> Who is "Cherokee" anyway? New Ham equipment brand?

1307. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <371AA545.CA033359@parg.org>
Source record: 145328

If you got the code under your belt you wouldn't have to resort to any illegal freebanding to get DX. You are setting a poor example to aspiring hams by suggesting such illegal out of band operations. As a licensed Amateur you should know better. If you had posted your inquiry on rec.radio.cb I wouldn't be here whining.
Flamers please inform me. I'd like to know where I'm out of line on my pet peeve here? Thanks. Tom

NJMedMan wrote:

> If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to have
> your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check out my site
> at:
>
> http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
>
> =-=-=-=-=-
> Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
> Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
> CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
> Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International Bandbenders
> Association) (27.555 USB)

1308. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar Benitez <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <371ACEDB.321734B3@att.net>
Source record: 145329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<snip>their destructive efforts, in my opinion.
> You don't agree with me ergo "destructive."

I wonder if anyone has seen this rather axcellent and well thought-out
editorial by KA7NOC from his web site?
> Yes I did. Basically if you're anti=CW testing you're only interested in the money
(i.e.W5YI, GW), lazy, yadayadayada....

I enjoy operating radio using the morse code for communication between
myself and other hams...
>Continue to enjoy it..it's fun for you. No one is against that.

You like code, it was challenging, you buckled down. What does that have
to do with CW testing requirements?

It's tradition, history and pride.
So was the Dreyfus Affair, caveat emptor, Maginot Line, Tailhook,
"No Coloreds."

...give it a real try, not just 5 wpm code either.
That's the rub---the pro-CW are not happy with *just* 5wpm.

But the amateur radio service is not UPI or the Coast Guard or NASA. The
amateur radio service is just that "amateur" .
>That's precisely why CW shouldn't be a test requirement.

Where does it end ? once you meet those requirements and pass an exam
you obtain those privileges !
Simple, eh ?
>Hopefully, society will never stop changing or trying new things. BTW requirements in any
field can change over time. The dispute is whether they should change; amateur radio is
like any other field-medicine, law, law enforcement, firefighting, aviation,
military-there will always be members who oppose change. Surprisingly, we all survive
change.

As for being a service in time of emergencies, I refer you to the May
QST article. Amateur radio needs to change or no one will need it.

I'm new to AR but one of the things that has stuck in my mind is I don't
see too many young hams in QST pictures, ham books, or young VEs (under
30). This is definitely a field with oldsters, me included. Old people
are set in their ways, conservative, resistant to change. Younger people
bring fresh ideas, new concepts, energy, things needed in AR.

My 2 cents.

1309. QTC No. 11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7fdbeauut1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 145330
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,fido.belg.ham,fr.rec.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Monthly Morse QTCs as Audio Files
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Starting with QTC No 10 e.g. the one of Sunday, March 20, 1999, the
Deutscher Telegrafie Club announces that its regular monthly QTCs are
available in audio format (MIDI-type) at our web site
http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html in three different speeds: 12 WPM,
20 WPM and 30 WPM. As unfortunately not all browsers can handle these files
online, we did take care of that and offer these files as a ZIP archive for
individual downloads as well.

We do welcome any comments about this new feature in our guest book !

GM DR OPs = NW QTC NO 11 WID 4 PTS =

pt 1 =
PLC E.G. FAST DIGITAL DATA DISTRIBUTION USING POWER LINES ENDANGERS HF
RECEPTION IN DL = WE ARE ACTIVELY ENGAGED TO PERVENT THIS =

pt 2 =
WHILE NOT AGAINST PLC AS SUCH WE CRITISIZE MISSING CONSIDERATIONS TO AVOID
HARMFUL QRM TO RADIO SERVICES =

pt 3 =
CWAW = CW ACTIVITY WEEK FROM MAY 1, 00:00 UTC TO MAY 7, 24:00 UTC = EVERY CW
QSO COUNTS, ALL BANDS = MORE INFOS IN MAGAZINES OR BY SASE TO THOMAS KOENIG,
SECRETARY, RINCKLAKEWEG 43, 48153 MUENSTER, GERMANY =

pt 4 =
VOTING ON MORSE CODE EXAM SPEED STILL OPEN UNTIL APRIL 30 = RESULTS NEXT QTC
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The full monthly QTC bulletin in German is transmitted
every first Sunday of the month at
09:30 CET/CEST on 3575 kHz (+/-QRM).

This QTC is repeated in English every third Sunday of
the month at 09:30 CET/CEST on 7033 kHz (+/- QRM).

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
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| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |
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1310. Re: Internet hosts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <371AAC11.96639EE@nationwide.net>
Source record: 145331

Use 'whois'
This is one site that will allow you to search the WHOIS database;
there are many. Do a seach on whois, or visit this site:
http://www.rawspace.com/who.html

This is the output from a whois search on my ISP's Domain Name:
<begin quote>

Registrant:
DFW Internet Services, Inc. (NATIONWIDE4-DOM)
114 N. Commerce
Fort Worth, TX 76102
US

Domain Name: NATIONWIDE.NET

Administrative Contact:
Beech, Jack (JB138) jwb@DFW.NET
817-332-5116
Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
DFW Internet Serivces, Inc (ID54) root@DFW.NET

(817) 332 - 5116 (FAX) (817) 870 - 1501
Billing Contact:
Beech, Jack (JB138) jwb@DFW.NET
817-332-5116

Record last updated on 16-Jan-98.
Record created on 04-Apr-97.
Database last updated on 18-Apr-99 12:28:48 EDT.

Domain servers in listed order:

NS1.DFW.NET 198.175.15.15
NS2.DFW.NET 198.175.15.16

The InterNIC Registration Services database contains
ONLY
non-military and non-US Government Domains and
contacts.
Other associated whois servers:
American Registry for Internet Numbers -
whois.arin.net
European IP Address Allocations -
whois.ripe.net
Asia Pacific IP Address Allocations -
whois.apnic.net

US Military -
whois.nic.mil
US Government -
whois.nic.gov

<end quote>

73, N5YJP
(Yet Another No-Code Ham Dragging The Hobby To An All Time Low)

Gary Danaher wrote:

> This is not as off topic as it might seem. Could someone share the
> secrets of locating an internet host/provider whose name is different
> from the url? That is, if I have a problem with www.xyz.com and want to
> communicate with the company which hosts the site which is
> www.somethingdifferent.com, how do I do track them down?
> Gary
> AB5RM

1311. Re: Family Radios In Israel and Egypt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gsm@nardis.bfr.co.il
Message-ID: <slrn7hk2io.8s4.gsm@nardis.bfr.co.il>
Source record: 145372
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.family,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 08:58:12 -0600, miles@mail.utexas.edu <miles@mail.utexas.edu> wrote:
>"Family Radios" are small walkie-talkies that can be used in the United
>States for communications between family members. They do not require a
>license, are available at discount stores, and have a range up to 2 miles
>(3 km) or so.
>
>Does anyone know if these radios can be taken by vacationers into Israel
>and Egypt? If they cannot be used in one of these nations, can they at
>least be taken through it without trouble in Customs, to use in the other
>nation?

They are not legal in Israel. My advice to you is to leave them home.

At the airport, most tourists are not searched, many are not even
questioned here. However, some are and a few get their baggage xrayed.
If they find these radios the customs agent will want to make sure that
you are not some sort of criminal, you won't use them, and you won't
leave them here.

He may simply ignore them, tell you not to use them, ask for a customs
guarentee or make you store them in bonded storage. It all depends upon
the guy's mood and what he thinks of you.

You could look like a dumb tourist and just say "CB".

At a land border crossing, you will find them much stricter.

AFIK Egypt is not so nice. They restrict the import of many similar things,
including celluar phones.

I normally carry around a ham handytalky in my briefcase and have never
had a problem when I was searched. Expect to have your bags searched
when you go into a mall and many office buildings. In times of "high
security alerts", you may get searched at the bus station or stopped on the
street.

BTW, the teenagers in steet clothes with M-16's are soldiers on leave.

Geoff.

--
Geoffrey S. Mendelson
Tel: (03) 6944-211 Fax: (03) 6944-225 Email: gsm@bfr.co.il

1312. Re: Live from Belgrade - Liberty Net - What LOSERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: loopse fruito <bh7424@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be899a$23782d80$56650e26@01248f848349>
Source record: 145373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Bob Norton <bobnorton@earthlink.net> wrote in article
<7fbbn3fvp1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
> I think that its time to contact Congress about recovering 40M for
> international broadcast. Can you imagine these neo-nazi clowns trying to
> testify in behalf of amateur radio?

It depends how much PAC money the ARRL is willing to put up beforehand....

> In article rfoutput@aol.com
> says...
> >Who in the hell wants to listen to old age anarchists run down America?
> >Conspiracy theorists in a NitWitNaziNet? What a frickin combination. I feel
> >sorry for amateur radio.
> >It once was something to be admired, now with idiot groups like this
> >NitWitNaziNet on 3950and others American amateur radio is an International
> >Embarassment.

HEY RF ! - adleast it keeps them behind a microphone on a Saturday evening.
Better that than they be behind the steering wheel of an automobile after a
Saturday night of boozing at the beer joint in the next County.

What would you rather have... facists behind a SSB microphone
raising their blood pressure, or drunken facists behind the wheel of a
beat up old pickup at 2 AM, in the dark of night on the highway when the
beer joint closes? (of course this does not apply to certain stations
in Arkansas or North Carolina who are known for making late night "liquor runs".)

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>

1313. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <%voS2.1803$s_5.111046@dfiatx1-snr1>
Source record: 145374

Brad Kellison KA8TOK wrote in message <3719F0EF.A8B3D644@four-way.net>...
>Whelp they must have got to him first because the web site does not exist
>
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
>> NJMedMan <njmedman@aol.com> wrote in message
>> news:19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com...
>> > If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to
>> >have your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check
>> >out my site at: http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
>> > Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
>> > Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
>> > CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
>> > Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International
>> >Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)
>>
>> My goodness, Andy! Use some discretion. When admiting you're a lawbreaker
>> you *don't* sign your callsign.
>>
>> Jeff KH6O
>

I looked at the site on the day Cogswell made his post. It was a great source of links to a lot of other "free banders" and even gave amateur calls for a lot of the violators. It's a good bet that several copies of that page were forwarded to the Feds. I'll bet Riley will have field day with all of this newfound info, and the FCC didn't even have to go out and work to find them...

It's not surprising that the web page is gone now, but once you realize you have shot yourself in the foot, it's pretty hard to get the bullet back in the gun...

73 de KF6KNB

1314. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: loopse fruito <bh7424@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be89bf$51653a60$ba551a26@01248f848349>
Source record: 145375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com> wrote in article
<runS2.1713$Bm3.107113@news20.ispnews.com>...
> The free speech argument is so lame and irrelevant in this instance that
> anyone making it is not smart enough to understand what's going on.
>
> Next question.

Actually Joe, Oris made a very very good point. I have reproduced it
below, in full. It is worthy of consideration as far as I am concerned. (Thanks Oris!)

> Oris replied:

> I hate to tell you this but the FCC does have Juristiction over any
> content of language that is spoken over the Amateur radio. Heck if this
> where so we could all speak pig latin and it would be legal and we all
> know that its not legal to speak pig latin over the radio. Content over
> what is said over the radio can be governed by the FCC. Just like
> content over what is yelled at a street corner can be governed by the
> local law offical. Something about community standards. A community has
> a right to determin what is legally said in public. This means tha they
> community has a right to say what your political affiliation or how you
> worship. It just means that if you yell nasty or offensive words on a
> street corner you can be arrested. Thus this is the same thing on
> amateur radio. Amateur radio is a very big street corner and porkbut you
> can't be yelling offensive things on this very large street corner and
> the FCC has the right to stop you if it gets bad enough and some of the
>stuff I have heard you say in which I will testfy in need be. You try to
> tell people about this free speech stuff and you have it all wrong. Just
> try to yell fire at the movies. You will see how much you have free
> speech. Take a brake and let it all go.
> Of coruse this is just my opinion I could be wrong

> Oris
--
(thanks Oris for your constructive points & critque)

F.T. Brandt
SWL since 1967
in sunny, frooty Fla.

1315. Re: Doctor DX Simulator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dakota206@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990418135640.20553.00003490@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 145376

I have both the 64 and the 128 let you have
for $70. the 64 has the disk drive, the 128
has tape recorder

bobn2evv@msn.com

1316. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371A1B04.2FB7@wt.net>
Source record: 145377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brian wrote:
>
> Dave, why -do- you bother? I like the new attitude at the FCC, and if/when
> the 1st OO card shows up, I'll investigate my equipment or consider my
> operating habits and make any required changes. I'll staple the notice in my
> logbook and note any actions taken in my logbook. I operate my station in
> good faith that I am following the FCC rules. Would you suggest otherwise? I
> guess its just "a 90's thing" to want a clean signal and an operating style
> that attracts QSOs rather than broadcast racist political statements.
>

You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder , how did this astute OO come to this conclusion? Did he use the appropriate test gear, or did he just use his receiver to come up with this? The ham in question was running 100w , talking to a guy running a KW. The guy running a KW didn't get a notice. Also I know for a fact that the guy running 100w has a properly set up radio with good audio quality and not overdriven. It's a sad fact that many OO's don't have a clue to the operation of a receiver. They will listen to their radios to determine signal width. Sorry folks, it doesn't work that way. If I have a radio running 100w and it is received at a low level, it will appear narrow. This is the natural operation of the filters in the receiver. NOW!, take the same exact radio and have a guy 3 houses down listen to it. He will be 60 db over S 9 and appear quite wide. Again, this is normal as per the operation of the current state of the art in filters. One guy sees him as narrow, and the other sees him as wide. And HE HAS THE SAME EXACT EMMISIONS!!!Then you hear the goofballs that say, WELL, HE WAS RUNNING POWER AND WAS WIDE!!! What a crock!!! If this was the case, he would be illegal.
Moral: You can't EVER measure the signal width of someone just by using a receiver. You must use a scope and pan adapter or spectrum analyser. etc. But I still keep hearing about OO's sending notices based on this method of determining width of signal. If I ever get an OO report, it damn well better be accurate or it will hit the trash can so fast the NBA would be impressed. As you can tell, I have a somewhat dim view of OO's, but this came from experience. Many just don't have a clue. And if this is true about the fcc giving them "near agent status" I think is a mistake, mistake, mistake.
Adios,MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1317. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371A15BA.739D@wt.net>
Source record: 145378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:
>
> > Part 97 says we police ourselves.
> >Part 97 also provides for Official Observers.
> Even if it does, that's NOT THE POINT!
> They are OBSERVERS. They are ADVISORS.
> The FCC is now giving them status as (untrained) ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
> This is out of bounds on several counts.
If this is true, I sho nuff agree. OO's have no biz being enforcement officers. Many are just too damn ignorant for such a position. Not to mention personal agendas.

> Bet you change your mind when that first OO card shows up.
>
> sigh....

Bet he does indeed. Using OO's as enforcement is a VERY, VERY, BAD IDEA.
MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1318. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371A1B56.1ABB@wt.net>
Source record: 145379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jones wrote:
>
> Actually the 90's are probably a lot cleaner than the 50's since these days most
> people are using well designed commercial gear. Those old homebrew transmitters
> and modified rigs of the 50's were a lot worse. Chirps, spurs, hum ect...

Yep, you nailed it right on the head. And naturally this makes the role
of the OO obsolete. MK

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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1319. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371A1C07.3BE9@wt.net>
Source record: 145380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:
>
> If the FCC wants to get Rich, then by God do it RIGHT.
> They should do their job and stop attempting to
> invest inappropriate authority in a private pool
> of ill-qualified and ill-equipped volunteers.
> If they want to build a case, then spend the MONEY.
> Do the WORK.
>
> Dave AB5S

A big fat AMEN. MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1320. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990418151309.08344.00002109@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145381

> I heard of an OO just
>last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
>how did this astute OO come to this conclusion? Did he use the
>appropriate test gear, or did he just use his receiver to come up with
>this?

>I know for a fact
>that the guy running 100w has a properly set up radio with good audio
>quality and not overdriven.

Did you check his equipment to come to this conclusion? OO or not, haven't we all tuned across signals that are much wider than others we hear on the band of similar signal
strength?

>If I ever get an OO report, it
>damn well better be accurate or it will hit the trash can so fast the
>NBA would be impressed

I think you have already covered the fact that if YOU ever get an OO report its becuz the OTHER guy has made a mistake, and you'll remain aloof on the Mount of Olives.

KMB.

1321. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fdebtlvm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371A1B04.2FB7@wt.net>,
nm5k@wt.net wrote:
> Brian wrote:
> >
> > Dave, why -do- you bother? I like the new attitude at the FCC, and if/when
> > the 1st OO card shows up, I'll investigate my equipment or consider my
> > operating habits and make any required changes. I'll staple the notice in
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> > logbook and note any actions taken in my logbook. I operate my station in
> > good faith that I am following the FCC rules. Would you suggest otherwise?
I
> > guess its just "a 90's thing" to want a clean signal and an operating style
> > that attracts QSOs rather than broadcast racist political statements.
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> You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
> last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
> how did this astute OO come to this conclusion? Did he use the
> appropriate test gear, or did he just use his receiver to come up with
> this? The ham in question was running 100w , talking to a guy running a
> KW. The guy running a KW didn't get a notice. Also I know for a fact
> that the guy running 100w has a properly set up radio with good audio
> quality and not overdriven. It's a sad fact that many OO's don't have a
> clue to the operation of a receiver. They will listen to their radios to
> determine signal width. Sorry folks, it doesn't work that way. If I have
> a radio running 100w and it is received at a low level, it will appear
> narrow. This is the natural operation of the filters in the receiver.
> NOW!, take the same exact radio and have a guy 3 houses down listen to
> it. He will be 60 db over S 9 and appear quite wide. Again, this is
> normal as per the operation of the current state of the art in filters.
> One guy sees him as narrow, and the other sees him as wide. And HE HAS
> THE SAME EXACT EMMISIONS!!!Then you hear the goofballs that say, WELL,
> HE WAS RUNNING POWER AND WAS WIDE!!! What a crock!!! If this was the
> case, he would be illegal.
> Moral: You can't EVER measure the signal width of someone just by using
> a receiver. You must use a scope and pan adapter or spectrum analyser.
> etc. But I still keep hearing about OO's sending notices based on this
> method of determining width of signal. If I ever get an OO report, it
> damn well better be accurate or it will hit the trash can so fast the
> NBA would be impressed. As you can tell, I have a somewhat dim view of
> OO's, but this came from experience. Many just don't have a clue. And if
> this is true about the fcc giving them "near agent status" I think is a
> mistake, mistake, mistake.

> Adios,MK
> --
> http://web.wt.net/~nm5k
>

Mark, lets practice our breathing for a minute, ok? You sound as if you are getting ready to get mad about something that hasn't even happened yet. As far as the heresay from your friend with the "wide" signal goes, whats to worry about? I wouldn't worry about it. Staple the card in your log book, with a statement that the amplifier is operating within specifications and is not being overdriven (providing he actually -knows- that to be the case). Has your friend verified that his signal isn't wide? You are so typical of the OT PCA crowd on this newsgripe (with a few notable exceptions). Why not actually wait until you get wronged before the ranting starts, ok? These pre-emptive rants get tiresome. ;^) 73, Brian/N0iMD

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1322. Heathkit HFT-9 Antenna Tuner - Basic Use Question...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dber@tiac.net
Message-ID: <371a3109.1216599@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 145383

Hello all,

I was able to pick up an HW-9 QRP transceiver locally for a reasonable price. I wanted to explore more than the 40M that I've been using with my Ten Tec QRP kit. It came with the matching HFT-9 Antenna Tuner which looks fairly basic (Two SO239 antenna jacks on the back - one to the transmitter, the other to the antenna and also some connectors for balanced line?!?) and three knobs on the front. The knob on the left says "Transmitter" and is scaled A-G, a matching one on the right for the "Antenna" and the center one is the "Inductor" 1-12. Unfortunately it did not come with instructions but based on looking inside it looks fairly simple. Anyone interested in giving me some basic usage instructions to tune up my 40M dipole on other bands (such as 80M). I have an SWR/Power Meter and would guess it is just a matter of turning the dials to peak the output power and lower the SWR but would rather get instructions rather than potentially damage the radio I just got.

If you reply to this message via the newsgroup, would you also be kind enough to post an email response which might prove fastest for me...

Thanks kindly.

Regards,

Dave
dber@tiac.net
http://www.tiac.net/users/dber

1323. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <371a3370.7078310@news.mint.net>
Source record: 145384

Let's put all the idiots in one class.....

On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 05:20:38 -0700, Karl Fuller <karljb@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>i agree we should abolish the no code ham. lwets put all the no codes in
>one class and all the coded hams in another and then count the heads.the
>one that has the most should ruel. does that sound fair?
>
>CWnotCB wrote:
>
>> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>>
>> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>
>

1324. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fdc8k$nu0@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145385

I Cc'd a copy to qsl.net. They replied: "Thank-you for notifying
us - we've cancelled his account. Too bad his license can't be
as easily cancelled..."

Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net> wrote:
>Whelp they must have got to him first because the web site does not exist

>> NJMedMan <njmedman@aol.com> wrote in message
>> > If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to
>> >have your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check
>> >out my site at: http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
>> > Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
>> > Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
>> > CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
>> > Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International
>> >Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)

1325. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fdf9u$mo5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371A15BA.739D@wt.net>,
nm5k@wt.net wrote:
> David Stinson wrote:
> >
> > > Part 97 says we police ourselves.
> > >Part 97 also provides for Official Observers.
> > Even if it does, that's NOT THE POINT!
> > They are OBSERVERS. They are ADVISORS.
> > The FCC is now giving them status as (untrained) ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
> > This is out of bounds on several counts.
> If this is true, I sho nuff agree. OO's have no biz being enforcement
> officers. Many are just too damn ignorant for such a position. Not to
> mention personal agendas.

That being the case, why don't you volunteer your services Mark? Certainly
the amateur community would welcome your technical expertise as well as your
unbiased view on such things.

> > Bet you change your mind when that first OO card shows up.
> >
> > sigh....
>
> Bet he does indeed. Using OO's as enforcement is a VERY, VERY, BAD IDEA.
> MK
> --
> http://web.wt.net/~nm5k
>

They never were going to use OOs for -enforcement-. One David Stinson got on
here and got all upset about what he -thought- Riley said, so that makes it
true, right? How bout looking at what the ARRL does with the OO reports
before getting all upset about it? Even better, go read the post from David
about the reply letter he got from Riley on the subject.

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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1326. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <371a36b6.9952861@news.planet.net>
Source record: 145387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 12:48:52 -0500, Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net> wrote:

>Brian wrote:
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>> Dave, why -do- you bother? I like the new attitude at the FCC, and if/when
>> the 1st OO card shows up, I'll investigate my equipment or consider my
>> operating habits and make any required changes. I'll staple the notice in my
>> logbook and note any actions taken in my logbook. I operate my station in
>> good faith that I am following the FCC rules. Would you suggest otherwise? I
>> guess its just "a 90's thing" to want a clean signal and an operating style
>> that attracts QSOs rather than broadcast racist political statements.
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>You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
>last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
>how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?

If I ever received such a notice I would send a reply asking
the following:

1. What does that even mean?
2. What was the basis for your assesment?
3. What equipment was used to make whatever
measuremnt(s) were taken?
4. What were those measurements?

<SNIP>

> As you can tell, I have a somewhat dim view of
>OO's, but this came from experience. Many just don't have a clue. And if
>this is true about the fcc giving them "near agent status" I think is a
>mistake, mistake, mistake.

Please show where an OO is now or ever was
given "near agent status."

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK
ARRL LGL

>--
>http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1327. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fdcqr$oam@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371A1B04.2FB7@wt.net>, Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net> wrote:
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>You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
>last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,

You "heard"? When you're eventually able to view the original notice
yourself, then come back and complain. // Jeff KH6O

1328. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7fdd2k$bbk@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 145389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

barryo@fastlink.com.au writes:

>Over here there is no such law but we still get radios that are
>blocked for the US market.

Same problem in Canada. Only Icom seems willing to treat Canada as
a separate country from the USA.

Dave

1329. Internet hosts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@flash.net>
Message-ID: <371A384C.92C98AFF@flash.net>
Source record: 145390

This is not as off topic as it might seem. Could someone share the secrets of locating an internet host/provider whose name is different from the url? That is, if I have a problem with www.xyz.com and want to communicate with the company which hosts the site which is www.somethingdifferent.com, how do I do track them down?
Gary
AB5RM

1330. How do I become an OO??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990418160817.10223.00002689@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 145391

I want to be an OO = Official Observer - How is that done??

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1331. Cherokee 6 meter HT rig, any good, will freebanders use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wa2iseFAEILE.BxG@netcom.com>
Source record: 145392

While surfing the net (doing a search on the word "freeband" to see what questionable activities exist), found a page http://www.2waytalk.com/ah50.html describing a 6 meter HT by "Cherokee", whoever they are!

Who is "Cherokee" anyway? New Ham equipment brand? It'd be nice to have more venders of ham equipment for us hams. But that web page didn't say that you need a ham (no-code is good enough) license to use this HT. At least 2waytalk.com didn't explicitly call it a "CB" radio.

How good of a radio is this Cherokee 6M HT? For $209 it might be of interest. 6M is a nice band (hope it won't get invaded).

Anything to worry about? Conversely, is cheap 6M HTs a good thing for hams?

1332. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #405

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.405.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 145393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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3B9, RODRIGUES ISLAND. Thanks to the 3B9R DXpedition operation, Robert Felicite, 3B9FR, is now back on the air. Robert has been off the air for over 5 years for a number of reasons. One reason given is that he lost nearly everything he owned to a cyclone. Robert was heard this past weekend on 30 meters between 1330 and 1400z and between 2130 and 2200z. QSL direct only (this may change later).

4U1ITU, ITU HEADQUARTERS (GENEVA). The "DX News Letter" reports that Eric, W3DQ, will be active as 4U1ITU during his spare time after 1900z now until April 25th. He will emphasize his activity on RTTY and the WARC bands. QSL via bureau.

FM, MARTINIQUE. Pertti, OH2RF, intends to operate as FM/OH2RF between May 1-7th, with a CEPT licence probable. He is visiting FM5BH during his week vacation in the Caribbean. There will be special attention to European stations on both CW and SSB. QSL via OH2RF, Pertti Turunen, Sulkapolku 1 A 2, SF-00370 Helsinki, 37, Finland.

FR5/T, TROMELIN. QSL Manager Zareh, VE2NW, informs OPDX that Jacques, FR5ZU, will be active from Tromelin Island (IOTA AF-031) from now to May 4th. Activity will be SSB only 40-10 meters. Zareh will run a net around 0200z on 14256 kHz and will try to run as many as NA stations as possible. As this bulletin was being prepared, QSNs indicate Jacques has been active on 20 meters and as late as 0400z. There was also one report where he was active on 28470 kHz around 1430z. Jacques will be working in Tromelin and will try to be active as much as possible during his rest periods. QSL all contacts, except JA ones, is via VE2NW. JA

contacts go to the JA QSL Manager JA8FCG.

GD, ISLE OF MAN. Ian, G0KRL will be operating from the island May 1-8th, as GD0KRL/P. This will mainly be a vacation for Ian, but he hopes to be active every day. Activity will be on all bands mainly SSB with some RTTY using an Alinco DX-70 and multiband vertical antenna. QSL via the bureau or direct to his home callsign. E-mail QSL requests for the bureau can be sent to: G0KRL@ARRL.NET

HQ6RCH OPERATION (QRT). The Radio Club of Honduras was active this past weekend from Little Key Island. Little Key measures just 25 x 25 meters in size (!) and lies at N 16 degrees, 3 min., 36 sec. and W 86 degrees, 58 min., 58 secs. They used the callsign HQ6RCH and were active on CW/SSB. QSLs will be handled by the club president, HR2JAW. The club reports that there is NO IOTA number yet for this island, but Joe, HR2JEP, says that will be forthcoming.

INTERNATIONAL MARCONI DAY (IMD). Just a quick reminder that this event takes place April 24th, between 0000-2359z. The event is sponsored by the Cornish Radio Amateur Club of Cornwall England. Check out the Web page: http://www.users.globalnet.co.uk/~straff/
There will be 58 Marconi Special Event stations participating, many with certificates offered.
Look for stateside station W1AA/IMD to be active, and it will represent the 1903 Marconi Transatlantic Transmitting Station on Cape Cod. DX stations QSL via the bureau and Stateside stations via the CBA with a S.A.S.E.

IOTA NEWS......
AS-073. Tex, 9M2TO, will be active from Redang Island as 9M2TO/P May 1-4th. Activity will be on 40-6 meters on the normal DX frequencies. QSL via JA0DMV (via JARL Bureau is OK).

NA-046. Henry, KE1AC will be operating from Nantucket Island, Nantucket County, Massachusetts (MA-007S), April 20-22nd. He will use his ICOM 706, 100 Watts, vertical antenna on 10, 15, 17 and 20 meters, depending on propagation. Look for him on the IOTA frequencies.

NA-062. Bob, W2SF, will be active from Lower Matecumbe Key in the Flordia Keys April 23rd through May 7th. Activity will be on all bands plus the WARC bands CW/SSB/RTTY. Bob informs us that this is a practice run for his upcoming trip to Iceland (see TF below).

QSL INFO AND NEWS......
RA0FN QSLs go to: Viacheslav Davidenko, ul. Yuzhno-Zelenaya 80-22, Uglegorsk, Sakhalin Island, 694900, Russia

Raymundo, YS1RR, reports that as of April 10th, Franz, DJ9ZB will be QSL Manager for his two sons John, YS1JR, and Ray Jr., YS1RAY. Franz will have the logs for all QSOs starting January 1, 1999. By the way, Franz is also YS1RR's QSL Manager. Raymundo mentions that the YS1JR callsign

was initially his father's, Jose Rodriguez (who died in 1996), but was reissued to his son (who was YS1JRG) by the PTT authorities.

NEW ADDRESS. Rob Wright, ND1V, informs OPDX that many cards for his VQ9CV operation are being sent to his old address in Key West. QSL cards SHOULD be sent to his new Virgina address. His new address is: Rob Wright, ND1V, 1409 Eaglestone Arch, Chesapeake, Va 23322

YI9CW QSLS. Tom, SP5AUC (ex-YI9CW), has left Poland for Vietnam on his new Foreign Office assignment. Tom apologizes for delays in answering his QSLs. The backlog of direct QSLs for his YI9CW operation is now being handled by Mirek, SP5APT. Tom hopes that this will finally clear the problems associated with his huge 100k QSOs record. Zygi, SP5ELA, is a back-up manager and has access to YI9CW logs. If help is needed, please send E-mail to: zygi@sp5pbe.waw.pl

S79AG, S79FAG, S79YL, S79ZG LOGS ONLINE. Doug, N6RT, reports that he has received and put online the S79 logs from the Germans currently operating from Seychelles and they are updated daily. Also, the S79AG logs for Erik's (SM0AGD) March, 1999, operation are also now online. The logs can be found on the Web at: http://dx.qsl.net/logs
Doug also mentions that the recent OH0M logs, as well as many other logs, are also there. New logs are added weekly in addition to a list of links to other logs on the net.

DO YOU NEED A QSL CARD FOR YS1ZV, CU3AV, HR2RDJ, HL9JF, HH2/KB0QNS, N4GFO/KH2, N3SIY/HH2, XE2UVB, KL7IYD, J37LK, HR2A, YN4/WK6O, YN4ZUJ, VY1JA, HR2KOS or YO2CDE (before 1999 only)? Reportedly all these stations have the QSL Manager KB5IPQ. Sources from the ARRL W5 QSL Bureau reports that KB5IPQ is not an ARRL member, and he refuses to answer these stations via the bureau. It is highly recommended to QSL direct to KB5IPQ.

RRC "NORTH POLE 1999". The "International North Pole Expedition" with the "Russian Robinson Club" is now active until April 25th. It is under the sponsorships of the Federation of Parachute Sports of Russia in accordance with the direction of the official preparation and realization program of the celebrations of the 70th Anniversary of Polar Aviation, the 70th Anniversary of foundation of the First Polar Station at the Franz Joseph Land and the 50th Anniversary of the First Skydive onto the North Pole. This expedition is truly unique. It is the first time that an International Expedition will be routed via: Moscow - Murmansk - the Franz Joseph Land - North Land (Srednij Island AS-042) - North Pole. This expedition is in preparation for an expedition to the South Pole, whereby new technologies pertaining to performance in the polar conditions are to be worked through. The callsign of this Expedition is RV3MA/0. Operator is Roman. QSL via RV3ACA, Elen, P.O. Box 13 Moscow 127521 Russia. The special callsign of RRC`pedition is R3RRC/0. Operator is RV3MA. QSL via RW3GW, Valery, P.O.Box 3 Lipetsk 398000 Russia. There will be a special "RRC-North Pole-1999" plaque (the wooden plank 20x15 cm. on the metallic base) available for QSOs with R3RRC/0. Cost is 23 (USD for EU), 25 (USD for DX) and can be obtained via the plaque manager RW3GW (via DL6ZFG,

Rolf Rahne, P.O.Box 15, D 39241,Gommern, Germany). Also, check out the Russian Robinson Club Web site at: http://www.stinol.lipetsk.ru/~rrc

S7, SEYCHELLES. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Gavin, GM0GAV, will be active April 22nd through May 5th as S79GT "while on honeymoon". Activity will be CW on 20/17/15/12/10 meters and possibly 6 meters. QSL via home callsign.

SPECIAL EVENT. The "Socios del Radio Club Rosario (LU7FW)" will be active as L27FW from May 16-23rd, in celebration of the 75th aniversary of the contact between Carlos Braggio (r-cb8) and Ivan O'meara (z-2AC) establishing the world record distance between Buenos Aires and New Zeland in 1924. For more details see OPDX.404. QSL via LU7FW: PO Box 263 ZIP CODE 2000 Rosario, Argentina.

SPECIAL EVENT. The prefixes CI3 for VE3 and CJ3 for VA3 Canadian amateurs have been approved for use in the "Region of Peel" to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the "Incorporation of the City of Brampton" for the time period April 10-25th.

SV/A, MOUNT ATHOS. Monk Apollo has been active again as SV2ASP/A on 20 meters SSB. Check the 14252 kHz (net) between 2000 and 2200z. Also, look for him on 20 and 17 meters on Fridays and Saturdays on SSB and possibly RTTY and Pactor. QSL direct.

TF, ICELAND. Bob, W2SF, is currently planning an operation here which will take place August 27th through September 7th. His callsign has not been announced yet, but activity will be on 80-10 meters plus the WARC bands CW/SSB/RTTY.

XX9, MACAO. The "DX News Letter" reports that Motoi, JK2PNY/VR2SS, will be active from Taipa Island (AS-075) until May 9th. They state his callsign may be XX9TSS. However, "The Daily DX" reports that Motoi will concentrate on 6 meters. So, HF activity may not happen. QSL via JK2PNY, Motoi Kawattsu, 205 Mezon 3-17-15, Nishisugamo, Toshima-ku, 170-0001 Japan.

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OPDX INTERNET SUBSCRIBE/UNSUBSCRIBE REQUEST: opdx-request@nshore.org
OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
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ones ("1111"). (NOTE: Some FAX machines that send single "BEEPS" every second will not have to do this step.) 3) The phone will pick up and after the "BEEP" leave your voice message or FAX.

/EXIT

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1333. Re: How do I become an OO??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fdi46ovl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145394

In article <19990418160817.10223.00002689@ng-fq1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> I want to be an OO = Official Observer - How is that done??
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
>
LLoyd,

1. ARRL Member
2. Contact you Section Manager..for Florida it is: Bill Cleveland, KR4TZ
2113 Wildwood Place, Mobile Al. 36609-2583 (334-661-3892) kr4tz@arrl.org
3. He will provide you with all the information you need.

Dan/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1334. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fdg9h$qop@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145395

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message

>> You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
>> ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
>> communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
>> least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
>> world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW.

>Jeff, that's a BIG stretch ... what about the JA hams who have
>HF access with no code? Not to mention the fact that, even in
>third world countries, the hams for the most part have modern
>store-bought appliances, just like most US hams.

Each nation is free to set its own licensing standards apart from
what the ITU recommends. But if you look closely at the JA's
code-free license, you'll see it's quite restrictive regarding
frequencies, power, and type of communications; its restrictions
are not unlike those of our Citizens Radio Service.

>In fact, in my personal experiences, the third world hams were
>more open to adopting new technology than most US hams.

You have no HF experience to draw upon, with your Tech+ license, unless
you've been operating CW with it, which is highly doubtful.

>> Whether one chooses to
>> use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
>> him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
>> modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
>> but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
>> extend across language barriers.

>Your defininition of "meaningful QSO" falls FAR short of mine.
>I don't consider the "cookie-cutter" type of "QSO" one can
>conduct when limited strictly to the use of Q-signals to be
>very meaningful.

Content doesn't matter; at least intercommunication between all the
world's HF hams *is* possible utilizing code.

>The whole argument that "Morse is an international language"
>falls apart on several counts:

I never mentioned that it is a "language." It is the only common
mode that can be used among each and every HF ham at this time.

>> A digital mode could become the
>> international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
>> equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
>> equipment, CW will remain the common mode.

>I see no reason why every ham world-wide MUST have a common mode
>with all others.

If you're that so short-sighted that you can't comprehend the importance
of intercommunication among the world's HF hams, then this conversation
ends here.

Jeff KH6O

1335. NCI Board of Directors stance?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fdgpi$r5m@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"I see no reason why every ham world-wide MUST have a common mode
with all others." Carl - wa6vse, NCI Board of Directors, 4/18/99

Jeff KH6O

1336. Re: Internet hosts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7hki8p.1lc.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 145397

On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 19:52:55 GMT, Gary Danaher <gdanaher@flash.net> wrote
in message <371A384C.92C98AFF@flash.net>:
>This is not as off topic as it might seem. Could someone share the
>secrets of locating an internet host/provider whose name is different
>from the url? That is, if I have a problem with www.xyz.com and want to
>communicate with the company which hosts the site which is
>www.somethingdifferent.com, how do I do track them down?

If you are using a UNIX system you can simply type:

whois xyz.com

to find out more about the domain.

If you are not using UNIX, there is a Web-based 'whois' interface at:

http://www.networksolutions.com/

Look at the Technical Contact and you may find what you are looking for. At the
least, you can find out what nameserver is holding the domain name and that
will put you on the path to an upstream provider.

--
jeff davis, n9avg
http://jehosophat.com

1337. Re: FT-100 Mods Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <371A4931.B7B19BAA@four-way.net>
Source record: 145398
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

http://www.ns.net/~rtwod2/ft100.htm

Here is the site with all the info.

"Matt Nelson, N5TKN" wrote:

> Does anyone have the mods for the Yaesu FT-100 Multi-mode mobile
> HF/6m/VHF/UHF transceiver?
>
> 73,
> Matt - N5TKN
> n5tkn@n5tkn.com
>
> P.S. I am reposting this as I didn't get any bites the first time.

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1338. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fdlimrgh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3719E9D5.2517@dirtball.com>,
Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> loopse fruito wrote:
> >
> > herbs@islands.vi wrote in article <7fato7mif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >
> > > The FCC is wacking you not because you are a racist or a bigot but rather
> > > for your questionable conduct on the amateur bands.
> >
> > AND WHEN pray tell did the FCC become a JUDGE of the CONTENT of SPEECH?
> >
> > I'll draw a line at the boundary of the famous "Seven Words (+ Three)" but
anything
> > else is flat out illegal.
> >
> > Also please Herb, DO NOT give me that HIGH OCTANE BULLSHIT that one
surrenders
> > his LEGAL RIGHTS after one signs the copy of his or her Ham Operators
Licence.
> > Yes, it is a licence, BUT I would also say that the A.C.L.U. would take
great pleasure
> > in defending Richard Whitten - W2OTK/WB2OTK. In fact, if i was Rich, I
would have
> > been on the phone to the ACLU much earlier.
> >
> > This is CLEARLY a case of the FCC regulating areas where it has NO LEGAL
JURISDICTION.
> >
> > An that, my friend Herb, is THE TRUTH.
> >
> > >
> > > ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> > >
> I hate to tell you this but the FCC does have Juristiction over any
> content of language that is spoken over the Amateur radio. Heck if this
> where so we could all speak pig latin and it would be legal and we all
> know that its not legal to speak pig latin over the radio. Content over
> what is said over the radio can be governed by the FCC. Just like
> content over what is yelled at a street corner can be governed by the
> local law offical. Something about community standards. A community has
> a right to determin what is legally said in public. This means tha they
> community has a right to say what your political affiliation or how you

> worship. It just means that if you yell nasty or offensive words on a
> street corner you can be arrested. Thus this is the same thing on
> amateur radio. Amateur radio is a very big street corner and porkbut you
> can't be yelling offensive things on this very large street corner and
> the FCC has the right to stop you if it gets bad enough and some of the
> stuff I have heard you say in which I will testfy in need be. You try to
> tell people about this free speech stuff and you have it all wrong. Just
> try to yell fire at the movies. You will see how much you have free
> speech. Take a brake and let it all go.
> Of coruse this is just my opinion I could be wrong
> Oris
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
>
Oris, et all;

First off I want to go on record, I do not, nor have I ever supported what Rich AND PHIL said on the air. And I have told them such both on the air and on the telephone.

Now, to the issue at hand. If indeed we have no freedom of speech when we open up our mouth's on the ham bands. And you folks dumping all over Rich (and ignoring Phil's racist obnoxious comments about white women) need to be brought up to speed. So here we go....

Al Abernathy (K4OKA)..Hey Dan...do you have to hose that whore your with down after a night out?

Jimmy Obrian (W4AMP,ex KD4CDB)..Dans up in Ohio waiting for his mother to croak so he can get her house.

George Ashley (W4FQF)..Dan was not in combat...he was a cook for General Westmorland.

Frank Todd (Bootlegger).. Get the hell of MY FREQUENCY you fucking asshole.

And of course ME, W4NTI....Fuck you Polly, you son of a bitch.

NONE OF THIS IS PROPER OPERATION ON AMATEUR RADIO. AND IT MUST STOP.

Don't jump on Rich ONLY....every damn one of you, me included are guilty of exactly the same thing.

It is now time to STOP this insanity. I beg, not ask, all of you present and past "participants" to stand back and ask yourself. Do you want to contribute to the demise of amateur radio, or do you want to help it move on?

I for one, want it to move on. My participation in this war is OVER. In all honesty I can not say I can or will ever forgive what these people have

said to me, about me, and about my family. At this point I have NO DESIRE to communicate with them ever again. However I have decided to END THIS WAR from my perspective. I have decided NOT TO BE A PART OF THE PROBLEM. Can the rest of you do the same?

Daniel L. Jeswald/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1339. For Sale Clegg 22erMKII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0IMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <371A5F2E.3AB8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145400

I have a very nice Clegg 22er MKII for $100 plus shipping I will have a
picture of it on my site under for sale http://home.earthlink.net/~docky
I have 75 or so units up right now for sale thanks 73 Gary KØIMJ

1340. Re: NCI Board of Directors stance?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <371A5387.509B@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 145401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> "I see no reason why every ham world-wide MUST have a common mode
> with all others." Carl - wa6vse, NCI Board of Directors, 4/18/99
>
> Jeff KH6O

The point Carl was making is that we don't have one now. Russian (cyrillic) cw is different from Japanese, Chinese, and about 20 other varieties of cw. The pidgen English version we use is convenient only for exchanging signal report, name, and QTH. Beyone that, if a Russian doesn't speak English, we're no better off with CW than a voice mode, and probably worse off than with a data mode.

Since we don't have one now, is it really needed at all?

Rick T.

1341. Personal opinion (was Re: NCI Board of Directors stance?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fdk71$95u$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7fdgpi$r5m@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> "I see no reason why every ham world-wide MUST have a common mode
> with all others." Carl - wa6vse, NCI Board of Directors, 4/18/99
>
> Jeff KH6O

Jeff ... as the subject line says ... it's my personal view.
I didn't claim it was an NCI policy, though I doubt that a
majority of NCI's BoD or membership would support your view
that "Morse testing MUST be maintained in order to assure that
all hams world-wide have a common mode." (antiquated as it is)

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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1342. NoBrain sent warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145403

James O'Brien the third, of Hiram Georgia was one of the two sent a Warning Notice by the FCC. His went out on March 15th. In it, the regulatory agency indicated that O'Brian, that or someone using his callsign was and we quote -- "deliberately interfering with and jamming radio communications" on 75 meters. The FCC also charged the station with coordinating on 2 meter FM with another station to interfere with stations on various 75 meter frequencies.

1343. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371A5789.B75F2BB8@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145404

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Too bad his license can't be
> as easily cancelled...

Why ?

1344. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371A57ED.72CAC40A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145405

Hey Joe, get a life.

P.S. -- Walmart has a sale on toy police cars, and those little tin badges. You may want to check it out.

1345. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <371A5694.77ED@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145406

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> NJMedMan wrote in message <19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com>...
>
> >If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to have
> >your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check out my
> site
> >at:
> >
> >http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
> >
> >
> >=-=-=-=-=-
> >Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
> >Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
> >CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
> >Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International
> Bandbenders
> >Association) (27.555 USB)
>
> Boy, this guy is pretty smart advertising that he is operating illegally. I
> guess he hasn't heard about FCC Enforcement Chief Hollingsworth and all of
> the amateurs that he is busting for using the "free band".
>
> I have heard that Hollingsworth reads these newsgroups also, I wonder how
> long it will be before Mr. Cogswell gets a knock at his door ???
>
> 73 de KF6KNB
This is what I think should happen to the freeband and freebanders!
http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
73 from Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1346. Re: NoBrain sent warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <371A5721.7CE5@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145407

CRTï¿½ wrote:
>
> James O'Brien the third, of Hiram Georgia was one of the two sent a
> Warning Notice by the FCC. His went out on March 15th. In it, the
> regulatory agency indicated that O'Brian, that or someone using his
> callsign was and we quote -- "deliberately interfering with and
> jamming radio communications" on 75 meters. The FCC also charged the
> station with coordinating on 2 meter FM with another station to
> interfere with stations on various 75 meter frequencies.
Yea and he wiggled out that one just like the lier wiggles out of
everything! I wonder when his luck will run out.!
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
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SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1347. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <371A6186.5CC37C49@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145408

The Bakers wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> > Too bad his license can't be
> > as easily cancelled...
>
> Why ?

Ummm, for violating the law? Duh.

1348. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <371a6285.2250706@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:35:40 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>sco@sco-inc.com wrote:
>
>:On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
>:
>:>In article <37167885.0@news.ic.net>,
>:> pcr@ten.ci (phil reed {domain actually ic.net - reversed for anti-spam})
>:>wrote:
>:>> Swatch has retreated. They have said that due to a problem with MIR,
>:>> they donated the batteries from the Beatnik satellite to power other
>:>> systems on the MIR station.
>:>
>:>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
>:>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
>:>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
>:>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
>:>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
>:>able to.
>:>
>:>Barry
>:
>:
>:I am curious. What is your callsign?
>
>You don't need to know, but I imagine you could look it up.
>
>:Since this is an amateur radio newsgroup and the satellite in question
>:was to transmit in one of the amateur radio bands what is your
>:interest here?
>
>The above reasons.
>
>:W4SCO.
>

Lets see if I get this right, you are a ham [from somewhere] who wants
a corporation to violate international law and create willful
interference on the amateur radio 2m band for their personal profit?

Well if you are a US ham I would think that attitude would make you
unfit to hold a US license.

W4SCO

1349. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <371b6444.2697186@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 12:50:15 -0500, Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net> wrote:

>Jones wrote:
>>
>> Actually the 90's are probably a lot cleaner than the 50's since these days most
>> people are using well designed commercial gear. Those old homebrew transmitters
>> and modified rigs of the 50's were a lot worse. Chirps, spurs, hum ect...
>
>Yep, you nailed it right on the head. And naturally this makes the role
>of the OO obsolete. MK

just because the equip might be better does not mean that the
operators are operating within the rules. I can think of music, vulgar
language, jamming, etc. as good reasons to keep the OOs.

W4SCO

1350. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <AFtS2.1995$Bm3.125582@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145411

Hey, "The Bakers."

Were all your mother's children born without brains or just you?

I have been licensed since 1958 and have never violated a single FCC reg.
Clowns such as "freebanders," jammers, filth talkers, and the like have no
place in amateur radio.

Shove your toy police car.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
The Bakers wrote in message <371A57ED.72CAC40A@worldnet.att.net>...
>Hey Joe, get a life.
>
>P.S. -- Walmart has a sale on toy police cars, and those little tin badges.
You
>may want to check it out.
>
>
>

1351. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <TVtS2.4448$8m5.7095@newsr1.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 145412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> David Stinson wrote:
> >
> > If the FCC wants to get Rich, then by God do it RIGHT.
> > They should do their job and stop attempting to
> > invest inappropriate authority in a private pool
> > of ill-qualified and ill-equipped volunteers.
> > If they want to build a case, then spend the MONEY.
> > Do the WORK.
> >
> > Dave AB5S
>
> A big fat AMEN. MK
> --
> http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

Gosh...

I've been cited by an OO (4/16/95) and he was right. I also have had the FCC Engineer in Charge visit my station twice during the 80's due to a six meter interference problem. His team was highly professionaI and fair. The problem was my neighbors new 32" Color TV set, but he had a lot of political juice.

I also know the local OO coordinator quite well. He's one hell of a guy with a Phd in Engineering. When I had the FCC "problem" he assisted me with a spectrim analyser and also had the cable company here with all their equipment. I must be missing something, but would have to say 98% of us have nothing to worry about as far as OO's.

As for Rich, WB2OTK, he's earned every "reward" he receives from the FCC many times over. Rich definitely needs a trip to the woodshed and it looks like he's going to get one. I'm sure they'll do it "right" this time around.

Gerd, W2ISB

1352. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fdq6n$4cp@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145413

In article <371A5789.B75F2BB8@worldnet.att.net>,
The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> Too bad his license can't be
>> as easily cancelled...

>Why ?

Why don't you ask the person who wrote it -- I sure didn't. I only quoted someone else -- you even went to the effort to remove the quotation marks. Changing someone's comments then attempting to attribute the edited remarks to the original author is unsocial, Baker.

Jeff

1353. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37376c97.250398828@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 20:30:55 -0400, "PoppaPump" <poppa0pump@aol.com> wrote:
>We must also take into consideration the bird meters slug, they vary greatly
>from one to another. Take 3 different slugs all of them the same power
>rating you will see 3 different readings

The line section in the meter matters too. It isn't just the meter movement
as Bill apparently thinks. The guaranteed specification covers the entire
instrument. The meters are usually better than the spec, they should *all*
be better than the guaranteed spec, but it is the total instrument being
specified, not just the meter movement or its scale. Bird recomends using
a slug matched to the power level you expect to read. That tells me that they
want you to stay away from the lower end of the scale for best accuracy.
That makes sense because diode non-linearity is typically a bigger issue
at the lower end of the scale. This has nothing to do with the meter movement.

Gary

>William E. Sabin wrote in message <3717322A.25148D5A@mwci.net>...
>>I took some data on two 2 inch panel meters that I bought in 1946, 53 years
>>ago. For 10 years they were in a CW transmitter, needles flopping around at
>>25 WPM. A Beckman 310 with accuracy of 0.75% +/- 1 digit was the reference.
>>Both meters are rated nominal 3% of full scale.
>>
>>Meter number 1: 0 to 50 mA:
>>Reading Actual % error
>>50 48.5 3.0%
>>40 39.1 2.3%
>>30 29.1 3.0%
>>20 19.7 1.5%
>>10 9.5 5.0%
>>5 4.0 20%
>>
>>Meter number 2: 0 to 200 mA:
>>200 198 1.0%
>>150 149 0.7%
>>100 102 2.0%
>>50 51.5 3.0%
>>25 26.1 4.2%
>>
>>So much for the intuition that a panel meter that is specified only at full
>>scale cannot be trusted in regions above, say 20% of full scale.
>>
>>Bill W0IYH

>>
>

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1354. F.S. Pres.Jackson/ NTR-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LEE <leel@uniserve.com>
Message-ID: <371A72FD.FFFEFEB0@uniserve.com>
Source record: 145415

Hello Everyone:

Iï¿½m selling my President Jackson.

* This unit covers from 26.065 for 28.305mhz built in
* Has an open dual-clarifier with 14kc spread
* Am/ Fm/ SSB modes
* Mike gain control
* 10kc switch
* Roger Beep on/ off
* Nb on/ off
* Tx/ Rx lights
* Dual mode meter (signal/ mod)
* 30 watts output (ssb)
* 3-pin power socket
* Pa/ ext. speaker outputs
* All for $225.00 w/stock mike

Also this unit is a newer Jackson, it is black all around, except for
the small fabricated faceplate that goes around the signal meter and
channel display. (original received a large scratch iï¿½ looked really bad)

Extra equipment for sale:

NTR-1 Noise/Tone Reducer by JPS.

* Unit has notch/noise red/ bandwidth selections
* DC up to 15v
* $50.00

Thanks,

leel@uniserve.com

1355. F.S.. Pres.Jackson/NTR-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: LEE <leel@uniserve.com>
Message-ID: <371A7605.75F90C2F@uniserve.com>
Source record: 145416

Hello Everyone:

Iï¿½m selling my President Jackson.

* This unit covers from 26.065 for 28.305mhz built in
* Has an open dual-clarifier with 14kc spread
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Thanks,

leel@uniserve.com

1356. Re: F.S. Pres.Jackson/ NTR-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <gLuS2.2023$Bm3.127767@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145417

Sir:

Are you an amateur radio operator? If not, what are you doing with a radio
that transmits into the amateur radio band (28.305 MHz)? Have you used it
above 28.000 MHz?

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
LEE wrote in message <371A72FD.FFFEFEB0@uniserve.com>...
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>
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> * DC up to 15v
> * $50.00
>

> Thanks,
>
>leel@uniserve.com
>
>
>

1357. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fdttjpek1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145418

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7fdg9h$qop@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>
> >In fact, in my personal experiences, the third world hams were
> >more open to adopting new technology than most US hams.
>
> You have no HF experience to draw upon, with your Tech+ license, unless
> you've been operating CW with it, which is highly doubtful.

Jeff, that's baloney. I've operated to the full extent of
my US Tech+ priveleges, including a lot of CW on 40m in the
early days. I simply decided that CW was "not my cup of tea."

I've also, as I've mentioned before, operated from Mexico,
where I lived for several years, with FULL HF priveleges
under a license issued by the Mexican authorities.

I operated extensively on all bands (including 160m) on SSB,
packet, and AMTOR ... so your claim that I "have no HF
experience to draw on" is totally without basis or merit.

> >Your defininition of "meaningful QSO" falls FAR short of mine.
> >I don't consider the "cookie-cutter" type of "QSO" one can
> >conduct when limited strictly to the use of Q-signals to be
> >very meaningful.
>
> Content doesn't matter; at least intercommunication between all the
> world's HF hams *is* possible utilizing code.

That argument is as shallow and devoid of merit as Eric's
assertion that whether one is qualified or not doesn't
matter as long as one works hard/long for one's license.

> >The whole argument that "Morse is an international language"
> >falls apart on several counts:
>
> I never mentioned that it is a "language." It is the only common
> mode that can be used among each and every HF ham at this time.

That Morse can be used among each and every HF ham is also
a stretch ... there are LOTS of old-timers who haven't used
Morse in many, many years ... their ability to communicate
in Morse is certainly in doubt.
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> >I see no reason why every ham world-wide MUST have a common mode
> >with all others.
>
> If you're that so short-sighted that you can't comprehend the importance
> of intercommunication among the world's HF hams, then this conversation
> ends here.

Translation: If I can't force you to accept *my* (Jeff's) view
of how the world should work, I'll take my ball and bat and go home.

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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1358. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O2fAvXgi#GA.239@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

1359. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <371A801A.214A200A@mwci.net>
Source record: 145420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Gary Coffman wrote:

> The line section in the meter matters too. It isn't just the meter movement
> as Bill apparently thinks.

No, that is not what Bill apparently thinks, and in the testing of two ancient panel meters I did not suggest that.

The Bird meter looks like a 2% meter, judging by its size and workmanship.

> Bird recomends using
> a slug matched to the power level you expect to read. That tells me that they
> want you to stay away from the lower end of the scale for best accuracy.

In my posts on this subject I have advocated that. I am aware of the diode, but if the 43 is used at strictly 27 degrees or so the calibration should be OK at fairly low levels. Incidentally, there are some "hidden" adjustment pots that they set at the factory.

The Bird 43 has 50 markings. The smallest marking corresponds to 2% of full scale power. This corresponds to 1.33 SWR. They suggest "forget about SWR and just think in terms of forward power and reflected power". If reflected power is "very small" that is usually good enough, they say, except possibly in applications such as TV and certain pulse systems.

If I can't detect "any" reflected power, I don't care what the SWR is. If I really want to know small values of SWR I use a directional coupler (no diodes) and my spectrum analyzer to get the return loss.

The biggest hazards to the 43 are the hammerheads who abuse them.

Bill W0IYH

1360. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371A8E94.D2C8379@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145421

OK Jeff, here is what you wrote in your original post -----

> I Cc'd a copy to qsl.net. They replied: "Thank-you for notifying
> us - we've cancelled his account. Too bad his license can't be
> as easily cancelled..."
>

I was not attempting to attribute the statement to you. Rather, I was trying to trim it down to the part which is relevant to my question. The newsreader automatically put the "Jeffrey Herman wrote:" tagline in front, as it does on every reply.

In any case, the question stands (to you, to the person who originally wrote the statement [presumably at qsl.net], to the group, whomever).....why ? What relevant section of the CFR did he violate which specifically provides for revocation of his amateur radio license as penalty ?

As for being unsocial, I'm sorry if it appeared that way -- I am but an amateur (pun intended) compared to some of the hams in this newsgroup.

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Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> In article <371A5789.B75F2BB8@worldnet.att.net>,
> The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> >> Too bad his license can't be
> >> as easily cancelled...
>
> >Why ?
>
> Why don't you ask the person who wrote it -- I sure didn't. I only
> quoted someone else -- you even went to the effort to remove the
> quotation marks. Changing someone's comments then attempting to
> attribute the edited remarks to the original author is unsocial,
> Baker.
>
> Jeff

1361. Re: LIVE FROM BELEGRADE!!!! 3950 and you!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfcommsys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417211121.09766.00002103@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 145422

>Live from Belgrade:
>
>The Liberty Net will have a focus report on the "Klinton's little war" We
>have
>a excellant oppurtunity to interview Mr. Slobodan Milosevic, and this
>interview
>will be played on 3950 tonite, with commentary by W1WCR and WB4AIO.
>
> ... (snipped)

Holy cow, DX302MAN! What ARE those drugs you are
using, anyway?

1362. FT-100 TX mod is here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: John in Roseville CA <nospam@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <_FaS2.1310$N12.10770117@nnrp2.ni.net>
Source record: 145423

http://www.ns.net/~rtwod2/ft100.htm

73 John

1363. CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: njmedman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com>
Source record: 145424

If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to have your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check out my site at:

http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm

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Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)

1364. Re: The Nut Doesn't Fall Far from his Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fbnnk$b9j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7fao61$i45$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> >>Oh, I love this post...
>
> Hi Gang
>
> While this is directed ESPECIALLY to... I
> would ask anyone reading this message with more than one tower to pse reply
> as well.
>
> BACKGROUND
>
> I am now in the midst of litigation...with respect to the right to
> install a second amateur radio support structure (tower).
>

Hmmm...A second tower? Two towers? I wonder what G-d would have done if they had been trying to errect TWO Towers in Babel?? Maybe we would all be double talking in different tongues. First you have to fight to get one tower into the neighborhood...and then two...and if they aren't all stacked up as they should be more towers will find their way into the neighborhood and people will move away because nobody will want to integrate with towers...and there goes the neighborhood! Average people won't want to admit it but most are anti-toweristic. IMHO there may always be some de-facto tower segragation anywhere...not just Babel. Please keep thinking, Hams need more license classes...BUT I dunno about more towers, I never met a Ham I didn't like and I think that towers are beautiful, Bob Wex w2ilp (Illuminated Lamp Posts) -- .- -..- .. --

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1365. Re: "Coded" Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: freqpolice@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990417235625.20906.00001974@ng155.aol.com>
Source record: 145426

>Does anyone have an approximation of how many hams in the
>world are at least capable of 5wpm code?

ALL HAMS are capable of at least 5 wpm.

HAVEN'T YOU BEEN LISTENING??

Know Code = Know Ham
No Code = No Ham

It can't be any more simple than that/

1366. FS: Motorola Maxar UHF and VHF Radios - CHEAP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: hutch@jerrylee.com
Message-ID: <H3dS2.1048$%L2.32249@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.lmr-commercial,rec.radio.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have several available.

Both UHF and VHF to choose from. They are all very clean, and power up and receive nicely.

Package includes radio, power cord, microphone, and mounting bracket.

These radios are two channels with PL installed. One channel is active - the other is empty. Currently in the 151 Mhz area for VHF, and 453 area for the UHF.

$25.00 per VHF radio, and $35.00 per UHF radio - Plus $10.00 USPS Priority Mail shipping - shipping discount for multiple radio purchases.

If you have any interest in these radios - please let me know ASAP.

Thanks for your time...

Eric
hutch@jerrylee.com
Grand Rapids, MI

1367. Re: WARNING! Watch out for Amateur Electronic Supply (AES), Las

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjac302069@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990418002126.08516.00002051@ng113.aol.com>
Source record: 145428

I have bought from AES as well as HRO, found service most satisfactory--what is your gripe-"-All give poor service" What is your criterion for such a statement??Specifics please!! I'm not a dealer, just a satisfied customer, one that wonders what has soured you on ALL retailers of ham gear--<([Rick])>- .

1368. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry L. Ornitz" <ornitz+U@dpnet.net>
Message-ID: <0bdS2.1235$Bm3.87354@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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>So much for the intuition that a panel meter that is specified only at
full
>scale cannot be trusted in regions above, say 20% of full scale.
>
>Bill W0IYH

Thank you for proving my exact point, Bill. The top meter is accurate to 3% of full scale or +/- 1.5 milliamp anywhere over its tested range. It meets this specification perfectly. Yet it is off by 20% [actually by 25% if you more correctly used (Actual - Reading)/Actual as the equation.] So the real accuracy can be quite poor and get worse the lower the reading - and yet remain true to the percent of full scale accuracy statement.

In the case of the second meter, the full scale accuracy is 1%. With only a percent of full scale accuracy statement, this meter must read to within 2 milliamps over its range. Yet at the low end of its scale, the 25 reading, it is off only 1.1 milliamps - much better than its accuracy statement. But again, the true accuracy based on a percent of reading is

over 4 times worse.

I think Bill has misunderstood my point - which is that percent of full scale as the SOLE accuracy statement tells you little about how well the instrument scales at lower readings. He has said that his *NEW* Bird was tested over its range and came out with an excellent report. This is great, and I am pleased for him. But someone else could have an identical model that met the same accuracy statement yet give entirely different results - especially on low readings. I would expect the models would be somewhat reproducible but without additional information, you cannot say for sure. Bill's data illustrates this exactly.

73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net

1369. Looking for family type handheld radios.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zekers <zzekka@intrex.net>
Message-ID: <371963AE.21F314F2@intrex.net>
Source record: 145430

I hope this is the proper group to post this in, so here goes...
I'm looking for a few hand held radios for general use: hiking, driving in multiple cars, etc. I have tried the Wal-Mart variety (I think they're Motorola's) and they just didn't have enough power to cover the distance or work around buildings, etc. I think they only put out 1/2 watt. I know very little about these things, so I'm not sure what to look for. Radio Shack has similar FM radios but they are still at 1/2 watt. They also have some 2 - 3 watt CB radios. But I don't know what the advantages / disadvantages of these are. I've recently used some 5 watt marine hand helds and they were great. But they also cost over $300 each.

So, any help would be appreciated either with your thoughts on these ideas or pointers to web sites with info.
Thanx, Zekers!

1370. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <371a6b15.227880315@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145431

On 16 Apr 1999 22:35:41 GMT, richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:

>I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC and
>sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I
>have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same
>scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for
>distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin on
>them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK was
>a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some hell on
>the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to
>answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
>racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK

Do you really think this is going to get you off the hook? Saying
people are against you because you say you're a jew? Give me a break.
There are tapes of you saying nasty things against jews a number of
years ago, so you can't go there. You're license is gone after 2000,
so get used to it. Here's some of the tape:

"Now there's a nigger if there ever was one. Take your black ass and
go back to Africa. You better take another hit on that crack pipe,
boy. Lawd have mercy, I can't believe these black people in here. Ah
hell, black woman got all that black bushy hair, looks like a brillo
pad, turn her upside down and use her head to scrub your pots." This
damn porch monkey spear chucking bubbas talking about good white
folks." (unknown voice telling Rich that he was recorded by the
amateur enforcement line). " Good I'm glad, you can take that
enforcement line and stick it clear up your ass, I don't like niggers,
N1GJT de WB2OTK. You know Jigabo is worried about what goes on here.
Hey Doc, your a biggot. What the hell is the NWACP gonna do? They
ain't gonna do shit. They need to call a real nigger, Louis Farakahn."
He goes on to call Al Sharpton a real nigger and admits that he (Rich)
is indeed a racist. " You're right. I'm a biggot and I'm a racist. I
don't like niggers, I don't like niggers I don't like people who come
to this country for a free lunch". This from Rich who doesn't hold a
job. Being a jew, (is he?) isn't going to save your fat from the FCC
fire.

1371. homepage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: f6crp <f6crp@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <7fbq50$s3a$1@wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 145432

Hello all,
laugh about my english and visit my site
devoted to ham radio at
http://perso.wanadoo.fr/f6crp/
73 Denis F6CRP

1372. NoBrain sent warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145433

James O'Brien the third, of Hiram Georgia was one of the two sent a Warning Notice by the FCC. His went out on March 15th. In it, the regulatory agency indicated that O'Brian, that or someone using his callsign was and we quote -- "deliberately interfering with and jamming radio communications" on 75 meters. The FCC also charged the station with coordinating on 2 meter FM with another station to interfere with stations on various 75 meter frequencies.

1373. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <vDeS2.1414$s_5.86981@dfiatx1-snr1>
Source record: 145434

NJMedMan wrote in message <19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com>...

>If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to have
>your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check out my
site
>at:
>
>http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
>
>
>=-=-=-=-=-
>Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
>Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
>CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
>Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International
Bandbenders
>Association) (27.555 USB)

Boy, this guy is pretty smart advertising that he is operating illegally. I
guess he hasn't heard about FCC Enforcement Chief Hollingsworth and all of
the amateurs that he is busting for using the "free band".

I have heard that Hollingsworth reads these newsgroups also, I wonder how
long it will be before Mr. Cogswell gets a knock at his door ???

73 de KF6KNB

1374. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Murali <su38320@cyberway.com.sg>
Message-ID: <01be897c$ec708660$217d74cb@default>
Source record: 145435
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dear John,
Your Composite Video Signal (CVBS)is interlaced Signal whereas Mointer accepts Non interlace Signal(Progressive Scanning). Therefore the CVBS has to be scan converted . The 9 pin D-plug has five Signals
R,G,B , Hsync & Vsync.
You can use SCan Conveter IC to establish your setup.

I'll provide more informations if you are intrested.
Regards
Murali

David Cunningham <D.L.C@btinternet.com> wrote in article
<7f9lnq$3sk$1@mendelevium.btinternet.com>...
> I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
> with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
> from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
> hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
> cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
> sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the composite
> video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
> monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest how
> to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
> requires.
>
> Thanks, John Cunningham.
>
>
>

1375. Re: ⊠Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kaimbridge <kaimbridge@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fcboprbs1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145436
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

In article <7fbal4$72e$1@newnews.startext.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> PS. I turned my DX-440 on today for the first time in a while (I've been
> using my hamradio for SWL'ing) and wondered why it was tuned to a local
> radio-station.. With the telescoping ant "un-stuckup" I was listening to
> Austria 'coming in' nearly as strongly as the nearby stations. Wish these
> conditions would last forever! ;)
> Maybe a few nukes shot into the sun or something?...

Nah, just a geomagnetic storm (the AM/BCB band over here in Mass. was phasing
wildly all Fri night):

> :Product: Report of Solar-Geophysical Activity
> :Issued: 1999 Apr 17 2210 UT
> # Prepared jointly by the U.S. Dept. of Commerce, NOAA,
> #Space Environment Center and the U.S. Air Force.
> #
> JOINT USAF/NOAA REPORT OF SOLAR AND GEOPHYSICAL ACTIVITY
> SDF NUMBER 107 ISSUED AT 2200Z ON 17 APR 1999

<snip>

> IIA. GEOPHYSICAL ACTIVITY SUMMARY FROM 16/2100Z TO 17/2100Z:
> THE GEOMAGNETIC FIELD RANGED FROM UNSETTLED TO MAJOR STORM LEVELS. A
> GEOMAGNETIC DISTURBANCE THAT BEGAN WITH A SUDDEN IMPULSE YESTERDAY
> AT 16/1126Z INTENSIFIED INTO A GEOMAGNETIC STORM. MID-LATITUDES WERE
> AT MINOR TO MAJOR STORM LEVELS ON THE 17TH FROM 00-09UT AND HIGH
> LATITUDES WERE AT MAJOR TO SEVERE STORM LEVELS DURING THE SAME TIME
> INTERVAL. THE DISTURBANCE SUBSIDED AFTER 0900Z WITH PREDOMINANTLY
> UNSETTLED CONDITIONS PREVAILING FROM 1200 TO THE END OF THE DAY.
> IIB. GEOPHYSICAL ACTIVITY FORECAST: THE GEOMAGNETIC FIELD IS
> EXPECTED TO BE MOSTLY UNSETTLED FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS, AND IS
> EXPECTED TO BE QUIET TO UNSETTLED FOR THE SECOND AND THIRD DAYS.

~Kaimbridge~

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Approxal--A quantity's *transcendental subequivalency*:
Zo = .00000...01; Za = "Zero Asymptotic": V^Za = .5x[V^-Zo + V^+Zo];
Q = Q{Za} = [.5x(1+Q^Za)]^(2-:-Za) <=> Q{dQ} = [.5x(1+Q^dQ)]^(2-:-dQ).
(The closer dQ is to 0, the closer Q{dQ} will be to Q)

------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1376. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <3719A182.52AE00AE@mwci.net>
Source record: 145437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Barry L. Ornitz wrote:

> William E. Sabin wrote in message <3717322A.25148D5A@mwci.net>...
> >I took some data on two 2 inch panel meters that I bought in 1946, 53
> years
> >ago. For 10 years they were in a CW transmitter, needles flopping around
> at
> >25 WPM. A Beckman 310 with accuracy of 0.75% +/- 1 digit was the
> reference.
> >Both meters are rated nominal 3% of full scale.
> >
> >Meter number 1: 0 to 50 mA:
> >Reading Actual % error
> >50 48.5 3.0%
> >40 39.1 2.3%
> >30 29.1 3.0%
> >20 19.7 1.5%
> >10 9.5 5.0%
> >5 4.0 20%
> >
> >Meter number 2: 0 to 200 mA:
> >200 198 1.0%
> >150 149 0.7%
> >100 102 2.0%
> >50 51.5 3.0%
> >25 26.1 4.2%
> >
> >So much for the intuition that a panel meter that is specified only at
> full
> >scale cannot be trusted in regions above, say 20% of full scale.
> >
> >Bill W0IYH
>
> Thank you for proving my exact point, Bill. The top meter is accurate to
> 3% of full scale or +/- 1.5 milliamp anywhere over its tested range. It
> meets this specification perfectly. Yet it is off by 20% [actually by 25%
> if you more correctly used (Actual - Reading)/Actual as the equation.] So
> the real accuracy can be quite poor and get worse the lower the reading -
> and yet remain true to the percent of full scale accuracy statement.
>
> In the case of the second meter, the full scale accuracy is 1%. With only
> a percent of full scale accuracy statement, this meter must read to within
> 2 milliamps over its range. Yet at the low end of its scale, the 25

> reading, it is off only 1.1 milliamps - much better than its accuracy
> statement. But again, the true accuracy based on a percent of reading is
> over 4 times worse.
>
> I think Bill has misunderstood my point - which is that percent of full
> scale as the SOLE accuracy statement tells you little about how well the
> instrument scales at lower readings. He has said that his *NEW* Bird was
> tested over its range and came out with an excellent report. This is
> great, and I am pleased for him. But someone else could have an identical
> model that met the same accuracy statement yet give entirely different
> results - especially on low readings. I would expect the models would be
> somewhat reproducible but without additional information, you cannot say
> for sure. Bill's data illustrates this exactly.
>
> 73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net

Not so fast!

Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the "rule" it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and it should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it should be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.

The conventional rule is not functioning very well here because it is too simplistic. If it were, the percentages at lower readings would be much worse. The top reading by itself does not tell the whole story about the accuracy of a particular specimen. Because of small system nonlinearities the % accuracy fluctuates across the scale. It can be pessimistic at full scale, for example. The data for meter #1 suggests this.

D'Arsonval Taut Band Meter folks "try" to maintain the best *average % error* over as much of the scale as they can, despite the conventional interpretation of full scale accuracy. The data shows this, and I have seen it many times.

I repeat: these meters don't just become real poor %-wise at lower scale readings.

More about the Bird wattmeter later.

Bill W0IYH

1377. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fci78$7fg@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145438

NJMedMan <njmedman@aol.com> wrote in message
news:19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com...
> If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to
>have your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check
>out my site at: http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
> Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
> Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
> CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
> Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International
>Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)

My goodness, Andy! Use some discretion. When admiting you're a lawbreaker
you *don't* sign your callsign.

Jeff KH6O

1378. For Sale: Heathkit HW32 20 M Xcvr - Amazon.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cscheid@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990418082233.24776.00002743@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 145439

For Sale -- Heathkit HW32, 20M Xcvr. 200 Watts. Includes mike, speaker, power supply, manuals. NO reserve price, at Amazon.com. Amazon guarantees purchases up to $250.

See the picture posted there. This is in perfect working condition. A collector's item.

The URL is pretty long, but you can also get there by searching for "Heathkit" at http://www.amazon.com.

http://auctions.amazon.com/exec/varzea/ts/auction-glance/Y02X0771138X6784608/002-6232411-9681615

Carl W0FJ

1379. Converting a Soundcard into a TNC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <PbkS2.544$_c7.27047@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145440

Any suggestions where to go for updated information.

73's

1380. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Fuller <karljb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3719CE16.9B300306@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145441

i agree we should abolish the no code ham. lwets put all the no codes in one class and all the coded hams in another and then count the heads.the one that has the most should ruel. does that sound fair?

CWnotCB wrote:

> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>
> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever

1381. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Fuller <karljb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3719CD35.1B44FF88@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

to say the ft100 is a lemon is a bit drastic. how many have been sold?
how many of thease are bad? what percentage is this?did they refuse your
warenty claim?
i only think you need to reserch things a little bit more befor trashing
a new radio. a friend of mine didnt have any problems with his.

Matdee wrote:

> Took delivery 2 wks ago of a new FT-100. I am waiting to take
> my ham test next week and thought I would start off with
> the new mini-radio by Yaesu. Power it up from a regulated
> lab grade power supply for rcv only. The display went DEAD
> and actually smelled something burning just after 1/2 hour of
> use. Shipped it back to the dealer for a warranty claim - Hamradio
> outlet Nv. I now hear since then many other people have had their
> FT-100 crap out on them. STAY AWAY from the FT-100.
> It's the radio equivalant of a Yugo or Vega. A real radio LEMON!
>
> Matt D. N.Mex

1382. Re: LIVE FROM BELEGRADE!!!! 3950 and you!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: loopse fruito <bh7424@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be8995$4a989a80$56650e26@01248f848349>
Source record: 145443

RFCOMMSYS <rfcommsys@aol.com> wrote in article
<19990417211121.09766.00002103@ng-fu1.aol.com>...
>
> Holy cow, DX302MAN! What ARE those drugs you are
> using, anyway?

I don't know either - but I want some TOO!!

1383. Another stellar evening on 3.950 mHz SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: loopse fruito <bh7424@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be8994$f71d24c0$56650e26@01248f848349>
Source record: 145444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Yes, iffen you missed last evening's edition of
the Liberty Net (Saturdays 9:00 PM Central Tme LSB)
You missed another stellar performance by that
punch-drunken, slap happy ass from Arkansas.
(No..not the one in Washington, the one who's still
in Ak) Still can't get his callsign since he seems to
be smashed on ole-red-eye every time he's on the
air. Thinl his name is Bobby, and if you had 2 more
like him and a 6-foot round piece of plywood you'd have
all the makings for a great 3-leg'd coffee table.
Thanks for another fine even there Bobby! Just remember
to clean the cow shi+ from your shoes when you walk in the
house, OK?

1384. Re: KNWD 530 Question???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4mbi@ols.net
Message-ID: <7544F36DDD4E285A.2565661BAAD3D523.54EAEF0DF1D7875C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145445

That is the way it should work, Jim. Mine is the same way.

73 de N4MBI

On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 06:58:24 GMT, jstanisi@isd.net (Jim S. WG0D)
wrote:

>I just aquired a Kenwood 530 and was wondering if the s-meter is
>supposed to be disabled when the AGC switch is set to "off"..Thanks...
>

1385. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: loopse fruito <bh7424@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <01be8996$8000fa40$56650e26@01248f848349>
Source record: 145446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

herbs@islands.vi wrote in article <7fato7mif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...

> The FCC is wacking you not because you are a racist or a bigot but rather
> for your questionable conduct on the amateur bands.

AND WHEN pray tell did the FCC become a JUDGE of the CONTENT of SPEECH?

I'll draw a line at the boundary of the famous "Seven Words (+ Three)" but anything
else is flat out illegal.

Also please Herb, DO NOT give me that HIGH OCTANE BULLSHIT that one surrenders
his LEGAL RIGHTS after one signs the copy of his or her Ham Operators Licence.
Yes, it is a licence, BUT I would also say that the A.C.L.U. would take great pleasure
in defending Richard Whitten - W2OTK/WB2OTK. In fact, if i was Rich, I would have
been on the phone to the ACLU much earlier.

This is CLEARLY a case of the FCC regulating areas where it has NO LEGAL JURISDICTION.

An that, my friend Herb, is THE TRUTH.

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1386. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990418094734.22928.00002473@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 145447

Hitler lives in the USVI.....

1387. Re: NoBrain sent warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: numbnuts63 <rosiec@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <CzIS2.1191$C76.540@c01read02.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145448

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old news.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
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1388. Re: looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Igor Ivanov <i.ivanov@fz-juelich.de>
Message-ID: <3719E7D3.75A8261F@fz-juelich.de>
Source record: 145449
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

Try some links at
http://members.tripod.com/~IgorIvanov/physics/spectroscopy.html

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Igor Ivanov,

PhD student of Novosibirsk Univ, Russia
and Forschungszentrum, Juelich, Germany

email: i.ivanov@fz-juelich.de

Personal homepage: http://members.tripod.com/~IgorIvanov
Physics Encyclopedia: http://members.tripod.com/~IgorIvanov/physics

1389. Re: ﷿Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: twelch749@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fcsi0$7rc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

Chris, thank you for this post! Most of us
don't realize how blessed we are and that
the vast majority of folks in this world
have never even seen, let alone used, a
telephone.

I love my Sangean ATS 909 and Ten Tec RX 320
radios and would be lost without these tools.
You don't need to spend fortune to be well
informed.

Tom Welch

In article <p9PR2.237$2z3.77852@news4.atl>,
remove, spam, hater, to, reply wrote:
> HI there
> Nope You don't have to go out and buy a $1000 radio to hear shortwave
> stations . Depending on where you live a simple little radio from Radio
> Shack would work just fine for you in a lot of cases.
> Ummm I can't speak for overall quality of the various overseas
> broadcasters but since we are talking about stations that are usually
> very very far away the quality will not be like your cd for the most
> part excepting the major broadcasters such as Voice of
> America,BBC,Deutsche Welle,and possibly Radio France Intl.For a idea on
> what it is and what it sounds like I have some RealAudio files of
> various stations I have heard here at my location loaded up on my
> website.Some will be of good quality some may not be that cd quality
> you are asking about.It all has to do with things called propagation
> ,transmitter wattage ,direction the signal is beamed and propagation(how
> the signals are being reflected back to earth to you).The files I have
> were recorded off an older tube type radio called a Drake R-4A and as
> such the receiving ability is a bit limited but does serve the purpose
> :) If you have RealPlayer 5.0 or the newer G2 you can hear these
> audioclips I have put up at
>
> http://members.tripod.com/~swlchris/index.html
>
> This will give you an idea of what can be heard using a basic setup that
> was under 200 dollars us.Also in there is some info on how get started
> listening to shortwave stations and while some may laugh at that info
> it is how I got started :)
> Contrary to popular belief the majority of SW broadcasters will be using
> radiowaves instead of pc lines for sometime to come because the simple
> fact is majority of world population doesn't have telephones or

> computers let alone internet service.Live in a third world country in
> middle of nowhere and you might see that fact.Hell even batteries are
> sometimes hard to come by there :)
> Until those usually extremely poor countries get a basic Westernised
> infrastructure complete with non interuppted power,basic telecoms, and
> someone who is willing to buy a ton of computers for the general
> population and then figure out how to get win 95 to recognise the
> native language I can't picture the SW broadcasters relying exclusively
> on internet feeds.
> Only the more modernised countries are clamoring for this new internet
> radio thingy but take away their phonelines,powerlines,computers and
> asdl or cable modems and they would be relying on an old radio too :)
> Truth be told I rarely if ever use my RealPlayer to listen to stations
> on the Internet because it sucks to have the little net congestion
> thingy show up all the time.I would rather hear a bit of fading but no
> 1 or 2 minute interruptions on a Sangean ATS803a :) Not to mention half
> the stations I chase after aren't anywhere near an Internet Service
> Provider :)))))))
> Chris
>
> --
> Remove spam hater to reply
> Monitoring in Kentucky with Drake R-4A\Sangean ATS-803A\Realistic
> DX-160\Realistic DX-380\Hallicrafters SW-500
> 21 ft vertical \60 ft v antenna
> HEY If you got some time come check out my now updated website with some
> cool stuff and now with some audio files Whatcha waitin for? come to
> http://members.tripod.com/~swlchris and leave a note on how you like it
> or if you want to make a complaint here's a quarter :)
>
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1390. Re: Another stellar evening on 3.950 mHz SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cc732@freenet.buffalo.edu
Message-ID: <FAE05w.HCs@freenet.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 145451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

So... Who the heck gives a damn??? If you don't like it, turn
the dial! Everyone *else* should be censored - except YOU??
--
Cursive writing does not mean what I think it does...

1391. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3719E9D5.2517@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

loopse fruito wrote:
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> herbs@islands.vi wrote in article <7fato7mif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
> > The FCC is wacking you not because you are a racist or a bigot but rather
> > for your questionable conduct on the amateur bands.
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> AND WHEN pray tell did the FCC become a JUDGE of the CONTENT of SPEECH?
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> I'll draw a line at the boundary of the famous "Seven Words (+ Three)" but anything
> else is flat out illegal.
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> Also please Herb, DO NOT give me that HIGH OCTANE BULLSHIT that one surrenders
> his LEGAL RIGHTS after one signs the copy of his or her Ham Operators Licence.
> Yes, it is a licence, BUT I would also say that the A.C.L.U. would take great pleasure
> in defending Richard Whitten - W2OTK/WB2OTK. In fact, if i was Rich, I would have
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> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> >
I hate to tell you this but the FCC does have Juristiction over any
content of language that is spoken over the Amateur radio. Heck if this
where so we could all speak pig latin and it would be legal and we all
know that its not legal to speak pig latin over the radio. Content over
what is said over the radio can be governed by the FCC. Just like
content over what is yelled at a street corner can be governed by the
local law offical. Something about community standards. A community has
a right to determin what is legally said in public. This means tha they
community has a right to say what your political affiliation or how you
worship. It just means that if you yell nasty or offensive words on a
street corner you can be arrested. Thus this is the same thing on
amateur radio. Amateur radio is a very big street corner and porkbut you
can't be yelling offensive things on this very large street corner and
the FCC has the right to stop you if it gets bad enough and some of the
stuff I have heard you say in which I will testfy in need be. You try to
tell people about this free speech stuff and you have it all wrong. Just
try to yell fire at the movies. You will see how much you have free

speech. Take a brake and let it all go.
Of coruse this is just my opinion I could be wrong
Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1392. FS: ADI/AT-600

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tboyer <tboyer@dvnc.net>
Message-ID: <3719EFDE.92EE92C8@dvnc.net>
Source record: 145453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have an ADI/AT-600 Dual band Handi-Talki that I would like to sell. The radio was purchased in June or July of 1997 and has been kept in a carrying case for nearly the entire time since then.

I am including the lighter adapter, a leather case and the original NiCad battery which seems to be holding up well. No modifications have been made to the radio, however, I removed the small rubber cap on the battery that prevents dust or moisture from entering the battery charge jack and punched a small hole into the case at the same location to facilitate charging without removal from the case. The original charger, antenna, and lanyard are also enclosed with the original box and manual. I also no longer have need for a second antenna. An ANLI 2-in-1 dual band antenna with a screw on rat-tail or telescopic whip. Gail with this antenna is advertised at 3.2db VHF and 5.6db UHF. The radio has a wide receive range for those scanner buffs and has the ability to cross band repeat.

The radio is in excellent condition. I have seen the same radio advertised on sale for $250 which included the high capacity battery so I am going to offer this at $205. The five dollars should help cover the shipping costs. I will ship to the lower 48. The method of payment that I would prefer is a cashiers check or postal money order. If you choose to send a personal check, clearing time for the check will delay shipment.

My reason for selling is that I just purchased the Yaesu VX-5.

If I am slow to respond to email please forgive me, I am presently working shift work and my schedule sometimes prevents me from getting to my email everyday.
Please use the email address to respond.

tboyer@dvnc.net

thnx for reading this post.

todd / N3ZJP

1393. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@arrl.org
Message-ID: <3719eace.393276520@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

"loopse fruito" <bh7424@pacbell.com> wrote:

>
>
>herbs@islands.vi wrote in article <7fato7mif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
>> The FCC is wacking you not because you are a racist or a bigot but rather
>> for your questionable conduct on the amateur bands.
>
>AND WHEN pray tell did the FCC become a JUDGE of the CONTENT of SPEECH?
>
>I'll draw a line at the boundary of the famous "Seven Words (+ Three)" but anything
>else is flat out illegal.
>
>Also please Herb, DO NOT give me that HIGH OCTANE BULLSHIT that one surrenders
>his LEGAL RIGHTS after one signs the copy of his or her Ham Operators Licence.
>Yes, it is a licence, BUT I would also say that the A.C.L.U. would take great pleasure
>in defending Richard Whitten - W2OTK/WB2OTK. In fact, if i was Rich, I would have
>been on the phone to the ACLU much earlier.
>
>This is CLEARLY a case of the FCC regulating areas where it has NO LEGAL JURISDICTION.
>
>An that, my friend Herb, is THE TRUTH.
>
>
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>>
>> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>>
>
I am one for the right of free speech but it is my opinion
that after the A.C.L.U. looked at ALL the data gathered on Mr.Whiten
that they possibly would distance themselves from such nonsense.
remember intentional interference is NOT a right to free speech.
the alligations against WB2OTK are substanual and unfortunately
he is the cause of his own demise.
73 n4jzh

1394. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fcr00$71g$1@news1.fast.net>
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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7f7vu2$t8s@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
> >- Nothing in this example suggests that it's particularly advantageous
> > to know Morse code in order to have an amateur radio licence, beyond
> > the usefulness of Morse code to the population at large.
>
> You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
> ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
> communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
> least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
> world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW.

Jeff, that's a BIG stretch ... what about the JA hams who have
HF access with no code? Not to mention the fact that, even in
third world countries, the hams for the most part have modern
store-bought appliances, just like most US hams.

In fact, in my personal experiences, the third world hams were
more open to adopting new technology than most US hams.

> Whether one chooses to
> use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
> him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
> modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
> but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
> extend across language barriers.

Your defininition of "meaningful QSO" falls FAR short of mine.
I don't consider the "cookie-cutter" type of "QSO" one can
conduct when limited strictly to the use of Q-signals to be
very meaningful.

Besides, those same Q-signals could be used on SSB using
ICAO phonetics ... or on the digital modes. There is nothing
which limits their use to CW.

The whole argument that "Morse is an international language"
falls apart on several counts:
1) it's not a language, just a means of encoding the alphabet
2) there are different alphabets used around the world (Russians
have a special version of the code for their characters)
3) if two people don't share a common natural language, they

will be limited to trivial exchanges of information

> A digital mode could become the
> international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
> equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
> equipment, CW will remain the common mode.

I see no reason why every ham world-wide MUST have a common mode
with all others.

There will always be enough folks who choose to learn and use
Morse to permit someone who only has Morse capability to find
a "QSO" ... though again, my personal experience is that hams
in even third world countries have modern stations capable of
far more than just Morse.

> The ITU has this global view
> while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
> personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

Jeff, you can't presume to speak for the ITU ... all you can do
is quote from hold-over regulations from ancient times. There
is a significant global movement to eliminate those ancient
regulations and it will happen at a WRC in the not-to-distant
future.

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1395. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fcrak$74f$1@news1.fast.net>
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Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote in message
news:7f961i$e1d@groucho.cs.ubc.ca...

[snipped Jeff's "warm fuzzies" :-) ]
>
> That makes a nice "warm fuzzies" story. But if the ITU really has this
> global view, and understands the value of Morse code, why doesn't it
> require some minimal level of Morse proficiency for operators of *other*
> services that use the HF bands: marine, aeronautical, etc?
>
> The other explanation I've heard for why amateur licences require Morse
> code, and this one rings truer to me, is that amateurs used to share
> bands with other services on a secondary basis, services where the
> primary users used Morse for communications. It was necessary for the
> primary users to be able to tell amateurs to change frequencies to
> avoid interference (i.e. "buzz off"), in Morse, and have the amateurs
> understand.
>
> Since no other services use Morse anymore, this reason has gone away.
>
> Do anyone know the real history of the Morse requirement?
>
> Dave

Dave,

Some of it is outlined in some of the articles on the NCI web site at

http://www.nocode.org

including the ARRL's role in prompting the FCC to increase the speed
from 10 wpm to 13 wpm (circa 1936) for the sole purpose of artificially
limiting the number of hams ... because there were approximately 36,000
hams at that time and "the bands were approaching saturation, with
conditions at times intolerable."

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1396. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <3719F0EF.A8B3D644@four-way.net>
Source record: 145457
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Whelp they must have got to him first because the web site does not exist

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> NJMedMan <njmedman@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com...
> > If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to
> >have your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check
> >out my site at: http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
> > Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
> > Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
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> >Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)
>
> My goodness, Andy! Use some discretion. When admiting you're a lawbreaker
> you *don't* sign your callsign.
>
> Jeff KH6O

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1397. Re: looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fcso4$7v8$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145458
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

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Bob 'rab' Bickford <a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com> wrote in message
news:7f85h0$52g@news.dns.microsoft.com...
>
> Many years ago (1970s), when I was a radio broadcast engineer, I had on the
> wall of my shack a largish poster that presented the electromagnetic
> spectrum as a series of color-coded bands, each labelled with the common use
> and the start/end frequencies. As I recall, it was extremely detailed in
> the middle (e.g., it gave the frequencies for _every_ US television channel)
> and not so much at the low and high ends, just saying "gamma rays" for the
> latter for example.
>
> I've long since lost that chart, and when I recently realized that I'd like
> to give one to a promising young proto-engineer, I found I have absolutely
> no idea where to get another. This seemed like something that physics
> junkies might know about, hence this post. (Cross-posted to a couple of
> likely radio groups, too.)
>
> I tried looking for web resources, and came up blank. It seems like
> something that ought to be available as a reference, say at the IEEE site or
> something like that, but all I was able to find anywhere were a few poor
> encyclopedia articles. So, pointers to *detailed* presentations of the EM
> spectrum are also appreciated.

There is a .pdf file (rather large) on the FCC's web site. I believe
that it's under the OET (Office of Engineering and Technology) sub-pages.

Sorry I don't have a specific URL right now, but I know it's there.

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1398. Family Radios In Israel and Egypt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: miles@mail.utexas.edu
Message-ID: <miles-1804990858120001@128.83.41.1>
Source record: 145459
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.family,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

"Family Radios" are small walkie-talkies that can be used in the United States for communications between family members. They do not require a license, are available at discount stores, and have a range up to 2 miles (3 km) or so.

Does anyone know if these radios can be taken by vacationers into Israel and Egypt? If they cannot be used in one of these nations, can they at least be taken through it without trouble in Customs, to use in the other nation?

Thank you!

--
Miles Abernathy, 512-471-1600
miles@mail.utexas.edu, http://klingon.util.utexas.edu

1399. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fcs84$7lf$1@news1.fast.net>
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Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote in message
news:7f7r85$cgb@groucho.cs.ubc.ca...
>
(in reply to Jeff Herman's comments)
>
> If you wish to suggest that a knowledge of Morse code is useful in
> radio, please tell us about examples where someone in distress *actually*
> transmitted such a distress call using Morse code on amateur radio bands.
>
> An example where fishermen transmitted exactly one message (SOS) using
> a flashlight does *not* demonstrate that (a) a knowledge of the full
> Morse code is necessary for flashlight transmission or (b) that Morse
> code is useful in real emergencies using radio, not flashlight, transmission.
>
> The example quoted demonstrated that it's useful to be able to send and
> receive SOS by flashlight - nothing more.
>
> Dave

Dave (et al),

In an front page article in the April 1999 issue of the IEEE
publication "The Institute," a senior U.S. Coast Guard official
stated that Morse code was abandoned by the maritime services
because it was "insufficient" as a means of emergency
communications and that many lives might have been saved had
more modern means been adopted earlier.

The releveant portion of the article (the remainder went into
the history of Morse and Vail and some of the controversy over
who actually invented the code) is viewable, with some editorial
comment at:

http://www.nocode.org

under the "Articles" button.

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1400. Re: ham radio is dead

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7fcsg0$7o2$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 145461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Cedric <sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:3718b053.17225570@news.earthlink.net...
> Pfft! It is NOT an "obselete technology" when close to 50% of all
> amateur radio HF QSOs take place in this mode!!

With all due respect, this rather dubious "statistic" keeps
getting bandied about, but nobody ever provides a reference
to a scientifically valid study which supports the contention.

- From listening to the bands, I have to agree that there is
a considerable amount of activity, but I really don't believe
that it amounts to anything NEAR 50% of all QSOs.

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1401. Re: TH-D7A packet using a Windows CE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n6ws@msn.com
Message-ID: <3719f63e.1295424@netnews.msn.com>
Source record: 145462
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I missed all of the previous posts except the msg from Paul Shayler,
(Thanks to MSN). But, I have a Casio Casiopia that I use on packet,
and I don't have any problems with RFI.
73, Bill
N6WS
On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 18:13:46 +0100, Paul Shayler
<paul@g6tsf.demon.co.uk> wrote:

>In article <429496215926826803 48NEWS2LX@NEWS.SCOTT.NET>, Jeff Johns
><URL:mailto:jeffj@scott.net> wrote:
>> On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 16:40:48 -0400, "Steve Meserve" <stevenme@microsoft.com> wrote:
>>
>> > In addition to the Compaq I have an HP 660LX, and it exhibits the same RFI
>> > problem.
>>
>> My 200LX (I love this little machine) has no problems with high levels of
>> RFI.
>>
>> 73 es gl Jeff W4JEF
>>
>Could it also have some thing to do with the much higher processor speed
>and generation of RFI this ??

1402. Re: Oopss..Re: Wanted: FM board for KWD TS930s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonesy <jonesy@rmi.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <7fcsf8$24n$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 145463
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.swap,aus.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In rec.radio.amateur.antenna Tim <timj@omen.net.au> wrote:
: Oopss, sorry everyone, that should have read TS430s heh !

: Tim wrote:
:>
:> I am looking for a FM board for my Kenwood TS930s.

And, you believe this QRM belongs in rec.radio.amateur.ANTENNA ! ?

1403. Wanted SB-300 or 301

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0IMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <371A0DB8.2A92@earthlink.net>
Source record: 145464

I need several SB-300s or SB-301s in a hurry. They need not work but must be able to ship right away I need them now. I also need a DX-60b...(These are for use in a movie) 73 Gary K0IMJ reply only to K0imj@juno.com

1404. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <kmnS2.1707$Bm3.107204@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145465

Well, I just e-mailed the article to Riley at FCC.

And I intend to e-mail to Riley every other article or site of this nature.
Don't like for me to do that? Then you have two choices: (1) don't post
your illegal activities, or, (2) stick it up your ass.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

Brad Kellison KA8TOK wrote in message <3719F0EF.A8B3D644@four-way.net>...
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>> >Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)
>>
>> My goodness, Andy! Use some discretion. When admiting you're a lawbreaker
>> you *don't* sign your callsign.
>>
>> Jeff KH6O
>

1405. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <qnnS2.1708$Bm3.107250@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145466

Yes, I noted that the site is down too. Let's hope they got to him -- or maybe he waked up and realized what he had done!!! I have noted that idiots tend to put their mouths in motion before getting their brains up to full RPM.

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Regards,
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http://www.asphome.org/
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>

1406. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <xonS2.1710$Bm3.107273@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145467

Uh, Oh!!! Apologies to Mr. Kellison. My "stick it up your ass" comment was
NOT directed to you, sir. It was intended for folks who want to advertise
their illegal activities.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
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http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

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1407. FT-100 Mods Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Matt Nelson, N5TKN" <n5tkn@nccinternet.com>
Message-ID: <fqnS2.1079$gl3.19230@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 145468

Does anyone have the mods for the Yaesu FT-100 Multi-mode mobile
HF/6m/VHF/UHF transceiver?

73,
Matt - N5TKN
n5tkn@n5tkn.com

P.S. I am reposting this as I didn't get any bites the first time.

1408. Re: Wanted SB-300 or 301

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <7snS2.1711$Bm3.107449@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145469

Do I get it back after it is used in the movie? What's the movie all about?

A few details would help.

I have at least one SB-300 sitting on my shelf but it's not leaving unless I
get something in writing that it's coming back.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

k0IMJ wrote in message <371A0DB8.2A92@earthlink.net>...
>I need several SB-300s or SB-301s in a hurry. They need not work but
>must be able to ship right away I need them now. I also need a
>DX-60b...(These are for use in a movie) 73 Gary K0IMJ reply only to
>K0imj@juno.com
>

1409. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <runS2.1713$Bm3.107113@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

The free speech argument is so lame and irrelevant in this instance that anyone making it is not smart enough to understand what's going on.

Next question.

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Regards,
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joe@schlatter.org
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Amateur radio callsign W4HH

loopse fruito wrote in message <01be8996$8000fa40$56650e26@01248f848349>...
>
>
>herbs@islands.vi wrote in article <7fato7mif1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>
>> The FCC is wacking you not because you are a racist or a bigot but rather
>> for your questionable conduct on the amateur bands.
>
>AND WHEN pray tell did the FCC become a JUDGE of the CONTENT of SPEECH?
>
>I'll draw a line at the boundary of the famous "Seven Words (+ Three)" but anything
>else is flat out illegal.
>
>Also please Herb, DO NOT give me that HIGH OCTANE BULLSHIT that one surrenders
>his LEGAL RIGHTS after one signs the copy of his or her Ham Operators Licence.
>Yes, it is a licence, BUT I would also say that the A.C.L.U. would take great pleasure
>in defending Richard Whitten - W2OTK/WB2OTK. In fact, if i was Rich, I would have
>been on the phone to the ACLU much earlier.
>
>This is CLEARLY a case of the FCC regulating areas where it has NO LEGAL JURISDICTION.
>
>An that, my friend Herb, is THE TRUTH.
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>> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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1410. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <ewnS2.1714$Bm3.107621@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145471

Is the last part of this post a REAL quote from 3950? If so, don't turn this guy in to the FCC. Instead, hand out, on a street corner in Watts, a copy of the quote and directions to the guy's QTH. Save the FCC the cost of enforcement.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
http://www.asphome.org/
Amateur radio callsign W4HH

CRT wrote in message <371a6b15.227880315@news.mindspring.com>...
>On 16 Apr 1999 22:35:41 GMT, richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
>
>>I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC and
>>sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I
>>have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same
>>scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for
>>distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin on
>>them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK was
>>a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some hell on
>>the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to
>>answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
>>racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK
>
>
>Do you really think this is going to get you off the hook? Saying
>people are against you because you say you're a jew? Give me a break.
>There are tapes of you saying nasty things against jews a number of
>years ago, so you can't go there. You're license is gone after 2000,
>so get used to it. Here's some of the tape:
>
>"Now there's a nigger if there ever was one. Take your black ass and
>go back to Africa. You better take another hit on that crack pipe,
>boy. Lawd have mercy, I can't believe these black people in here. Ah

>hell, black woman got all that black bushy hair, looks like a brillo
>pad, turn her upside down and use her head to scrub your pots." This
>damn porch monkey spear chucking bubbas talking about good white
>folks." (unknown voice telling Rich that he was recorded by the
>amateur enforcement line). " Good I'm glad, you can take that
>enforcement line and stick it clear up your ass, I don't like niggers,
>N1GJT de WB2OTK. You know Jigabo is worried about what goes on here.
>Hey Doc, your a biggot. What the hell is the NWACP gonna do? They
>ain't gonna do shit. They need to call a real nigger, Louis Farakahn."
>He goes on to call Al Sharpton a real nigger and admits that he (Rich)
>is indeed a racist. " You're right. I'm a biggot and I'm a racist. I
>don't like niggers, I don't like niggers I don't like people who come
>to this country for a free lunch". This from Rich who doesn't hold a
>job. Being a jew, (is he?) isn't going to save your fat from the FCC
>fire.

1411. info and/or parts on a Gap Eagle vertical antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed/N3WJA <n3wja@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <qF4S2.1035$BA4.7868682@news-read1.qis.net>
Source record: 145570

I just purchased a used Gap Eagle for use at my trailer in Virginia during the season. I have a small problem maybe someone can help me out with. I have all the standoffs necessary for the mid tuner rods(6-6 1/2" and two 5 3/8") and the lower tuner rods(4 - 2"). I have one 2" standoff left over for what I imagine is the upper tuner rod (65"). Does anyone know if the upper tuner rod takes 2" standoffs? I am missing the 65" upper tuner rod and the standoffs. Also missing the dust cap for the top, end caps for the counterpoise rods. Anyone have a damaged Eagle they might want to sell some parts off of? Thanks for any help. Ed/N3WJA

1412. FOR SALE heliax+cellflex coax hardline

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: chris <chris@mi0bvk.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7fb46jeau1@news6.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 145571

FOR SALE andrew heliax LDF5-50A 7/8inch dia,50 ohm
also cellflex LCF 7/8 inch dia,50 ohm
all on reels and never used. Heliax LDF5-50A new is $5.30 per foot! so make me an offer per foot and how much u need delevery and shipping can be arranged.
chris@mi0bvk.freeserve.co.uk

1413. Re: AEA Morse Machine MM-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph A Rodgers <jarodger@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <5CA7DF467E197747.CA10839D08E6439B.C0DE6D8270D0E8C2@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have an old MM-3 and I love it. It would be too hard to part with it now after using it for so long. Good luck with the search, though. If you find one, you can get a eprom upgrade to the lateset AEA had before they closed down. Call the guys at Timewave and talk to them about the eprom. They offered to burn me one a couple of months ago for my unit.

Joe N5WY

cynthia Descher wrote in message <7fe5cr$f0p$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>...
>I am looking for an AEA MM-3 "Morse Machine" Keyer. I understand it has CW
>operating simulators like "Dr. DX" and "Dr. QSO" built-in.
>
>Does anyone have one of these that they would like to sell or trade?
>
>I would need the manual/documentation also.
>
>Please e-mail if you have info.
>
>73,
>
>Ron N4RT
>
>

1414. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <371BCCFC.75C6@imt.net>
Source record: 145273

JustKev wrote:
>
> Let's put all the idiots in one class.....
>
> On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 05:20:38 -0700, Karl Fuller <karljb@earthlink.net>
> wrote:
>
> >i agree we should abolish the no code ham. lwets put all the no codes in
> >one class and all the coded hams in another and then count the heads.the
> >one that has the most should ruel. does that sound fair?
> >
> >CWnotCB wrote:
> >
> >> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
> >>
> >> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
> >
> >
Count the heads,I think not,it's what's in the heads that counts.Besides
it would be unfair to the no codes as there heads may be missed while
they are in their normal position(up their XXX).Tracy

1415. Re: Cherokee 6 meter HT rig, any good, will freebanders use it?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <371BCDBE.769C@imt.net>
Source record: 145274

Check out wireless marketing corps homepage,they make and sell the Cherokees.Tracy

1416. Re: Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kilroy <kilroy@SPAMTRAPfuse.net>
Message-ID: <924570088.671.20@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145275
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Actually, I've had quite a bit of luck using solder and an old 240 W
soldering gun. Just be careful not to overheat the cell as you solder.

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NOTE: Email address is bogus!
Remove SPAMTRAP for valid address
Rob Frohne wrote in message ...
>Hi All,
>
>I've been trying in vain to find someone who can weld some solder tabs on
>about 30 NiMH cells I want to use. Is there anywhere that I could send
>these batteries to get this service performed at a reasonable cost?
>
>Thanks,
>
>Rob

1417. Amateur Radio & David Letterman

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmnadel@banet.net
Message-ID: <371BD8A1.4AD65A7C@banet.net>
Source record: 145276

LIMARC TO MEET LETTERMAN ON "LATE NIGHT"

What will happen is anyone's guess as the leaders of the famous "LIMARC Morning Show" come face-to-face with their "Late Night" rival David Letterman. Those in the know on Long Island greet the sunrise around 6:30 every morning to listen to their favorite "RB" or "Rotation Boss" decide the topic and spin of the day on the Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club's 146.85 repeater.
These hardy individuals, some of the most respected members of LIMARC, wake up early each day to take on these awesome responsibilities. But lately, there has been a problem. Some of the members have been watching "Late Night with David Letterman" late into the evening (morning?!) and have not been able to get up in time to participate in the "Morning Show", thereby decreasing the number of participants.
Despite this rivalry, many members, directors and officers of the LIMARC have accepted an invitation by the producers of the "Late Night with David Letterman" show to a showdown... Monday afternoon, April 26, at the Ed Sullivan Theater in Manhattan.
The "Late Night" producers, unaware of the "Morning Show" situation, found LIMARC through its web page and thought they would make a "fun filled" addition to their audience.
It is sure to be a show the Letterman producers and LIMARC members will never forget! Stay tuned for "late" developments...
-- submitted by Diane Ortiz, K2DO
Secretary, Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club
(hamyl@aol.com)

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Be sure to visit the web site of w2ufo & w2xyl
just by clicking on http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo

1418. Quiet group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Jacobson <n6ng@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <371BE08D.2012@bigfoot.com>
Source record: 145277

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This group sure is quiet... No one has anything to say?
--
73... Dennis N6NG
(Remove XX from my "Reply Address" to respond)
Retired: Just another road kill on the Information Highway.
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1419. Hotrod antenna repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: leith johnson <leith@no.verinet.spam.com>
Message-ID: <xURS2.711$g3.189342720@news.frii.net>
Source record: 145278

Help!

Following years of faithful service, the outer shield leaves
inside the BNC on my 2M Hotrod antenna fell/broke off.

I disassembled the antenna and found the BNC to be a
fairly normal female unit. The problem is I have been
unable to find a replacement with the same backside bore
where the custom Hotrod dielectric screws in.

Anybody have any ideas where to find a replacement
female BNC with the proper bore??

Thanks

Leith Johnson N0VMF

leith@no.verinet.spam.com

1420. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7fgp5e$f33$1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jones:
>>99% of Usenet is anonymous.

>Where'd you get that figure? Did you poll all half-million newsgroups?
>73, Jeff KH6O

Well there are only 30,000+ newsgroups on this server, so no I haven't checked a half million. Yes I'm sure there are other groups who identify themselves. Yes, I guessed at that figure. Would you agree that the vast majority of Usenet *don't* identify? Well it's not important, and I won't use it as an argument for anonymous posting. The simple fact is if you don't like it then just ignore me. If it makes you feel better then go ahead and use the usual insults: lack of testicles, no pride, gutless crank caller, and so on. It won't hurt my feelings because I'm really not Jones anyway...

1421. Re: Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Miles <jmiles@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Message-ID: <371C034C.52E8@pop.removethistomailme.net>
Source record: 145280
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rob Frohne wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> I've been trying in vain to find someone who can weld some solder tabs on
> about 30 NiMH cells I want to use. Is there anywhere that I could send
> these batteries to get this service performed at a reasonable cost?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rob

I've found it helpful to abrade the surfaces of battery tabs with a
Dremel tool, using the edge of a cutting wheel or the flat of a scribing
bit. That way, you can solder to things that otherwise won't take
solder at all. Use a very hot iron or gun and work quickly -- you don't
want to soak a lot of heat into a battery. Probably not a good idea to
do this with the older, explosion-prone lithium cells. 8-O

-- jm KE5FX

Note: My E-mail address has been altered to avoid spam

1422. Re: Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mohaase@nilenet.com
Message-ID: <mohaase-1904992258500001@slip160.den.nilenet.net>
Source record: 145281
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <frohro-1604991029480001@csp-frohro.wwc>, frohro@wwc.edu (Rob Frohne) wrote:

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> about 30 NiMH cells I want to use. Is there anywhere that I could send
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>
> Thanks,
>
> Rob

There is a chain of stores, called "Batteries Plus" around the country.
They might be able to do it for you, since they can rebuild nicad
battery packs in the stores.
There are several stores in Denver, Colorado Springs and Fort Collins
Colorado. They are a nationwide chain, so if you can't find one,
call one of the stores here and ask them where the nearest ont is to you.

Marty

1423. Needed: Meter for Gonset GSB-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike de Wey <sjsharks@saber.net>
Message-ID: <924590148.666.69@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145282
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a need for the plate meter for a Gonset GSB-100 transmitter. Please state condition and price. Prefer e-mail if possible.

Thanks
WB6VSE/Mike

1424. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fdssp$1a0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145332

In article <7fdg9h$qop@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>
> >> You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
> >> ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
> >> communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
> >> least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
> >> world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW.
>
> >Jeff, that's a BIG stretch ... what about the JA hams who have
> >HF access with no code? Not to mention the fact that, even in
> >third world countries, the hams for the most part have modern
> >store-bought appliances, just like most US hams.
>
> Each nation is free to set its own licensing standards apart from
> what the ITU recommends. But if you look closely at the JA's
> code-free license, you'll see it's quite restrictive regarding
> frequencies, power, and type of communications; its restrictions
> are not unlike those of our Citizens Radio Service.

Jeff, you've said this before. Could you verify if they are limited to 27 MHz, or are they on the ham bands? If they're restricted to the citizens band, then your comment is valid. If they are on the ham bands, then your comment should be modified. Is their no-code HF license as restrictive as our coded Novice?

snip

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> Jeff KH6O
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73,
Brian/N0iMD

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1425. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fdsub$1b4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145333

In article <7fdg9h$qop@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>
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snip

>
> Jeff KH6O
>

73,
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1426. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fdtb4$628$1@208.207.71.129>
Source record: 145334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jones wrote:
>
> Jim wrote
> >And they really shouldn't allow Anony-Mouse knuckle heads post to
> >UseNet but the fact that you're here verifys that they do.....
>
> 99% of Usenet is anonymous. Only ham groups seem to want to identify
> themselves. But I can always tell when I win the debate, when my opponent
> plays the anonymous card...

At least that's when you *think* you won...

1427. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <371b7e01.254856993@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145335
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 10:50:07 +0100, "David Cunningham" <D.L.C@btinternet.com> wrote:
>I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
>with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
>from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
>hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
>cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
>sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the composite
>video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
>monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest how
>to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
>requires.

Alas, what you have is an EGA monitor. It will not do analog video.
It expects TTL drives. If it were VGA, you'd have a fighting chance
since the analog gun drivers would exist in the monitor (and some
VGA monitors will even accept a composite signal, the Mitsubishi
Diamond Scan does). But EGA monitors don't have any of that.

You could build a color demodulator to separate out the composite
signal into RGB, then build gun drivers to take that and drive the CRT.
But you'd also need to strip out horizontal and vertical sync signals,
convert them to TTL, and apply them to the deflection circuits of
the monitor too. If perchance it is a multisync model (like some NEC
models), you might be Ok. If it isn't, you'll also have to alter the sweep
circuits to handle TV sync and interlace. Basically, you get to build
everything that's in a TV monitor except the HV section.

Sorry the news isn't better. If it were an old CGA monitor, the sweeps
would be compatible, and you'd have an easier time converting it. But
the EGA is neither fish nor fowl, so you're basically screwed.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1428. Re: Oopss..Re: Wanted: FM board for KWD TS930s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tim <timj@omen.net.au>
Message-ID: <371A8C2B.2E374305@omen.net.au>
Source record: 145336
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.swap,aus.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sorry mate, didnt realise that the ad would upset people (youre the only one to complain).. From what I've seen in that particular news group I guess you are kept busy letting everyone know their mistakes. Again sorry for upsetting you and I hope you have a wonderful day.

Regards

Tim Jones, VK6EI
timj@omen.net.au

Note: Next time try Emailing direct and maybe we can exchange views instead of using a false Email address. Pathetic.

Jonesy wrote:
>
> In rec.radio.amateur.antenna Tim <timj@omen.net.au> wrote:
> : Oopss, sorry everyone, that should have read TS430s heh !
>
> : Tim wrote:
> :>
> :> I am looking for a FM board for my Kenwood TS930s.
>
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1429. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wa2iseFAF2E4.FLx@netcom.com>
Source record: 145337
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <371b7e01.254856993@news.atl.bellsouth.net> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:
>Alas, what you have is an EGA monitor. It will not do analog video.
>It expects TTL drives. If it were VGA, you'd have a fighting chance
>since the analog gun drivers would exist in the monitor (and some
>VGA monitors will even accept a composite signal, the Mitsubishi
>Diamond Scan does). But EGA monitors don't have any of that.
>
>You could build a color demodulator to separate out the composite
>signal into RGB, then build gun drivers to take that and drive the CRT.
>But you'd also need to strip out horizontal and vertical sync signals,
>convert them to TTL, and apply them to the deflection circuits of
>the monitor too. If perchance it is a multisync model (like some NEC
>models), you might be Ok. If it isn't, you'll also have to alter the sweep
>circuits to handle TV sync and interlace. Basically, you get to build
>everything that's in a TV monitor except the HV section.
>
>Sorry the news isn't better. If it were an old CGA monitor, the sweeps
>would be compatible, and you'd have an easier time converting it. But
>the EGA is neither fish nor fowl, so you're basically screwed.
>
Gary is right. Unless you want the educational experience of doing the
above, I'd just forget about it, and buy a new TV.

1430. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Granger <bgranger@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <371ac0f3.0@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 145338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cedric wrote in message <37174abe.13735121@news.earthlink.net>...
>On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 15:35:21 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:
>
>>Kay Zero Half Baked <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:
>>
>>>This is not about some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE Asia rain-forest;
>>>it is about a deliberate and well financed commercial promotion by
>>>an international corporation arrogantly using the amateur bands to
>>>advance their pecuniary interests.
>>
>>I don't really believe that, Hans.
>
>Again Jim demonstrates hi superior intelligence in that he now states
>that he believes Swaych was in fact some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE
>Asia rain-forest!!
>
>Amazing Jim!
>
>Didn't you know they are a SWISS WATCH COMPANY?
>
Can't you read? It says "This is not about some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE
Asia rain-forest;".
In any case, the Swatch company may not be as guilty as they first appear.
They may have been truly conned and misinformed by unscrupulous parties. If
they really knew how big their audience was going to be, do you think they
would have bothered?

1431. FS: "Reduced" Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uHSn6Kki#GA.113@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145339
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & 1 hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $200.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

1432. FS: Advance Electronics PK-88 Packet Controler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <e9eYyOki#GA.261@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Advance Electronics PK-88 Packet Controller

Firmware 23.AUG.91
Excellent Condition
Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1433. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gord Skiffington <skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <371B3047.59E3@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 145341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Glad ya spoke your mind! One of the benefits of "having" to be inducted into "operating" using Morse was that it taught us.....to.....OPERATE. Whether you like it or not.....and the results of the new no-code operators are painfully obvious (spreading to the general population)...is that radio amateurs are becoming less amateur radio operators. Heck, even the ones who DO learn morse and try to use it after the fact....have a rough time...trying to put a hundred BK's and other plain language in between everything they say.....not catching on to a much simpler "handed-down" procedure for basic operating. The gov'ts sure dumped us into this one eh!

73 - Gord VE1AJF

1434. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990419071802.27289.00002820@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 145342

>NONE OF THIS IS PROPER OPERATION ON AMATEUR RADIO. AND IT MUST STOP.

Dan,

Have you looked at your own bunch lately?

KE4TEW = Rude, filthy mouth, always cutting down other good operators

KA6URA or K6URA? = bad mouth, making rude comments about KC1ZQ

"Fred" NU5R? = Makes threats of Death or violence against KV4FZ and KC1ZQ for
a long time.

Do you condone this Dan???

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1435. Monthly Morse QTCs as Audio Files and QTC11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7ff7h3icn1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 145343
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,fido.belg.ham,fr.rec.radio.amateur,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Monthly Morse QTCs as Audio Files
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Starting with QTC No 10 e.g. the one of Sunday, March 20, 1999, the
Deutscher Telegrafie Club announces that its regular monthly QTCs are
available in audio format (MIDI-type) at our web site
http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html in three different speeds: 12 WPM,
20 WPM and 30 WPM. As unfortunately not all browsers can handle these files
online, we did take care of that and offer these files as a ZIP archive for
individual downloads as well.

We do welcome any comments about this new feature in our guest book !

GM DR OPs = NW QTC NO 11 WID 4 PTS =

pt 1 =
PLC E.G. FAST DIGITAL DATA DISTRIBUTION USING POWER LINES ENDANGERS HF
RECEPTION IN DL = WE ARE ACTIVELY ENGAGED TO PERVENT THIS =

pt 2 =
WHILE NOT AGAINST PLC AS SUCH WE CRITISIZE MISSING CONSIDERATIONS TO AVOID
HARMFUL QRM TO RADIO SERVICES =

pt 3 =
CWAW = CW ACTIVITY WEEK FROM MAY 1, 00:00 UTC TO MAY 7, 24:00 UTC = EVERY CW
QSO COUNTS, ALL BANDS = MORE INFOS IN MAGAZINES OR BY SASE TO THOMAS KOENIG,
SECRETARY, RINCKLAKEWEG 43, 48153 MUENSTER, GERMANY =

pt 4 =
VOTING ON MORSE CODE EXAM SPEED STILL OPEN UNTIL APRIL 30 = RESULTS NEXT QTC
=

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The full monthly QTC bulletin in German is transmitted
every first Sunday of the month at
09:30 CET/CEST on 3575 kHz (+/-QRM).

This QTC is repeated in English every third Sunday of
the month at 09:30 CET/CEST on 7033 kHz (+/- QRM).

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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1436. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: gig@i-2000.com
Message-ID: <371b50ba.1115374@news.i-2000.com>
Source record: 145344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If it was new why did you not use the battery that came with said
radio?(if it needed a charge- charge it then perform your tests.unless
it did not come with a battery-maybe they are now optional.. another
reason to use commercial gear.
good luck gig.On 10 Apr 1999 13:34:55 GMT, "Matdee"
<mattde@pacbell.com> wrote:

>Took delivery 2 wks ago of a new FT-100. I am waiting to take
>my ham test next week and thought I would start off with
>the new mini-radio by Yaesu. Power it up from a regulated
>lab grade power supply for rcv only. The display went DEAD
>and actually smelled something burning just after 1/2 hour of
>use. Shipped it back to the dealer for a warranty claim - Hamradio
>outlet Nv. I now hear since then many other people have had their
>FT-100 crap out on them. STAY AWAY from the FT-100.
>It's the radio equivalant of a Yugo or Vega. A real radio LEMON!
>
>Matt D. N.Mex
>

1437. Re: FT-100 TX mod is here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990419090350.08516.00002590@ng113.aol.com>
Source record: 145345

It works !!

1438. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <371B2C60.602C6717@arrl.org>
Source record: 145346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
> >You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
> >last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
> >how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?
>
> If I ever received such a notice I would send a reply asking
> the following:
>
> 1. What does that even mean?
> 2. What was the basis for your assesment?
> 3. What equipment was used to make whatever
> measuremnt(s) were taken?
> 4. What were those measurements?

I'd do the same, but I'd check my equipment first because, you know, he
just might be right.

Jon
--
Jon Bloom, KE3Z
jbloom@arrl.org
Electronic Publications Manager
(CD-ROM publications, software products and Web site)

1439. Re: looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rnh@gmrc.gecm.com
Message-ID: <7ffba6$4c9$13@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>
Source record: 145347
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

In article <7fcso4$7v8$1@news1.fast.net>, Carl R. Stevenson (wa6vse@fast.net) wrote:
> Bob 'rab' Bickford <a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com> wrote in message
> news:7f85h0$52g@news.dns.microsoft.com...
> >
> > Many years ago (1970s), when I was a radio broadcast engineer, I had on the
> > wall of my shack a largish poster that presented the electromagnetic
> > spectrum as a series of color-coded bands, each labelled with the common use
> > and the start/end frequencies. As I recall, it was extremely detailed in
> > the middle (e.g., it gave the frequencies for _every_ US television channel)
> > and not so much at the low and high ends, just saying "gamma rays" for the
> > latter for example.
> > spectrum are also appreciated.

> There is a .pdf file (rather large) on the FCC's web site. I believe
> that it's under the OET (Office of Engineering and Technology) sub-pages.

> Sorry I don't have a specific URL right now, but I know it's there.

http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf

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Richard Herring | <richard.herring@gecm.com>

1440. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Sparro <kontos@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7ffevk$b4g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145348

In article <j8NP2.1290$uy.1569@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
"mf_luder" <mf_luder@nwo.un.org> wrote:
> Why is there always someone at the ready to ask a victimized consumer
> if it was THEIR fault ?
>

Based on my expierence with computer support, it is the consumers "fault"
at least 75% of the time. Pretty good odds, I'd say

--
Dave Sparro

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1441. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ffhk9$cm3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145349

I don't believe anyone's license is going to be cancelled from what
he writes on Usenet. License revocation occurs only have a careful
gathering of on-the-air evidence.
Jeff

In article <7fe6lt$b8q$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>Maybe it would have been easier to get his license cancelled if you hadn't
>gotten the site removed?...
>
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>news:7fdc8k$nu0@news.Hawaii.Edu...
>> I Cc'd a copy to qsl.net. They replied: "Thank-you for notifying
>> us - we've cancelled his account. Too bad his license can't be
>> as easily cancelled..."
>>
>> Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net> wrote:
>> >Whelp they must have got to him first because the web site does not exist
>>
>>
>> >> NJMedMan <njmedman@aol.com> wrote in message
>> >> > If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like
>to
>> >> >have your web site listed with a group of other related websites,
>check
>> >> >out my site at: http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
>> >> > Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
>> >> > Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
>> >> > CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
>> >> > Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International
>> >> >Bandbenders Association) (27.555 USB)
>
>

1442. Ham Radio Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7ffmavies1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145350

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
I have a Ham Radio & Electronic Web Page
with info on: Satellites, Satellite Tracking,
HF/VHF/UHF, HF Rig Reviews, Classifieds, FT-847
Page, FT-50R Page, and TONS of very useful
Ham Radio & Electronic Links.
Please drop by my GuestBook & sign it.

The URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU DM04

PS. Web Masters: Please add me to your
links section, I can return the favor.

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1443. Re: looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rodscrib@aol.com
Message-ID: <7ffpii$li7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145351
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

ICheerie hi from Maine , Richard...
If you want to send me a SASE very large and postage I will
send you a new one...never used...
Rod KA1RFD....good in last couple of callbooks
73
n article <7ffba6$4c9$13@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>,
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> Richard Herring | <richard.herring@gecm.com>
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1444. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <19990419.1631.9901590snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Sunday, in article <3719A182.52AE00AE@mwci.net>
sabinw@mwci.net "William E. Sabin" wrote:

> > >Both meters are rated nominal 3% of full scale.
> > >
> > >Meter number 1: 0 to 50 mA:
> > >Reading Actual % error
> > >50 48.5 3.0%
> > >40 39.1 2.3%
> > >30 29.1 3.0%
> > >20 19.7 1.5%
> > >10 9.5 5.0%
> > >5 4.0 20%
> > >
> > >Meter number 2: 0 to 200 mA:
> > >200 198 1.0%
> > >150 149 0.7%
> > >100 102 2.0%
> > >50 51.5 3.0%
> > >25 26.1 4.2%
> > >

> Not so fast!
>
> Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the "rule"
> it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and it
> should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it should
> be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.

Why "should" the error of the first meter at 10mA be 18% or at 20mA
ought the error be 8%, etc.

I think you have totally missed Roy's point. A specification is a
promise of accuracy and not a promise of inaccuracy. If you're
measurements are correct then the observed fact that the meter is
more accurate than the specification at less than FSD is simply proof
that the meter is within its specification and not any sort of proof
that the specification is somehow wrong.

Regards,
--
Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1445. Re: Operating QRP in national parks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <371B5DEC.9B3BCB28@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145353

Hi Shawn,

I have operated mobile from Yellowstone several times but never portable on the trails. The park service is very picky about what can be done in the park just because of the number of people that go there every year. Most of the areas, including the back country trails, are very regulated. I would suggest that you call or e-mail the Yellowstone park headquarters and explain just what you want to do and see what they say. Besides you need to get your reservations in early if you are going to camp.

They may have some problems with someone stringing a HF antenna in the trees.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

Shawn Upton wrote:

> I hope to be spending some time in Yellowstone this year; does anyone
> know of any laws/regulations preventing one from doing some QRP CW work
> while out in the backcountry? A friend of mine thought there might be
> some regulations on it, and I haven't had the time just yet to get in
> touch with the park to find out. Thanks.
> --
> **********
> Shawn Upton
> Electrical Engineering Student
> University of Maine at Orono
> webpage: http://www.eece.maine.edu/~supton/
> mail: supton@eece.maine.edu
> KB1CKT Tech Plus
> **********

1446. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <371B7ABA.5871274C@innocent.com>
Source record: 145354

Cannon-ball@webtv.net wrote:
>
> Kevin:
>
> This is where you, and many others, are getting confused between "free
> speech" and "FCC rules". Once you've put your signature on the bottom
> line of your license, you have relinquished all your so-called First
> Amendment rights. You have given "license" to the Federal Communications
> Commission to dictate what you can say....and what you cannot say. The
> Commission also has a very broad rule in Part 95 about acts that "are
> not in the best interest amateur radio". This incident with Pork Butt
> certainly IS NOT in the best interest of amateur radio.
>
[...]

I understand your points, but I would prefer to see the Commission doing its traffic-cop job of putting malicious jammers off the air, while at the same time remaining true to the act which created the FCC, the relevant part of which is archived at:

http://www4.law.cornell.edu/uscode/unframed/47/326.html

and which states

"Sec. 326. Censorship

"Nothing in this chapter shall be understood or construed to give the Commission the power of censorship over the radio communications or signals transmitted by any radio station, and no regulation or condition shall be promulgated or fixed by the Commission which shall interfere with the right of free speech by means of radio communication."

The practical application of all this is quite clear to me: Express any view on any subject whatever, without obscenity or indecency, but _never_ transmit noises or comments on a frequency which is in use unless you have asked for and received permission to join the conversation.

Of course, I would very much prefer it if all amateur contacts were conducted in a gentlemanly manner, even when subjects of great controversy are being debated, and I would support regulations which would -- if such a thing is possible -- minimize the number of boors and thugs and morons in the amateur ranks; but we have to live in the real world with operators as they exist now.

So I salute the efforts of Mr. Hollingsworth to cleanse the service of those who feel it is their "right" to transmit on top of conversations or individuals which they find personally or philosophically offensive.

I would suggest to him that one or two weeks of steady monitoring of 3950 kHz, every evening from seven to midnight Gettysburg time, would prove beyond any peradventure of doubt exactly who are the jammers (K5BLB, K5MVK, W9ART, WA9KJI, K5BLB, K5ZU, et al.) and who are the victims of jamming (the Liberty Net folks, who've been peacefully holding their net Saturdays and informal chats on other days there for decades).

Onward, with all possible speed!

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

See me: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/america/kas1.jpg

Resources on the Internet (Not all are affiliated with me; I speak only for myself.):

Patriotic Education --
http://www.natall.com http://www.natvan.com
Exalted European Art --
http://www.isleofavalon.co.uk/gframing/gframing.html
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~jdbrus/preraphday.htm
http://nouveaunet.com/prbpassion/index.htm
Free Speech in Canada --
http://www.freedomsite.org/
White Singles Page --
http://ws.stormfront.org/
Politically Incorrect --
http://www.sound.net/~fenix/
Western Imperative Network --
http://www.usaor.net/users/ipm
Library of Yggdrasil --
http://www.ddc.net/ygg/
Institute for Historical Review --
http://www.ihr.org/index.html
Nationalist Resource Page --
http://www.stormfront.org/
The Zundelsite --
http://www.webcom.com/ezundel/english/
British National Party --
http://www.webcom.com/bnp/
The Incomparable Revilo Oliver --
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/america

1447. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shawn Upton <supton@eece.maine.edu>
Message-ID: <371B79A4.794B@eece.maine.edu>
Source record: 145355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> Likely it is fundamental RF overload. You're in the near field of the
> 40m antenna. You get about 22 dB of isolation by getting outside
> the first wavelength from the antenna. 6 feet is awfully close, you
> want something more on the order of 130 feet, but any extra separation
> will help. An outside antenna would be a big help in solving this problem
> (it'd work better too).
I plan to eventually, but I probably won't get very far--I can go either
40 or 50 feet, or about 10 (depending upon which side of the house I
hang either my inverted V or sloper). Just haven't had the time to do
it yet, and I haven't been active on 40 either to provide the
incentitive.

> networks) in the VHF equipment are likely pi-section, and that has a
> lowpass response. So it will pass any frequency below its cutoff frequency
> directly into the receiver (that cutoff frequency will be above the radio's
> operating frequency, and way way above 40m, so the 40m signal can just
> waltz right on in).
>
Interesting. I don't remember now, but I think my 2m multimode wasn't
affected--it has some sort of helical filter in it. The HT was what I
noticed the RFI on.

I haven't made a 10x or 100x probe yet for the spectrum analyzer here at
school; I think you gave the specs on it earlier. It was 470 ohms for
10x; 4700 ohms for 100x right? I noticed that when I tried to use an
oscilliscope to watch the output waveform of various transmitters, I get
what I think is a ghost image--another waveform with just slightly less
amplitude. I think it might be just the probe picking up noise in the
air, so I want to try to actually measure harmonic strength with the
spectrum anaylzer.

Thanks for the info; I'll try some of the suggestions in the near
future, when school isn't so pressing!
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Shawn Upton
Electrical Engineering Student
University of Maine at Orono
webpage: http://www.eece.maine.edu/~supton/
mail: supton@eece.maine.edu
KB1CKT Tech Plus
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1448. Re: looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Castiglione <GregCa@DIM.com>
Message-ID: <371B7CD0.6FBA@DIM.com>
Source record: 145356
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

rodscrib@aol.com wrote:
>
> ICheerie hi from Maine , Richard...
> If you want to send me a SASE very large and postage I will
> send you a new one...never used...
> Rod KA1RFD....good in last couple of callbooks
> 73
> n article <7ffba6$4c9$13@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com>,
> richard.herring@gecm.com wrote:
> > In article <7fcso4$7v8$1@news1.fast.net>, Carl R. Stevenson (wa6vse@fast.net) wrote:
> > > Bob 'rab' Bickford <a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com> wrote in message
> > > news:7f85h0$52g@news.dns.microsoft.com...
> > > >
> > > > Many years ago (1970s), when I was a radio broadcast engineer, I had on the
> > > > wall of my shack a largish poster that presented the electromagnetic
> > > > spectrum as a series of color-coded bands, each labelled with the common use
> > > > and the start/end frequencies. As I recall, it was extremely detailed in
> > > > the middle (e.g., it gave the frequencies for _every_ US television channel)
> > > > and not so much at the low and high ends, just saying "gamma rays" for the
> > > > latter for example.
> > > > spectrum are also appreciated.
> >
> > > There is a .pdf file (rather large) on the FCC's web site. I believe
> > > that it's under the OET (Office of Engineering and Technology) sub-pages.
> >
> > > Sorry I don't have a specific URL right now, but I know it's there.
> >
> > http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf
> >
> > --
> > Richard Herring | <richard.herring@gecm.com>
> >
>
> ------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
I would love to have one of these color charts also. What radio store
sells them?? --Greg--N0FKI

1449. Re: SWATCH offers FREE watches to ALL HAMS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian Robert Walker <Ian@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <mNgpHKApb3G3EwBq@newbrain.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 145357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37174abe.13735121@news.earthlink.net>, Cedric
<sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com> writes
>On Thu, 08 Apr 1999 15:35:21 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:
>
>>Kay Zero Half Baked <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:
>>
>>>This is not about some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE Asia rain-forest;
>>>it is about a deliberate and well financed commercial promotion by
>>>an international corporation arrogantly using the amateur bands to
>>>advance their pecuniary interests.
>>
>>I don't really believe that, Hans.
>
>Again Jim demonstrates hi superior intelligence in that he now states
>that he believes Swaych was in fact some bootlegging scofflaw in a SE
>Asia rain-forest!!

Are you saying that it is NOT about a deliberate and well financed
commercial promotion by an international corporation arrogantly using
the amateur bands to advance their pecuniary interests?

>Amazing Jim!
>
>Didn't you know they are a SWISS WATCH COMPANY?

So maybe you do know that it is.

Maybe you have not learned English comprehension yet, unless you have a
motive for confusing the issue.
--
Ian Walker G8ILZ on packet as G8ILZ

Pluralitas non est ponenda sine neccessitate

1450. FS: Motorola Spectra Remote Cover Plate HLN616B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OJTFVspi#GA.179@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola Spectra Remote Cover Plate HLN616B

This Has The 2 Db25 Connectors For the Siren Option
OEM Price $80.00

Asking $50.00

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

1451. Re: ?Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana <c5966@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <01be8a9b$ec5e0060$ce0d8ad1@einstein>
Source record: 145359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

Love, love, love...By the way, standard English demands that you use either "you're" or "you are."

Dana

Mark Shields <mshio@teron.com> wrote in article
<3717A7CE.F8A04B0A@teron.com>...
> Your full of shit.
>

1452. Re: ARRL Handbook for Dummies?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <371c869c.8274994@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145360

On Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:51:32 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>Hmm.. There such a book? ;)

The problem is that you are reading a handbook --not a tutorial. You
have to know something about how the stuff works before you read this
book.

>I've been reading my non-dummy book, but wind up 'glossing over' about 50%
>of it.
>Such as the chapter on modulation.. I now somewhat understand what RF, AF,
>SSB, etc. etc is.. but the book assumes the reader to be a bit more educated
>in such than I am, "fur-shur..."

And the opposite complaint is also a frequent thing: namely, that the
book is too dumbed down to really tell you anything useful. The ARRL
has to find a happy medium somewhere between the IEEE technical papers
and a Dummies book. The handbook is the result. No, it's not ideal
for much of anything. But often it's enough to get you started.

The handbook was never meant to be read from cover to cover, or even
chapter by chapter. It was meant to be a reference on the state of
the art.

If you're studying for a better license, I suggest a license manual.
If you're looking to understand filters and amplifier design, try "RF
Design" by Chris Boswick (I hope I spelled his name correctly).

If you're looking to understand transistor biasing, many folks swear
by The Art of Electronics by Horowitz. I also like textbooks such as
Electronics by Malvino.

It's worth noting that you won't get far in any of this if your
understanding of mathematics is poor. I wish they made better books
on that subject, but they don't. I guess that's what engineering
degrees are good for...

73,

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

1453. Advice on radio type needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trevor Holyoak <trevor@holyoak.com>
Message-ID: <371B8954.F08B50FB@holyoak.com>
Source record: 145361

I am interested in getting a pair of transceiver radios for use by my family in emergency situations, as well as for fun. I would like to get a ham radio HT someday, but right now the kind I want (dual or triband) is beyond my budget. In the $100 range, that leaves CB or FRS. My needs seem to more closely match the purposes of FRS, but I am concerned about the range (2 miles or less). Would a CB be better for longer range use (what is the range for a 4 W handheld CB, anyway?), or should I hold out for a ham radio (I plan to get one someday, but figure I might as well wait to get one that's got everything I'd like...)?

Thanks,
Trevor

1454. Re: looking for poster/chart of EM spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob 'rab' Bickford <a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com>
Message-ID: <7fg2di$7of@news.dns.microsoft.com>
Source record: 145362
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.broadcasting,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.physics

Richard Herring <rnh@gmrc.gecm.com> wrote in message
news:7ffba6$4c9$13@miranda.gmrc.gecm.com...
> [regarding my search for a chart of electromagnetic spectrum, and another
reply pointing to the FCC]
> http://www.ntia.doc.gov/osmhome/allochrt.pdf

Thanks, all. While the FCC chart is not exactly what I wanted (I was
looking for something with a little more science emphasis), still it's a
wonderful resource and I've already sent off an order for a copy. They're
only $5.50 each, which is quite a bargain in my mind.

.....rab
a-bobbic@NOSPAMmicrosoft.com

1455. Re: Converting a Soundcard into a TNC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimali@1st.net
Message-ID: <371b8a0f.1519827@news2.1st.net>
Source record: 145363

On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 08:23:08 -0700, "W1PEV" <paulvanasse@tp.net>
wrote:

>Any suggestions where to go for updated information.
>
>73's

Try:
http://www.forthnet.gr/sv2agw/start.htm

Jim AB8AB

1456. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markj <markj@got.net>
Message-ID: <371B9807.4FE965A1@got.net>
Source record: 145364

helmsman@mindspring.com wrote:

> Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>
> >I read that some Cop clocked a ttree at 55 mph.
> True and every ticket issued because of that gun should have been
> voided and all points deleted! Any time you go to court to fight a
> speeding ticket you need to file for discovery for the certification
> on the gun AND whatever apparatus they used to set it. Chances are you
> will walk as they don't want to go to the trouble of finding all the
> paperwork. Don't believe it? ask a lawyer!

Radar,Photo Radar and vascar all work pretty good. In calofirnia the CHP does show up for court...with papers.

The real trick is to get your court date moved to an officers day off or during vacation time. All that info is on CA. tickets. Nobody wants to pay overtime...or call an officer back from vacation.

And yes....THE CHP may now use radar on intersrate highways provided that the county where the units will be used are purchased by the countys/cities.

1457. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <371B9007.CCDF668A@mwci.net>
Source record: 145365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Anthony R. Gold wrote:

> On Sunday, in article <3719A182.52AE00AE@mwci.net>
> sabinw@mwci.net "William E. Sabin" wrote:
>
> > Not so fast!
> >
> > Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the "rule"
> > it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and it
> > should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it should
> > be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.
>
> Why "should" the error of the first meter at 10mA be 18% or at 20mA
> ought the error be 8%, etc.

If the accuracy is "allowed" to be 3%, then officially it is "allowed" to be 3% of full scale anywhere on the scale.

Example: A 0 to 100 meter is rated at 3% of full scale. This means that at 100 it "can be" 97 to 103, which is 3% of full scale. But that also means that at 20 it "can be" between 17 and 23, which is not 3% but 15%. Or at 10 it "can be" between 7 and 13, which is 30%.

Any worthwhile 3% panel meter that I have ever worked with is a lot better than that.

If a meter *just barely* meets that spec and is no better than that, then as I said, at lower readings the errors "should be" the larger numbers. That statement was correct. The cheaper junk meters do exactly that and no more, so that the meter is not very good except close to full scale.

If you read my writeup more carefully, I am saying that meters in practice are not built that way, and the data that I gave for two old knocked-around meters is a very good example.

> I think you have totally missed Roy's point.

I think you are totally missing my point. The specification is standard practice, but a meter that does nothing more than meet the bare minimum advertised definition of "full scale accuracy" is not one that I would buy if I can find something that goes the extra mile and tries to get a better "average % accuracy" over "most" of the scale. And you may be sure that I can in fact do just that. Read my post again (the part that you deleted from your reply).

The "% of full scale" spec is a tradition, and anyone just barely meeting the spec will not go to jail, but he will not compete with those who do a much better design and test job for the same sell price. I'm not talking about $1000 laboratory things in walnut cases, just ordinary $80 taut band panel meters.

These days an automated test station could take data points (using a computerized optical reader), calculate a linear regression and the standard deviations, min and max errors etc. and possibly tweak the meter mechanism (or reject it) in just 15 seconds. The old traditional "% of full scale" spec is a lousy way to do business since it permits a lousy result.

Bill W0IYH

1458. Re: Motorola Spectra Remote Cover Plate HLN616B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#a8nA#qi#GA.359@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Update!!!!
Tech 55 wrote in message ...
>Motorola Spectra Remote Cover Plate HLN6161B
>
>This Has The 2 Db25 Connectors For the Siren Option
>OEM Price $80.00
>
>Asking $50.00
>
>For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/
>
>E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
>Thanks !!! Rich
>
>

1459. Get new callsigns via e-mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chris Davis <kb0wwp@hamsnet1.net>
Message-ID: <sgOS2.1409$217.120067@newscene.newscene.com>
Source record: 145367
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Here's a new service I'm trying out on my website:

If you have recently passed your amateur exam and are waiting for your calls, visit this page and enter your name and state. Each night my computer will check the FCC daily activity and if your name is in the list, it will automatically send you an e-mail with your new callsign!

This is brand new and mostly untested, so let me know how it works and how you like the idea!

I am going to add a non-web way to register (like via e-mail) so users without web access (like Juno) can use it.

The URL is: http://davisfamily.nu/hamcalls.htm

73,
Chris KB0WWP

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* remove the '1' from my address to respond *

1460. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <371bb21b.804642@news.planet.net>
Source record: 145368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 19 Apr 1999 09:15:12 -0400, Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org> wrote:

>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>
>> >You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
>> >last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
>> >how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?
>>
>> If I ever received such a notice I would send a reply asking
>> the following:
>>
>> 1. What does that even mean?
>> 2. What was the basis for your assesment?
>> 3. What equipment was used to make whatever
>> measuremnt(s) were taken?
>> 4. What were those measurements?
>
>I'd do the same, but I'd check my equipment first because, you know, he
>just might be right.
>Jon Bloom, KE3Z

Agreed. But if there was any doubt, I'd still confer
with the OO as to what s/he reported.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1461. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990419190053.27288.00003209@ng150.aol.com>
Source record: 145369

>>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>>
>>> >You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
>>> >last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
>>> >how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?

We get it okay, Bill. Whenever you get backed into a corner, you throw the "inexperience" spear. Frankly, I think you're stretching the point pretty thin. Can I throw the "You're usually more on target than this" spear?

K5PF

1462. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fgdpe$39o@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145370

Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:

>> >Jeff, that's a BIG stretch ... what about the JA hams who have
>> >HF access with no code? Not to mention the fact that, even in
>> >third world countries, the hams for the most part have modern
>> >store-bought appliances, just like most US hams.

>> Each nation is free to set its own licensing standards apart from
>> what the ITU recommends. But if you look closely at the JA's
>> code-free license, you'll see it's quite restrictive regarding
>> frequencies, power, and type of communications; its restrictions
>> are not unlike those of our Citizens Radio Service.

>Jeff, you've said this before. Could you verify if they are limited to 27
>MHz, or are they on the ham bands? If they're restricted to the citizens
>band, then your comment is valid. If they are on the ham bands, then your
>comment should be modified. Is their No-code HF license as restrictive as our
>Coded Novice? That would be a more valid comparison.

Their 4th Class restricted radiotelephone ham license limits them to
10w or less to the antenna on amateur frequencies between 21 and 28 MHz,
and below 8 MHz, and to 20W or less to the antenna on frequencies above
30 MHz. (I was originally told that no intercommunication with hams
outside of JA-land was permitted, but I'm having trouble documenting
that.)

73, Jeff KH6O

(Thank-you, Jon Bloom!)

1463. Re: Looking for family type handheld radios.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <371BCBBD.7DF9@imt.net>
Source record: 145371

Zekers wrote:
>
> I hope this is the proper group to post this in, so here goes...
> I'm looking for a few hand held radios for general use: hiking, driving
> in multiple cars, etc. I have tried the Wal-Mart variety (I think
> they're Motorola's) and they just didn't have enough power to cover the
> distance or work around buildings, etc. I think they only put out 1/2
> watt. I know very little about these things, so I'm not sure what to
> look for. Radio Shack has similar FM radios but they are still at 1/2
> watt. They also have some 2 - 3 watt CB radios. But I don't know what
> the advantages / disadvantages of these are. I've recently used some 5
> watt marine hand helds and they were great. But they also cost over $300
> each.
>
> So, any help would be appreciated either with your thoughts on these
> ideas or pointers to web sites with info.
> Thanx, Zekers!

You sure did reply to the correct group.I suggest getting an amateur
radio license and buying some 2-meter(146MHZ) equipment.
The range is a function of not only power output but also frequency
and efective radiated power.
With 2-meter ham your range will be greater and you have the option of
working thru a repeater system that other people paid for.From here in
Billings Montana I can be walking around with a $80-$200 handheld and
using repeaters get all the way to Seattle Washington 900 miles away on
less than 1/4 watt in many cases.Also many repeaters have Phone-patch
capability,after you punch in a code and get a dial tone you can dial a
phone number using the keypad on your mike,and the call is FREE! Tracy

1464. hello I am a new HAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <371CBD9C.988F9BD3@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 145222

Hello fellow hams. I just recently passed my Technician exam and I am looking for my first radio. My first one will be a hand held so I was looking at a few sites on the net and the Kenwood THG-71A caught my eye. Do any of you guys or gals own this radio? If so can you please e-mial me with any advice? jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu
thank you very much....Joseph Merfalen

p.s. At this time I do not have a call sign as i just took my exam this past saturday. Everyday i look at qrz.com but it has not been posted yet.

1465. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fj42enip1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7fgu8clna0@208.207.71.169>,
Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> I live about 45 miles away but
> > I used to live in New York City in multi-racial neighborhoods. I wouldn't
> > mind living in New York if there was stricter gun control. I'm not against
> > any race that is unarmed.
>
> Gee Bob...I thoght that New York City had the strictest
> gun control laws in the land. I guess that just goes to show
> that laws don't mean much to people who just don't care
> whether or not they abide by them.

You are absolutely correct. It is called the Sullivan Law...BUT any criminal can bring guns in from other states and sell them illeagally to other New York criminals. I know that talking about gun control to Americans, who have traditionally owned guns and who live in rural areas where they may need them for hunting or for protection against wild bears has always brought on great controversy...BUT unless there is a total national ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut down gun related killing and wounding in our cities. The fact is that England has greater gun control which results in proportunately less use of guns to commit crimes there. I know there are already many guns in circulation BUT I would start by prohibiting manufactures from making hand guns, except when they are ordered by law enforcers (police)..The results might not take affect until many years from now BUT eventually I am sure this would do some good. Anyway I don't think that gun control is directly relevent to Ham Radio Policy so it does not belong here. Please excuse my opinions on gun control because I, as a former city and present suburban habitant may not completely understand why country folk think that they all need to shoot guns and teach their minor children to shoot guns. Heck..I made marksman in the US Army and nobody in my entire family ever owned any guns. Guns are just boring tools that make holes at a distance. Enuf sed.

> I spent a bit o'time in the Big Apple while stationed at
> Fort Monmouth, and I sailed from there on a troopship,
> returned on another and was discharged at Fort Hamilton,
> Brooklyn. Biggest scare I got there was once when I thought
> a cop was gonna shoot the driver of the bus I was on, who
> ignored his traffic hand signal...
>
> Eariler this month the citizens of Missouri held a
> statewide referendum to vote on whether or not to make

> available to well screened citizens the opportunity to be
> issued a permit by the county sheriff to carry a concealed
> firearm. The vote passed overwhelmingly in over 100 of 110
> counties but was defeated by large margins in StLouis and
> Kansas City-where a large majority of voters are minorities
> - where violant crime is most often encountered and where
> criminals abound who use concealed firearms with no regard
> to legalities. Where citizens would be most likely to,
> rationally, feel the need to arm themselves against this
> criminal element. Yet the law was rejected because of the
> large negative minority city vote.

The truth is found in the public hospitals in large cities.
There you can often find many wounded Blacks who have been shot
by other Blacks or by Whites. Responsible honorable Blacks
want to limit the shooting because often Blacks are the victims
either because they are criminals or because they just happen to
be in the line of fire and are quite innocent.

> Makes it look like those
> folks are going to carry their guns illegally and they and
> their kin voted to make sure that lawabiding persons remain
> prohibited from defending themselves-against the very
> "majority" who voted to keep it that way.. Doesn't that tell
> us a very compelling story?

I'm law abiding but I don't feel the need to carry a gun and
I didn't even when I lived in NYC because I would rather get robbed
than kill a desperate criminal. That's me.

> Sure glad I don't have to live in one of our cities,
> either. Gun control or not. We've had a state prohibition
> against carrying concealed weapons since 1876, the days of
> Jesse James and his gang. Doesn't seem to have helped much.
> Better that the crooks think that every prospective victim
> is a potential killer, too, whether he/she is or not. Which
> is exactly what the minorities voted AGAINST.

Many people who carry guns are paranoids IMHO. I know a
really big guy who had a beautiful wife. He always carried a
gun because he feared that someone would try to rape his wife.
When he couldn't carry a gun he carried a baseball bat. He
told me that he slept with a gun under his pillow and a baseball
bat under his bed. I think that he lived in a fantacy land and
hoped that someone would make a pass at his wife so that he
could relive some dream he had about killing somebody.
As an engineer and a Ham I recognize that we all live in a
world where there are certain risks. We have to take risks when
we drive an automobile, or fly in an airplane, or go out in a
thunder storm. We have to be realistic and think of the odds..
and make up our minds what risks we must take to live normal lives.
Now I won't ride a motorcycle because I witnessed some people get killed
in motorcycle accidents. One of my cousin's sons was killed in a
motorcycle accident, etc. Wearing a helmet did not prevent the son
of a local Ham from having his neck broken and dying. BUT...

I think that there are far more "accidents" involving guns than there are cases where people were able to protect lives and/or properties by the use of guns. I am convinced that the stats say that the risks are actually less for non-gun owners. For me the risk of owning guns outweighs the risk of needing guns. Some folks are afraid to identify and even more afraid to admit it if they don't own guns... not me...If someone wants to take the risk of robbing me...he or she had better think twice...because I won't tell anybody about my secret security systems and weapons!!!

> Dick W0EX
> FISTS #3939
> BIT #0003

Bob W2ILP
LIARS #161
Byte 8

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1466. New Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1eba@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990420134828.11452.00005339@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 145224

Hi,

I have a new website.

http://members.aol.com/n1eba

thanks for visiting it.

Bob

1467. Trade for Ham gear<------

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <371C7A14.CA54F81E@qsl.net>
Source record: 145225

Hello,
I have a Computer page fed scanner. I have 2 and I am willing to trade
one off.
Comes with ISA card all the manuals and cd-rom with the drivers and lots
of software. very nice scanner to scan pictures or what ever else you
might want to
scan. Send me a e-mail with what you have to offer and maybe we can make
a
deal/ Thanks & 73s.....

Steve KB9HGI
kb9hgi@qsl.net

1468. Amateur Radio Discussion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: hskost@hskost.com
Message-ID: <371dbdcc.3617579@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

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Amateur Radio Discussion Board
http://www.k1hk.org/bb.html
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1469. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <371C808F.8198A1DA@mwci.net>
Source record: 145227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Barry L. Ornitz wrote:

> William E. Sabin wrote

>If the accuracy is "allowed" to be 3%, then officially it is "allowed" to

> be 3% of
> >full scale anywhere on the scale.
>
> This is EXACTLY the statement I have been trying to convince Bill of all
> along. Change the words in his previous posting and things make much more
> sense. [But I still cannot duplicate his numbers exactly.]

And you still do not understand what I am trying to tell you.

One more (and last) time. I am really sick and tired of this.

I am saying that a meter that just barely meets the full scale % (aka the Roy meter) is "allowed" to be a very poor meter %-wise at below full scale. The meter that I will buy is the one that is 3% of full scale, but designed so that the degradation of % accuracy is smaller than what the Roy meter tolerates. I *know* that I can buy such a 3% meter for the same price. In other words the % error across the scale is the thing that anyone in his right mind is going to shop for and compare.

"How well does the meter track across the scale?" This is the most sensible question that I can think of. When I evaluate a meter it is the FIRST thing that I look for. And if I compare brands X,Y and Z 3%-rated $80 meters, guess which one I will buy.

This preoccupation with the literal interpretation of "% of f.s." that is used in catalogs is not necessary. I think it is a lousy way to do business and vendors do it to make life simpler and less litigious for themselves (who can blame them?). But they can, and do, perform better than that, they just don't commit to it.

If you understand this simple message then you understand my point exactly. I have no interest whatsoever in the strictly legal "Roy meter". A meter that is off by +/- 3 units at a reading of 10% of f.s., or even +/- 3 units at 20% of f.s., is not desirable. I will not buy it and I do not have to. Instead of haggling about numbers to 4 decimal places, let's use some common sense.

The message is clear and simple. Why is there so much trouble with it?

I do not want to argue about this any more. If you nice (and one or two not so nice) folks out there think that I am "mind set", then so be it. I will believe

what I think makes sense and let it go at that.

Bill W0IYH

1470. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William E. Sabin" <sabinw@mwci.net>
Message-ID: <371C9325.6C26EA3E@mwci.net>
Source record: 145228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

10-7 wrote:

> People keep refering to the meter movements accuracy , I question the slugs,
> check from one to the next . What good does the meters accuracy mean If my
> slug reads higher than someone elses slug , I guess now there is now 2
> things to consider with regards of accuracy, the meter movement and the
> slug. Again, either you guys dont own more than one slug of the same value
> or even different values to really see what a differance there really are
> between the slugs

At this point in time the discussion is centered on the actual 0 to 30 uA DC meter itself and not on the Bird wattmeter. The meter itself has interesting problems of its own.

The Bird 43 is rated at 5% of full scale. The meter itself is probably a 2% meter. The other 3% includes the element and the built-in coaxial assembly. The 43 construction is "precision" as nearly as I can tell by looking.

As for the elements, my *new* 250H and 1000H for the 2-30 MHz range are *very good* (within a couple of tenths of a dB) in my *new* 43.

Bill W0IYH

1471. PHYSICIAN'S CODE WAIVER QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: TubeLovr@his.shack
Message-ID: <371cdb5c.4917138@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145229

Does anyone know what the requirements are for hearing disability to obtain a waiver of the code test? Does this apply to 5wpm or just the higher speeds? I am moderately hearing impaired, and would like to upgrade but can't because I cannot understand Morse code - and I am not one of those lazy "quitters", I genuinely have tried - for 8 years!

1472. Log Hosting Service

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Coffey <ke4qdz@korrnet.org>
Message-ID: <371CE09C.4B23@korrnet.org>
Source record: 145230

Hello all,

This is to let you know about a free new service I have decided to try, called Logs Online. Basically, it lets you create an online log, then place a form on your website so visitors can search the log to see if they're in it. You don't have to reveal the entire log to visitors in order to make the search work. If you ever tried the logs for VK0IR, it is very much the same concept. You can also add comments in the log for any or all of your contacts.

There is no charge, and it should be fairly easy to create your log. I am just trying it out at this point (the site went online this afternoon) and I am eager to hear suggestions or comments. You can visit the site at

http://www.logsonline.com

I am still trying to work out a few glitches with DNS, so please be patient if the site temporarily disappears over the next few days. It will be back.

73,
Mike Coffey
KE4QDZ

1473. FS: Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OWYyO41i#GA.347@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1474. FS: Motorola HT-90 UHF.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O12aa41i#GA.126@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1475. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u58zv41i#GA.247@upnetnews05>
Source record: 145233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

1476. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fj10e$2g2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145234

Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>There are many many many amateur operators
>in the states that voluntarily restrict themselves to low power operation.
>They would probably scoff that 10 (and 20 watts) are unnecessary QRO. It

And there are many many many amateur operators that operate home-built gear, and there are many many many that operate older tube ("boat-anchor") gear; I happen to fall into all three catagories.

If a code-free HF (U.S.) ticket is ever created, I wouldn't mind so much if those operators were restricted to 10W with no 30, 17, and 20M privileges just as the JA Class 4 licensees. Would you? Would they?
73, Jeff KH6O

1477. Re: Your Personal Callsign Mug.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ron Harshbarger <rnharsh@visi.com>
Message-ID: <rf9T2.228$5N3.62200@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 145235
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Don't sweat the morons! If they can't figure out that "Your Personal
Callsign Mug" is the subject of the same ad... And they read it more than
once, They probably move their lips when they read it!

Cheers & 73

BD wrote in message <7facu5ptl1@newnews.startext.net>...
>Here's a few 'excerpts' from his reply to my complaint.. ;)
>I sure didn't know that it took 1000's to make a spam a spam...
>
>> I post one message each week on these 6 newsgroups. As for
>> your remark about spamming
>> these newsgroups I find it hard to beleive that what Im doing is
>> called spamming. People that spam send many messages to one > or 1000s
of
>groups each and every day.
>
>
>Dave <root@warez.phantom.com> wrote in message
>news:slrn7haoe7.gi.root@wild.net...
>> On Wed, 14 Apr 1999 22:22:11 -0500, Jaw Jabber <jawjabber@earthlink.net>
>wrote:
>> [drivelsnip]
>>
>> I am getting so sick of your spam/velveeta about the coffee mug thing,
>that
>> it is beginning to sound like a good idea to me to shove one of those
mugs
>> up your anal apeture.
>>
>> Just remember: You can't sell a product to people you have pissed off.
>>
>> Are your sales real low? I'll bet they are.
>
>

1478. HR2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1iic Jason Greene <n1iic@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <371D2B14.E4EF5EDC@qsl.net>
Source record: 145236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.hf

I have an RCI-2970 with a problem
.
When the radio is unplugged from the power source and sits on the shelf for about one month, the memory battery goes flat. Then when you go into the memory circuit, it keys and you have to shut the rig off to get it to reset. This does not happen if the battery is good. Any ideas why the battery dies so soon?

Thanks de

Jason

1479. Re: NEWBIE COMPUTER RFI QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Royal D. Moore" <KB7WTO@prodigy.net>
Message-ID: <371D2CCD.9D786E94@prodigy.net>
Source record: 145237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A word of caution concerning your grounding arrangement. Using separate grounds can cause problems, if a lightning strike hits near you it will make one of the grounds possibly thousands of volts higher than that of the other ground. Whatever you have between the two grounds at that point will surely fry. Obtain a good book on proper grounding and follow it's advice. Good luck and I do hope you get your interference problem licked.
Royal KB7WTO

Jim Long wrote:

> Hi folks,
>
> I am having some computer RFI problems .....

1480. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371D2428.DA71837C@ibm.net>
Source record: 145238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I tried to address that a while back. The Bird 43 is a field
instrument, not a lab instrument. It must work over a very large
tempature range. Not only is the meter movement in questiion, but
also the components in the slug and mechanical accuracy of the
sampling line secment. You always have to allow for the worst case,
which migh only show up as 1 in 1000 while the others are much
closer, especially under more controlled enviroments.

10-7 wrote:
>
> People keep refering to the meter movements accuracy , I question the slugs,
> check from one to the next . What good does the meters accuracy mean If my
> slug reads higher than someone elses slug , I guess now there is now 2
> things to consider with regards of accuracy, the meter movement and the
> slug. Again, either you guys dont own more than one slug of the same value
> or even different values to really see what a differance there really are
> between the slugs
>
> --
>
> Barry L. Ornitz wrote in message ...
> >
> >William E. Sabin wrote in message <371B9007.CCDF668A@mwci.net>...
> >>Anthony R. Gold wrote:
> >>> On Sunday, in article <3719A182.52AE00AE@mwci.net>
> >>> sabinw@mwci.net "William E. Sabin" wrote:
> >>>
> >>> > Not so fast!
> >>> >
> >>> > Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the
> >"rule"
> >>> > it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and
> >it
> >>> > should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it
> >should
> >>> > be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.
> >>>
> >>> Why "should" the error of the first meter at 10mA be 18% or at 20mA
> >>> ought the error be 8%, etc.
> >>
> >>If the accuracy is "allowed" to be 3%, then officially it is "allowed" to
> >be 3% of
> >>full scale anywhere on the scale.

> >
> >
> >This is EXACTLY the statement I have been trying to convince Bill of all
> >along. Change the words in his previous posting and things make much more
> >sense. [But I still cannot duplicate his numbers exactly.]
> >
> >>Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the
> >"rule"
> >>it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and it
> >>should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it
> >should
> >>be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.
> >
> >The accuracy statement supplied by the manufacturer does not tell you what
> >the error is at any point. It just sets bounds on the error. A corrected
> >wording _might_ be:
> >
> >At 10 mA the actual error is 5%, and according to the manufacturers
> >accuracy statement, it could be as high as 15%, if it is a 3% of full-scale
> >meter. At 20 mA the actual error is 1.5% but it could be as high as 7.5%.
> >For the second mneter at 25 mA, the error is 4.2% but it could be as high
> >as 8%
> >based only on the full scale accuracy of 1%.
> >
> >>Example: A 0 to 100 meter is rated at 3% of full scale. This means that at
> >100 it
> >>"can be" 97 to 103, which is 3% of full scale. But that also means that at
> >20 it
> >>"can be" between 17 and 23, which is not 3% but 15%. Or at 10 it "can be"
> >between
> >>7 and 13, which is 30%.
> >
> >Which is the point Roy Lewallen made.
> >
> >>Any worthwhile 3% panel meter that I have ever worked with is a lot better
> >than
> >>that.
> >>
> >>If a meter *just barely* meets that spec and is no better than that, then
> >as I
> >>said, at lower readings the errors "should be" the larger numbers. That
> >statement
> >>was correct. The cheaper junk meters do exactly that and no more, so that
> >the meter
> >>is not very good except close to full scale.
> >
> >
> >No, at lower readings the errors do not _have_ to be larger numbers. But
> >they _CAN_ be and still meet the full scale specification.
> >

> >>If you read my writeup more carefully, I am saying that meters in practice
> >are not
> >>built that way, and the data that I gave for two old knocked-around meters
> >is a
> >>very good example.
> >>
> >>> I think you have totally missed Roy's point.
> >>
> >>I think you are totally missing my point. The specification is standard
> >practice,
> >>but a meter that does nothing more than meet the bare minimum advertised
> >definition
> >>of "full scale accuracy" is not one that I would buy if I can find
> >something that
> >>goes the extra mile and tries to get a better "average % accuracy" over
> >"most" of
> >>the scale. And you may be sure that I can in fact do just that. Read my
> >post again
> >>(the part that you deleted from your reply).
> >>
> >>The "% of full scale" spec is a tradition, and anyone just barely meeting
> >the spec
> >>will not go to jail, but he will not compete with those who do a much
> >better design
> >>and test job for the same sell price. I'm not talking about $1000
> >laboratory things
> >>in walnut cases, just ordinary $80 taut band panel meters.
> >>
> >>These days an automated test station could take data points (using a
> >computerized
> >>optical reader), calculate a linear regression and the standard
> >deviations, min
> >>and max errors etc. and possibly tweak the meter mechanism (or reject it)
> >in just
> >>15 seconds. The old traditional "% of full scale" spec is a lousy way to
> >do
> >>business since it permits a lousy result.
> >>
> >Which was my contention all along...
> >>
> >>Bill W0IYH
> >>
> >>
> >There is a small enough amount of data here that it can be done by hand.
> >Taking the first meter, for example, we can either fit the best straight
> >line though the data points, or if we assume the meter was properly zeroed
> >first, we can force our calibration to go through zero. Doing the latter
> >gives:
> >>
> > Predicted_Value = 0.97213 * (Meter_Reading)

> >
> >Without forcing the calibration to go through zero gives:
> >
> > Predicted_Value = 0.98537 * (Meter_Reading) + 0.47205
> >
> >If you look at the errors between these predicted values and the actual
> >values, you will still find the worst error at the 5 mA reading. On the
> >10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 mA points on the scale, the above equations come to
> >within 2.5% - an excellent meter. But you cannot read into this data that
> >which is not there. Is the meter nonlinear below 10 mA, or is the 5 mA
> >point just a bad reading? You can say only with further testing, not with
> >this data.
> >
> >But again, with only the 3% of full scale statement to work with, you would
> >never know this. Bill said he had his meter checked against a calibrated
> >Boonton RF voltmeter. So he can say with certainty that his meter is good
> >over the range he checked. Another meter may not be nearly as accurate as
> >his, yet it still meet Bird's 5% of full scale accuracy.
> >
> > 73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net
> >
> >
> >

1481. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: 10-7 <boygonbad@aol.com>
Message-ID: <YCaT2.43$hU2.3368@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 145239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Gary Coffman wrote in message <3728b467.399868377@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
|>The machining of Bird line section castings isn't very tightly
>controlled (a small difference in insertion depth of the slug makes
>a pretty large difference in the indicated power).

Very true Gary, I have notice this as well with different line sections

1482. Inventor of Oscilloscope Shared Nobel w/ Marconi

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <wd1v-2004992159040001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 145240

Dr. Karl Ferdinand Braun

1850 - 1918

The German physicist Karl Ferdinand Braun, b. June 6, 1850, d. Apr. 20, 1918, shared the 1909 Nobel Prize for physics with Guglielmo Marconi for his work in developing the radio.

Braun, who spent his career as a professor of physics at German universities, increased the range of Marconi's transmitter, invented the crystal rectifier (a device that allows current to flow in only one direction, and improves radio transmission), and later invented the oscilloscope, a cathode-ray-tube laboratory device that was the forerunner of today's television and radar tubes.

Source: The New Grolier Multimedia Encyclopedia

Although German physicist Braun's main contributions were in pure science, he is best known for developing the first cathode-ray (the 'Braun tube') oscilloscope in 1897. This device produced line graphs of rapidly varying electrical signals and was the ancestor of today's television screen.

In 1909 Karl Braun was awarded the Nobel Prize, along with his colaureate, Guglielmo Marconi, for "contributions to the development of wireless telegraphy."

Source: Samsung - Salute the Inventors

Karl Ferdinand Braun, the german physicist, shared the Nobel Prize for Physics in 1909 with Guglielmo Marconi for the development of wireless telegraphy.

Braun received his Ph.D. from the University of Berlin in 1872. After appointments at WŸrzburg, Leipzig, Marburg, Karlsruhe, and T Yuml;bingen, he became director of the Physical Institute and professor of physics at the University of Strasbourg in 1895.

Braun was recognized by the Nobel committee for his improvement of Marconi's transmitting system. In early wireless transmission, the antenna was directly in the power circuit and broadcasting was limited to a range of about 15 kilometres. Braun solved this problem by producing a sparkless antenna circuit (patented in 1899) that linked transmitter power to the antenna circuit inductively.

This invention greatly increased the broadcasting range of a transmitter and has been applied to radar, radio, and television. Braun's discovery of crystalline materials that act as rectifiers, allowing current to flow in one direction only, led to the development of crystal radio receivers.

Braun is also known as the developer of the cathode-ray oscilloscope. He demonstrated the first oscilloscope (Braun tube) in 1897, after work on high-frequency alternating currents. Cathode-ray tubes had previously been characterized by uncontrolled rays; Braun succeeded in producing a narrow stream of electrons, guided by means of alternating voltage, that could trace patterns on a fluorescent screen. This invention, the forerunner of the television tube and radarscope, also became an important laboratory research instrument.

Braun traveled to New York City in 1915 to testify in a radio-related patent case. He was detained there because of his German citizenship when the U.S. entered World War I in 1917; he died before the war ended.

Source: Bellingham Radio Museum

Karl Ferdinand Braun (b. June 6, 1850, Fulda, Hesse-Kassel d. April 20, 1918, Brooklyn N.Y., U.S.), German physicist who shared the Nobel Prize for Physics in 1909 with Guglielmo Marconi for the development of wireless telegraphy.

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Source: Britannica On Line

Electronic television used a cathode-ray tube to produce a better picture. The cathode-ray tube was invented in 1897 by the German scientist Karl Braun. It used electrons. These are the very tiny particles that circle around the center of an atom. When they break away from the atom, they form a flow of electrons that we call electric current.

Braun has discovered that a stream of electrons would make a screen coated with fluorescent material glow with light. This stream of electrons, called a cathode ray, could be focused to a point at the end of the tube. In other words, it could be used to reproduce the points of light and dark in a picture of a person or an object, such as those in a photograph.

Source:
http://www.databahn.net/library/inet/history/tv/page3.html

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John D. Seney, WD1V [FN42]
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v/index.html

1483. Test Message, Just Ignore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: XYZZY <rundy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <371D430E.309575CD@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145241

OK, So I'm just seeing if I can post here or not.

1484. Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <n5jim@texas.net>
Message-ID: <371D51E2.1DE38DCB@texas.net>
Source record: 145242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I just bought a Yaesu FT100 from AES.
First impression of the radio was good. Works great on HF (40M and 75M
)
I entered some local repeater frequencies and scanned for awhile. When
the radio stopped on a couple of repeaters, I noticed that the signal
strength was less than half of what I had gotten on other radios hooked
up to the same antenna (Comet dual band ground plane @ 70" on top of
tower).
Repeaters that normally were full scale are now S-9 on the FT100. I
looked all through the menu to see if I had some attenuation on but
there is no way to attenuate the receiver on 2M. I also read all through
the manual, but did not find anything on changing the sensitivity of the
receiver on VHF. The receiver on VHF and UHF is very dead. My wife was
about 200 yards down the street in her mobile (50 Watts) and I was
only getting 40 over S-9, the signal should have been FULL SCALE and
then some.

Has anyone else experienced this problem wit the FT100's receiver ?
I plan on calling Yaesu tomorrow about the dead receive on the radio.

Thanks in advance,

Jim N5JIM

1485. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371D581C.5DA4@wt.net>
Source record: 145243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Bloom wrote:

> Failures can occur in driver and PA stages that cause massive IMD and
> other nasty effects; filters would have no effect on that.

But thats not wide, thats distortion.

> All well and good, but what if the signal's dirty coming into the amp?
> What if it's the exciter that's the problem? I had a TS-930 with a PA
> that became unstable when operated on 30 meters, spewing garbage all
> around the operating frequency. The only visible indication was a
> certain sluggishness in the meter readings during keying. I probably
> never would have noticed it on SSB. (See, folks, CW does have it uses!
But did it take an OO notice to become aware of this? If that happened,
the first person I talked to would let me know. No need for an OO. I
would have started checking when I noticed the funky meter readings.

> Good! But if you did get an OO notice, wouldn't you at least check your
> signal?
of course, but I check my signal every day. I'll find any problems way
before a OO would have to get involved. Actually, my signal is checked
every time I get on the radio. I've got scopes too if I get curious. If
I have a problem , I have no shortage of people who will be glad to let
me know I have a problem. But if I got a OO notice that just stated I
was "wide", I'd probably wouldn't give it too much thought unless he
explained how he came to that conclusion. The person I was refering to
had no problems with his rig. MK
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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1486. send me your URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan.Cindric@g-box.fido.hr
Message-ID: <24f_9904211630@g-box.fido.hr>
Source record: 145244

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* Crossposted from: HamRadio.38 (CroatiaNet)

Hi,
If you are (HAM) amateurradio and have personal home page.
Go to my home page ,and send me your URL and I will add
your url on my home page.
http://members.tripod.com/~CindricI

73 de 9A6GPP
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- Fidonet: Ivan Cindric 2:381/102 -
- Standard disclaimer: The views of this user are strictly his own. -
- G-Box, Samobor, Croatia +385 1 78-38-66 -
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1487. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P.I.G. Pride Integrity and Guts" <ka9dhz@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fgh9cbkq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145283

Hey; I completely agree with Marty and Rich here. I heard the "racist" comments. They were taken out of context and refered to low life individuals not any certain race.

I monitor 75meters nightly while on the job.

Ive not heard racism from OTK. A bit abrasive yes.
Poke fun at the south and hillbillys yes. Rascist
no.

The OO can be used just like orchestrated complaints to the fcc.There needs to be an element of proof.

To me hearing a jammer ,jamming with an open mike while talking to un unlicesed operator on the phone is sufficent for me to believe I know where it was coming from.But I dont know what standards of proof the less kid and less gentle FCC will have.

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1488. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P.I.G. Pride Integrity and Guts" <ka9dhz@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fghfobtl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145284

Rich These clowns are orchestrating complaints and charges against you.The truth is not of any weighty concideration to them.

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1489. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fgkb4eei1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7f92rf$883$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <3717dccb.15968757@news.webspan.net>,
> kb2ms@webspan.net (kb2ms) wrote:
> > On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 23:49:01 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > no such word as irregardless.
>
> This can be debated. See below. We need W2ILP to weigh in here.

OK I'll bite. True there is no such a word as IRREGARDLESS because regardless
if there was, it would have to mean "without being without regard" which would
mean WITH REGARD...regardless. I don't need the dictionaries for this one..It
is a very common error based on little regard for double negation.

> > >Irregardless, FCC is full of shit in your case. Had we been graced with a
>
> What the heck does irregardless mean, anyway?

I answered above.

What I really shouldn't bite on is the title of this thread BUT as you can
expect I will try to answer that question. I was going to stay away from this
foolish thread BUT "irregardless" got me in.

YES...There are Jewish racists...There are also Jewish anti-racists...There
are Jews who exploit Blacks and there are Jews who help Blacks. There are
also Jews who are Black. Many Blacks believe that ex-Mayor Kotch, who is a
Jew, did more to help them than the present Mayor who is of Italian decent
and ex-Mayor Dinkins who is Black [but visited Isreal to try to get Jews to
vote for him]. I don't live in New York City. I live about 45 miles away but
I used to live in New York City in multi-racial neighborhoods. I wouldn't
mind living in New York if there was stricter gun control. I'm not against
any race that is unarmed. Incidently if you want to talk about New York
City;..Blacks have not only taken over what was once was mainly Jewish
neighborhoods, they have taken over what once was mainly Italian
neighborhoods and what once was mainly Irish neighborhoods, and what once was
mainly German neighborhoods...and Puerto Ricans came and the Blacks took over
some of their neighborhoods and then the Puerto Ricans took some of their old
neighborhoods back from the Blacks. It is not all racial...IMHO a lot has to
do with economics. Even that it is a debatable subject because there are
still many Jews in New York City...Some are too poor to move...Others are
rich enough to have body guards. New York City is getting so multicultural
that the Chinese restaurants, where Jews used to get Wonton soup with
Kreplach like mother used to make, are now selling Wonton soul soup with
chitlins. You have to go to California to get real authentic Chinese soups.

I don't think that religion or race or nationality has anything to do with being Jewish. I could be a Jewish atheist or a Black Jew or a Greek Jew...If my mom was Jewish and I was circumsized I would still officially be Jewish. I hope you learned something from that....because being Jewish is not necessarily being religious or being a member of any special racial group (lots of Roman Caucasians have long noses and Arabs are Semites) or being an Israeli national...Being a Real Jew is being a part of the JEWISH CULTURE...It is not easily defined and often debated...Like being a REAL HAM.

Regards...not regardless.
PLEASE keep accurately defining,
Hams need more license classes,
I never met a Ham I didn't like of any race, creed, color or nationality,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Irregardless Logically Pollutes)
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Voice on the telephone: Are you Jewish?
Cohen: Not necessarily.
--Old Joke--

All Italians don't have noses like Jimmy Durante.
All Jews don't have noses like Barbra Striesand.
All Hams don't have antenna towers.
....BUT some do....regardless.
--w2ilp--

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1490. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fgnel$h2v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145286

In article <7fgdpe$39o@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> > jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> >> Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>
> >> >Jeff, that's a BIG stretch ... what about the JA hams who have
> >> >HF access with no code? Not to mention the fact that, even in
> >> >third world countries, the hams for the most part have modern
> >> >store-bought appliances, just like most US hams.
>
> >> Each nation is free to set its own licensing standards apart from
> >> what the ITU recommends. But if you look closely at the JA's
> >> code-free license, you'll see it's quite restrictive regarding
> >> frequencies, power, and type of communications; its restrictions
> >> are not unlike those of our Citizens Radio Service.
>
> >Jeff, you've said this before. Could you verify if they are limited to
27
> >MHz, or are they on the ham bands? If they're restricted to the citizens
> >band, then your comment is valid. If they are on the ham bands, then your
> >comment should be modified. Is their No-code HF license as restrictive as our
> >Coded Novice? That would be a more valid comparison.
>
> Their 4th Class restricted radiotelephone ham license limits them to
> 10w or less to the antenna on amateur frequencies between 21 and 28 MHz,
> and below 8 MHz, and to 20W or less to the antenna on frequencies above
> 30 MHz. (I was originally told that no intercommunication with hams
> outside of JA-land was permitted, but I'm having trouble documenting
> that.)
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O
>
> (Thank-you, Jon Bloom!)
>

Jeff, I've made thousands of contacts with JA's from Guam, and am still
getting cards from Dec89 - Dec91. I'm sure many of them were the
"No-Coders." I hope that I was not invlved in illegal communications. Very
polite operators, none the less. There are many many many amateur operators
in the states that voluntarily restrict themselves to low power operation.
They would probably scoff that 10 (and 20 watts) are unnecessary QRO. It
looks to me like your comparison of the JA no-code HF license and our CB band
is not valid. Before you poohpooh the JA-NC-HF license as like our CB, you

might want to present all of the information and see if anyone else sees it that way. 73, Brian/N0iMD

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1491. for Sale YAesu FT 5200 dule Bander

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <371dd0e9.1012969@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145287

selling a Yaesu ft 5200 yaesu 2meter 440 MHZ very good cond...
have all boxex and manuals... price is 300.00 firm plus shipping
email me if you want a duel bander which the face comes off also
you can buy a remote kit for this also and also comes with lighted mic

1492. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fgksm$87i@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145288

Joe Schlatter <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
>do what I want to with it." I am mainly a CW and VHF/UHF operator; the air
>is a lot cleaner in the CW segments.

Amen, Joe. None of the garbage heard on the phone portions of the bands ever occurs in the CW portions. Eliminating HF phone would solve all the current behavioral problems.

Hey, there's an interesting penalty the FCC could apply to the law-breakers: Remove their phone privileges for say, five years.

73, Jeff KH6O

1493. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fgle5$8kq@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7faqt9$9fn$1@news.orbitworld.net>, Jones <nomail@nomail.com> wrote:
>
>99% of Usenet is anonymous.

Where'd you get that figure? Did you poll all half-million newsgroups?

>Only ham groups seem to want to identify themselves.

Peruse the sci.* hierarchy -- it will be a rare poster who won't be
proud to append his name, title, and address to his contribution.

73, Jeff KH6O

1494. Re: Looking for family type handheld radios.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990419221629.20634.00002839@ng105.aol.com>
Source record: 145290

>I'm looking for a few hand held radios for general use: hiking, driving
>in multiple cars, etc. I have tried the Wal-Mart variety (I think
>they're Motorola's) and they just didn't have enough power to cover the
>distance or work around buildings, etc. I think they only put out 1/2
>watt. I know very little about these things, so I'm not sure what to
>look for. Radio Shack has similar FM radios but they are still at 1/2
>watt.

All of the FRS radios are a maximum of 1/2 watt, by law. Allow me to disagree with another poster who suggested obtaining an Amateur license. Everyone in the group would have to obtain an Amateur license, and that is not practical. One of the neat things about FRS is that you can use them for family outings, car-to-car as the scout troop goes to a camp-out, etc. Nobody has to be licensed. The trade-off, of course, is a limited range of 1 to 2 miles.

The CB radios will not give much more range, and you will suffer interference from more powerful stations. You and your group may be astounded at the language you hear and the interruptions to your conversations. The antennas are more awkward and the battery consumption is high.

Stay away from the marine radios unless you are involved in a boating situation. People involved in the safety of life and property at sea and on inland bodies of water (and this includes the Coast Guard Auxillary) take a dim view of non-boating interests using marine frequencies and disrupting the "band-plan".

That leaves two options which are similar. The FCC allows handheld radios on VHF and UHF for "business" purposes. There also is a band on UHF (called GMRS) for personal/family use. These radios cost from $150 to $250 each and give a two to five mile range. One also pays a fee of $75 for a five-year license.

A newsgroup exists to assist folks in making these kinds of decisions. It is called alt.radio.family. Although some of the participants are hams and/or CB operators, that is a coincidence. The real purpose is to compare "family" style radios for range, battery life, ease of use (skiing is a popular utilization), and accessories.

We invite you to drop by and tell the group more about your specific situation--buildings to get through, hiking/driving distances, etc. Just remember this old rule of radio: No matter how far it talks, it isn't QUITE far enough! People always want just a little more! (grin)

Best regards,
K5PF

1495. Re: Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Horn <jimhorn@svn.net>
Message-ID: <371bf35c.0@news1.svn.net>
Source record: 145291
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Another approach I've resorted to is, if replacing tabbed batteries, to remove the tabs from the old cells and weld them onto the new ones. To do the welding I charged a low inductance 30,000 uF 25 VDC electrolytic, connected it to the tab and the battery case, and pressed the tab to the case. It welded firmly with a bang.

Of course, take the standard precautions, and all that. Good luck!

Jim Horn WB9SYN/6

1496. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fgu8clna0@208.207.71.169>
Source record: 145292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
I live about 45 miles away but
> I used to live in New York City in multi-racial neighborhoods. I wouldn't
> mind living in New York if there was stricter gun control. I'm not against
> any race that is unarmed.

Gee Bob...I thoght that New York City had the strictest
gun control laws in the land. I guess that just goes to show
that laws don't mean much to people who just don't care
whether or not they abide by them.
I spent a bit o'time in the Big Apple while stationed at
Fort Monmouth, and I sailed from there on a troopship,
returned on another and was discharged at Fort Hamilton,
Brooklyn. Biggest scare I got there was once when I thought
a cop was gonna shoot the driver of the bus I was on, who
ignored his traffic hand signal...

Eariler this month the citizens of Missouri held a
statewide referendum to vote on whether or not to make
available to well screened citizens the opportunity to be
issued a permit by the county sheriff to carry a concealed
firearm. The vote passed overwhelmingly in over 100 of 110
counties but was defeated by large margins in StLouis and
Kansas City-where a large majority of voters are minorities
- where violant crime is most often encountered and where
criminals abound who use concealed firearms with no regard
to legalities. Where citizens would be most likely to,
rationally, feel the need to arm themselves against this
criminal element. Yet the law was rejected because of the
large negative minority city vote. Makes it look like those
folks are going to carry their guns illegally and they and
their kin voted to make sure that lawabiding persons remain
prohibited from defending themselves-against the very
"majority" who voted to keep it that way.. Doesn't that tell
us a very compelling story?

Sure glad I don't have to live in one of our cities,
either. Gun control or not. We've had a state prohibition
against carrying concealed weapons since 1876, the days of
Jesse James and his gang. Doesn't seem to have helped much.
Better that the crooks think that every prospective victim
is a potential killer, too, whether he/she is or not. Which
is exactly what the minorities voted AGAINST.

Dick W0EX
FISTS #3939
BIT #0003

1497. FS Saber 1 uhf 12ch $240 w/2batt.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: xeon <xeon@ultinet.net>
Message-ID: <371BFDF9.E6BF45B9@ultinet.net>
Source record: 145293

Saber 1 uhf 12ch
6D core, H/pwr, non secure
Model # H44SAN7139CN
comes w/ 1 batt.motorola used (not so good)
plus 1 brand-new batt motorola (7.2v @ 1800 ma)
& ant. the shape of the radio is in
good shape I'll give it a 7.

*** Note ****

Asking $240.+ you paid for S+H

**** Need to read radio for band spread ? ****
Don't know band spread!

I'm not going to paid someone $40 or $30 so i can read
the radio. If I'm not going to kept it.

Then i used my scanner to see what were the
CH. And this is what i found.

Ch. 1 447.285
Ch. 2 449.925
Ch. 3 460.000
Ch. 4 460.500
Ch. 5 449.125
Ch. 6 447.125
Ch. 7 --- Blank
Ch. 8 --- Blank
Ch. 9 --- Blank
Ch. 10 --- Blank
Ch. 11 --- Blank
Ch. 12 --- Blank

Save $40 or $30.

And this is why I'm selling it!
1) I got it with a trade!
2) It cost to much for me to keep this radio.
I would need a charger, software, cable,
rib box and get this a 386 computer. Ha

You can e-mail me

Xeon@ultinet.net

1498. Re: FS Saber 1 uhf 12ch $240 w/2batt.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: fubb26@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fh9rt$2p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145294

ill give you 200 dollars for it nomore no less

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1499. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Barry L. Ornitz" <ornitz+U@dpnet.net>
Message-ID: <I_US2.2858$Bm3.183705@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

William E. Sabin wrote in message <371B9007.CCDF668A@mwci.net>...
>Anthony R. Gold wrote:
>> On Sunday, in article <3719A182.52AE00AE@mwci.net>
>> sabinw@mwci.net "William E. Sabin" wrote:
>>
>> > Not so fast!
>> >
>> > Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the
"rule"
>> > it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and
it
>> > should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it
should
>> > be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.
>>
>> Why "should" the error of the first meter at 10mA be 18% or at 20mA
>> ought the error be 8%, etc.
>
>If the accuracy is "allowed" to be 3%, then officially it is "allowed" to
be 3% of
>full scale anywhere on the scale.

This is EXACTLY the statement I have been trying to convince Bill of all
along. Change the words in his previous posting and things make much more
sense. [But I still cannot duplicate his numbers exactly.]

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"rule"
>it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and it
>should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it
should
>be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.

The accuracy statement supplied by the manufacturer does not tell you what
the error is at any point. It just sets bounds on the error. A corrected
wording _might_ be:

At 10 mA the actual error is 5%, and according to the manufacturers
accuracy statement, it could be as high as 15%, if it is a 3% of full-scale
meter. At 20 mA the actual error is 1.5% but it could be as high as 7.5%.
For the second mneter at 25 mA, the error is 4.2% but it could be as high
as 8%
based only on the full scale accuracy of 1%.

>Example: A 0 to 100 meter is rated at 3% of full scale. This means that at
100 it
>"can be" 97 to 103, which is 3% of full scale. But that also means that at
20 it
>"can be" between 17 and 23, which is not 3% but 15%. Or at 10 it "can be"
between
>7 and 13, which is 30%.

Which is the point Roy Lewallen made.

>Any worthwhile 3% panel meter that I have ever worked with is a lot better
than
>that.
>
>If a meter *just barely* meets that spec and is no better than that, then
as I
>said, at lower readings the errors "should be" the larger numbers. That
statement
>was correct. The cheaper junk meters do exactly that and no more, so that
the meter
>is not very good except close to full scale.

No, at lower readings the errors do not _have_ to be larger numbers. But
they _CAN_ be and still meet the full scale specification.

>If you read my writeup more carefully, I am saying that meters in practice
are not
>built that way, and the data that I gave for two old knocked-around meters
is a
>very good example.
>
>> I think you have totally missed Roy's point.
>
>I think you are totally missing my point. The specification is standard
practice,
>but a meter that does nothing more than meet the bare minimum advertised
definition
>of "full scale accuracy" is not one that I would buy if I can find
something that
>goes the extra mile and tries to get a better "average % accuracy" over
"most" of
>the scale. And you may be sure that I can in fact do just that. Read my
post again
>(the part that you deleted from your reply).
>
>The "% of full scale" spec is a tradition, and anyone just barely meeting
the spec
>will not go to jail, but he will not compete with those who do a much
better design
>and test job for the same sell price. I'm not talking about $1000
laboratory things
>in walnut cases, just ordinary $80 taut band panel meters.

>
>These days an automated test station could take data points (using a computerized
>optical reader), calculate a linear regression and the standard deviations, min
>and max errors etc. and possibly tweak the meter mechanism (or reject it) in just
>15 seconds. The old traditional "% of full scale" spec is a lousy way to do
>business since it permits a lousy result.

Which was my contention all along...

>Bill W0IYH

There is a small enough amount of data here that it can be done by hand. Taking the first meter, for example, we can either fit the best straight line though the data points, or if we assume the meter was properly zeroed first, we can force our calibration to go through zero. Doing the latter gives:

Predicted_Value = 0.97213 * (Meter_Reading)

Without forcing the calibration to go through zero gives:

Predicted_Value = 0.98537 * (Meter_Reading) + 0.47205

If you look at the errors between these predicted values and the actual values, you will still find the worst error at the 5 mA reading. On the 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 mA points on the scale, the above equations come to within 2.5% - an excellent meter. But you cannot read into this data that which is not there. Is the meter nonlinear below 10 mA, or is the 5 mA point just a bad reading? You can say only with further testing, not with this data.

But again, with only the 3% of full scale statement to work with, you would never know this. Bill said he had his meter checked against a calibrated Boonton RF voltmeter. So he can say with certainty that his meter is good over the range he checked. Another meter may not be nearly as accurate as his, yet it still meet Bird's 5% of full scale accuracy.

73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net

1500. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371C246E.8D7@wt.net>
Source record: 145296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Bloom wrote:
>
> I'd do the same, but I'd check my equipment first because, you know, he
> just might be right.

Pretty unlikely with a modern radio. Flattopping, etc, maybe, but I doubt wide. The filters shouldn't let this happen. Like trying to pour 40 gallons a minute from a 2 liter coke bottle opening. In my case, I'm ultra carefull, I run mild audio and load my amps to the gills for linearity. My Icom is incapable of overdrive/splatter as it doesn't put out enough to overdrive my amp. The 830 I have to watch a bit more. It can't really overdrive with it either, but it gets close. Again, my audio is mild so no real problem. My amp is always loaded for max output , so linearity no problem even on a strong voice peak. Also my amp is on stiff 240 and has quite a stiff power supply so has the headroom to run clean on heavy peaks. The max grid drive specified by henry for my amp is 270 mils. I'm usually more like 200-220. 270 is a bit too much I think. At that level you are nearly saturating the pair of 3-500z's. Usually if I were to have a problem, I'll know it before the OO has a chance to hear it. But, hummmm, I've never had problems like that. And have never had a OO notice. I'm mister clean. I hate a nasty overdriven signal. :) MK.

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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1501. See my bolocks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Lythall <a@sm0vpo.8m.com.spam>
Message-ID: <01be8b07$a7844cd0$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>
Source record: 145297

Quite a few practical circuits and technical info in my building blocks
section.

http://sm0vpo.8m.com/ Main page
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/3569/ Mirror in the USA
http://hem2.passagen.se/sm0vpo Mirror in Europe
http://members.xoom.com/sm0vpo Mirror in Far-East
http://www.insidetheweb.com/mbs.cgi/mb426630 Message Board

1502. Re: Kenwood TK-930 and 940 Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barbara Cunningham <cbe@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <371C3D05.235621A0@mediaone.net>
Source record: 145298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HI Don My name is Ed. the Kenwood programming cable has a small SMD board
built into it so you just can't make a standard pin out cable to fit it
will not work. Ed.

"Donald E. Smith" wrote:

> Is there anybody out there with a manual for the Kenwood TK Series. I
> need the pinout of the mike connector to make up a programming cable.
> Please respond by email. Thanks Don KB6GQA

1503. Good-Bye Traffic As SVA Athens

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7fhhftekl1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 145299
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Special Amateur Good-Bye Traffic As SVA Athens, Greek Coastal
Station, Discontiues Regular Morse Service

As SVA, the coastal radio station of Athens, Greece, terminates its
regular service in Morse code, a special Good-Bye activity is being
held on that occasion every weekend of April.
The Greek administration issued the special call SZ1SVA for that kind
of traffic by SVA.
As in most countries amateurs are restricted to traffic with amateurs
only, we - after having received an advice by the German
administration - strongly recommend that amateur should address the
coastal station by its special amateur call ONLY. The German
administration pointet out that other traffic would be illegal
traffic under the terms of an amateur license.
For more information have a look at http://www.muenster.org/dtc
(click on "News" there) to get all you need for that cross-band
activity.
We express our best wishes to our friends of the Greek Telegraphy
Club for all their work to get that special activity going and hope
that all who like to make a QSO and get the special QSL card will
succeed.

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
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| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

1504. Mackay radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: randycampbell@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fhn6c$bh0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145300

Anybody ever heard of a Mackay 5050A High Frequency reciever or have any idea of it's worth?

thanks

Randy

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1505. Re: Needed: Meter for Gonset GSB-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <9nZS2.2887$Bm3.189272@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145301
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Are you still using the GSB-100 on the air? A plate meter? I'll bet that most of the folks reading your post have never seen a plate meter! .... :-) :-)

I should talk -- I'm still using a SB-101 -- and thinking about upgrading to a KWM-2!!!

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

Mike de Wey wrote in message <924590148.666.69@news.remarQ.com>...
>I have a need for the plate meter for a Gonset GSB-100 transmitter. Please
>state condition and price. Prefer e-mail if possible.
>
>Thanks
>WB6VSE/Mike
>
>

1506. ICOM F3S - comments wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bjorn Olav Bakka <bob@sintef.no>
Message-ID: <924608011.746952@halvan.trd.sintef.no>
Source record: 145302

Hi

I am looking for a ICOM F3S.
Does anyone have any experience with it?
Doens anybody have a knowledge of how it is possible to program without
getting in contact with a dealer?

Bjorn

1507. Re: Mackay radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <c9_S2.2893$Bm3.190597@news20.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145303

Randy:

I have never used one but the Mackay receivers are commercial, maritime, and military grade receivers, used in applications that require stability and high reliability. Built like a bank vault. I suspect that, new, they cost several thousand each.

A lot of that commercial gear was intended to be used on a small number of fixed frequencies, without a lot of tuning around. If you are looking at one, be certain to get a complete set of manuals with it and take it for a test drive for a few days, if possible. I am familiar with the Racal gear that the Army uses in radio intercept and, while it's great stuff, it's really not suited for amateur application -- not easy to tune and manipulate because it's mainly intended to sit on one freq and listen -- or scan a set of freqs, not tune around like we do.
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Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
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idea
>of it's worth?
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>thanks
>
>Randy
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>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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1508. Re: The Truth About The OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25888-371C5E40-9@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145304

KA9DHZ:

We've been through this before with your failed attempt to defend OTK's vulgar actions.

Please tell me how the terms "spear chucker" , "brillo pad" and "jigger-boo" refer to "low lifes" and NOT to a certain racial group.

The answer is: you CAN'T!

1509. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <371C6E30.F8FFD098@arrl.org>
Source record: 145305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Keith wrote:
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> Jon Bloom wrote:
> >
> > I'd do the same, but I'd check my equipment first because, you know, he
> > just might be right.
>
> Pretty unlikely with a modern radio. Flattopping, etc, maybe, but I
> doubt wide. The filters shouldn't let this happen.

Failures can occur in driver and PA stages that cause massive IMD and
other nasty effects; filters would have no effect on that.

[snip]
> think. At that level you are nearly saturating the pair of 3-500z's.
> Usually if I were to have a problem, I'll know it before the OO has a
> chance to hear it.

All well and good, but what if the signal's dirty coming into the amp?
What if it's the exciter that's the problem? I had a TS-930 with a PA
that became unstable when operated on 30 meters, spewing garbage all
around the operating frequency. The only visible indication was a
certain sluggishness in the meter readings during keying. I probably
never would have noticed it on SSB. (See, folks, CW does have it uses!
:)

> But, hummmm, I've never had problems like that. And
> have never had a OO notice. I'm mister clean. I hate a nasty overdriven
> signal. :) MK.

Good! But if you did get an OO notice, wouldn't you at least check your
signal?

Jon
--
Jon Bloom, KE3Z
jbloom@arrl.org
Electronic Publications Manager
(CD-ROM publications, software products and Web site)

1510. Re: Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "KF4FDJ (Mike in Ft. Myers, FL)" <seven77@gate.net>
Message-ID: <371C72AE.BB5C43@gate.net>
Source record: 145306
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Bob,

We have a franchise here in Fort Myers called Batteries Plus. They have
a spot welding machine for batteries. They have "rebuilt" several of my
battery packs over the years for far less than a new OEM version. If
you have a franchise near you, I'll bet they'd tack them for you.

73, Mike

> Rob Frohne wrote in message ...
> >Hi All,
> >
> >I've been trying in vain to find someone who can weld some solder tabs on
> >about 30 NiMH cells I want to use. Is there anywhere that I could send
> >these batteries to get this service performed at a reasonable cost?
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >Rob

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| 3 |=|d| * AO10, AO27, FO20, FO29, RS13, RS15, MIR, E Layer *
| D | |j| * Bringing Oscar demos to the Lee County Schools. *
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/*X*\ | | * Black holes were created when God divided by zero. *
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1511. Re: Mackay radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: randycampbell@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fhvjf$j41$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145307

Thanks Joe. What's happened is I lucked into a sale from the Corps of Engineers where I picked up 3 of the receivers, a couple of transmitters, power units, an old XT computer for message logging, manuals, cabinets, microphones, etc. I was just trying to figure out what to do with it.

Randy

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1512. Re: you all stupes. rich Wb2otk dont hate niggars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fhvt7$j9g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145308

In article <7fe4mp$7i3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
What a loser I would figure that he would fit right on in with PORKBUTT. What
a loser! DoNkBoy99 get a life you are a loser just like PORKBUTT! ME

> you all stupes an all that shit. cause rich no raceist not a bit. He a
> jewdish jus like rich say. you all ginst the jewdish ever one a you an all
> that shit. you all mad cause rich beet the FTC for. he gone beet them agin
> jus like rich say. He has 3.1 in bank an stray A dawter an playboy cent her
> fold wife an purr bread dog an all that shit. He beet this rap jus like all
> the others an all that shit. the smart peeples in worlt such like me no ready
> that a jewdish cant be no raceist cause it ginst there reel legion. the
> niggars hate them an all that shit. the jewdish dont hate them back not a
> bit. the jewdish even rents to the niggar an that proofs they dont hate the
> niggars. in all realism the jewdish like the niggar an all that shit. rich
> an phil good frens so that can sells any thing rich say an all that shit.
> wont Mr ridley hollandworts be pissed when N9Gor teste flys on richs count an
> all that shit??????????? You all the stupest bunts a andy cemites need o
> NaZi bad hams from 3950 jus like rich say. they scart a rich on that channal
> calls him the Jewdish PorkBut an all that shit. when is Mr. ridley gone go
> get them????? for they say it okay to be smelting the jewdish in the oven an
> all that shit. I here them say they give Porkbut what the olt which try to
> give Hands All an Gret Tall.they say they want to make porkbut in to ginger
> bred for the hoggs an all that shit. Now is that rite????????? evry body no
> they bin oparatin with in puny tea up on 3950 an all that shit. who gone stop
> them NaZi????? rich an doc are only ones tuff nuff stop them skin heds jus
> like rich say. You all be sorry big time when they goof steps down your blok.
> They be sing in Walter Millar songs an all that shit. drink you beer an
> screws yor women folk like they did in Rust Yuh an the Ball Cans. Your stupe
> ass be put in a box car an sends to the gin ger bred oven an all that shit.
> All be cause you went ginst rich Wb2oTk just like rich say. See it is like
> this. I no what I am say in. you can ask any one bout me. I dont hate the
> niggars nether. We has niggars here they all rite by me most a them. Few a
> them like rich say are jungel bunnys an spear chuker ports monkies. Most a
> them o.k. by me. they mines there own bizzy nest. some them on crack cocane
> an all that shit. we got wite niggars here to jus like rich say. I was
> temper airy maryed to a wite niggar. she was no gud an all that shit. she
> charred my Mastar Cart way up an all that shit. so that proofs she a wite
> niggar. that proofs what wB2otk say that wite niggar bad as black niggar an
> all that shit. I will teste fly to that bout wite niggars. her bruthers
all
> wite niggars to live in trayler parks with come on law wifes. so I kick that
> bits out my place for ever an for life an all that shit. the state want money
> from me an all that shit for chilt sport. rich will win like he all ways do.
> you all stupes can cry bout it all you want. I be laffin at you all stupes

> BWAAA HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAH. rich gone win!!!!!
BWAAAAAAAA
> HA HA HA HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA. too bat for you white niggars an all that shit.
> You all jus W.T.I.A. an all that shit jus like rich say. When i done
> astronot skool i jam your white niggar asses from out her space.
>
> pilot J
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1513. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <371c7991.1947636@news.mint.net>
Source record: 145309

I am a "no-code" licensee. Just because I have no desire to upgrade
beyond where I am doesn't mean I am any less an amateur operator. I
have a license from the FCC just like you coders have. If you want to
claim no-coders have their heads up there asses, I suspect you have
yours further up your own ass - your attitudes prove it.

Kevin

On Mon, 19 Apr 1999 18:40:28 -0600, AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net> wrote:

>JustKev wrote:
>>
>> Let's put all the idiots in one class.....
>>
>> On Sun, 18 Apr 1999 05:20:38 -0700, Karl Fuller <karljb@earthlink.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >i agree we should abolish the no code ham. lwets put all the no codes in
>> >one class and all the coded hams in another and then count the heads.the
>> >one that has the most should ruel. does that sound fair?
>> >
>> >CWnotCB wrote:
>> >
>> >> And stop all attempts to lessen licensing standards!
>> >>
>> >> http://www.freeyellow.com/members5/cw-forever
>> >
>> >
>Count the heads,I think not,it's what's in the heads that counts.Besides
>it would be unfair to the no codes as there heads may be missed while
>they are in their normal position(up their XXX).Tracy

1514. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: 10-7 <boygonbad@aol.com>
Message-ID: <74%S2.604$I11.46130@news3.voicenet.com>
Source record: 145310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

People keep refering to the meter movements accuracy , I question the slugs, check from one to the next . What good does the meters accuracy mean If my slug reads higher than someone elses slug , I guess now there is now 2 things to consider with regards of accuracy, the meter movement and the slug. Again, either you guys dont own more than one slug of the same value or even different values to really see what a differance there really are between the slugs

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Barry L. Ornitz wrote in message ...
>
>William E. Sabin wrote in message <371B9007.CCDF668A@mwci.net>...
>>Anthony R. Gold wrote:
>>> On Sunday, in article <3719A182.52AE00AE@mwci.net>
>>> sabinw@mwci.net "William E. Sabin" wrote:
>>>
>>> > Not so fast!
>>> >
>>> > Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the
>"rule"
>>> > it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and
>it
>>> > should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it
>should
>>> > be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.
>>>
>>> Why "should" the error of the first meter at 10mA be 18% or at 20mA
>>> ought the error be 8%, etc.
>>
>>If the accuracy is "allowed" to be 3%, then officially it is "allowed" to
>be 3% of
>>full scale anywhere on the scale.
>
>
>This is EXACTLY the statement I have been trying to convince Bill of all
>along. Change the words in his previous posting and things make much more
>sense. [But I still cannot duplicate his numbers exactly.]
>
>>Look at the first meter. At 10 mA the error is 5% and according to the
>"rule"
>>it should be 18%, if it is a 3% meter. At 20 mA the error is 1.5% and it
>>should be 8.0%. For the second meter at 25 mA the error is 4.2% and it

>should
>>be 8.0% if it is a 1% meter.
>
>The accuracy statement supplied by the manufacturer does not tell you what
>the error is at any point. It just sets bounds on the error. A corrected
>wording _might_ be:
>
>At 10 mA the actual error is 5%, and according to the manufacturers
>accuracy statement, it could be as high as 15%, if it is a 3% of full-scale
>meter. At 20 mA the actual error is 1.5% but it could be as high as 7.5%.
>For the second mneter at 25 mA, the error is 4.2% but it could be as high
>as 8%
>based only on the full scale accuracy of 1%.
>
>>Example: A 0 to 100 meter is rated at 3% of full scale. This means that at
>100 it
>>"can be" 97 to 103, which is 3% of full scale. But that also means that at
>20 it
>>"can be" between 17 and 23, which is not 3% but 15%. Or at 10 it "can be"
>between
>>7 and 13, which is 30%.
>
>Which is the point Roy Lewallen made.
>
>>Any worthwhile 3% panel meter that I have ever worked with is a lot better
>than
>>that.
>>
>>If a meter *just barely* meets that spec and is no better than that, then
>as I
>>said, at lower readings the errors "should be" the larger numbers. That
>statement
>>was correct. The cheaper junk meters do exactly that and no more, so that
>the meter
>>is not very good except close to full scale.
>
>
>No, at lower readings the errors do not _have_ to be larger numbers. But
>they _CAN_ be and still meet the full scale specification.
>
>>If you read my writeup more carefully, I am saying that meters in practice
>are not
>>built that way, and the data that I gave for two old knocked-around meters
>is a
>>very good example.
>>
>>> I think you have totally missed Roy's point.
>>
>>I think you are totally missing my point. The specification is standard
>practice,

>>but a meter that does nothing more than meet the bare minimum advertised
>definition
>>of "full scale accuracy" is not one that I would buy if I can find
>something that
>>goes the extra mile and tries to get a better "average % accuracy" over
>"most" of
>>the scale. And you may be sure that I can in fact do just that. Read my
>post again
>>(the part that you deleted from your reply).
>>
>>The "% of full scale" spec is a tradition, and anyone just barely meeting
>the spec
>>will not go to jail, but he will not compete with those who do a much
>better design
>>and test job for the same sell price. I'm not talking about $1000
>laboratory things
>>in walnut cases, just ordinary $80 taut band panel meters.
>>
>>These days an automated test station could take data points (using a
>computerized
>>optical reader), calculate a linear regression and the standard
>deviations, min
>>and max errors etc. and possibly tweak the meter mechanism (or reject it)
>in just
>>15 seconds. The old traditional "% of full scale" spec is a lousy way to
>do
>>business since it permits a lousy result.
>
>Which was my contention all along...
>
>>Bill W0IYH
>
>
>There is a small enough amount of data here that it can be done by hand.
>Taking the first meter, for example, we can either fit the best straight
>line though the data points, or if we assume the meter was properly zeroed
>first, we can force our calibration to go through zero. Doing the latter
>gives:
>
> Predicted_Value = 0.97213 * (Meter_Reading)
>
>Without forcing the calibration to go through zero gives:
>
> Predicted_Value = 0.98537 * (Meter_Reading) + 0.47205
>
>If you look at the errors between these predicted values and the actual
>values, you will still find the worst error at the 5 mA reading. On the
>10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 mA points on the scale, the above equations come to
>within 2.5% - an excellent meter. But you cannot read into this data that
>which is not there. Is the meter nonlinear below 10 mA, or is the 5 mA

>point just a bad reading? You can say only with further testing, not with
>this data.
>
>But again, with only the 3% of full scale statement to work with, you would
>never know this. Bill said he had his meter checked against a calibrated
>Boonton RF voltmeter. So he can say with certainty that his meter is good
>over the range he checked. Another meter may not be nearly as accurate as
>his, yet it still meet Bird's 5% of full scale accuracy.
>
> 73, Barry L. Ornitz WA4VZQ ornitz@dpnet.net
>
>
>

1515. DoNkBoY99 is a LOOSER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoNKboY98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7fi2ae$lj6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145311

Just a quick reminder! DoNkBoY99 is a LOOSER! I just want to be sure all in the Newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.misc knew. Just incase they weren't sure I'll repete it again so all will know that that person is a complete idoit, looser, and a fool. This has been a public service announcement. from Me Where's PORKBUTT! I can't wait till he is off the air for good. When this questions asked again we can all say who cares he is off the air thats all we care about. How many CBers did you ripoff with those Texas Star amps? Porkbutt will be getting grid squares on CB radio. How do you like that Mr I I I PORKBUTT know it all

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1516. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fi1kj$n7p$2@208.207.71.162>
Source record: 145312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Keith wrote:
>
> Jon Bloom wrote:
> >
> > I'd do the same, but I'd check my equipment first because, you know, he
> > just might be right.
>
> Pretty unlikely with a modern radio. Flattopping, etc, maybe, but I
> doubt wide. The filters shouldn't let this happen. Like trying to pour
> 40 gallons a minute from a 2 liter coke bottle opening. In my case, I'm
> ultra carefull, I run mild audio and load my amps to the gills for
> linearity. My Icom is incapable of overdrive/splatter as it doesn't put
> out enough to overdrive my amp. The 830 I have to watch a bit more. It
> can't really overdrive with it either, but it gets close. Again, my
> audio is mild so no real problem. My amp is always loaded for max output
> , so linearity no problem even on a strong voice peak. Also my amp is on
> stiff 240 and has quite a stiff power supply so has the headroom to run
> clean on heavy peaks. The max grid drive specified by henry for my amp
> is 270 mils. I'm usually more like 200-220. 270 is a bit too much I
> think. At that level you are nearly saturating the pair of 3-500z's.
> Usually if I were to have a problem, I'll know it before the OO has a
> chance to hear it. But, hummmm, I've never had problems like that. And
> have never had a OO notice. I'm mister clean. I hate a nasty overdriven
> signal. :) MK.
>

But any improperly loaded amplifier is subject to be
overdriven, and therefore to generate splatter. ALC doesn't
solve the problem since it can't function until the amp is
already overdriven. It happens regularly, not everyone is
that knowledgable or conscientious about watching out for
it.
Solution: Use an amp only when really needed, and use it
carefully and intelligently. I won't use one without a
monitorscope in the output line. No, I've never been called
to task, either. I consider it the proper thing to do.

Dick W0EX
FISTS #3939
BIT #0003

1517. Yaesu FT-50R Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7fi7f7rij1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145313

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
I created a web page on the Yaesu
FT-50R/RD HT. You will find technical
stuff on there, as well as specs.,
and other info about this Dual Band
HT. The URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com/ft-50r.html

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

Webmasters: Please add me to your links
section, I will add you to my links section in return.

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1518. Re: K5BLB quits Ham Radio !! (.wav file)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01be8b38$d5ef1ec0$37afbacd@mikey>
Source record: 145314

It only lasted for about a day ! Did you really think that Sid would leave his pride and joy frequency, even chief is talking to him after being told to f-off.
The recording you posted was after Sid was talked to by the FCC and he still breaks part 97 by using foul language. When is the CIB going to do something ?
1BeefJerkey Raydo <soup2nutz@arrl.orange> wrote in article <01be8ad7$3d7f30a0$LocalHost@63d72a8307>...
> Yes. Just as Eric Cartman said: "Screw you guys, I'm pullin
> up my pants and goin home", so now apparently has Sid the
> Squid of 3950! Click on this CNN BREAKING NEWS .wav file
> attached!

1519. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <371C8EE3.4090895B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145315

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>
>
> Hey, there's an interesting penalty the FCC could apply to the law-
> breakers: Remove their phone privileges for say, five years.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

Ouch Jeff !!!! I thought you were pro CW (grin)

They would just use computer generated CW and we would now have the same garbage as we have on useless net.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

1520. Re: Amateur Radio & David Letterman

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <371C923B.A278C16C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145316

What in the heck are you talking about???

This isn't a local newsletter ya know.
If you're going to post something like this to world-wide readership,
put in some background. You think all the world lives on Long Island??

1521. Re: CW does not help stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fi557$bvc@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145317

Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>It looks to me like your comparison of the JA no-code HF license and our
>CB band is not valid. Before you poohpooh the JA-NC-HF license as like
>our CB, you might want to present all of the information and see if
>anyone else sees it that way. 73, Brian/N0iMD

You're right, Brian. My comment was unfair to our CB service. CBers here
are limited to 12W PEP, while the JA's are limited to 10W in their res-
tricted HF access, although both are phone-only.
73, Jeff KH6O

1522. Re: CW saves stranded fishermen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: robh8304@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fija8$8kd$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145318

In article <370ea7f7.103454545@news.mindspring.com>,
NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com (CRT�) wrote:
> CW was once again a life saver. This time for a pair of fishermen who
> were stranded after their small boat swamped on New Jersey's Round
> Valley Reservoir.
>
> The February 25th edition of the Hunterdon County Democrat news
> reported the plight of the two would-be anglers. Not having any radio
> gear or a cellular telephone with which to summon assistance, the two
> used a flashlight to send an SOS distress call in Morse. As luck would
> have it, a passing motorist recognized the message and called the
> rescue squad. They located the two men about three miles from where
> they'd put their boat into the water.
>
> As an aside, the news report said that the motorist had learned the
> code as a Boy Scout. And talk about coincidence. The story also
> reported that he spotted the fishermen's SOS as he was listening to a
> radio broadcast dealing about the bronze whistle recovered in 1993
> from the doomed passenger liner Titanic.
>
> (ARRL. others)
>
> my 6 year old son can tap out s.o.s. with a flash light, does that mean that
he deserves an extra class ticket? I dont think so. Sorry but the code didnt
have anything to do with this what so ever.

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1523. Re: See my bolocks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: regnaDkciN <baudelaire@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fin8l$c1v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.karl-malden.nose

In article <01be8b07$a7844cd0$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>,
"Harry Lythall" <a@sm0vpo.8m.com.spam> wrote:
> Quite a few practical circuits and technical info in my building blocks
> section.
>
> http://sm0vpo.8m.com/ Main page
> http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/3569/ Mirror in the USA
> http://hem2.passagen.se/sm0vpo Mirror in Europe
> http://members.xoom.com/sm0vpo Mirror in Far-East
> http://www.insidetheweb.com/mbs.cgi/mb426630 Message Board

NOIDON'TWANTTOSEETHEM...PUTTHEMAWAY!!!1!

--
http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm
--
�� PLONK if you love Jesus ��
�� KotAGoR XXVI ��
http://www.amishrakefight.org/gfy/

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1524. Re: See my bolocks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.118677eb95afb1a4989680@news.vais.net>
Source record: 145320
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <01be8b07$a7844cd0$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>,
a@sm0vpo.8m.com.spam mumbled...

--> Quite a few practical circuits and technical info in my building blocks
--> section.
-->
--> http://sm0vpo.8m.com/ Main page
[snip]

I DON'T WANT TO SEE YOUR BOLOCKS... PUT THEM AWAY!!!1!

1525. Re: HOW TO: Calibrate SWR/Watt meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3728b467.399868377@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 145321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Tue, 20 Apr 1999 09:13:21 -0400, "10-7" <boygonbad@aol.com> wrote:

>People keep refering to the meter movements accuracy , I question the slugs,
>check from one to the next . What good does the meters accuracy mean If my
>slug reads higher than someone elses slug , I guess now there is now 2
>things to consider with regards of accuracy, the meter movement and the
>slug. Again, either you guys dont own more than one slug of the same value
>or even different values to really see what a differance there really are
>between the slugs

Right. And the *same* slug can give different readings at different
frequencies within its specified range. The compensation is far
from perfect across the marked range. That same slug will give
different readings again if it is used in a different line section.
The machining of Bird line section castings isn't very tightly
controlled (a small difference in insertion depth of the slug makes
a pretty large difference in the indicated power). Then consider the
nonlinearity of the diode at different power levels, temperature effects,
etc, and you see that there are many potential sources of error. The
meter movement is probably the least of the factors in determining
the instrument's accuracy.

In our shop, we mark slugs to be used with a particular line section
and meter, and make calibration charts for the combination at the
frequencies where they will be used. (We have a Dielectric water
load with flowmeters and temperature probes so we can calculate
actual power and prepare the calibration charts.) That can get us
to about 1% of full scale for the higher power slugs. At low power
levels, uncertainties in flowrate and temperature differential can
lead to a larger percentage error for our calibration setup. So we
try to avoid using the instruments near the low end of a power
range.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1526. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: LH <ny6zmd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7fltvu$en7$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Not sure why this is on the "swap" grp, but I was surprised at the good sensitivity on 2M with my FT-100. I'm getting clear reception on repeaters that are usually scratchy sounding. Don't have 440 ant. to try but County EMS (450.xxx) comes in just like scanner using 2m ant. HF works great too. DSP is very impressive, now if I only had smaller fingers or the FT-100 had bigger buttons it would make a nice base rig (which is what I am using it for.)
LH

Jim <n5jim@texas.net> wrote in message news:371D51E2.1DE38DCB@texas.net...
>
> I just bought a Yaesu FT100 from AES.
> First impression of the radio was good. Works great on HF (40M and 75M
>)
> I entered some local repeater frequencies and scanned for awhile. When
> the radio stopped on a couple of repeaters, I noticed that the signal
> strength was less than half of what I had gotten on other radios hooked
> up to the same antenna (Comet dual band ground plane @ 70" on top of
> tower).
> Repeaters that normally were full scale are now S-9 on the FT100.
.....> Jim N5JIM

1527. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@area.com
Message-ID: <7flvek$a91$1@vax.area.com>
Source record: 145123
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7fabr7$r2v$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>,
David Cunningham <D.L.C@btinternet.com> wrote:
>>Thanks for your reply. I dont really need an extra television, I want to
>convert the monitor just for fun. I think that I have all that I need with
>the TV tuner, I tried connecting the comp. video output to the scart socket
>of a television, and all was well. I was particularly careful when
>dismantling the VCR to save all of the circuitry I needed for this purpose.
>What I was thinking of was to make some circuit which would split the
>composite video signal into separate R,G,B and horizontal/vertical sync.
>pulses. Im not too bothered if the picture isn't perfect. If anyone has the
>pinout of the monitor plug, i.e. a 9 pin D type, I would be grateful if they
>could send me the info. Perhaps I could obtain an IC which would decode the
>comp. video signal? I would appreciate any suggestions.
>73 de John.

In case anyone is interested, I have an NTSC to RGB converter board
that I would be willing to let go for a reasonable price. It was
originally written up in Radio Electronics in 1990. I used it to
view TV programs on my 21 inch Conrac monitor.

Rick Karlquist N6RK
rick@area.com

1528. The W8MMQ/RSCM Wire-4/23/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <w8mmq@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <7fm0gj$10b@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 145124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,uk.radio.amateur

April 23, 1999
Target: undisclosed.recipients

Welcome to the W8MMQ Wire for April 23, 1999! This newsletter is distributed weekly by W8MMQ and the Radio Society of Central Michigan, and is available free to all radio amateurs. We have a new layout for the email version of our newsletter, and hope that you enjoy it!

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Stories in this week's newsletter:
o Swatch Cancels the Beatnik Mission;
o The FCC Denies Extension in Malicious Interference Case;
o Skywarn Should Expect Busy Season;
o Upcoming Amateur Radio Contests;
o And much more!

*** SWATCH CANCELS THE BEATNIK MISSION ***
The Swatch Watch Corporation cancelled the scheduled "Beatnik" mission last Friday. The controversial "Beatnik" satellite would have broadcast non-licensed, non-amateur radio transmissions within the two meter satellite band, around 145.82-MHz.

The satellite was to be launched by hand from the Mir space station on April 16, but Swatch cancelled it. Swatch claims that the "Russian transmission 'Gelios', a key link with the MIR space station, was severely damaged." However, most amateur radio operators believe that Swatch finally listened to the increasing oppposition from amateurs all over the world, and thus, decided to cancel the mission.

Although the Beatnik was cancelled, the ARRL and Ham Radio Online, as well as other news agencies, are reporting that another satellite was launched on April 16. Immediately, there was concern that Swatch had lied about cancelling the mission, but as of yet, no transmissions have been heard in the two meter band from this new satellite.

We will have more on this story, if it should develop. Until then, it would appear that amateur radio operators have won yet another battle for their spectrum.

--- W8MMQ/KC8KFZ

THE FCC DENIES EXTENSION IN MALICIOUS INTERFERENCE CASE
The FCC has denied Extra licensee Kornwell Chan, W3CI, of Dresher,

Pennsylvania, an extension of time to reply to a March 10, 1999, Notice of Apparent Liability to Monetary Forfeiture. Chan sent his request for extension via the office of US Sen Richard Santorum. FCC Legal Adviser for Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth noted April 6 that Chan was visited by FCC personnel February 21 and did not request an extension until March 29.

Chan and Technician licensee Michael E. Gallagher, KB1DTA (ex-KB3DHX), of W Concord, Massachusetts, each received $7500 fines from the FCC in connection with malicious interference to the Phil-Mont Mobile Radio Club VHF and UHF repeaters. Following up on complaints from the Phil-Mont club, FCC personnel monitored interfering signals which included transmissions of classical music and a person talking with a disguised voice. In February, FCC personnel tracked the signal to a vehicle in Willow Grove, Pennsylvania, occupied by Chan and Gallagher, and equipped with amateur gear.

The FCC cited both licensees for failing to operate "in accordance with good amateur practice," failing to identify as required, transmitting music on amateur frequencies, and willfully impeding legitimate amateur communications. Chan and Gallagher reportedly told FCC officials that Chan used Gallagher's station to transmit music on amateur frequencies. The FCC said Gallagher "is equally responsible" for transmissions made using his station.

--- Taken from the ARRL Letter, April 16, 1999

SKYWARN SHOULD EXPECT A BUSY SEASON
Operators involved in the National Weather Service's SKYWARN program and the Hurricane Net may be in for another busy year.

National hurricane forecaster William Gray is sticking with his earlier guess about this hurricane season -- and it's still not looking good. Gray is predicting 14 tropical storms, nine hurricanes and four intense hurricanes. They are the same figures issued by the Colorado State University professor in December.

Gray and other forecasters say that the next big storm could cause billions of dollars worth of damage to US coastal areas. Find out what else Gray has to say at http://www.storm99.com/.

--- Taken from The Hudson Loop, April 19, 1999

HAM RADIO HELPS AFTER OHIO TORNADO
Ham radio was among the first respond after a killer tornado ripped a south-east Indiana and south-west Ohio the morning of Friday April 9th. The tornado left four dead and over two hundred homes destroyed. Winds clocked in excess of 250 miles per hour felled many utility poles carrying electric power and telephone service to over a quarter of a million residents.

Members of the Queen City Emergency Net provided communications into and out of the tornado ravaged area. Steve Lewis, N8TFD, is the club

spokesman:

"Basically we went out this morning to do preliminary damage assessment. That is determining basically the perimeters of the damage. How wide spread it is. Not specifically how much damage, but what kind of coverage.

They use that information to open shelters, which we also staff. And then this afternoon we sent out several hams to do damage assessment, specific home by home to determine what the damage was to the homes. That's for Red Cross, so they can determine how much assistance they may be eligible for." Lewis

The tornado's track took it from Aurora, Indiana to Clarksville, Ohio. Two of the four fatalities occurred as he twister was crossing Interstate highway 71. The Queen city Emergency Net and other area hams provided communications support for several days.

--- Taken from Amateur Radio Newsline, April 16, 1999

Editor's Note: Visit http://www.warn.org/, the Weather Amateur Radio Network, for more information on Skywarn operations in the Cincinnati, Ohio area.

UPCOMING AMATEUR RADIO CONTESTS
For the latest amateur radio contest information, visit the ARRL's Contest Calendar, at http://www.arrl.org/contests/. Also, for the latest information on upcoming events and hamfests, visit the ARRL's Hamfest Calendar, at http://www.arrl.org/hamfests.html.

The Six Meter Sprint, sponsored by the Six Club, will run from 2300-Z April 24 until 0400-Z on April 25. Operate six meters only, all modes. For more information, visit http://6mt.com/contest.htm.

The Weak Signal Activity Weekend, sponsored by CQ VHF Magazine, will run from 6:00 pm local time on April 23 to 12:00 am local time April 25. Operate six meters and up, on SSB, CW, or any digital mode that takes up the same bandwith as a SSB signal. For more information, visit http://www.cq-vhf.com/.

International Marconi Day is taking place on the 24th of April to celebrate the birth of Guglielmo Marconi. The event is again being organised by the Cornish Radio Amateur Club. Participating stations will operate from 0001 UTC until 2359 UTC on the 24th of April on all HF bands plus 2-metres. The main mode of operation will be SSB, but all modes are permitted and are actively encouraged. (Information on the International Marconi Day events taken from the Radio Society of Great Britain)

The "International North Pole Expedition" with the "Russian Robinson Club" is now active until April 25th. It is under the sponsorships of the Federation of Parachute Sports of Russia, in accordance with the direction of the official preparation and realization program of the

celebrations of the 70th Anniversary of Polar Aviation, the 70th Anniversary of foundation of the First Polar Station at the Franz Joseph Land and the 50th Anniversary of the First Skydive onto the North Pole. This expedition is truly unique. It is the first time that an International Expedition will be routed via: Moscow - Murmansk - the Franz Joseph Land - North Land (Srednij Island AS-042) - North Pole. This expedition is in preparation for an expedition to the South Pole, whereby new technologies pertaining to performance in the polar conditions are to be worked through. The callsign of this Expedition is RV3MA/0. (Information on the North Pole Expedition taken from The Ohio/Penn DX PacketCluster)

DX REPORT
From Nigeria, stations will be active with the 5N99 prefix until the 30th of April, to celebrate the 'Nigeria 99' Under 21 World Football Championship.

From Ethiopia, ET3VSC is operational, using SSB and CW, including CW on 80 metres between 2000 and 2300 UTC.

And from the Seychelles, Gavin, GM0GAV, will be active as S79GT between the 22nd of April and the 5th of May. He will be using CW on 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres, and possibly on six metres. This counts as AF-024 for the RSGB Islands on the Air Award Programme.

Information contained in the weekly DX Report is taken from the Radio Society of Great Britain. Visit the RSGB web site, http://www.rsgb.org/, for more information.

YOU CAN HELP!
If you would like to submit information to the W8MMQ Wire, please contact Dan, W8MMQ, at w8mmq@voyager.net. I will review any information sent to me, and consider it for this newsletter. Also, if you would like to be a regular contributor to the Wire, we would love to hear from you!

AND ... IN CLOSING
Thank you for reading this issue of the W8MMQ Wire. We hope that you have enjoyed it, and please, feel free to pass it along to others.

To read the W8MMQ Wire online, visit http://my.voyager.net/w8mmq/. An archive of past newsletters is now available from the web site.

Also, visit the W8MMQ/KC8KFZ Antique Radio Page, at http://my.voyager.net/kc8kfz/. You will find a nice collection of links to antique radio organizations and radio galleries.

Information from the following sources was used in the production of this newsletter: Amateur Radio Newsline, the ARRL Letter, the Hudson Loop, the RSGB web site, and other published reports.

73 de,
Dan, W8MMQ

w8mmq@voyager.net

Alton Wilson
alton@excite.co.uk

1529. FS: Motorola Classic II Cellular Phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u#x25YGj#GA.205@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 145125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"Update Picture Now Available"

Motorola Classic II Cellular Phone
Comes with Battery Antenna & Wall Charger
Has only 360min of use

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1530. Florida QSO Party

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Powell <grpowell@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <371E9379.2CD75C10@concentric.net>
Source record: 145126

If you like to chase counties, contest or just have a lot of fun, this weekend is for you. It is the second Florida QSO Party sponsored by the Florida Contest Group. For more information, check out the web page at http://home1.gte.net/wd4ahz/fcg/ssqp.htm

Hope to see you on.

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Gary Powell, N4DL
The Florida Contest Group http://www.4w.com/deemer/fcg.htm
My Homepage http://www.concentric.net/~grpowell

1531. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371E9580.7D@ibm.net>
Source record: 145127
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dick Carroll wrote:
> I do believe you're confused with wireline telegraphy.
> Spark gaps generated a very broadband 'frying' signal,
> coarse as sawgrass but certainly readable in long and short
> - well, noises instead of tones.

Like I said, I am ignorant of the sound of spark-gap. The dots
and dashes must have decayed at the same rate. Did the dashes
just decay for a longer time than the dots?
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1532. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Smith <ip500@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <371E98DC.720@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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Actually, later spark transmitters--the quenched gap models didn't sound too bad--I've got a 1 KW Navy quenched gap system here behind me in the office. It used a 500 cycle AC power source [BIG motor-generator unit//about 700 pounds of big] to produce quite a musical tone very different from the open gap sets using 60 cycle power. Most of the rotary gaps sounded pretty good too. Craig sort of a MCW effect.

1533. WTB:1.2ghz equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <nlozada@lj.net>
Message-ID: <D0xT2.2358$qj7.122797@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 145129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I am looking for very resonable 1200 mhz equipment. I need radios and repeaters. Also interested in mono band radios.

Please respond via email.

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Noel Lozada N6JFO
n6jfo@pinoyham.org
n6jfo@lj.net

1534. ICOM IC-751 ACCESSORY PLUG PINOUT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al May <almay1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7fmchpeat1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145130

I need the pinout for the accessory plug (24 pin Molex connector) on a Icom IC-751.
If anyone has this information I sure would appreciate having it E-Mailed to me.
Thanks In Advance
Al May WB7AJP

1535. Re: Code vs. No-Code. My opinion.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al May <almay1@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7fmd11$f7n$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145131

I would vote for that! Try to convince the ARRL though.
Al May WB7AJP

Tom - K1TJ <tjalessi@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7fkm3o$2ec$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
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1536. OPDX Special Bulletin #405.1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.405.1.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 145132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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Editor Tedd Mirgliotta, KB8NW
Provided by BARF-80 BBS Cleveland, Ohio
Online at 440-237-8208 28.8k-1200 Baud 8/N/1 (New Area Code!)

Thanks to the Northern Ohio Amateur Radio Society, Northern Ohio DX
Association, Ohio/Penn PacketCluster Network and Wayne Mills (N7NG)
for the following special DX information.

From iglou.com!n4gn@nshore.org Wed Apr 21 11:03:26 1999
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 10:52:51 -0400 (EDT)
From: n7ng@arrl.net
Subject: P51BH
To: editors@n4gn.com

Gentlemen:

Martti Laine, OH2BH was heard signing P51BH early Wednesday morning from
the DPRK. The following release should help to put this appearance into
perspective. There are few details available at this time. Further
operation will depend on the situation, but is not planned. Additional
information will be released as appropriate.

73, Wayne Mills, N7NG

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NORTH KOREA - MOST WANTED DXCC COUNTRY

Countless DXers are eagerly waiting for a North Korea activation.
The country is the rarest of them all - for a good reason.

Often the value of amateur radio does not signify anything
tangible for these developing countries. Hence, a specific dimension
should be discovered.

North Korea is totally isolated from the rest of the world, and visits
are allowed only for a special purpose.

Transmitting by radio from North Korea has been, and still is, a highly
sensitive issue.

Many parties have worked tirelessly in looking for ways of offering valuable partnership to North Korean society. Only a handful of P5 radio contacts were made in 1995, and the efforts to produce more will continue.

DX history tells us that sooner or later, the rare ones will be available to those who Deserve. That last word is spelled with a capital "D" to illustrate the need for a greater understanding of the overall issue, and the need for patience. That is always a worthwhile resource in DX.

The efforts will continue. Martti, OH2BH, is currently in North Korea pursuing those opportunities and searching for that magic dimension to please both ends of the circuit.

This is not a DXpedition, and Martti will make only sporadic QSOs while showing the equipment and the concept of amateur radio to those who have the power to decide.

If you did not make a QSO this time, please feel relaxed since this kind of intermediate steps are always needed, and at best, they may lead to more activations.

DX is an everlasting joy, and with some missing countries, the joy will stay fresh. Always.

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OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
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/EXIT

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1537. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <371E9D55.B8513130@nationwide.net>
Source record: 145133

Boring. ZZZZzzz......

Are you really allowed out in public unsupervised with that narrow
a scope of brain activity? Code is not a measure of intelligence.
It has _everything_ to do with desire. (and practice time)

There's folks who don't want to write, even though 7 year olds do it every
day.
There's folks who don't want to sing, even though 7 year olds do it every
day.
There's folks who don't want to ride a bicycle, yet a 7 year old can do it.

I learned my code as a Boy Scout. I do not desire to use it 20 years later.

How many languages are you fluent in? There's 7 year olds that know 3 or
more.
How old are you? By your age, how many languages do you know? I mean, come
on! Is that _all_?!? You should know most, if not all the worlds languages
by now.
You must be really stupid, then, right?

Perhaps desire has something to do with your lack of multi-language
fluency, yes?

There are, however, folks that can't _think_, even though 7 year olds can
do it.

Larry B wrote:

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> code , I would be ashamed to admit (as a grown man) that I could not
> learn the dreaded code. If its really true, you cant learn the dreaded
> code, keep it to your self.Dont embaress yourself by telling others you
> cant do something a 7 yr old can do.

1538. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <371E9FF1.BBFC9755@nationwide.net>
Source record: 145134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!

What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?

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> >
> BUT unless there is a total national
> > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
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1539. TC CB radio equipment sales

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: TC <tonys@epix.net>
Message-ID: <371E5407.5FDA9EDE@epix.net>
Source record: 145135

Largest selection of CB equipment for sale stop in and see our price list.
Place your order today!!!
Also sell CB radios,antennas,amps,rotors,towers,meters,linears,echo boxes,sound toys,export radios,mod magazines,and anything and everything for the CB Radio operator.
http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/

or E-mail me TC @ tonys@epix.net

1540. Re: The Modern ARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421072703.19605.00003335@ng35.aol.com>
Source record: 145172

>The radio spectrum's equivalent of a geriatric ward.
>
>HELLSCHRIEBER
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Everyone please note Burt Fisher's new account name. :-)

1541. Code vs. No-Code. My opinion.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom - K1TJ <tjalessi@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fkm3o$2ec$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145173

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1542. KC1ZQ = Champion of 20 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421075133.10236.00003263@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 145174

That all I wanted to say,

Hail KV4FZ!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1543. wanted: antenna tuner fot FT747

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: johneast@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fkmjs$2p1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145175

I believe that the FC757 or FC1000 will work with the FT747 (converted FT80C)

Looking for one at a good price, preferably in the UK but shipping could be arranged.

John

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1544. Re: Stay away from LEMON FT-100 !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Dunlap <kc8hfa@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <371DBDF3.9A950B4B@ameritech.net>
Source record: 145176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey gig the FT-100 is a mobile rig (duh)

gig wrote:

> If it was new why did you not use the battery that came with said
> radio?(if it needed a charge- charge it then perform your tests.unless
> it did not come with a battery-maybe they are now optional.. another
> reason to use commercial gear.
> good luck gig.On 10 Apr 1999 13:34:55 GMT, "Matdee"
> <mattde@pacbell.com> wrote:
>
> >Took delivery 2 wks ago of a new FT-100. I am waiting to take
> >my ham test next week and thought I would start off with
> >the new mini-radio by Yaesu. Power it up from a regulated
> >lab grade power supply for rcv only. The display went DEAD
> >and actually smelled something burning just after 1/2 hour of
> >use. Shipped it back to the dealer for a warranty claim - Hamradio
> >outlet Nv. I now hear since then many other people have had their
> >FT-100 crap out on them. STAY AWAY from the FT-100.
> >It's the radio equivalant of a Yugo or Vega. A real radio LEMON!
> >
> >Matt D. N.Mex

1545. OTK Guilty

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fknip$3q1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145177

Any amateur who has even passed any frequency that WB2OTK operates on is well aware he is as guilty as sin.

Get this gasbag creep out of amateur radio. I do not think he can change his physopathic behavior. Hooray for Mr Riley Hollingworth!! Thank you for saving amateur radio from the radio bullys.

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1546. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <371dc9bd.2255704@news.planet.net>
Source record: 145178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I posted a reply to the post but have ONLY sent it
to r.r.a.policy. You can find it there if interested.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1547. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16290-371DBED7-1@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145179

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <371DC60E.CA34F5CE@IEEE.org>
Source record: 145180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

VE6NAP wrote:
> Eliminate the morse code requirement and you lose one of the few modes of
> communication that can be copied or generated without the aid of a
> machine.

Sending/receiving CW without a machine is just a myth since the
transmitter/receiver *is* a machine. Most commercial transceivers
even contain an embedded microcontroller.

> The morse code can be detected with the aid of only rudamentry
> equipment and the generation of a signal in times of dire circumstances
> requires no more than creating an arc and some type of antenna system.

Please try an actual experiment using an "arc" and let us know how
it turns out. I predict all you will do is aggravate your neighbors
and the FCC. I doubt that any hams can read spark-gap code.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1549. Re: Oopss..Re: Wanted: FM board for KWD TS930s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: TimH <NOSPAM@inter.net>
Message-ID: <7fkiblcku1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 145181
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.swap,aus.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tim, you're way out of line. First you spam this message to every radio newsgroup under the sun (I suggest you read up on newsgroup etiquette for newbies) and then you insult everyone in the newsgroup rec...antenna

And why would anyone want to exchange emails directly with you anyway if you're such a clod?

Yes, you have a great day down under mate.

Tim wrote in message <371A8C2B.2E374305@omen.net.au>...
>Sorry mate, didnt realise that the ad would upset people (youre the only
>one to complain).. From what I've seen in that particular news group I
>guess you are kept busy letting everyone know their mistakes. Again
>sorry for upsetting you and I hope you have a wonderful day.
>
>
>Regards
>
>
>Tim Jones, VK6EI
>timj@omen.net.au
>
>Note: Next time try Emailing direct and maybe we can exchange views
>instead of using a false Email address. Pathetic.
>
>>
>> And, you believe this QRM belongs in rec.radio.amateur.ANTENNA ! ?

1550. Re: W1WCR tries frequency take-over 4-11-99 HAMS LISTEN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jimd7002@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421101034.12718.00005601@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 145182

HEY!! Quit cross-posting this crap! I've already seen this at least six times on R.R.Shortwave. I read it the first time and it was just as boring then as it is now!!

Geez....

Jim D.

1551. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16290-371DD22A-4@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145183

If we , as hams, are supposed to police ourselves, someone has to do the dirty job and they are the OOs.

1552. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fkmid$4fb$0@208.207.71.134>
Source record: 145184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
BUT unless there is a total national
> ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.

You'd better make that a "worldwide" ban on concealed weapons, Bob, and that's 'mission impossible', of course. It's curious to me that if the government can't stop the smuggling of tons and tons of cocaine from entering the country, how do they expect to prevent guns from being brought in by the thousands, whatever the law?

I'm told that under NAFTA there is a category of trucks that cross the Mexican border that are exempt from incoming inspection. In other words, all they have to do is to show their pre-approved paperwork and they are waved on through the inspection point. The load is ostensibly inspected and approved by the government involved. Yeah, Right!

So while the solution seems simple--just ban the guns--, reality is, as always, much more complex. A true gun ban is not possible even if it was desirable. RESPONSIBILITY is the key. Everyone today insists on their "rights", but when "responsibility" is mentioned they duck and dodge.

So one of the kids who did the shooting in Colorado -no concealed weapons involved there, BTW- drove a BMW and had his own website where he posted reams of material which should have helped predict what was coming. Apparently no one took him seriously. He had the "right".

I wonder how long it will be until every victim of such stuff sues Hollywood for the planting the seeds of all this in children's minds...a couple are already underway and probably the Colorado situation will cause many more. It's about time.

Dick

1553. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: pricerbumanto@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fktjv$a0c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145185

In article <7fjup7$iv5$1@newnews.startext.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> English isn't very international?...

IMO it's clear <helmsman@mindspring.com> was just being ironic (but of course I could be wrong).

But I suppose it depends by what you mean by "very international". English is very widely used, but it's still spoken by only about 10% of the world's population (perhaps 15% if you lean over backwards). So it's by no means "universal" (I've been in some situations where I couldn't find any English-speakers, in fact no one who spoke German, French, Spanish, or Russian, either... and that was in Europe!). It might be better to call it a "world" language, or a "language of wider diffusion" (a term sometimes used in linguistics circles), since it's not a language tailored to be international; thus it's comparable to French in Africa, Spanish in most of the Americas, Russia in the CIS, etc., but it's definitely the most "successful", in the sense of being beyond question the most widely diffused. But it's the offical language of international (as opposed to domestic) air traffic control, the "preferred" language of pop music, and more-or-less the "world business language" (when a Norwegian businessman meets a Japanese businessman in Shanghai, they will probably converse in some kind of English, if they have any common language at all), and some huge percentage of the scientific papers being produced today are in English. Some people object to it because for the majority of the world's population it's a second language, and in every conversation with native speakers they are "talking uphill", so to speak. Having experienced the difference betgween having a conversation in French with Africans, for whom French is a second language, as it is for me, and having a conversation with someone from France, I guess I know what they're talking about.

If you're interested in this question, I suggest you get hold of a copy of David Crystal's book on English as a world langauge. I disremember the title, but you ought to be able to find it in amazon.com's website.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1554. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <371DF494.80C43D7C@att.net>
Source record: 145186

BFD, so there are 5, 7 and 10 yo children who can receive Morse Code. There are 7 yo children who are Masters in chess, are you? I know an 11 yo child who is a violin prodigy? They are all to be commended for their achievements. I also admire the operator who can do 20+ wpm. What the hell does all this have to do with removing CW as a licensure requirement? Nothing.

1555. FCC Database Updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <371DF374.A46A5DFE@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145187

Hello,

Not sure anyone will know the answer, but thought I'd ask anyway. Does the FCC update its amateur license database in real time throughout the day, or are updates batched and applied at the end of the day? If the latter, when?

Thanks and 73,

Marv
KC0EGB

1556. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fks50dps1@208.207.71.134>
Source record: 145188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

W6RCecilA wrote:

> I doubt that any hams can read spark-gap code.

Keep reading Cecil long enough and you eventually find out
how little he really knows.
Most experienced CW operators can read a small change in
the character of the noise that is caused by a very weak CW
signal. So you doubt that those hams could read
sparkgap code. How uninformed can you be?

Dick W0EX
FISTS #3939
BIT #0003

1557. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@att.net>
Message-ID: <371DF5E3.D6B3506@att.net>
Source record: 145189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

My take on this one is we are hobbists on one side of the coin but the other side is we are also the last line of communications when all else is gone or not working..

This too may end. Read the interesting article in the May QST re hams and emergencies.

1558. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: K5JOE <k5joe@flash.net>
Message-ID: <371DF742.28F7729F@flash.net>
Source record: 145190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Jim, my FT-100 should be here today and I will check that out...
thanks for the info.
K5JOE

Jim wrote:
>
> I just bought a Yaesu FT100 from AES.
> First impression of the radio was good. Works great on HF (40M and 75M
>)
> I entered some local repeater frequencies and scanned for awhile. When
> the radio stopped on a couple of repeaters, I noticed that the signal
> strength was less than half of what I had gotten on other radios hooked
> up to the same antenna (Comet dual band ground plane @ 70" on top of
> tower).
> Repeaters that normally were full scale are now S-9 on the FT100. I
> looked all through the menu to see if I had some attenuation on but
> there is no way to attenuate the receiver on 2M. I also read all through
> the manual, but did not find anything on changing the sensitivity of the
> receiver on VHF. The receiver on VHF and UHF is very dead. My wife was
> about 200 yards down the street in her mobile (50 Watts) and I was
> only getting 40 over S-9, the signal should have been FULL SCALE and
> then some.
>
> Has anyone else experienced this problem wit the FT100's receiver ?
> I plan on calling Yaesu tomorrow about the dead receive on the radio.
>
> Thanks in advance,
>
> Jim N5JIM

1559. Wtd MFJ & Bencher CW Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregg E <Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fkv4kgod1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Following Items Preferably To Trade.
I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.
I Have Items From
Amateur Radio
Shortwave Radio
Metal Detectors
Fishing
Scanners (HandHeld & Desktop)
Automotive
Some Nice 11 Meter SSB Equiptment
And Much More....

MFJ462B Multi-Reader

MFJ 493 Menu Driven Memory Keyer With 32K Memory
MFJ-1315,
MFJ-79, full function Remote Control.
MFJ-551,
MFJ-5409,
MFJ-5425,
MFJ 452 Morse Keyboard With LCD Display
MFJ 451 Morse Keyboard
MFJ 414 Professional Classroom Tutor & Keyer (Maybe)

Only Need One Of The Following
MFJ Pocket Morse Tutor
MFJ 411
MFJ 418

Only Need One Of The Following
Bencher Keyer
BY-1 Black Base (Paddles)
BY-2 Chrome Base (Paddles)

Remove NOSPAM From My Address To Reply
Auto Return Is O.K.
Thanks W5IDX Houston

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net

1560. Re: Advice on radio type needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Cheung <cheung@netbistro.com>
Message-ID: <01be8c17$f2e84f80$0100007f@LocalHost>
Source record: 145192

I used to have a 4 watt handheld CB - it was quite bulky and had a telescopic antenna. The best range I ever got was about 4 miles, and that was talking to a base station that had a decent antenna. From handheld to handheld I've never gone past 2 miles, so there's really no difference in range from the FRS. I think the FRS radios are smaller and better suited to your needs.

For emergency purposes, get a cell phone. It will be cheaper. After numerous attempts at trying to get someone who is awake and monitoring a repeater in a town other than where I live, I concur with my XYL that a cell phone would probably work better in that situation, especially in an urban area. ("Hi, yeah we're broken down here in East ..... at the corner of .... and ....") Of course you could always chance it that someone within 1 or 2 miles is monitoring channel 9 on a CB :)

Nextel is marketing a cell phone with direct 2 way capabilities. Does anyone know any more about this? I think it is a phone that you can use as a 2 way radio for other similar phones within your cell area. Sort of like VHF ham bands but no license?

I think you should get your ham license anyways, and then try to get your wife and kids interested enough to get licensed. My 3 year old is starting to learn code along with me!

Bill VE7WYC

1561. Re: WB2OTK spins away!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <371f07e3.63300256@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 145193

On Wed, 21 Apr 1999 02:11:03 GMT, Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com wrote:

>We have a problem with you, you do more than "rasing hell" how bout them CB
>Amplifiers??? Lets have a spin on that too!

Well well well. Look who's back. CBRambutt. I thought you weren't
coming back Drew. By the way, your IP is:

ABD1FA5C.ipt.aol.com

Get lost, Spew.

1562. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <9CEBDEB905905C14.B1E74E2124BA5BFC.89A545AF16351359@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hawke wrote:
>> (1) FCC acted illegally
> Produce the documentation that proves this allegation

The Communications Act established FCC to execute and enforce the Act. The Act is the document you request. It is available at your local library under United States Code, Title 47. Clearly FCC has not, and under Chairman Kennared will not carry out its mission, even with knowledge of violations. FBI admitted to violations, as did the Department of Defense.

>> (2) FBI acted illegally
> However, you have yet to produce any documentation to back
> up your other allegations.

Perhaps to someone like yourself who is illiterate, this may seem to be the case. FBI admits in a letter to Congressman Newt Gingrich that it violated the Communications Act. The Act is clear, use of government stations for deliberate interference is illegal.

>> (3) ARRL acted in the interested of profit only
>> and therefore is disloyal to the US, Americans,
>> Amateur Operators, the Amateur Radio Service,
>> and its membership by voting to supress the
>> story on jamming.

> Really? Based on what proof or documents?

Check with ARRL and find out why they voted to exclude the story from QST magazine. Why would the most powerful story on FCC criminality and jamming not warrant the attention of the ARRL? You won't accept the truth from me, see what kind of lying bullshit the ARRL gives you on this. I have the letter and may post it to the website, but not for one ignorant illiterate jackass who cannot read.

>> I have made the error of not locking squarely on
>> point and refusing efforts to distract on trivia,
>> minutiae, and attempts to execute the messenger.

> Ah yes, but you have done all of the above without
> remorse or compassion.

Thank you for that. True I have no remorse over telling
the truth, and no compassion for communist jackasses who
run the government or the communist sympathizers who
support an illegal and illegitimate government.

Returning to the original point of this thread at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of
FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
that I have figured out what the nature and content
of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
point of writting them myself. Actually, I already
have two of the documents, and stand ready to
publish them, as soon as I can arrange to leave the□
country, and post them from a safe place.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your□
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air

Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

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Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
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Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)
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1563. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924717847.748.13@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Years ago, you needed the same theory background as a general to become
a tech. These days, if you can microwave popcorn, chances are you read
well enough to pass element 3A. As a filter for intellectual selection,
the radio amateur written exams leave much to be desired.

VE6NAP <ve6nap@oanet.com> wrote in message
news:01be8bc5$100a9620$8a1a99cf@ve6nap1...
>(From content of some of the postings I wonder how some made
> it to NOVICE or TECH....)

1564. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16286-371E0D76-59@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145196

Ham radio has a limited code requirement. If you dont want to learn
code find another hobby or be happy with what frequences you can use.

1565. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16293-371E0CDB-1@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145197

If a child learning the code is comparable to being a chess master ,
then those of us who know 20+ cw must be at the super genius level.
Right? Thanks for the compliment, Oscar.

1566. Online tutorials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: thedreamhood@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fldo4$q85$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145198

Hi Everybody!

Just wanted to let you know about Knowledge Hound's Amateur Radio guides page - http://www.knowledgehound.com/amateurr.shtml

I realize that most of you have moved far beyond the scope of these beginners' guides, but they should be very helpful for the newbies in your midst.

Knowledge Hound is a directory of links to free online tutorials and tips for an amazing variety of subjects. You might also be interested in our pages for Alternative Energy (http://www.knowledgehound.com/altenerg.shtml), Cooking & Recipes (http://www.knowledgehound.com/cookingr.shtml), Home Care & Improvements (http://www.knowledgehound.com/homecare.shtml)... The list goes on. There oughta be something there for everyone!

Hope you like! And be sure to keep checking back. We update often.

The Webmistress,
Knowledge Hound
www.knowledgehound.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1567. Re: Code vs. No-Code. My opinion.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <371f162c.1832620@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145199

On Wed, 21 Apr 1999 14:07:56 GMT, Tom - K1TJ
<tjalessi@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>Hello everyone,
>
>Let me start out by saying I have been a ham
>now for 25 years. I have a Commercial Telephone
>and a Commercial Telegraph license. I am 39 years
>old and Extra class. I am a person who learned
>code and love CW.
>
>That said here is my opinion on CW:
>
>Code is not necessary for someone to press a PTT
>or use digital modes of communications.
>
>If I had my way I would suggest changing the license
>structure as follows:
>
>1. Split the CW spectrum in two. CW & digital
> and leave the voice mode bands as they are.
>
>2. Create a licensing ladder where voice and
> data privilages are awarded for passing JUST the
> WRITTEN part of the exams.
>
>3. MAKE CW AN ENDORSEMENT or a privilage which is added
> to a persons license! Maybe at 10 WPM
>
>It makes perfect sence to me.

I'm 36 years old. As you can see from my call, I learned code well
enough to pass the 20 WPM test a long time ago. I still can run CW
comfortably at 25 WPM. I can even join the ranks of QCWA in less than
a year.

Since I too can say "Been There, Done That, and Been Doing it for a
Long Time", here's my $0.02:

Morse Code is like riding horseback. It's fun for recreation. You
can make the case that there are places where riding horses is the
most effective way to get around. It's even nice to know that folks
can still do it --but you wouldn't make it part of a driving test.

Likewise, with all the wonderful ways we have to communicate, why
insist on demonstrating this one? Why not insist on typing or traffic

handling?

The problem with insisting on proficiency in morse code is that it is choking ham radio to death. Nobody wants to put any effort toward licensing when it's obvious that we're insisting on demonstrating a very unpopular mode of communication. I know several folks who would be an asset to the hobby were it not for this archaic requirement. The argument that code acts as a filter was disproved decades ago. I remember the jerks on 14.313 going back at least 23 years. And the rude folks on 75 meters? I'll bet most of them passed a code test!

The point is that if morse code proficiency is a filter, it doesn't seem to be helping much. Every licensed activity, Aviation, Ham Radio, SCUBA diving, etcetera, suffers from a few idiots with just enough brains to pass the test, but absolutely no common sense or civility. We may have to find better ways of dealing with our bad apples. The test --any test-- is only a gross filter at best.

Finally, if morse code is so great, why aren't we insisting on retesting every few years to prove that you're still worthy of the license? Would you pass at your license's proficiency speed?

Think about it.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

1568. AF2Y and "Bad Blood"Youngblood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421153644.18315.00000062@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 145200

His name is Bob Youngblood, KT4TR. The guy's nuts. You must have read the QST blurbs about a guy from Indians River County FL having received about 4 stern warnings from the FCC(I guess they mean Riley Hollingsworth) about reading credit reports,mortgage foreclosures and other personal items on the 20 meter band. That's the idiot to whom QST is referring. It's all because Youngblood is a Herbie Whore, meaning a guy who'd sell his soul to the devil to keep the felonious KV4FZ on the air. Oh yes indeed..slimy Schoenbohm sure got him hooked and KT4TR thought he could exact revenge on all the Herbie haters by creating vengeful mayhem on the air. Well along came Sheriff Hollingsworth and the show's over, kids and the tickets will not be refunded. Youngblood has become a "sweetheart" so to speak with only an occasional finger of accusation being wiggled. Let me tell you something about this Vero Beach creep. Last year, just about now, this fool came into my area on business and proceeded to harass me and my wife by telephone. After slamming the receiver down once on the clown, one would think he'd learn a lesson, but no..not this fool. But I taped all his harassment and decided to go to the cops with it. The day I went to the Clifton P.D. to sign a complaint, this dope either called me directly or had someone else do it to issue a death threat. I didn't like that one bit and neither did the Clifton cops, so we took it a step farther. Last May 13th I went to County Court in Paterson to seek an indictment against him. In the meantime a friend of his implored me not to take the issue to the moon since it was taking its toll on " :Bad Blood." Being a kind and loving soul, I decided to back off by way of a letter KT4TR transmitted to his lawyer which I was asked to accept. It was a half-assed apology having the distinct flavor of the writing skills of a 10 year old...and mind you..the guy was a graduate of the U. of Miami, probably majoring in surfboarding. After that incident, "Bad Blood" should have realized he was walking the plank in ham radio but being brainwashed by his mentor Herbie, he continued harassing as many as possible..that is until Riley intervened and Bobby wised up before that ticket became as useful as confetti. You can now hear him discussing the plight of Rich Whiten which, in all honesty,is no plight but rather something blown way out of proportion by Youngblood and his band of scuzzies who know that KV4FZ is going to be taken off the air and therefore want his main nemesis, WB2OTK, to follow suit Well things have quieted down substantially except for Youngblood's and friends' machinations about a winderful net called Intercon that's been holding forth on 20 since 1960. It's a trumped up charge by birdbrain Herbie Schoenbohm that the net is controlled by Jews to steal money from telephone companies and all that rot and such lingo is a boon for bigots, idiots, sociopaths...you know..the run of the mill Schoenbohm crowd. See ya around gang. Doc. AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com.

1569. Re: Advice on radio type needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Trevor Holyoak <trevor@holyoak.com>
Message-ID: <371E2D7F.D0983D09@holyoak.com>
Source record: 145201

The problem with a cell phone is that they're no good if the phone system/etc. goes down...
I've just about got my wife talked into taking the Technician class test with me, but I'm having a hard time finding the equipment within our current budget. (Which is why FRS is somewhat attractive...)
The downside of FRS is that (as I understand it) it's not much good for contacting the outside world.
Thanks for the info,
Trevor

Bill Cheung wrote:
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> telescopic antenna. The best range I ever got was about 4 miles, and that
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> within 1 or 2 miles is monitoring channel 9 on a CB :)
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> Nextel is marketing a cell phone with direct 2 way capabilities. Does
> anyone know any more about this? I think it is a phone that you can use as
> a 2 way radio for other similar phones within your cell area. Sort of like
> VHF ham bands but no license?
>
> I think you should get your ham license anyways, and then try to get your
> wife and kids interested enough to get licensed. My 3 year old is starting
> to learn code along with me!
>
> Bill VE7WYC

1570. KV4FZ vs. WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>
Source record: 145202

Hey Herbie...instead of concentrating on WB2OTK and his problem with Riley H., how about concentrating on how to keep your kids out of jail. The last I heard there's going to be a Schoenbohm Wing in the pokey down there.

radiosigs@aol.com

1571. Re: FCC Database Updates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <371E3B93.7903@imt.net>
Source record: 145203

Marv Luse wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
> Not sure anyone will know the answer, but thought I'd ask anyway. Does
> the FCC update its amateur license database in real time throughout the
> day, or are updates batched and applied at the end of the day? If the
> latter, when?
>
> Thanks and 73,
>
> Marv
> KC0EGB

I believe it's 5AM each morning.Tracy

1572. Re: AF2Y & the 3.950 Bozos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <12930-371E2FF8-71@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145204

Nice troll attempt.

Now for REAL racism information, please contact: WB2OTK--Rich Whiten
from South Carolina.

1573. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <371E41A0.510E@arrl.net>
Source record: 145205

Larry B wrote:

> Ham radio has a limited code requirement. If you dont want to learn
> code find another hobby or be happy with what frequences you can use.

Larry, does this proclamation change the essence of the provision in the constitution that citizens have the right to petition the government for change, or will you be working on the formal process to change that? :-)

73,
Ed, W1RFI

1574. Don't need a radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924731416.175.60@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145206

I'm receiving AM stations without benefit of a receiver. I unplugged the audio cable from the RX320. The audio cable shield is still grounded to the RX320 chassis, and from there, to the cold water pipe. Walking back to the PC, I noticed the sound was on. WMAQ's transmitter tower is about 4 miles down the road, and its signal dominates. If I listen carefully, though, I can hear other stations in the background. The line is quiet when disconnected from "ground". Connected, though, the signal is quite strong. It's at least as loud as I normally play the RX320. Since I use this water pipe as RF and receiver ground, it explains the sh**ty reception I was getting. Signal levels would vary strongly, even when band conditions are good.

I didn't think simple rectification could produce such a strong signal. And who would have imagined a cold water pipe could be a diode receiver? Could it be the PC sound card doing this? The audio cable is 45' long, and foil shielded.

If it weren't for the other stations in the background, I would think one of my neighbors were feeding audio into the powerlines.

Weird.

Michael.

1575. FS: Motorola Classic II Cellular Phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ubDsvKDj#GA.115@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 145207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola Classic II Cellular Phone
Comes with Battery Antenna & Wall Charger
Has only 360min of use

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1576. Re: OTK Guilty

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: WeKnowYou <WeKnowYou@KnowItAll.org>
Message-ID: <yQsT2.3282$L61.1072232@news1.mia>
Source record: 145208

x-archive: yes
yd

Presenting, out of MEMPHIS, Tennessee,

THE POLLY & BILLY JACK SHOW

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7fknip$3q1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Any amateur who has even passed any frequency that WB2OTK operates on is
well
>aware he is as guilty as sin.
>
>Get this gasbag creep out of amateur radio. I do not think he can change
his
>physopathic behavior. Hooray for Mr Riley Hollingworth!! Thank you for
>saving amateur radio from the radio bullys.
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1577. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371E5737.3E7D@ibm.net>
Source record: 145209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dick Carroll wrote:
> So you doubt that those hams could read
> sparkgap code. How uninformed can you be?

Spark-gap code in NOT International Morse, Dick. I don't think
I could read it. I seriously doubt that you could. There are
no dashes. There are only dots with different spacings. I can't
find a chart at the moment, but if I remember correctly, the
code is quite different from International Morse.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1578. Re: 9600 baud digital voice - Legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Conqueror <razorsaw@usa.net>
Message-ID: <371e5ac8.0@news.gulliver.fr>
Source record: 145210

Only when intended to obscure meaning.

S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:7ej9mg$re2@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com...
> I'm thinking of designing a digital voice "vocoder" to run digital voice
in
> and out of a 9600 baud packet connection on a ham radio. Does this break
the
> codes and ciphers rule of Part 97?
>
> --
> S
>
>
>

1579. FT: 1965 Cobra Cam 88 24 channel CB for Paddle or simple repair of my Hallicrafters sx-24.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cary Fries <cfries@tic.bisman.com>
Message-ID: <6_sT2.47$0r5.438@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 145211
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I'd like to trade my 1965 Cobra Cam 88 tube type, 24 channels. (One of the few early units that came with an extra channel).

Recently gone over electronically, although the chassis is a bit gooey and needs a good cleaning. Will go base or mobile with included power cords and mounting brackets. Has original hand held microphone, but sounds great with a
TUG8-D104. The channel knob is not original, but you'd
never know it if I hadn't told you. (blends in real well with the scheme). A few minor blemishes in the brushed aluminum face. Also the S-Meter is a replacement....
It is exactly the same size as the original, but it is black face rather than white face. Has fine tune, squelch, PA/CB, and "Dyna-Boost", (or speech
compression).

I'd like to trade for a nice chrome Vibroplex paddle or similar. I'll entertain all ideas, including swapping for a repair job on my Hallicrafters
SX-24. It needs the four section electrolytic cap in the power supply replaced, and possibly a new choke which I think is what took out the cap to begin with. I have a schematic to go with it, but I'm not talented enough to fix it.

Please email Cary at cfries@tic.bisman.com.

Regards,

Cary Fries

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/~\ sir automorphic smithy NBS appropriate pin fetal beware scathe
C oo impair chlordane resourceful Pericles propylene step antisemite
(^) 1 , 0 0 0 , 0 0 0 m o n k e y s c a n ' t b e w r o n g

1580. Re: ARRL DXCC Desk Funding KLA !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
Message-ID: <371E5D09.169447DA@net1inc.net>
Source record: 145212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Baaaaaaaaaaaaaahahahahahahahahahahhahahahaha!!!!!!!

David - W4DSM

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

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> their own coffers. The Justice Department is investigating, I understand."
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1581. AF2Y and his spamming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421191454.21533.00000213@ng152.aol.com>
Source record: 145213

I defy you, Doctor Hate, AF2Y

I defy Intercon, I defy PORKBUTT, WB2OTK, soon to have his ham ticket removed.

You and Porkbutt will soon see what it's like to have "Quiet Hours" on you.

I salute Mr. Hollingsworth, for the fine job he has done in taking care of
WB2OTK.

And the Stumpjumpers!!!! I'm #61 AF2Y!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1582. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ywa@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19890-371E50DD-33@newsd-101.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145214

This person is so lazy I bet he doesnt even know how to use a mic.He probably
didnt even pass 6th grade.

1583. Re: Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421191613.21533.00000215@ng152.aol.com>
Source record: 145215

>Yes, "Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with".

People say that after meeting WB2OTK and AF2Y

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
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1584. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7flle4$207@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

W6RCecilA wrote:
> I doubt that any hams can read spark-gap code.

Have you ever heard code sent via spark? I have a cassette
containing 30 minutes of such code, sent from various museum-
owned transmitters. It's a joy to listen to the raspy notes;
no more difficult to copy than continuous wave code.

73, Jeff KH6O

1585. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5ywa@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19889-371E5191-54@newsd-101.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145217

Man 5wpm is so slow that anybody with
half a brain could pass.I dont concider
hams real hams unless they know the
code

1586. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371E617D.6181@ibm.net>
Source record: 145218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
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>
> Have you ever heard code sent via spark? I have a cassette
> containing 30 minutes of such code, sent from various museum-
> owned transmitters. It's a joy to listen to the raspy notes;
> no more difficult to copy than continuous wave code.

Maybe so, but can you copy it, Jeff? How do you differentiate
between the dots and dashes since they sound identical? I
have never heard spark-gap so I am ignorant. I have heard
telegraph clicks and haven't a clue what was being sent.
I remember seeing a Morse telegraph chart and it was quite
different from our International Morse chart.

I'm not trying to give you a hard time. I'm just ignorant
and skeptical.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1587. Kenwood MC85 desk mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage <mirage@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <7fls2risf1@news.eclipse.net>
Source record: 145219
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have an MC85 VGC mike the fuzzy element cover thing is ok (cat thought it
was lunch)
has two cords one does not have a connector.
$100
Doug

1588. Icom SM-8 mike FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mirage <mirage@eclipse.net>
Message-ID: <7fls5fiso1@news.eclipse.net>
Source record: 145220
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

FS Icom SM-8 VGC w/2 cords
$100
Doug

1589. FS: Price Dropped!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <globalcm@netzero.com>
Message-ID: <371E6F1B.B08DA6B3@netzero.com>
Source record: 145221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ADI AT-600 for sale.
With High Power Batt.
In box with manual and charger
Still under warranty.
$175.00 TRUE dual band HT
Cross-Band Repeat, Dot matrix display, 200 memories,
CTCSS, DTMF Paging, etc....
Mike
N2OX

1590. TM211 Out of band modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Sutami <sutami@biogate.com>
Message-ID: <7fjuj9$3ij2@indo-news>
Source record: 145245

Please tell me how to modified TM211A for out of band.
Thank's

1591. Re: you all stupes. rich Wb2otk dont hate niggars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7fjb1t$tm6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145246

In article <7fhvt7$j9g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
donkboy98@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <7fe4mp$7i3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
> What a loser I would figure that he would fit right on in with PORKBUTT. What
> a loser! DoNkBoy99 get a life you are a loser just like PORKBUTT! ME

Donkyboy99 is drug user too!!!!

"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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1592. Re: Quiet group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjb71$tq1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145247

In article <371BE08D.2012@bigfoot.com>,
n6ng@bigXXfoot.com wrote:
> This group sure is quiet... No one has anything to say?

It's about to be rumble time again!!!!

It's time to TALK TOUGH and LISTEN HARD!

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"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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1593. Re: Open Letter to John Mackey, Blake Powers, CB Rambo, et al.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7fjbho$u65$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145248

In article <7dj5vo$gi3$1@garnet.mint.net>,
"Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com> wrote:
> You know, all you people that do all the bitching about the Mackey thing
> just contribute MORE garbage to the group. Every couple of days, i have to
> wade through a bunch of posts that go like this:"I can`t return to the group
> because this is still going on". What is the matter ? Your damn browser
> doesn`t have filters for your news groups ? Then dump it, and get one that
> DOES have filters. THEN, USE THE FILTERS. I have stayed right here and
> filtered the garbage out for a couple of years. YOUR only problem is, you
> are just too damn NOSY to turn your filters on and leave them that way !

It'll Never work My Freind......

>
> Here are some tips for you: When they mention the debate (Whether they are
> whining about it or participating in it) FILTER THEM OUT BY THEIR POSTING
> ADDRESS. Don`t filter them out by the subject line of the message, that
> won`t last. As soon as they start a new thread, you will see them again.
> People have been whining and crying about this for years, and it has done no
> good at all.
>

They can change thier e-mail too, pretty soon the filters will lock up your
newsreader!!!!!!!!!!!! HA HA HA HA HA HA HA!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

> If you don`t want to take the time and effort to filter it out, then for
> Christ`s sake , stop crying about it. If you want to leave the damn news
> group instead of learning how to use your filters, then go ahead. It is no
> skin off my nose or anyone else`s. You couldn`t have been all that
> interested in the first place The great Mackalooney debate will never end
> until you stop paying attention to it, and stop legitimizing it by talking
> about it and whining about it.
>
>

Get a life, I'm HERE TO STAY!!!!!!!

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1594. WB2OTK spins away!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7fjc3lumi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145249

In article <19990416183541.04135.00001147@ng33.aol.com>,
richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
> I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC
and
> sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I
> have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same
> scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for
> distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin on
> them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK
was
> a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some hell
on
> the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to
> answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
> racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK
>
We have a problem with you, you do more than "rasing hell" how bout them CB
Amplifiers??? Lets have a spin on that too!
--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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1595. code sucks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: robh8304@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjf5i$17a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145250

enough said

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1596. ARRL DXCC Desk Funding KLA !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjf80$17m$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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1597. The Crack of Dawn restaurant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjgdj$27a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145252

All I kept hearing this morning was about the Crack of Dawn restaurant. Seems the repeater's automated voice telemetry system picked up on it.

I just don't think I'd have the appetite to eat at a restaurant named after anyone's crack.

Or was it the crack of DON ? Heck, some of them tawk so fwunny I just can't tell.

HI HI

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1598. 440 Repeater Held Up: quick call the gen d'armes !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjh4t$2r5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145253

Is your frequency coordinator telling YOU it will take 4 to 6 weeks to find you a frequency pair ? Do all your calls end up on his cah phone ? Then here's some advice.

Do what the ARRL's very own local Special Service club did when they had had it ! Put up your repeater, ask questions later.

Frequency coordinators are the geek's geek and V UHF prima donnas with a thirst for power that will never be quenched. Many do actually hold on to frequency pairs because one of these days, good old Gramps is going to break down and buy that new repeater to replace the one that died in 1987...

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1599. The Modern ARS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjhdo$36t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145254

The radio spectrum's equivalent of a geriatric ward.

HELLSCHRIEBER

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1600. Re: WB2OTK spins away!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoNKboY98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7fji3s$3np$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145255

Tell them about the Texas star amps that you used to sell at hamfests to all
those unsuspecting CBers. Hey PORKBUTT what about that!
Hollingsworth is going to get you boy
There is a new sheriff in town and he is pissed
DoNKboY98
In article <7fjc3lumi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com wrote:
> In article <19990416183541.04135.00001147@ng33.aol.com>,
> richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
> > I have a large problem with doctored 3rd party tapes distributed to the FCC
> and
> > sound bites posted all over the internet. First and foremost, let me say I
> > have known Phil (N9GOR) for over 10 years. We have horseplayed the same
> > scenario many times on amateur radio and by telephone. It's very easy for
> > distractors to purposely take things out of context, and put their own spin
on
> > them. Phil (N9GOR), was asked the very next day, whether he thought WB2OTK
> was
> > a bigot or racist, his repsonse was "Hell No, and if I can't raise some hell
> on
> > the radio, I'm just not going to get on!". I have a question for people to
> > answer, that would deem me a racist or bigot....have you ever met a Jewish
> > racist or bigot? Rich Whiten, WB2OTK/W2OTK
> >
> We have a problem with you, you do more than "rasing hell" how bout them CB
> Amplifiers??? Lets have a spin on that too!
> --
> "Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
> "I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"
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1601. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <37201df2.9242417@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 145256

On 18 Apr 1999 03:29:29 GMT, njmedman@aol.com (NJMedMan) (in
<19990417232929.19278.00002012@ng19.aol.com>) wrote:

>If you're a CB or Freeband operator in north america and would like to have
>your web site listed with a group of other related websites, check out my site
>at:
>
>http://www.qsl.net/kf4khc/freeband.htm
>
>
>=-=-=-=-=-
>Posted by Andy Cogswell, Clarksville, TN
>Amateur Call: KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT) (146.580 simplex)
>CB Call: World Wide Bandits 751 (Ch38 LSB)
>Freeband Calls: 2LD751 (Lima Delta DX Group), 2TN583 (International Bandbenders
>Association) (27.555 USB)

Just in case anyone were curious, Andy KF4KHC is back to advertising
his so-called "freeband" on rec.radio.cb.[1] His new web site is:

http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555

[1] Message-ID: <19990420172441.07782.00003199@ng140.aol.com> posted
to rec.radio.cb (Date: 20 Apr 1999 21:24:41 GMT) included below:

==========>>>>>>>>
From: ldfreeband@aol.com (LDFreeband)
Newsgroups: rec.radio.cb
Subject: Attn: CB Radio Websites!
X-Admin: news@aol.com
Date: 20 Apr 1999 21:24:41 GMT
Organization: AOL http://www.aol.com
Message-ID: <19990420172441.07782.00003199@ng140.aol.com>
Lines: 11
Xref: news.primenet.com rec.radio.cb:153418

If you want to join a great CB radio related webring, go to:

http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555

You'll have your site listed with other sites about CB radios and
you'll increase the number of hits on your site! Check it out today!

=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=
de 2LD751, Operator Andy
Clarksville, TN USA (27.555USB)

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Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1602. Re: PHYSICIAN'S CODE WAIVER QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7fj8k5hja2@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 145257

In article <371cdb5c.4917138@netnews.worldnet.att.net>, TubeLovr@his.shack wrote:
>Does anyone know what the requirements are for hearing disability to
>obtain a waiver of the code test? Does this apply to 5wpm or just the
>higher speeds? I am moderately hearing impaired, and would like to
>upgrade but can't because I cannot understand Morse code - and I am
>not one of those lazy "quitters", I genuinely have tried - for 8
>years!

I believe it only applies to the higher speeds. They can make accommodations
for hearing impaired folks. Talk to a local VE about it, they'll have all the
info you need.

73 and good luck

Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

1603. Re: HR2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990420213709.08358.00002915@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145258

>I have an RCI-2970 with a problem

Sooooo, is it a Uniden 2510, or an RCI 2970?

1604. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <371d2ea2.1903182@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 145259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sco@sco-inc.com wrote:

:On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:35:40 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
:
:>sco@sco-inc.com wrote:
:>
:>:On Fri, 16 Apr 1999 13:52:33 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
:>:
:>:
:>:I am curious. What is your callsign?
:>
:>You don't need to know, but I imagine you could look it up.
:>
:>:Since this is an amateur radio newsgroup and the satellite in question
:>:was to transmit in one of the amateur radio bands what is your
:>:interest here?
:>
:>The above reasons.
:>
:>:W4SCO.
:>
:
:Lets see if I get this right, you are a ham [from somewhere] who wants
:a corporation to violate international law and create willful
:interference on the amateur radio 2m band for their personal profit?

I am one of many hams who can see that no harm would have been done
by the Swatch satellite. Any harm would have been done by hams trying
to jam legitimate listeners.

:Well if you are a US ham I would think that attitude would make you
:unfit to hold a US license.

Us hams have far more to worry about than a 100mw transmitter on a
single frequency. I recently saw a web page describing methods that
can be used to annoy repeater users.

:W4SCO

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post
as my news server is missing a lot of articles.

1605. Re: Quiet group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990420222245.23458.00003286@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 145260

I wish people would stop using my name and call with my permission!!

What gives!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1606. A must see web site for hams ** Hamband Trader ** Coming soon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <3724e8b4.52539965@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 145261
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

New Internet Web Site
"Shake down begins now until May 1, 1999"

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

Hanmband Trader... (coming soon)
A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
amateiur radio equipment. This site will grow if needed as
activity requires.

Chet's Internet Favorites...
because my browsers favorite menu is just too small. I created
a page to contain those pages I've found very useful or that I
check regularly.

Chet's Professional Resume...
proving I'm a self-made man. You'll find all the kind of
information you would expet in any resume.

Chet's Obnoxious Opinions...
and I've got a few (this page grows a little every month).

WD4GDB...
a little about my favorite hobby (beside porn); amateur radio.

LMARS...
a complete site for the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society - an
amateur radio club that I belong to and that I am the
webmaster for.

Chet's Personal Pages at http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

1607. hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: shanks@francemel.com
Message-ID: <7fk29g$hh1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145262

dear hams,

please visit our web site dedicated to hamfest in india during sept this year.

www.hamfestindia.org

i would be eager to receive your comments on this event, and help also.

regards

shanks
vu2spk

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1608. Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjj55$4mb$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

TAKEN FROM AN ACTUAL PROFILE ON QRZ!

My name is . I am a licensed amateur radio operator by the FCC. I own a profitable website design company in , . All I really want to say is that ham radio is a useless, antiquated hobby and I sincerely hope that the FCC sells amateur bandwidths to private companies, whom I believe can use them more effectively. Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with and I am proud to say I do not associate with them. Hopefully, one day there will be no more ham radio, a glorified version of CB. &#65533;

Yes, "Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with".

Was it the age, their repetition due to early onset Alzheimer's or just their general freakazoid status that got to him ? Maybe the repeater drones out a message as long as the Gettysburg Address in a metallic synth voice that uses 1983 technology ? Perhaps the automated voice telemetry system that constantly reports the location of each mobile station did him in. The world may never know...

"Give a man a fish, he eats for a day."
"Teach a man to fish, he will eat for life." (AFRICAN PROVERB)

"Give out ham licenses with Cracker Jack." (K1ZZ)

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1609. Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fjj8e$4mt$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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FCC. I own a profitable website design company in ,
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general freakazoid status that got to him ? Maybe the repeater drones out a
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1983 technology ? Perhaps the automated voice telemetry system that constantly
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1610. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <371D5C6B.3485@wt.net>
Source record: 145265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> But any improperly loaded amplifier is subject to be
> overdriven, and therefore to generate splatter. ALC doesn't
> solve the problem since it can't function until the amp is
> already overdriven. It happens regularly, not everyone is
> that knowledgable or conscientious about watching out for
> it.

Of course. thats why I load them to the gills. I always load to full power out and then add a hair more just to be on the safe side. And then talk at a reduced level. No matter how hard a peak I might hit, I will have the headroom to cover it. Also the grid current is a good indicator. If the grid current is high and you are not overdriving the amp, you need to add loading. If adding loading doesn't reduce the grid current, you must reduce drive. I don't use ALC to the amp. I consider it useless. I never drive the amp with more power than it can handle. By the time the ALC circuit has kicked in, it's already too late the way I see it. I never use it.
> Solution: Use an amp only when really needed, and use it
> carefully and intelligently. I won't use one without a
> monitorscope in the output line. No, I've never been called
> to task, either. I consider it the proper thing to do.

Yep, a good idea. If I don't need the amp, I don't use it. I have scopes, but don't use every day. As long as I watch my grid I can tell if I have a problem with drive or loading. Anyway all my amp settings are preset for the freq and antenna.I just set the load the it's needed predetermined value for the freq I'm on, peak my tune with a little power and I'm done. I only actually fully tune up about once every couple of months or so just to check for any antenna loading changes. I'm always overcoupled a bit just to make sure I'm ok. MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

1611. Re: ABOLISH the no-code "license"!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421021016.05109.00003397@ng28.aol.com>
Source record: 145266

On Tue, Apr 20, 1999 08:58 EDT, justkev@email.com (JustKev) wrote:

<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<<
I am a "no-code" licensee. Just because I have no desire to upgrade beyond
where I am doesn't mean I am any less an amateur operator. I have a license
from the FCC just like you coders have.
>>

Kevin has a good point here, AND he seems to have a good attituude. He IS a
licensed ham, and is happy with what he has now. He is not whining about doing
away with the CW requirement. He has the entry level license, just like I use
to with my Novice license (KA8TOW) and is satisfied with it. And, I *ASSUME*
that if Kevin wanted to get on HF, he would learn CW.

BTW, Kevin, if you were to upgrade all the way to EXTRA, that would give you
(if I remember the math correctly) 1/17000th of 1% more bandwidth than what you
have now. BFD

Bob
KD8WU

1612. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE6NAP <ve6nap@oanet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8bc5$100a9620$8a1a99cf@ve6nap1>
Source record: 145267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

>Alan <alankg@siscom.net> wrote in article <3718c5fe@news.siscom.net>...
>Yes, I admit it ! I am ANTI-CODE ! For hams that want to use code, I
say
>fine, go for it. But maintaining code proficiency as a requirement for HF
>usage is totally ridiculous and completely without merit! Face it guys,
>code has no place in modern communications except as a hobby. If I either
>desire or for some reason I cannot possibly imagine need to transmit code,
I
>can have my PC do it with far greater proficiency than anyone using a key.
>I, see it as a live and let live proposition...for those that wish to keep
>using this dusty dinosaur from the past, I say fine. But in the same
regard
>keep your noses out of my business when I wish to have no knowledge of the
>same dusty dinosaur.

My take on this one is we are hobbists on one side of the coin but the
other side is we are also the last line of communications when all else is
gone or not working..
.
Eliminate the morse code requirement and you lose one of the few modes of
communication that can be copied or generated with out the aid of a
machine. The morse code can be detected with the aid of only rudamentry
equipment and
the generation of a signal in times of dire circumstances requires no more
than creating an arc and some type of antenna system.

Personaly I am for reducing the speed requirements somewhat, to the levels
we in Canada have ..i.e 5 and 12 WPM but increasing the depth of basic
electronics knowledge testing for all levels and licence classes thus
improving the available
skills base. (From content of some of the postings I wonder how some made
it to NOVICE or TECH....)

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ve6nap@oanet.com

1613. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <nomail@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7fk05dhvc1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 145268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

VE6NAP wrote
>Personaly I am for reducing the speed requirements somewhat, to the levels
>we in Canada have ..i.e 5 and 12 WPM but increasing the depth of basic
>electronics knowledge testing for all levels and licence classes thus
>improving the available
>skills base. (From content of some of the postings I wonder how some made
>it to NOVICE or TECH....)

Personally I am for reducing the sub-bands in Canada to the same we have
here in the States. And while I'm meddling in your country's affairs, lets
reduce your power levels also, just as punishment for your dumb ham posting
about our dumb ham postings...

1614. Re: Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <371D90B2.96F11474@dimensional.com>
Source record: 145269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

If I were you, I'd get my drinking water checked.

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> TAKEN FROM AN ACTUAL PROFILE ON QRZ!
>
> My name is . I am a licensed amateur radio operator by the
> FCC. I own a profitable website design company in ,
> . All I really want to say is that ham radio is a useless,
> antiquated hobby and I sincerely hope that the FCC sells amateur
> bandwidths to private companies, whom I believe can use them more
> effectively. Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with and I
> am proud to say I do not associate with them. Hopefully, one day there will
> be no more ham radio, a glorified version of CB. ï¿½
>
> Yes, "Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with".
>
> Was it the age, their repetition due to early onset Alzheimer's or just their
> general freakazoid status that got to him ? Maybe the repeater drones out a
> message as long as the Gettysburg Address in a metallic synth voice that uses
> 1983 technology ? Perhaps the automated voice telemetry system that constantly
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1615. 242 problem(distorded audio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: nation_aliste@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <371da771.2154924@news.concepta.com>
Source record: 145270

work fine on TX but audio is not good,any clue?(speaker is OK)
thanks

1616. PSK-31 on 2 meter FM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom - K1TJ <tjalessi@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fkkuk$1a4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145271

I was at a radio club meeting where PSK-31 was
demonstrated on HF. I must say I was impressed.
I was very active on RTTY on the 70's (especially
on 2 meters FM).

Has anyone had any experience with PSK-31 on 2 meter
FM, is it possible and are there any drawbacks?

Thanks,
Tom

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| Tom "TJ" Alessi - K1TJ |
+------------------------+

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1617. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371F2F2A.7D57@ibm.net>
Source record: 145073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dave Heil wrote:
> The batter swings and misses. Yer out!

How about simply explaining how a person can generate International Morse Code without any commercial spark-gap equipment. The argument was about this statement: "... the generation of a signal in times of dire circumstances requires no more than creating an arc and some type of antenna system." Nobody has convinced me that a copyable signal can be generated by shorting out a storage battery.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1618. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <n5jim@texas.net>
Message-ID: <371F2E5B.522434D@texas.net>
Source record: 145074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

The reason I posted this on this newsgroup is because this newsgroup is read by a large group of hams each day, and I thought that I would have a better chance of maybe finding what was going on with the FT100 that I bought. I am so sorry for any inconvenience that this post may have caused you. I am glad to hear that you are not having any problems with your FT100. It is so funny when I see responses to posts about problems that people are having with their radio. Some people take it personally when they read about defects pertaining to a radio that they have. They act like you are talking about their child or something.

The fact remains that I have a serious problem with the receiver on the FT100 that I purchased. I have received many emails from FT100 owners, and none have had this problem. The dead receiver on VHF and UHF does not seem to be a defect with other FT100s. If not for the receiver problem, the FT100 seems to be a neat little radio. I am shipping it back today to get the problem taken care of.

Jim N5JIM

LH wrote:

> Not sure why this is on the "swap" grp, but I was surprised at the good
> sensitivity on 2M with my FT-100. I'm getting clear reception on repeaters
> that are usually scratchy sounding. Don't have 440 ant. to try but County
> EMS (450.xxx) comes in just like scanner using 2m ant. HF works great too.
> DSP is very impressive, now if I only had smaller fingers or the FT-100 had
> bigger buttons it would make a nice base rig (which is what I am using it
> for.)
> LH
>
> Jim <n5jim@texas.net> wrote in message news:371D51E2.1DE38DCB@texas.net...
> >
> > I just bought a Yaesu FT100 from AES.
> > First impression of the radio was good. Works great on HF (40M and 75M
> >)
> > I entered some local repeater frequencies and scanned for awhile. When
> > the radio stopped on a couple of repeaters, I noticed that the signal
> > strength was less than half of what I had gotten on other radios hooked
> > up to the same antenna (Comet dual band ground plane @ 70' on top of
> > tower).
> > Repeaters that normally were full scale are now S-9 on the FT100.
> ....> Jim N5JIM

1619. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <n5jim@texas.net>
Message-ID: <371F31CA.5FFB6081@texas.net>
Source record: 145075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have called Yaesu and they feel that there is a problem with this radio.
After reading many emails from other FT100 owners, I feel that this is not a problem with other Ft100s.
I have done numerous tests with the radio.
I have keyed my HT in the house, sitting directly under the tower. Transmitting 500mw from the ht's rubber duck antenna, the FT100's meter read S-9+10, transmitting 1 watt from HT, the FT100 displayed S-9+40, When I transmitted 5 watts from the HT, the FT100 finally showed full scale (S-9+60). The meter should have been full scale at this distance with 1/2 watt.
I also was talking to my wife in her car. She has a 50 watt mobile. She was transmitting full power about 3 miles away on simplex (146.54mhz). The FT100's meter was reading S-3 to S-7 with a lot of static. Even when she was less that a mile from the house, the meter on the FT100 was still just S-9+20.
It is not just the low S-Meter reading. The receiver is also very attenuated. There is static and white noise on repeaters that are full scale and full quiet on other radios that I have had hooked up to the same antenna.

Jim N5JIM

kovar wrote:

> Do you think that the S meter reading is more not accurate on uhf/vhf and
> the radio still has fantastic
> sensitivity?
> If you inject a calibrated signal into the antenna port and do a 12db sinad
> test, then I we could put more
> faith in these comments.
> How about at least having someone driving out to the fringe signal areas
> and compare which radio has the best
> ability to pull the signal out of the noise floor?
> I have never felt any of my VHF/UHF radios had more than a relative signal
> strength meter.
> The Quality of the directional couplers and RSSI calibrations are more in
> question to me.
> Let me know your thoughts Joe?
> I enjoy the intent of finding all the faults in the FT-100.
> I see Yeasu has been responsive in complaints, and aims to please so far.
> I think it is keeping it's head above the water quite well so far.
> I will wait out another month or so before I purchase.
> Jack
>
>
> --
> Jack Kovar

> k0var
> Iowa
>
> K5JOE <k5joe@flash.net> wrote in article <371DF742.28F7729F@flash.net>...
> > Jim, my FT-100 should be here today and I will check that out...
> > thanks for the info.
> > K5JOE
> >
> >
> > Jim wrote:
> > >
> > > I just bought a Yaesu FT100 from AES.
> > > First impression of the radio was good. Works great on HF (40M and
> 75M
> > >)
> > > I entered some local repeater frequencies and scanned for awhile. When
> > > the radio stopped on a couple of repeaters, I noticed that the signal
> > > strength was less than half of what I had gotten on other radios
> hooked
> > > up to the same antenna (Comet dual band ground plane @ 70" on top of
> > > tower).
> > > Repeaters that normally were full scale are now S-9 on the FT100. I
> > > looked all through the menu to see if I had some attenuation on but
> > > there is no way to attenuate the receiver on 2M. I also read all
> through
> > > the manual, but did not find anything on changing the sensitivity of
> the
> > > receiver on VHF. The receiver on VHF and UHF is very dead. My wife was
> > > about 200 yards down the street in her mobile (50 Watts) and I was
> > > only getting 40 over S-9, the signal should have been FULL SCALE and
> > > then some.
> > >
> > > Has anyone else experienced this problem wit the FT100's receiver ?
> > > I plan on calling Yaesu tomorrow about the dead receive on the radio.
> > >
> > > Thanks in advance,
> > >
> > > Jim N5JIM
> >

1620. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <371F333B.167EB0E7@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 145076

helmsman@mindspring.com wrote:
>
> You know that's a good idea. Either learn a "REAL" international
> Language or no License! Hell, code is only English and that's not very
> international! I personally think that the choice should be CW or
> Esperanto and the one you master, those are the freq's you get!!! I'm
> taking the FREE e-mail course.
>

This is just my opinion, but, English may be more international than
you realise. I operated on a reciprocal license in Germany as
DA2EU for several years. I worked CW only and was initially worried
about all the different languages that I might be subjected to.
In all that time, only once or twice did anyone try to initiate a
contact with me in any language other than english. This included
contacts with every country in Europe, Japan, Africa, England, etc..

So when you think that learning CW is tough for the US amateurs,
just think how hard it must be in a foreign country. They not only
have to learn the code, but they also have to learn how to translate
that to English.

Martin

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Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS martin.e.meserve
Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

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1621. Re: 440 Repeater Held Up: quick call the gen d'armes !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <371f395d.493538@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 145077

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

:Is your frequency coordinator telling YOU it will take 4 to 6 weeks to find
:you a frequency pair ? Do all your calls end up on his cah phone ? Then
:here's some advice.
:
:Do what the ARRL's very own local Special Service club did when they had had
:it ! Put up your repeater, ask questions later.

The same thing applies in Australia with the ACA advocating its
responsability to the WIA.

:Frequency coordinators are the geek's geek and V UHF prima donnas with a
:thirst for power that will never be quenched. Many do actually hold on to
:frequency pairs because one of these days, good old Gramps is going to break
:down and buy that new repeater to replace the one that died in 1987...

Perhaps you should petition the FCC to start doing their job.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.

1622. Re: OE1M - International Marconi Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob@SPAMBEGONEae1m.com
Message-ID: <37213bda.77106623@news.ae1m.com>
Source record: 145078

On 22 Apr 1999 15:19:00 +0200, kwp@rai.ping.at (Wolf Harranth) wrote:

>We will operate Special Event Station OE1M on occasion of the
>International Marconi Day o n l y from the premises of the Austrian
>Broadcasting Corporation
>

Very nice call sign.

Bob, AE1M

1623. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
Message-ID: <371f39ae.469776263@news.npwt.net>
Source record: 145079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Wed, 21 Apr 1999 13:03:57 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

>Years ago, you needed the same theory background as a general to become
>a tech. These days, if you can microwave popcorn, chances are you read
>well enough to pass element 3A. As a filter for intellectual selection,
>the radio amateur written exams leave much to be desired.

This assumes any filter is desireable or legal or..

The basic assumetion being used is as flawed as the idea of
Code Testing. being that if it was X in the past it must X for all
time. Change is wrong and intoleratbale. We are quite tired of that,
aren't you tired of sying the same ole thing

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

1624. Re: Another stellar evening on 3.950 mHz SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay-Zero Happy Baby <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7fni0m$mc8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <19990422090904.14158.00000029@ng-fi1.aol.com>,
jimd7002@aol.com (JimD7002) wrote:

> Well, if you're SOOO interested, why don't you listen quietly, by yourself,
> and save the bandwidth in this and other NG's?

Jim,

You obviously have missed the whole point! The small inbred group of
induhviduals who are interested in 3.950 will mostly soon no longer
be able to transmit there (some already can't) so they will need to bait
and taunt and otherwise generally harrass each other here in cyberspace.

They're just practicing.

73, Hans, K0HB
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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
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1625. Radios, newspapers and money, more money.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: i <hacked@mainradio.com>
Message-ID: <7fneni$e8a$1@cnn.cc.biu.ac.il>
Source record: 145081
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.b

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1626. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <371F46F5.C6F152DE@hotmail.com>
Source record: 145082

Truly, this is one of the silliest threads in this NG and on the 'Net.

1627. FS: Motorola Saber SI 800 Trunking / Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ODnDgnNj#GA.113@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 145083
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola Saber SI 800 Trunking / Conv
Does Type I, II, IIi
Full Keypad With Display

Excellent Condition
Asking $1500.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1628. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil
Message-ID: <7fnmadqgh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145084
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

before you post a message learn how to spell, or use a spell checker.

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1629. FS: Advance Electronics PK-88 Packet Controler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eU2DezNj#GA.79@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 145085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Advance Electronics PK-88 Packet Controller

Firmware 23.AUG.91
Excellent Condition
Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

1630. FS: Motorola Spectra Remote Cover Plate HLN616B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OhopVzNj#GA.116@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 145086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola Spectra Remote Cover Plate HLN6161B

This Has The 2 Db25 Connectors For the Siren Option
OEM Price $80.00

Asking $50.00

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

1631. KC1ZQ EXPLAINED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422123154.14436.00000396@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 145087

Don't be so tough on David. If you had experienced what he did with wife #1, you'd be off center also. The guy had one heck of a shock which left him bitter at the world of normalcy. Then there was the "beating" he took at the hands of an unmerciful nun during his elementary school days which also left it's mark by his giving up on Catholicism. Even Brother John's, WA8PBM's religious tracts have made no impact on his tortured soul. Be kind to David. Afterall, you wouldn't kick around a dumb animal, would you?

radiosigs@aol.com

1632. Re: PHYSICIAN'S CODE WAIVER QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7fnj5mhic3@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 145088

In article <371cdb5c.4917138@netnews.worldnet.att.net>,
TubeLovr@his.shack wrote:
>Does anyone know what the requirements are for hearing disability to
>obtain a waiver of the code test? Does this apply to 5wpm or just the
>higher speeds? I am moderately hearing impaired, and would like to
>upgrade but can't because I cannot understand Morse code - and I am
>not one of those lazy "quitters", I genuinely have tried - for 8
>years!
****

It should be no problem to hook up a light as your code source so that you will see the code instead of hear it. This is a simple accomodation. The doctor waiver does not come into play untill you have demonstrated an ability at 5 wpm. Since ou will need the light form of code to do it at 5 wpm you will also be able to do it at higher speeds. The doctor waiver requires that reasonable efforts to accomodate your disability be tried first.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

1633. Re: Attn Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422123559.14436.00000402@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 145089

They ought to call you "Dizzy Davies." Any bit of tripe you can invent to disgrace Rich, you'll use. OTK has more electronics knowledge on his fingertips than you have in your whole lamebrained skull. You really think Riley cares about his RF filter? Get a life, you horse's patoot.

AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

1634. Re: Esperanto

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: pricerbumanto@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fnn25$r6f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145090

In article <371F333B.167EB0E7@my-dejanews.com>,
Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> helmsman@mindspring.com wrote:
> >
> > You know that's a good idea. Either learn a "REAL" international
(snip)
> This is just my opinion, but, English may be more international than
> you realise. I operated on a reciprocal license in Germany as
> DA2EU for several years.
(snip)

Uhhh... I'm reasonably certain he was just being ironic (or perhaps sarcastic?). Like you, I have the impression that the vast majority of hams use English. This doesn't mean that all of them _prefer_ English, or that English is "the best solution to the problem of international communication", or that other languages aren't used in CW, etc. ... but it's a fact that English is widely used.

But since this thread started by being about Esperanto, let me just advertise one of the possible uses for Esperanto (other than ham operations), and then sign off: <http://www.home.wxs.nl/~lide/paspserv.htm>.

George

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1635. Re: Code vs. No-Code. My opinion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <371F3BF7.26442651@qsl.net>
Source record: 145091

Tom - K1TJ <tjalessi@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7fkm3o$2ec$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...

<snip>

>Code is not necessary for someone to press a PTT
>or use digital modes of communications.
>
>If I had my way I would suggest changing the license
>structure as follows:
>
>1. Split the CW spectrum in two. CW & digital
> and leave the voice mode bands as they are.
>
>2. Create a licensing ladder where voice and
> data privilages are awarded for passing JUST the
> WRITTEN part of the exams.
>
>3. MAKE CW AN ENDORSEMENT or a privilage which is added
> to a persons license! Maybe at 10 WPM
>
>It makes perfect sence to me.
<snip>

That's the problem, "it makes to much sense", no one will go for it
because that's not the way we've always done it!

BTW I am learning code because I want to upgrade, not because I want to
start using CW, I don't really care for it that much!

Just remember when your green your growing, when your ripe "you rot"!

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To reply remove the extra @

"73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
<'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
E-Mail me at: kb9tmp<AT>@qsl.net
Home Page: http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
Church URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/

1636. making a repeater....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <brian_messman@dell.com>
Message-ID: <7fnlcu$j0v$1@galaxy.us.dell.com>
Source record: 145092

I'm looking to make a repeater out of two old Alinco DR130T mobiles I have sitting around. I know it's theoretically possible to do this without any internal mods to the units, but how? I've thought of rigging a VOX circuit to the output on one radio to the mic feed of the other, but need more specifics. I already have two ringo antennas set approx 50 feet apart to eliminate crosstalk probs without a duplexer and installed a tone board on the "receive" radio. Now how do i get this VOX circuit to work with the two radios, or is there some type of controller I can buy pre-configured?

ANY HELP WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED!!!

1637. WTB: HT-1000, MT-2000, MTS-2000 450-520 mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc B. Schauber" <waffull@skibuff.com>
Message-ID: <371F6100.FB9ECB44@skibuff.com>
Source record: 145093
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking to buy new/used Motorola HT-1000, JT-1000, MT-2000, and MTS-2000's with UHF high band split 450-512 mhz.

If you have one you would like to sell please email me the following information:
1) Model/Model #
2) Condition (on scale 1-10)... Please not any major defects...
3) Are the following included?
a) Universal connector seal
b) Antenna
c) Speaker Mic (model #)
d) Charger (model #)
e) Batteries (model #/date code/condition)
f) Carrying Case (model # or type)
g) Battery Belt Clip
h) Programming Cable
i) RIB box
j) RSS Software (version #)
4) Is the ID label on the back of the radio
5) Price you are requesting
6) Approximate S/H cost to zip code 11576
7) Your prefered method of payment...

Thank you VERY much... I look forward to doing business with you....
Marc

1638. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <brian_messman@dell.com>
Message-ID: <7fnug4$jf0$1@galaxy.us.dell.com>
Source record: 145094

mozilla is how microsoft interprets the Netscape internet browser...

Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message
news:19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com...
> Will someone E-mail me at radiosigs@aol.com and tell me why letters are
deleted
> or dropped or whatever because of Mozilla? What is Mozilla. Any relation
to
> Godzilla?
> Thank you fellow hams.
>
> Doc AF2Y

1639. WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 145095

Will someone E-mail me at radiosigs@aol.com and tell me why letters are deleted or dropped or whatever because of Mozilla? What is Mozilla. Any relation to Godzilla?
Thank you fellow hams.

Doc AF2Y

1640. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422154646.26327.00000237@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 145096

Sir,a sentence begins with a capital letter.

1641. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Castiglione <GregCa@DIM.com>
Message-ID: <371F7BA3.3755@DIM.com>
Source record: 145097

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> Will someone E-mail me at radiosigs@aol.com and tell me why letters are deleted
> or dropped or whatever because of Mozilla? What is Mozilla. Any relation to
> Godzilla?
> Thank you fellow hams.
>
> Doc AF2Y
Mozilla is Godzilla's mother.

1642. Looking for info on Standard Radio Products

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Harbour <mharbour@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <371F86F7.D0DC99CC@netdoor.com>
Source record: 145098

Looking for contact info on someone who handles the Standard Radio products. I am looking fo a belt clip with screws for my Standard C156A ht. Also looking for mods for this radio.
73's Michael / n5vws

1643. How to make a repeater....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bavce@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fo7m3$bm5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145099

I have also 2 radios VHF and a VHF duplexer. I want to know how to make a repeater. It is possible to use a relay or to do it with a transistor, capacitor or something else??

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1644. WHAT'S MOZILLA AGAIN?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>
Source record: 145100

Hey look guys...I posed this question before and got unspecific wise guy answers from Messrs.Castglione and Boyd. My postings are being deleted thanks to Mozilla. I E-mailed Dejanews but they're not answering either. Maybe they're scared of him too? I used to know a tough guy from New Joisey named Mazzella, yeah..Tough Frankie Mazzella and I wonder if Dejanews is misspelling the name. I'm scared to do any more postings because you don't want to mess with Frankie. The guy used to eat ten inch nails for lunch..I know..I was at the high school lunch table with him. Give me a break fellows and tell me Mozilla ain't Mazzella. radiosigs@aol.com

1645. making a repeater...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: bavce@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fo7tt$c0o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145101

I have two radios VHF, a duplexer and proper antenna.
I wnat to know how to connect two radios to make a repeater.
Is possible to use a relay or transistor or something simple to make???

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1646. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA AGAIN?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Craig R. Bowers" <cbowers@cc.cc.ca.us>
Message-ID: <i7MT2.30$yp1.2568@paloalto-snr1>
Source record: 145102

Hi there;

Mozilla is a Netscape thing. you can learn more at
http://www.mozilla.org.

Craig R. Bowers Home e-mail
cbowers@cc.cc.ca.us cbowers@gte.net
Visit my home page at http://www.cc.cc.ca.us/craig

Network Administrator FCC licensed HAM KF6FOQ
Windows NT Instructor FAA licensed pilot
Cerro Coso Community College DMV licensed driver

Trust me, I know what I'm doing!
I am Homer of Borg. You will be assimil - OOH, donuts!!

Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message
news:19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com...
> Hey look guys...I posed this question before and got unspecific wise guy
> answers from Messrs.Castglione and Boyd. My postings are being deleted
thanks
> to Mozilla. I E-mailed Dejanews but they're not answering either. Maybe
they're
> scared of him too? I used to know a tough guy from New Joisey named
Mazzella,
> yeah..Tough Frankie Mazzella and I wonder if Dejanews is misspelling the
name.
> I'm scared to do any more postings because you don't want to mess with
Frankie.
> The guy used to eat ten inch nails for lunch..I know..I was at the high
school
> lunch table with him. Give me a break fellows and tell me Mozilla ain't
> Mazzella. radiosigs@aol.com

1647. Re: KV4FZ vs. WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: WeKnowYou <WeKnowYou@KnowItAll.org>
Message-ID: <u1MT2.5980$Gm.1706656@news4.mia>
Source record: 145103

So, what's going on in Memphis, Tennessee,
there realdeal?

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7fn8m2$dd5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Just like WB2OTK or one of his toadies to talk about the families. Still up
to
>your old tricks even on the web. Quit using so many periods.............
You
>give your self away. How about those rubber checks down in Florida.
>
>I notice WB2OTK is back to his old call. To bad he is also a ham who lost
a
>call.
>>
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1648. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <371F8E92.F3670608@uswest.net>
Source record: 145104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Sorry,
you did not provide the requested information.
see additional rebuttles below.

George Zimmerlee wrote:

> hawke wrote:
> >> (1) FCC acted illegally
> > > Produce the documentation that proves this allegation
> >
> > The Communications Act established FCC to execute and
> > enforce the Act. The Act is the document you request.
> > It is available at your local library under United
> > States Code, Title 47. Clearly FCC has not, and under
> > Chairman Kennared will not carry out its mission, even
> > with knowledge of violations. FBI admitted to violations,
> > as did the Department of Defense.

really, where and when? produce the documents that support this case.

> >
> >
> > >> (2) FBI acted illegally
> > > > However, you have yet to produce any documentation to back
> > > > up your other allegations.
> >
> > Perhaps to someone like yourself who is illiterate, this
> > may seem to be the case. FBI admits in a letter to Congressman
> > Newt Gingrich that it violated the Communications Act. The
> > Act is clear, use of government stations for deliberate
> > interference is illegal.

I see you have now dropped to the level of attacking your opposition.
Poor tactic, friend. you have essentially lost the battle and the war.
If you cannot produce the actual documentation, then you are
considered to be a liar. you have no credibility until you do.

> >
> >
> > >> (3) ARRL acted in the interested of profit only
> > >> and therefore is disloyal to the US, Americans,
> > >> Amateur Operators, the Amateur Radio Service,
> > >> and its membership by voting to supress the
> > >> story on jamming.
> >

> > Really? Based on what proof or documents?
>
> Check with ARRL and find out why they voted to
> exclude the story from QST magazine. Why would
> the most powerful story on FCC criminality and
> jamming not warrant the attention of the ARRL?
> You won't accept the truth from me, see what
> kind of lying bullshit the ARRL gives you on
> this. I have the letter and may post it to the
> website, but not for one ignorant illiterate
> jackass who cannot read.

Again, you have failed to prove your point with documentation.
Proof is in the pudding and you have none.

>
>
> >> I have made the error of not locking squarely on
> >> point and refusing efforts to distract on trivia,
> >> minutiae, and attempts to execute the messenger.
>
> > Ah yes, but you have done all of the above without
> > remorse or compassion.
>
> Thank you for that. True I have no remorse over telling
> the truth, and no compassion for communist jackasses who
> run the government or the communist sympathizers who
> support an illegal and illegitimate government.

You have yet to prove that you are, in fact, telling the truth.
all you have done is voice an opinion and not provided any real
facts to back up the claims.

1649. Re: making a repeater....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tv8news@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422173924.15329.00000963@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 145105

>I'm looking to make a repeater

this guy used a basic stamp for a controler
here is his page

http://www.iland.net/~n0yox/

kb0lqr
****Pursuant to US Code, Title 47, Chapter 5, Subchapter II, ï¿½227,
any and all nonsolicited commercial E-mail sent to this address
is subject to a download and archival fee in the amount of $500
US. E-mailing denotes acceptance of these terms.*****

1650. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1189668faf8d554b9897eb@news.planet.net>
Source record: 145106

In article <371F7BA3.3755@DIM.com>, GregCa@DIM.com says...
> Radiosigs wrote:
> >
> > Will someone E-mail me at radiosigs@aol.com and tell me why letters are deleted
> > or dropped or whatever because of Mozilla? What is Mozilla. Any relation to
> > Godzilla?
> > Thank you fellow hams.
> >
> > Doc AF2Y
> Mozilla is Godzilla's mother.
>

Wrong, Mozilla is related to Larryzilla and Curlyzilla

Hey Mo..look at the grouse

nyck nyck nyck

1651. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Smith <ip500@roanoke.infi.net>
Message-ID: <371F9EF4.97@roanoke.infi.net>
Source record: 145107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Craig Smith wrote:
> > Actually, later spark transmitters--the quenched gap models didn't
> > sound too bad--I've got a 1 KW Navy quenched gap system here behind me
> > in the office. It used a 500 cycle AC power source [BIG motor-
> > generator unit//about 700 pounds of big] to produce quite a musical tone
> > very different from the open gap sets using 60 cycle power. Most of the
> > rotary gaps sounded pretty good too. Craig sort of a MCW effect.
>
> Thanks Craig, for the history lesson. But the original argument was whether
> a trapped person could short out a storage battery (connected to an antenna)
> and send receivable and understandable Morse code. I still doubt it.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
A little more history---in one of the Radio Boys series books,
ca 1926 or so, they were trapped somewhere and did just that--however
they used an old file and dragged the wire lead across the file
serations---giving more of a "make-break" action to it. Did it work???
Did in the book. Craig

1652. Re: FCC JAMS HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: adnans <adnans@olywa.net>
Message-ID: <DNNT2.14392$kG6.555653@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 145108
Cross-posted to: olywa.talk,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

stop right now! PLEASE! let this thread die!! PLEASE!! its a plague! do NOT reply to this msg. don't start a new mini-thread in here. just let it _die_.

adnans

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message news:7fnonj$2mb$1@newnews.startext.net...
> How about learning how to quote while YOU're at it?...
> You could be replying to any # of previous posts in this thread...
>
> <rgrandmaison@comdt.uscg.mil> wrote in message
> news:7fnmadqgh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> > before you post a message learn how to spell, or use a spell checker
>
>
>

1653. Re: making a repeater....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fo9rb$1sn@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145109

brian <brian_messman@dell.com> wrote:
>I'm looking to make a repeater out of two old Alinco DR130T mobiles I have
>sitting around. I know it's theoretically possible to do this without any
>internal mods to the units, but how? I've thought of rigging a VOX circuit
>to the output on one radio to the mic feed of the other, but need more
>specifics. I already have two ringo antennas set approx 50 feet apart to
>eliminate crosstalk probs without a duplexer and installed a tone board on
>the "receive" radio. Now how do i get this VOX circuit to work with the two
>radios, or is there some type of controller I can buy pre-configured?

You want a Carrier Operated Relay; any of the repeater manuals
(Sessions, ARRL) will have a circuit diagram for a COR. Stay away
from a VOX -- you don't want stray voices in the repeater shack to
key the transmitter.

I built a simple repeater back in the 70s out of a Heath HW-202 trans-
ceiver (had seperate xmtr and rcvr boards isolated from each other)
using a COR as the controller. Worked like a champ!

Have fun!
Jeff KH6O

1654. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <brian_messman@dell.com>
Message-ID: <7foc40$jt3$1@galaxy.us.dell.com>
Source record: 145110

damn.....LOL.

Steve - KF2TI <kf2ti@planet.net> wrote in message
news:MPG.1189668faf8d554b9897eb@news.planet.net...
> In article <371F7BA3.3755@DIM.com>, GregCa@DIM.com says...
> > Radiosigs wrote:
> > >
> > > Will someone E-mail me at radiosigs@aol.com and tell me why letters
are deleted
> > > or dropped or whatever because of Mozilla? What is Mozilla. Any
relation to
> > > Godzilla?
> > > Thank you fellow hams.
> > >
> > > Doc AF2Y
> > Mozilla is Godzilla's mother.
> >
>
> Wrong, Mozilla is related to Larryzilla and Curlyzilla
>
> Hey Mo..look at the grouse
>
> nyck nyck nyck

1655. Re: Radios, newspapers and money, more money.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422195922.02631.00000247@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145111

Are you sure about that MAIN RADIO? I logged on and all I got was a black top border with MAIN RADIO across it and "best on the Internet" below it and then a gray screen filling up nine-tenths of the CRT and then NOTHING. Has my 33.6K modem gone west or has MAIN RADIO?

radiosigs@aol.com

1656. Re: making a repeater...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <371FBB10.37B741F4@four-way.net>
Source record: 145112
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

you put a controller in between the receiver and the transmitter so the repeater can be legally Identified. Here is a place to get one from

http://home1.gte.net/k4lk/mcc/

bavce@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> I have two radios VHF, a duplexer and proper antenna.
> I wnat to know how to connect two radios to make a repeater.
> Is possible to use a relay or transistor or something simple to make???
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1657. Help RF in the House

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <371F848A.87D56FAF@qsl.net>
Source record: 145113

Hello,
I have a G5RV I just put up and I'm getting RF in the house. I put a air wound choke on it. Like the manual said 8 turns 6 inch diameter at the feedline outside.
I seems to be on 40 meters when this happens. Anyone have any ideas??
Please e-mail me thanks and 73s

Steve KB9HGI

1658. Re: making a repeater...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <371FD396.62A2@imt.net>
Source record: 145114

bavce@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> I have two radios VHF, a duplexer and proper antenna.
> I wnat to know how to connect two radios to make a repeater.
> Is possible to use a relay or transistor or something simple to make???
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

If you don't find the help you need or decide against the project I need
VHF duplexer,but can't pay over $600. Tracy

1659. Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spirit of '76 <NOjaa155SPAM@alumni.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <ueUL27Sj#GA.70@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 145115

Well, I'm new to this NG but I've held my ticket since 1979 and have had extra-class since 1981 or thereabouts (I forget). I too was pretty good at CW and spent many happy hours passing traffic on 3RN and chasing CW DX. I can't claim an EE degree or other technical certifications, but I have 20 years experience with PCs, an MBA in management science & info. systems (and also marketing, which is useful in a discussion about consumer behavior such as this). I earn my living as a management consultant for one of the Big 5 firms and reengineer companies for a living... So, here's what I think:

I'll buy the concept that Morse is becoming obsolete, but let's face it: SO IS ELECTRONICS THEORY. Nobody actually tinkers, let alone builds, his own gear anymore. In fact, I haven't done diddly at the component level since the 1970s.

The way I see it, the new ARRL proposal would gratify a lot of geeks who can deal with arcane, high-level physics at the expense of non-geeks who cannot--but who *can* master CW with simple determination and perseverance.

So, if we are to make the license relevant to a changing world, I suggest the following scheme that will eliminate obsolescence at all levels and focus on our historical and primary mission, PUBLIC SERVICE:

1. Require minimal Morse proficiency because if we don't know it, who the heck will? Maybe 10WPM max.
2. Require only basic EE: for example, P=IE, E=IR and antenna-related theory as those are the most used concepts.
3. Drop semiconductors, amplifiers, oscilators, etc., as no ham actually builds 'em and you can't fiddle with the store bought units. Those who enjoy tinkering are free to learn what they wish to learn.
4. Beef up operating practice to the point of expertise. I'm talking all new technologies from an OPERATIONAL/FUNCTIONAL perspective, not a geek's eye view of things. This would include trunking systems, microwaves, satellites, spread-spectrum, whatever, so that hams can be experts in communications--not doo-dads.
5. Include a "character" test. No sociopaths ought to be let anywhere near our hobby!

So, how about it??

73,

Joseph A. Ames Jr., W3JY

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"Those who would give up essential liberty to purchase a little temporary safety, deserve neither liberty nor safety."

-- Benjamin Franklin
Nov 11 1755, from the Pennsylvania Assembly

1660. Wtd: Keys & Keyer & CW Accessories & CW Reader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fosp0pqp1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145116
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Following Items To Purchase Or Trade For.
I Don't Need All Of This.
These Are Some Of The Models I Will Be Interested In.
If You Have Anything Along These Lines Please E-Mail Me.
73's W5IDX Houston

AEA MM-3 MorseMatic Electronic Keyer

Or

MFJ 493 Menu Driven Memory Keyer
MFJ-1315,
MFJ-551,
MFJ-5409,
MFJ-5425,
MFJ-79,

MFJ462B Multi-Reader

MFJ 452 Morse Keyboard With LCD Display
Or
MFJ 451 Morse Keyboard

MFJ 414 Tutor & Keyer

Only Need One Of The Following

Bencher Or Vibroplex Iambic Paddles
BY-1, By-2 etc.
Also 1 Straight Key

I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

1661. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mzenier@netcom.com
Message-ID: <mzenierFAnIMD.Lx5@netcom.com>
Source record: 145117
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7flvek$a91$1@vax.area.com>,
Richard Karlquist <rick@area.com> wrote:
>In article <7fabr7$r2v$1@plutonium.btinternet.com>,
>David Cunningham <D.L.C@btinternet.com> wrote:
>>>Thanks for your reply. I dont really need an extra television, I want to
>>convert the monitor just for fun. I think that I have all that I need with
>>the TV tuner, I tried connecting the comp. video output to the scart socket
>>of a television, and all was well. I was particularly careful when
>>dismantling the VCR to save all of the circuitry I needed for this purpose.
>>What I was thinking of was to make some circuit which would split the
>>composite video signal into separate R,G,B and horizontal/vertical sync.
>>pulses. Im not too bothered if the picture isn't perfect. If anyone has the
>>pinout of the monitor plug, i.e. a 9 pin D type, I would be grateful if they
>>could send me the info. Perhaps I could obtain an IC which would decode the
>>comp. video signal? I would appreciate any suggestions.
>>73 de John.
>
>In case anyone is interested, I have an NTSC to RGB converter board
>that I would be willing to let go for a reasonable price. It was
>originally written up in Radio Electronics in 1990. I used it to
>view TV programs on my 21 inch Conrac monitor.

And Harmonic Research is still around, although at a different address.
Their web site is http://www.hrx.com . Boy, the prices have gone up
a lot, though.

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com Washington State resident

1662. >Yaesu YM-86 Mic Needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <371fd377.0@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 145118

KO6JQ desperately needs a YM-86 Hand mic
for the FT-75B to get a blind ham back on the air
Pinout and Impedance info would help
Its a 6 pin mic
thanks for reading
cygnet@cncnet.com 73 KO6JQ Sam

1663. Re: How do I become an OO??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: reokie@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421200645.18823.00000092@ng141.aol.com>
Source record: 145136

Contact your section leader. In your section, look in a QST.
Chuck NH7H 73

Okie from Waikiki Hawaii

1664. Attn Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7fm1pk$c5v$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145137

�Tired of not being able to get on the air when the wife and kids are using the telephone or computer? Let my RFI Filters solve your problems for good. - Modular design - Simple install - Many in use in Amateur radio and CB service. $20.00 shipped USA check or MO. Rich Whiten, 343 Two Notch Trail, Easley, S.C. 29642. Or (864) 855-5206.�

If you are one of the persons who has been swindled by this party, at any time in the past or present, the Attorney General of the State of South Carolina would like to hear from you. Mr. Whiten has allegedly sold $20.00 electronic devices known as "RFI Filters" that contain nothing more than about 60 cents worth of useless surplus electronics parts. Mr. Whiten claims to have a �patent pending� on these devices. That claim is false. A search of the US Patent database yields no such patent application or any past patent activity by Mr. Whiten. If you have purchased one of these devices then you should immediately demand that Mr. Whiten return your funds. If he refuses, then contact:

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http://www.scattorneygeneral.org/contact.html
or write directly to:
info@scattorneygeneral.org
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Mr. Whiten has a long history of shady dealings with hams and CB'ers. He is currently wanted by the state of Florida on an outstanding felony warrant stemming from his illegal business dealings in that state. Use extreme caution when dealing with Mr. Whiten. He should be considered armed and dangerous. He often boasts about carrying concealed weapons to hamfests and swap meets with the intention of �sending home in a body bag� anyone who he dislikes. He does not have a permit to carry a concealed weapon in any state nor does he have a license to do business in any state. To verify Mr. Whiten�s penchant for carrying illegally concealed weapons at hamfests contact dtolassi@us.ibm.comFile your complaint against:

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RICHARD L and IDENE WHITEN
343 TWO NOTCH TRAIL
EASLEY SC 29642 USA
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In recent weeks, Mr. Whiten has recruited and employed several hireling amateur radio operators to post false testimonials that supposedly vindicate his �RF Filters� and him. Take note that his paid cronies were responsible for all of the false �praise� postings on the Internet. This can readily be ascertained by listening any evening on 3901 kHz LSB. You will find Mr. Whiten there, along with the identical persons who made the false claims for his bogus �RF Filters�. These hired accomplices are on Mr. Whiten�s payroll.

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++++++++++++++++++++++++++++++FEDERAL VIOLATIONS
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Please note that Mr. Whiten placed these advertisements:

�Sell: Texas Star 667DX solid state amplifier, 10-11meters 800 watts out. Has 1-2290 driving 4-2879's. Brand new $360 (can be made to run 2-30mhz.) Richwhiten@aol.com or (864) 855-5206� [USENET]

�Custom built CB solid state or tube amplifiers for 10-11 meters. 400 to 8000 watts output. Send for pictures of my amplifiers or see them @ www.homestead.com/users/goodfellows6/goodfellows6.html Reasonably priced. Listen for me on 27.665 LSB using my latest 5 KW amplifier. Richwhiten@aol.com or (864) 855-5206� [CB WORLD]

�FS- Texas Star S/S AMP 800 WATTS 10-20 meters can be made to run 10-160. Brand new in the box (really) richwhiten@aol.com or 864-855-5206 13.8vdc@ 75+ A� [USENET]

Manufacturing and/or marketing of these amplifiers are a violation of U.S. federal law and grounds for revocation of Mr. Whiten�s amateur radio license (WB2OTK). Mr. Whiten is a habitual offender that has previously been cited by the FCC for numerous offenses. These actions against Mr. Whiten include the issuance of an NAL for $10,500 for willful and malicious interference caused by one of his �custom built� amplifiers. To file charges or issue a complaint contact the Federal Communications Commission at:rlee@fcc.gov Tell the FCC that you want Mr. Whiten�s illegal activities to cease. Tell the FCC that you want all of Mr. Whiten�s unpaid fines to be collected. Tell the FCC that you want Mr. Whiten�s amateur radio license to be revoked for just cause. Tell the FCC that you want all of Mr. Whiten�s illegal amplifiers and bogus �RFI Filters� to be confiscated.

"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1665. Re: Code vs. No-Code. My opinion.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421203450.22603.00000242@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 145138

You know what code is to me? A foreign language and since I can handle both German and Spanish, that tells you how much I love foreign tongues which include cw.

AF2Y

1666. Re: Ham radio operators are difficult people to get along with

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421205304.22603.00000263@ng151.aol.com>
Source record: 145139

You're southern white trash.

AF2Y

1667. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar <kovar@ia.net>
Message-ID: <01be8c5e$0cc1e240$a8eee6ce@k0var>
Source record: 145140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Do you think that the S meter reading is more not accurate on uhf/vhf and
the radio still has fantastic
sensitivity?
If you inject a calibrated signal into the antenna port and do a 12db sinad
test, then I we could put more
faith in these comments.
How about at least having someone driving out to the fringe signal areas
and compare which radio has the best
ability to pull the signal out of the noise floor?
I have never felt any of my VHF/UHF radios had more than a relative signal
strength meter.
The Quality of the directional couplers and RSSI calibrations are more in
question to me.
Let me know your thoughts Joe?
I enjoy the intent of finding all the faults in the FT-100.
I see Yeasu has been responsive in complaints, and aims to please so far.
I think it is keeping it's head above the water quite well so far.
I will wait out another month or so before I purchase.
Jack

--
Jack Kovar
k0var
Iowa

K5JOE <k5joe@flash.net> wrote in article <371DF742.28F7729F@flash.net>...
> Jim, my FT-100 should be here today and I will check that out...
> thanks for the info.
> K5JOE
>
>
> Jim wrote:
> >
> > I just bought a Yaesu FT100 from AES.
> > First impression of the radio was good. Works great on HF (40M and
75M
> >)
> > I entered some local repeater frequencies and scanned for awhile. When
> > the radio stopped on a couple of repeaters, I noticed that the signal
> > strength was less than half of what I had gotten on other radios
hooked
> > up to the same antenna (Comet dual band ground plane @ 70" on top of
> > tower).
> > Repeaters that normally were full scale are now S-9 on the FT100. I

> > looked all through the menu to see if I had some attenuation on but
> > there is no way to attenuate the receiver on 2M. I also read all
through
> > the manual, but did not find anything on changing the sensitivity of
the
> > receiver on VHF. The receiver on VHF and UHF is very dead. My wife was
> > about 200 yards down the street in her mobile (50 Watts) and I was
> > only getting 40 over S-9, the signal should have been FULL SCALE and
> > then some.
> >
> > Has anyone else experienced this problem wit the FT100's receiver ?
> > I plan on calling Yaesu tomorrow about the dead receive on the radio.
> >
> > Thanks in advance,
> >
> > Jim N5JIM
>

1668. FS/FT Kenwood ts-530s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RANGER225@INAME.COM
Message-ID: <7fm7n3$h3g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145141

kenwood TS-530s for sale or trade. includes MC-50 and original manual. 8 to 9 of 10 scale. will trade TS-530s and possible some $$$ for a general coverage hf rig. in a trade, the value of the TS-530s is $400. if you want to buy it cash the cost of the radio is $300 + s/h. Rig includes warc bands. pic available if you want to see it.

TRA-4 Rotor and metered control box with 50' 8 conductor cable. $100 + s/h

email me for phone number or other information.

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1669. Re: Response from the ITU regarding SWATCH activity

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <371e839b.561958@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 145142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com (Cedric) wrote:

:On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:32:36 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
:
:>As if Swatch is going to be bothered by a few pathetic hams boycotting
:>them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
:>much free advertising.
:
:News must travel VERY slowly in Australasia!
:The joke's on YOU, Barry!

As if Swatch is going to be bothered by a few pathetic hams boycotting
them. They won't even notice. Face it. You lost and Swatch gained
much free advertising.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post
as my news server is missing a lot of articles.

1670. Re: Your Personal Callsign Mug.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <371e87ce.1637362@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 145143
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

There are already lots of mugs with callsigns. I should know. I am one
of them.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post
as my news server is missing a lot of articles.

1671. Re: Attn Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990421225209.02418.00000365@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 145144

A good freind of mine said he forwarded this article to Mr. Hollingsworth!!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1672. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fm2v7$11j$3@208.207.71.165>
Source record: 145145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

W6RCecilA wrote:
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> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > So you doubt that those hams could read
> > sparkgap code. How uninformed can you be?
>
> Spark-gap code in NOT International Morse, Dick. I don't think
> I could read it. I seriously doubt that you could. There are
> no dashes. There are only dots with different spacings. I can't
> find a chart at the moment, but if I remember correctly, the
> code is quite different from International Morse.
>

I do believe you're confused with wireline telegraphy.
Spark gaps generated a very broadband 'frying' signal,
coarse as sawgrass but certainly readable in long and short
- well, noises instead of tones.

Dick W0EX

1673. The International Language, Esperanto.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <7fm57b$2fd$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 145146

As a fluent - well, almost - Esperantist I read with some grins and chagrins the postings of well-meaning, but uninformed posters to this newsgroup.

Many times I have debunked the Klingon-Esperanto dispute. Even the name "Klingon" comes from an Esperanto word and the creators of Klingon have long been well-known Esperantists - as was pointed out.

It has also been pointed out that there were many more Esperanto websites than Klingon ones - over 100 to be exact.

There are over 100 Esperanto websites at last count including www.esperanto-usa.org which is the website of ELNA - Esperanto-Ligo por Norda Ameriko.

I am a certified instructor for the computerized 10-lesson Esperanto course. If anyone would like the lessons, please send me e-mail and I will send them to you.

As to the claim that "no one would understand a QSL card in Esperanto", that is really too ludicrous to refute. Since the first 900 words in the first Esperanto dictionaries (published in 1887) were found in 4 to 5 of the European national languages, and were based upon Latin, any fairly well educated person can and DOES understand Esperanto.

Someone claimed that Esperanto was exposed as a hoax; someone else said that it was a good idea that "died", HORSEFEATHERS!

Esperanto is alive and well in over 120 countries and over 80 countries have Esperanto societies.

With the Jarlibro (Yearbook) published by the UEA (Universala Esperanto-Asocio) in Rotterdam Holland, an Esperantist can find "samideanoj" (Same-idea-folks) in countries from Albania to Zimbabwe. In some countries in Asia, more folks speak Esperanto than English because English is the hardest language to master as a second language.

There have been world Esperanto congresses every year since 1905 except during WW-I and WW-II. The first congress in the US was way back in 1910! Dr Zamenhof himself attended it (Washington DC). Dr Zamenhof was the creator of the language and was known as "La Majstro" (The Maestro).

If you have been intrigued by the FACTS as opposed to the rumors, half-truths and plain ignorant statements, drop me an e-mail and I will be more than happy to e-mail you the 10-lesson course and guide you through it. By the time you have finished, you will be able to read and write simple Esperanto.

Vilchjo de Preskoto, Arizono, Usono.
Bil from Prescott, Arizona, USA.
W7WKM

ex-N7AOU.

wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu (a text-only free-net).

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Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

1674. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <371EA0B4.259E@cats-net.com>
Source record: 145147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

W6RCecilA wrote:
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> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > So you doubt that those hams could read
> > sparkgap code. How uninformed can you be?
>
> Spark-gap code in NOT International Morse, Dick. I don't think
> I could read it. I seriously doubt that you could. There are
> no dashes. There are only dots with different spacings. I can't
> find a chart at the moment, but if I remember correctly, the
> code is quite different from International Morse.

The batter swings and misses. Yer out!

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

1675. FS Dentron Clipperton L

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <371EB8EE.67BD@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145148

Hello all
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new 572b's new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters. The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500 bucs plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line.
oris@dirtball.com
73 and thanks for reading
Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1676. Interested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <371EBA56.59F@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145149

If you are interested in the Amplifier that I have for sale see
http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

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(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1677. FS Heathkit SB 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <371EB9E6.51BC@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145150

Hello
I have the Heathkit SB 104 HF radio matching VFO and power supply. The
radio needs finals and 10 ohm bias transistor in the final board. It
also needs the controlling IC in the last digit of the digital read out.
250 bucs plus shipping. The rig is in real good shape. Drop me a email
if you are interested.
oris@dirtball.com
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1678. Trade DSP-59+ for 35 amp pwr supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steve.w3sy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fmfcv$5bf$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 145151
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a very nice Timewave DSP-59+ that I am willing to trade straight up for a good 13.8 Volt 35 Amp power supply. Unit is in excellent condition and works well. Will even toss in power pack. Includes original box and manual.

73 from Steve W3SY
STEVE.W3SY@EROLS.COM

1679. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fmig5$m1g@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 145152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <371E9580.7D@ibm.net>, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
>Like I said, I am ignorant of the sound of spark-gap. The dots
>and dashes must have decayed at the same rate. Did the dashes
>just decay for a longer time than the dots?

Cecil, a short-duration closure of the key would produce a short-duration spark across the gap; a long-duration closure would produce a long-duration sparking across the gap -- there was no detectable decay on the dashes.

Consider how such a transmitter worked: DC was fed into the primary windings of a transformer with an "interrupter" (a crude version of latter day vibrators used in power supplies) and key in series with the primary; hence, pulsed DC was applied to the primary. This induced a high voltage across the secondary, which was in series with a tuned circuit and a gap. The frequency of the interrupter's opening and closing modulated the spark so that a (rough) tone was produced that of course matched the frequency of the interrupter. Some fellows would place a rubber band around the interrupter's arm, increasing or decreasing its tension, in order to increase or decrease the frequency of the tone; that to distinguish their signal from the cacophony of other signals, all on the same wavelength(s).

Such transmitters are very easy to build, but as of 1 January 1966, are not legal to use on any frequency (as per the 1959 Geneva Conference).

73, Jeff KH6O

1680. VOX-Circuit?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thilo Graupner <thilo.graupner@urz.uni-geidelberg.de>
Message-ID: <01be8c9b$cab176c0$0b755ec2@Blast.urz.uni-heidelberg.de>
Source record: 145153

where can I find a simple (small, cheap, low power-consumption)
circuit-diagram to build my own VOX-Headset using the VX-5R ?? I know there
are some runnig with just a little watch-battery!
Thanks for answer
Thilo

1681. For Sale: Kenwood TS940SAT HF Transceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww6q <ww6q@NOSPAMfwi.com>
Message-ID: <924771285.974.94@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145154

For Sale: Kenwood TS940SAT HF Transceiver.

I have a Kenwood TS940SAT for sale. This radio is in excellent condition.
It has all the filters installed. No mic/keyer is offered with this radio.
I am asking $850 and shipping for it.

For pix of this radio, go to:
http://www2.fwi.com/~ww6q/ts940/ts940sat.htm

Serial Number = 8010057

For any further questions on the rig, write to me at ww6q@fwi.com

73 es Thanks

Roy / ww6q

1682. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Harrison <ken@cds1.net>
Message-ID: <371ED1BD.83F5CBD1@cds1.net>
Source record: 145155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> BUT unless there is a total national
> ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.

Yeah, yeah... just like the ban on illegal drugs has stopped
drug addict criminals from getting coke, heroine, marijuana, etc...

oops, sorry... ham radio here...

1683. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Murnane <richardm@zeta.org.au>
Message-ID: <7fmsa6$145$1@phaedrus.zeta.org.au>
Source record: 145156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

sco@sco-inc.com wrote in message <371a6285.2250706@news.mindspring.com>...
>On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:35:40 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:

>>:>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
>>:>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
>>:>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
>>:>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
>>:>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
>>:>able to.

Gee, Barry, you're very naive, if you believe that yarn about the batteries
for a printer. How that's supposed to fix a problem with the Gelios weather
satellite service has never been made clear.

And it's not up to Swatch to launch the satelilte at all. They don't own it
and never did.

>>:I am curious. What is your callsign?
>>
>>You don't need to know, but I imagine you could look it up.

It's VK2TLC - I don't know why Barry would be so reluctant to reveal that.

>Lets see if I get this right, you are a ham [from somewhere] who wants
>a corporation to violate international law and create willful
>interference on the amateur radio 2m band for their personal profit?
>
>Well if you are a US ham I would think that attitude would make you
>unfit to hold a US license.

Unfortunately, being "a few elements short of a beam" is no barrier to
getting an Amateur licence in Australia, as Barry has demonstrated.

73 Richard VK2SKY

1684. NOTORIOUS 147.435

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: sales@msn.com
Message-ID: <371f0ab2.1936547@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145157

THERE IS THIS IDIOT, JEFF...KD6GDB..THAT HAS A WEB PAGE THAT SAYS HE
HAS STREAMING 'LIVE' AUDIO FROM 147.435 MHZ. (2 MTRS) IN LOS ANGELES.

THERE HAS BEEN NOTHING BUT A 58 SECOND RECORDING OF HIMSELF FOR
MONTHS..??? WHO IS THIS MORON??

1685. Re: NOTORIOUS 147.435

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <371F1169.7E5E28B6@four-way.net>
Source record: 145158
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

If you checked the other site out you would find out that due to the foul language and misconduct that was going on on his repeater that the FCC had shut it down and he lost VHF/UHF priviledges for 180 days.. thats why you don't hear them.

sales@msn.com wrote:

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> MONTHS..??? WHO IS THIS MORON??
> ----------

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

1686. Re: See my bolcks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Lythall <harryvpo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01be8cb9$36b71880$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>
Source record: 145159

Sorry, I meaent Biulding block circuits!

Harry
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(Member of DNA (Naotinal Assocoiation for Dyslexics))

> http://sm0vpo.8m.com/ Main page
> http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/3569/ Mirror in the USA
> http://hem2.passagen.se/sm0vpo Mirror in Europe
> http://members.xoom.com/sm0vpo Mirror in Far-East
> http://www.insidetheweb.com/mbs.cgi/mb426630 Message Board
>
>

1687. Re: KV4FZ vs. WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fn8m2$dd5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145160

Just like WB2OTK or one of his toadies to talk about the families. Still up to your old tricks even on the web. Quit using so many periods.............. You give your self away. How about those rubber checks down in Florida.

I notice WB2OTK is back to his old call. To bad he is also a ham who lost a call.
>

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1688. Re: cancel <19990421170117.18315.00000103@ng127.aol.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cschwartzbard@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fn98odvm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145161

Why are my pieces cancelled within Mozilla? Who's that guy anyway? What kind of censorship do you employ? One of the unwritten rules of the Internet is NO CENSORSHIP. Being that I have been an eyewitness to the events on 20 meters concerning radio criminals led by KV4FZ, why can't I express my opinion? And why weren't my two pieces, complimentary ones about KE9RY amd W4AMP kept posted?Both were written on Apr.21. Is there no room for sarcasm on Dejanews? You cancel my material and yet retain some of the worst offensive ones imaginable. Ones with racism and filthy language too. What exactly is your policy. Please reply to my E-mail address radiosigs@

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1689. Re: code sucks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fn7hk$5mn$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145162

robh8304@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7fjf5i$17a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> enough said

Why does it 'suck' ?

ddz

1690. OE1M - International Marconi Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kwp@rai.ping.at
Message-ID: <7FNliKtV-jB@rai.ping.at>
Source record: 145163

We will operate Special Event Station OE1M on occasion of the
International Marconi Day o n l y from the premises of the Austrian
Broadcasting Corporation

Saturday, 24 April 1999 0000-2400 UTC
SSB, CW, RTT on all bands

A joint QSL is offered for reception reports of Radio Austria
International AND/OR OE1M. Working frequencies will be anounced at the
hour via Radio Austria International.

QSLs via bureau or direct (SASE and IRC) to:
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Radio Austria International
A-1136 Vienna
Austria-Europe

For a schedule of Radio Austria International's worldwide broadcasts and
live RealAudio stream see http://roi.orf.at

Have a look at our attractive QSL: http://www.orf.at/roi/intermedia

...and don't forget to visit the site of QSL COLLECTION: http://www.qsl.at

73 de Wolf OE1WHC
Radio Austria International
The station that cares for the ham...

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Austria/Europe Fax : +43/1/87 87 8-144 04

CrossPoint v3.1 R

1691. W4FQF and W4LLI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 145164

Having a penchant for old time radio. everytime I hear Polly talking to Billy Jack, it reminds me of "Lum and Abner."

AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

1692. Re: Test Message, Just Ignore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422093308.18046.00000059@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 145165

>Test Message, Just Ignore

I tried...I really did. I tried with every fiber of my being to ignore your test post but I failed. I read it. I just couldn't help myself. I must now go away and hang my head in shame.

1693. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <371F24FC.A548A20@IEEE.org>
Source record: 145166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Craig Smith wrote:
> Actually, later spark transmitters--the quenched gap models didn't
> sound too bad--I've got a 1 KW Navy quenched gap system here behind me
> in the office. It used a 500 cycle AC power source [BIG motor-
> generator unit//about 700 pounds of big] to produce quite a musical tone
> very different from the open gap sets using 60 cycle power. Most of the
> rotary gaps sounded pretty good too. Craig sort of a MCW effect.

Thanks Craig, for the history lesson. But the original argument was whether
a trapped person could short out a storage battery (connected to an antenna)
and send receivable and understandable Morse code. I still doubt it.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1694. Re: TM211 Out of band modification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422100415.18046.00000065@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 145167

>Please tell me how to modified TM211A for out of band.
>Thank's

This radio is a great place to start. What band do you want it to work on? Although not all at once, it can be modified to both TX and RX on any band from 1.8 Mhz up to the 1.2 Ghz range, and it's not limited to the ham or business bands. It can only be modified to Tx and RX in 54.5 Mhz increments either side of a center frequency you choose. A switch (or a number of switches) can be added to "on or off" your modification. The only limitation to this would be the necessity for you to carry or keep at the ready, a number of antennas for each band you want to get out on. I would suggest the single-band mod and see if you like the out-of-band option, then add one or all the rest at a later time. The mod is simple and only requires a blob of solder or a jumper (switched) between two solder pads on the input side of the CPU with a switched ground to the 455khz IF. These are easily found on the schematics that came with the radio. Open the case, follow the diagram and follow your instincts. It sounds silly, but with the diagram in front of you, the two solder pads are right there, as is the 455Khz IF and the CPU. The only trick, the input side of the CPU is the side of the radio that is on your RIGHT, if you open the unit from the bottom while it's facing away from you, but remember, the radio only opens up from the top first then the bottom will be to you LEFT so you have to invert it so the CPU is on your RIGHT. I forget the RadioShack switch part number, just get the smallest SPDT switch they have. Switch ONE to leg 8 on the CPU. Switch TWO to leg 6. Switch THREE to leg 4 of the CPU and so on. Got a kid? Want to give him something to do (spuervised, of course)? If he's only soldered once before, he can do it. There's no un-soldering to do (which we all hate) so the modification is very simple and quick. Just remember to do the actual soldering to the CPU as quickly as possible (each leg no longer than 60 seconds with a 50 watt iron with at least a one minute cool-down before going on to the next leg. SIXTY-SECONDS MAX !!!) This is the only caution to remember during the entire mod. The switches can be hole-mounted through small holes you will need to drill on the back of the radio, and can be done while the radio is opened. It will take longer screwing the radio back together than the actual modification did. The switched ground will on and off the mod and the other switch (or switches) will choose the band of operation. Good luck.

73 de Tom KB2FIK
Tbone107@aol.com

1695. No one speaks Esperanto on the street.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <7fna2g$4gl$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 145168

In a private e-mail someone mentioned that I probably couldn't use Esperanto
with anyone on the street.
True, but that would also be the same with Finnish. Does that mean that I
would be wasting my time learning Finnish?

Bil
W7WKM
--
Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

1696. Re: Code vs. No-Code. My opinion.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <37232a62.4922659@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145169

On 22 Apr 1999 00:34:50 GMT, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

>You know what code is to me? A foreign language and since I can handle both
>German and Spanish, that tells you how much I love foreign tongues which
>include cw.

It's a foreign language to me too. I learned it. What's the point?
Shall we rename the morse code "Ham" and insist that all members of
this cliquish fraternity learn it to gain entry?

How about information theory? How about FET or bipolar transistor
biassing? How about typing (for those PSK31 contacts, of course)?
How about construction? How about emergency/disaster station setups?
How about proper phonetics usage and enunciation?

Limiting the hobby by insisting on demonstrating this one method of
communication is not going to take us much past the end of this
century. This hobby is losing people. Twenty years ago, most smart
kids knew what ham radio was. Ask a kid today what ham radio is, and
most will give you a blank stare. If we don't do something to keep
from turning off the smart kids of today, this hobby will lose its
reason for being. It's that simple.

The things ham radio was famous for twenty years ago have been mostly
displaced by the very thing we helped create: radio technology for the
common person. Twenty years ago, a mobile phone of any kind was very
unusual. Twenty years ago a repeater, particularly one with extra
receivers, was a novelty. Twenty years ago, public service and
disaster communications was a big deal because radios themselves, of
any kind, weren't nearly as common as they are today.

Radios have practically become throw-away items. Any drooling idiot
who can dial 911 on his cellular telephone can provide emergency
communications. Anyone with the Family Radio Service handheld radios
can run a public service event. We don't need no stinkin' radio
license for that kind of thing.

So what's left? Education. And who do we educate? Kids! Where are
these kids? They're losing interest. Why? Because, among other
things, we insist on demonstrating this one, difficult, mostly
impractical, and arcane method of communications which most other
services have long since abandoned. The kids want to play with
technologies like PSK31. They want to build things, they want to
enter contests.

And one major obstacle which has stood in their way is the morse code.
Again, we're losing the future of this hobby. Isn't it time we tried

something else?

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

1697. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <371F2E3E.1C47@ibm.net>
Source record: 145170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> Cecil, a short-duration closure of the key would produce a short-duration
> spark across the gap; a long-duration closure would produce a long-
> duration sparking across the gap -- there was no detectable decay on
> the dashes.

Remember the discussion was triggered by this statement:
"... the generation of a signal in times of dire circumstances requires
no more than creating an arc and some type of antenna system."

From this I have visions of a ham in "dire circumstances" shorting
out a storage battery to "create an arc". So please explain to me
how one can generate dashes VS dots by simply "creating an arc"
during "dire circumstances" assuming that the person has absolutely
no commercial spark-gap equipment to start with.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1698. Re: KK7HO's Long history of controversary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: J Morrison <jmorrison@aol.com>
Message-ID: <371F2F20.FE505CF4@aol.com>
Source record: 145171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

I've just corrected the URLs below. They were
missing a critical ampersand (&). They will work
now. And what's all this about a gay outcall
service, Tim?

Jake wrote:

> In an effort to understand why KK7HO generates so
> much controversary, I've just done a Dejanews search
> on KK7HO. Some of the articles tell the story.
>
> Not it's clear why KK7HO is usually in hot water on
> the ham bands.
>
> See:
>
> http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=325442830&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940&hitnum=19
>
> http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=347896734&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940&hitnum=11
>
> http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=354266236&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940&hitnum=3
>
> http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=355992260&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940&hitnum=22
>
> http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=344142172&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940&hitnum=31
>
> http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=325442830&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940&hitnum=19

1699. Re: IC-32A 'mods'.. Why not standard?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: shm144@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423172157.22997.00000728@ng148.aol.com>
Source record: 144973

Would you kindly email me the sight
of the mods when you get a chance
Many thanks

1700. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <Ln5U2.9745$D9.2742051@news2.mia>
Source record: 144974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey Cecil,

Your'e right, I should have asked him that ... (:-]

W6RCecilA wrote in message <3720C318.C37C7C5@IEEE.org>...
>Arnie Macy wrote:
>>
>> Hey Dan and Tony,
>>
>> You both are right. I was sending using a straight key to a guy
>> (handicapped) who was using a reader. He complimented me on my sending,
>> saying "My reader usually can't read a straight key too well"
>
>Did you ask him what would happen if his reader actually did read
>a straight key too well? :-)
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1701. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spam@Nospam.com
Message-ID: <3720e32a.970327609@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 144975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You've got a good fist, then. Keep up the fun. After 39 years I
still like to pump brass, even though I also use any number of the
latest modes, too. It's all fun. Heck, I still get major compliments
on my genuine antique D-104 mic on sideband. Sounds soooo much
better...

Tony

>Hey Dan and Tony,
>
>You both are right. I was sending using a straight key to a guy
>(handicapped) who was using a reader. He complimented me on my sending,
>saying "My reader usually can't read a straight key too well"
>
>Regards,
>
>Arnie -
>KT4ST
>
>>> You know how to tell if a guy is using a "code reader" ??
>>> Send to him on a bug. Works everytime.
>>>
>>> Dan/W4NTI
>>
>>Or a hand pump. Real brass pounding is a lost art.
>>
>>Tony
>>
>

1702. Re: Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3720F743.A4C6D649@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144976

Bruce Lane wrote:

> Question: How can you have 20 years experience with a device that's
> only been around for 18 at best?
>
> Yes, that's right... the IBM PC was first introduced in 1981.
>
> Sure you don't want to revise your timeline just a bit? ;-)

Typical snotty ham response......although the IBM PC was indeed introduced in 1981, there were other Personal Computers around before that. Agree or disagree with the original poster if you must, but don't pick meaningless unrelated nits just to try to discredit his point of view.

1703. Re: Hotrod antenna repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <7fqtmt$s20$2@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 144977

leith johnson (leith@no.verinet.spam.com) wrote:
: Help!

: Following years of faithful service, the outer shield leaves
: inside the BNC on my 2M Hotrod antenna fell/broke off.

: I disassembled the antenna and found the BNC to be a
: fairly normal female unit. The problem is I have been
: unable to find a replacement with the same backside bore
: where the custom Hotrod dielectric screws in.

: Anybody have any ideas where to find a replacement
: female BNC with the proper bore??

: Thanks

: Leith Johnson N0VMF

: leith@no.verinet.spam.com

First thing, you need a MALE BNC-the female end is on the radio!.
I've had a fair amount of experience with the Hotrod antennas-they have 2
weak spots in their design.
1.is indeed, the BNC connector, which usually fails as you described...the
2 Mtr one is the worst, as the length puts high stress on the plug.
2.the brass ferrule pressed into the bottom of the whip tends to loosen.
This is best repaired by removing the whip, screwing a screw into the
ferrule, and pulling it out completely.
Then clean the inside of the tubing and the outside of the ferrule(fine
steel wool works well), and using a bit of flux, if available, tin the
inside of the tubing and the outside of the ferrule, and solder them
together...it will never loosen again!
As for the plug-I've always used one from the 'ole junkbox...it's a common
size used for large coax cable-most plugs intended for RG=58 won't work.

1704. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423193750.24549.00000785@ng153.aol.com>
Source record: 144978

In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in the blank type on the ARRL tests.

From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also appears that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the answers, falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take the W5YI test.

1705. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37210B81.216FBE26@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144979

MailfrmPA wrote:

> In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in the
> blank type on the ARRL tests.
>
> From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also appears
> that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the answers,
> falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take the W5YI
> test.

The ARRL tests are multiple choice, not fill in the blank.

73,

Marv
KC0EGB

1706. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Lafferty <dplaff@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <7fr3ce$18i$1@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 144980

> The ARRL tests are multiple choice, not fill in the blank.
>
> 73,
>
> Marv
> KC0EGB
>

Before this turns into a flame, the ARRL has both
fill in the blank and multiple choice CW tests. The
individual VE teams can choose whichever type of
test they prefer. The team will advise the candidates
which type test they use when administering the exams.
David
KF5PN
ARRL VE

1707. new radio e-zine stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19nospam@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19nospam-2304992025070001@ppp-49.ts-5.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 144981

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http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/

Here's a few of our newest features:

* IN-DEPTH interview with the Mid-West Scanner GURU, Ted Moran

* Your questions to Tune n' Load (More to come soon!)

* SWLing, Internet and Blood and Guts (FEATURING REAL AUDIO)

* New fest listings

1708. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Hitchner <hitchner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7frgq3$nr3$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I like that idea. Quite a few hams are lost when it comes to computers.
Computers are becoming more and more a fact of life. Also consider the
number of ham radios which have computer interfaces. I would like to
go back to the days when you could actually repair computers (I'm
talking componant level) instead of just replacing a board. But I realize
we all must move on.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

Spot wrote in message ...
Maybe they should update the HAM tests to reflect a HAM's ability to setup
CW send/receive software
on his PC instead of having to learn code. :-)

1709. Re: 2meters ruined my tape-recorders?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <3720FCD7.A40F2EAD@nationwide.net>
Source record: 144983

Demagnetize the heads. Both record and playback.

Jenni wrote:

> If you think this is bad -- wait untill 01-01-2000
>
> BD wrote in message <7fp6tu$j8e$1@newnews.startext.net>...
> >GRR... Was it just a coincidence?
> >Before putting my 2meter antenna on top of the house, I was playing with
> it,
> >and the radio, in the house... And.. All 3 of the tape-recorders in here
> are
> >now RUINED. All I get on any of 'em when trying to record now it a low
> >humming sound. Nothing gets thru to the tape now. They still play ok.
> >Oh well.. ;)
> >
> >AND.. When using my ic-32a on 440 in the house, my svga monitor sorta
> >jumps/bounces when starting/ending transmission..
> >Should I also not be using it near the computer?........
> >.
> >
> >

1710. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422223953.02633.00000347@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145023

> Thanks much for explaining the term Mozilla. How about telling me what
>"deletion within Mozilla" means? Several of my pieces have been dumped using
>this terminology. Am I being censored or censured or what?

When you make false statements about KV4FZ, KC1ZQ and others on this Newsgroup.
You not on 20 meters here, Doc, People can respond by having your messages
"cancelled" through Deja-news or AOL!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1711. Who is DX302MAN??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx302man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990422225512.02627.00000423@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 145024

DX302MAN is a organiszation based in Washington DC, USA. We have a fine staff of 25 people who monitor "Zoo" frequencies of 14.313, 3901, 3950 etc. We also run various contests like "Jammer of the Year" and so forth. We recently ran a report called "Liberty Net from Belegrade" last week, which had overwhelming response.

We have a new guest with us in rec.radio.amateur.misc. Some of you know him as "Doctor Hate" aka AF2Y of Clifton, NJ. He is a newbie folks. He can QRM, slander, harass people on 14.313 all day, but when it comes to this Newsgroup, his posts are forever stored at www.dejanew.com for the world to read when he is long gone. We at DX302MAN's HQ want to welcome AF2Y with a contest!!!

CONTEST:

PLEASE VOTE:

Who is the worst Jammer on 20 meters:

1. WB2OTK aka "PorkButt"
2. AF2Y aka "Doctor Hate"
3. KE4TEW aka "Tampa Tewy"

Please submit your vote to DX302MAN@AOL.com no later than Saturday nite. Then on 3950 khz, K5BLB and K5ZU will announce the winner, during the Great Liberty NitWitNaziNet!!!

Enjoy!!!!

1712. Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hate@spam.org
Message-ID: <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 145025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby whiners won't know you're talking about them.

73, Have a nice day!

1713. visit my website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1eba@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423015454.04558.00000714@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 145026

I have a new website.

http://members.aol.com/n1eba

Thanks for visiting it.

bw

1714. Re: Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kyrrin@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <37210695.1176813368@news.jps.net>
Source record: 145027

On Thu, 22 Apr 1999 22:10:33 -0400, "Spirit of '76"
<NOjaa155SPAM@alumni.psu.edu> wrote:

>>CW and spent many happy hours passing traffic on 3RN and chasing CW DX. I
>>can't claim an EE degree or other technical certifications, but I have 20
>>years experience with PCs, an MBA in management science & info. systems (and

Question: How can you have 20 years experience with a device that's
only been around for 18 at best?

Yes, that's right... the IBM PC was first introduced in 1981.

Sure you don't want to revise your timeline just a bit? ;-)

>>I'll buy the concept that Morse is becoming obsolete, but let's face it: SO
>>IS ELECTRONICS THEORY. Nobody actually tinkers, let alone builds, his own
>>gear anymore. In fact, I haven't done diddly at the component level since
>>the 1970s.

I'm sorry you feel that way (about the theory -- I will admit that I'm
not a big fan of Morse code myself), and I'm also sorry you've chosen to
let your skills deteriorate in the face of the 'cheaper and pre-made is
always better!' marketeers.

So you truly believe no one tinkers any more? Look around a little
harder. I've run into plenty of hamateurs who are darn good at it. Look
especially at those who make entire repeaters out of old Motorola mobile
radios, or who convert military surplus gear to be ham-useful.

While hams may not build much of their own stuff from scratch in the
way of receivers or transceivers any more, I still see plenty of homebrew
antennas, accessories, station installations, and some pretty darn good
integrations of computer and radio (and the computers involved are not
always hobbled by Micro$platt's bloatware).

In any case, if there really are no more 'tinkerers' left, why is it
that construction-article bearing magazines, such as 'Electronics Now' are
thriving?

And have you looked at the Handbook lately? Quite a few construction
projects. My my, I wonder why ARRL would use all that space if they didn't
find value in giving people the tools to create something that they can
actually put their heart and hands into making for themselves? Not to
mention getting a free education in the process?

And how about the OSCAR satellites? There's no way they would have
even been conceived, let alone built, without a good grounding (pardon the
pun) in "obsolete" electronic theory. Look at the history of the AMSAT

folks.

>>The way I see it, the new ARRL proposal would gratify a lot of geeks who can
>>deal with arcane, high-level physics at the expense of non-geeks who
>>cannot--but who *can* master CW with simple determination and perseverance.

I would hardly call things like Ohm's Law, circuit basics, and good soldering skills "arcane" or "high-level." Sounds more like you're talking about particle physics or some such silliness.

As for "geeks" vs. "non-geeks," they're just meaningless labels. I've run into 10-year old kids who can grasp electronics better than I have, and I've been at this for 20+ years myself.

I offer, without apology, a translation of your statement above:

"The new ARRL Proposal would frustrate a lot of people who are habitually lazy, too much so to actually work to learn the simple, lifetime-valuable skills, and earn the privileges, that a ham radio license represents."

>>3. Drop semiconductors, amplifiers, oscilators, etc., as no ham actually
>>builds 'em and you can't fiddle with the store bought units. Those who

Oh, meadow-muffins! Even if no ham in the world built their own stuff any more, the knowledge of how such circuits work is still useful.

As for not being able to modify store-bought radios (and even that's true only up to a point), what of it? The skills gained from learning of such circuits are useful no matter what subfield of electronics one is in.

I will add that I have no regrets whatsoever that I worked -- hard! -- to earn both my hamateur and FCC 2nd class commercial ticket. The knowledge gained was well worth it.

You also seem to have conveniently forgotten about the conversion of surplus commercial or military gear to ham service. Seems to me that reverse-engineering what something does, and then modifying it to be ham-useful, requires just a little more than Ohm's Law, don't you think?

I know exactly what you're going to say. That it's cheaper and easier to simply buy something new. While that may, in some cases, be true (at least in the "easier" department), I would be most interested if you can point out, for the same price, a modern-day hamateur transceiver that has the same degree of quality, component-level serviceability, and durability, built into every square centimeter, that a retired military unit does.

>>4. Beef up operating practice to the point of expertise. I'm talking all
>>new technologies from an OPERATIONAL/FUNCTIONAL perspective, not a geek's
>>eye view of things. This would include trunking systems, microwaves,
>>satellites, spread-spectrum, whatever, so that hams can be experts in
>>communications--not doo-dads.

How do you define a "doo-dad?"

In any case... much of what you describe is simply good common sense and courtesy: Listening before speaking, not interrupting, etc. That's basic verbal communication skills, something that should (ideally) be learned at a very early age. Nobody should need to get their ham license just to learn good verbal basics.

As for making someone an expert in the "operational/functional" aspects of the modes you describe, how can you possibly expect that of someone who has not been taught at least some of the theory behind them?

>>So, how about it??

Sorry... I'm too busy designing a couple of OpAmp circuits for class. Having fun with it too! ;-)

Tell you what, though. Go to the next meeting of whatever chapter of QCWA or ham club is local to your area, and start spouting your most amusing ideas about how "obsolete" electronic theory is, and how nobody "tinkers" any more.

While you're doing that, I'd like someone else in the group to videotape the whole thing and send me a copy. It'll make for great entertainment -- especially when you start getting pelted with peanuts, overripe fruit, and any other small-to-medium projectiles that happen to be handy at the time.

73 de WD6EOS.

-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-=-
Bruce Lane, Owner and head honcho,
Blue Feather Technologies -- kyrrin (at) bluefeathertech [dot] com
Web: http://www.bluefeathertech.com
"...No matter how we may wish otherwise, our science can only describe an object, event, or living thing in our own human terms. It cannot possibly define any of them..."

1715. Re: making a repeater....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Boekenkruger <ve7cbt@home.com>
Message-ID: <g1VT2.4669$Sl2.5992@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 145028

It's been my experience that the distance between your two antennas is probably inadequate, without filtering you'll most likely still get de-sense.

On the interfacing radio thing, carrier operated relay would be the best... I made a UHF repeater out of some OLD ICOM UHF xtal rig and a Dual band radio that had a useless VHF side to it... Used the old xtal radio as the receiver cuz it had this big ol lamp that came on whenever ir rx'ed anything, since the lamp was 12/13.8v, I just went out and bought a 12v relay and put it in place of the lamp and used the relay to key the PTT line on the other radio... Even added a capacitor to the 12v line on the relay for a hang time...

How bout that. I dunno if you'd find a good chunk of voltage inside the DR-130 that would go high when it rx'ed, can't remember if that radio had a TX/RX or just TX or just RX led in it... If you take that LED out and add some leads to it you could use it as some form of logic to trip a small circuit into triggering a relay that might get you started... Obviously you can't use that line to trip a relay cuz it would be very low in voltage, I dunno if they make real low voltage relays, but you also have to make sure you're not gonna stress the rest of the circuitry in the radio that's supposed to make the LED go on...

This may be a crude way of doing things, if anyone else has a better idea for a modern radio, let it be know.

Don.

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message news:7fo9rb$1sn@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> brian <brian_messman@dell.com> wrote:
> >I'm looking to make a repeater out of two old Alinco DR130T mobiles I have
> >sitting around. I know it's theoretically possible to do this without any
> >internal mods to the units, but how? I've thought of rigging a VOX circuit
> >to the output on one radio to the mic feed of the other, but need more
> >specifics. I already have two ringo antennas set approx 50 feet apart to
> >eliminate crosstalk probs without a duplexer and installed a tone board on
> >the "receive" radio. Now how do i get this VOX circuit to work with the two
> >radios, or is there some type of controller I can buy pre-configured?
>
> You want a Carrier Operated Relay; any of the repeater manuals

> (Sessions, ARRL) will have a circuit diagram for a COR. Stay away
> from a VOX -- you don't want stray voices in the repeater shack to
> key the transmitter.
>
> I built a simple repeater back in the 70s out of a Heath HW-202 trans-
> ceiver (had seperate xmtr and rcvr boards isolated from each other)
> using a COR as the controller. Worked like a champ!
>
> Have fun!
> Jeff KH6O
>

1716. Re: Who will weld on solder tabs on a bunch of cells?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Boekenkruger <ve7cbt@home.com>
Message-ID: <8xVT2.4679$Sl2.6218@news.rdc1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 145029
Cross-posted to:
sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.componentssci.electronics.basics,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You might be able to find a local specialty battery shop that can do it for
you, they should be able to do it the right way... Spot welding tabs on...

I get it done at a local place all the time, it only take a few minutes to
do a whack of cells like you've got.

Don.

kilroy <kilroy@SPAMTRAPfuse.net> wrote in message
news:924570088.671.20@news.remarQ.com...
> Actually, I've had quite a bit of luck using solder and an old 240 W
> soldering gun. Just be careful not to overheat the cell as you solder.
>
>
> --
> NOTE: Email address is bogus!
> Remove SPAMTRAP for valid address
> Rob Frohne wrote in message ...
> >Hi All,
> >
> >I've been trying in vain to find someone who can weld some solder tabs on
> >about 30 NiMH cells I want to use. Is there anywhere that I could send
> >these batteries to get this service performed at a reasonable cost?
> >
> >Thanks,
> >
> >Rob
>
>

1717. UHF 450-520 Radios.... (Help)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc B. Schauber" <waffull@skibuff.com>
Message-ID: <372026C7.5D17476@skibuff.com>
Source record: 145030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am interested in knowing what radios (2-way mobile/portable) there are out there besided Motorola for UHF 450-520.

Also, if anyone has these units for sale please send me the details..

Thank you
Marc

1718. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be8d7b$8508e8c0$da60b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 145031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Oh, its you again, long time!

I was wondering if the FCC auctioned the frequencies you wanted or not, its been so long.

Anyhow, no-coders can read CW just fine, isn't technology wonderful. Now please stop posting flame bait. It is obvious what you are trying to do.

Regards from the thinking part of the Country.

Christopher Cox

radiate <Hate@spam.org> wrote in article
<7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
>
> You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby whiners
> won't know you're talking about them.
>
> 73, Have a nice day!
>

1719. Re: No one speaks Esperanto on the street.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: thos1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fpp3kmej1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145032

In article <7fna2g$4gl$1@news.asu.edu>,
wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu (WILLIAM W MUNSIL) wrote:

> In a private e-mail someone mentioned that I probably couldn't use Esperanto
> with anyone on the street.

Bill, I've been an Esperantist for less than two years. Last summer, my wife and I went to Utrecht, Netherlands and stayed with some Esperantists we found in the Pasporta Servo. While on a day trip to Amsterdam, we did bump into an Esperantist "on the street." In February, I was getting off a plane in Arizona. A man saw my green star pin and said "So you actually speak Esperanto." He told me that when he lived in Japan, a man there told him about Esperanto, but that he chose not to learn it. It occoured to me later that if he had learned it, then he could say that he bumped into an Esperantist "on the street." (Well, he can still say that, but you know what I'm saying.)

Thomas L. Rochestro

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1720. Re: making a repeater...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: no.spam@no.junk.mail
Message-ID: <3722599c.89573070@news.nai.net>
Source record: 145033

On Thu, 22 Apr 1999 19:57:43 -0600, AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net> wrote:

>bavce@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>
>> I have two radios VHF, a duplexer and proper antenna.
>> I wnat to know how to connect two radios to make a repeater.
>> Is possible to use a relay or transistor or something simple to make???
>>
>> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>If you don't find the help you need or decide against the project I need
>VHF duplexer,but can't pay over $600. Tracy

We can only HOPE he decides to drop the project.

1721. Re: Who is DX302MAN??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx302man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423075416.14255.00002005@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 145034

Subj: Re: Who is DX302MAN??
Date: 4/22/99 8:32:35 PM Pacific Daylight Time
From: dx394man@aol.com (Dx394man)
To: dx302man@aol.com

This should be almost as popular as the "Jammer of the Year" contest, DX302MAN. I pity your poor staff this weekend. There will be tens of thousands of votes to count, as well as all the editorial comment sent in by the voters. Maybe you could post some of these comments along with the results of the vote.

Maybe Sid and Bob can favor us with a duet of "The Pork Butt Song" when he is declared winner of the election. You also should get a group picture of Pork Butt and W9ART, winner of Jammer of the Year for 1998.

Already I think the election is predictable. I think Pork Butt will win hands down. Go to the link below to see why.

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

1722. MOZILLA EXPLAINED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 145035

Yesterday I asked about the term"cancelled within Mozilla" pertaining to a few of my extraordinary "essays" which were dumped on this site. I wish to thank the thousands of you who sent Eez,telegrams,faxes,and made phone calls. My secretary Penelope was stunned by the reaction. Unfortunately the overwhelming number of you responding, based on the asinine replies, are in dire need of psychiatric counselling with the exception of two erudite and informed gentlemen. Brian Messman and Lloyd Davies who have my sincerest thanks and may the bird of paradise fly up your noses. Thanks guys. You're Godsends! AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

1723. THE CLOUDWARMER ANTENNA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423084008.14435.00001977@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 145036

Is there anyone out there who uses what I use of 20 meters;a monoband two element wire Yagi called a Cloudwarmer? I'd be interested in hearing from you. I've been in the hobby for 30 years and have experimented with a lot of wire antennas, but this one is astonishing. In case you hadn't heard,I was voted as having the best wire antenna in North America by an independent antenna research and analysis group called AF2Y Enterprises.

AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

1724. 'MEAN GENE CROTCH"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 145037

Anyone know the whereabouts of Gene Breech, ex-WB3 something from Bloomsburg, PA who was a nightly on 3.950 extolling the magnificence and superiority of the Caucasian race? The last I heard was that he had a very severe form of diabetes with a blood sugar count of 1,000,000/80. If anyone knows the man, please tell him that his good fiend Doc wishes him happy insulin. Thank you.
radiosigs@aol.com

1725. The sound of silence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fpu7ordh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145038

Where is WB2OTK? One place he is not is twenty meters. If he does get on he has to use His old call WB2OTK not the vanity call W2OTK. Poor thing, he lost a amateur call because of his criminal acts on the radio.

Looks like Mr Riley Hollingsworth has pruned the tail of this radio rat, WB2otk.

God bless Mr Riley Hollingsworth. And, Let me tell you one thing Rich Whiting, You better not use that vanity call W2OTK, If you do, you are in deep trouble with the FCC.

All you FatBoy OTK radio suckups will have to find you a new radio master to set on the radio fifteen to twenty four hours a day and tell you silly boobs unending lies.

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1726. Antenna on house??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Erik Karlsen <erikkarlsen@coolmail.com>
Message-ID: <7fpqgm$ol7@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 145039

Hi, I have my HF antenna away from the house, and grounded when not in use
(GAP Titan).
Many here counseled me to not put a 30ft lightning rod on my house. However,
I really need
to put a better 2M/70cm up and would like to stick one of those on the roof.
At 7ft does anyone
see a problem with that? After all, my TV antenna is one the roof.
--
Erik

1727. Commies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423091222.14435.00002006@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 145040

Hey Hawke...I notice how indiscriminately you toss around the word COMMUNIST.
This is to tell you that I am offended since I'm a Marxist.
You'.re saying that Groucho,Chico and Harpo aren't American icons?

radiosigs@aol.com

1728. Re: The sound of silence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fq0gnteu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145041

In article <7fpu7ordh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Where is WB2OTK? One place he is not is twenty meters. If he does get on he
> has to use His old call WB2OTK not the vanity call W2OTK. Poor thing, he lost
> a amateur call because of his criminal acts on the radio.
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> unending lies.
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>
This is another example of BARF/STUMPER fuzzy logic. Here he is accusing
"All you FatBoy OTK radio suckups" of talking with Rich. Wonder how he
know's about all this, think maybe he is listening 15 to 24 hours a day?
Sound's to me like he is jealous.

Dan/W4NTI

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1729. Re: Who is DX302MAN??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37207374.E51@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145042

DX302MAN wrote:
>
> Subj: Re: Who is DX302MAN??
> Date: 4/22/99 8:32:35 PM Pacific Daylight Time
> From: dx394man@aol.com (Dx394man)
> To: dx302man@aol.com
>
> This should be almost as popular as the "Jammer of the Year" contest, DX302MAN.
> I pity your poor staff this weekend. There will be tens of thousands of votes
> to count, as well as all the editorial comment sent in by the voters. Maybe
> you could post some of these comments along with the results of the vote.
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> Maybe Sid and Bob can favor us with a duet of "The Pork Butt Song" when he is
> declared winner of the election. You also should get a group picture of Pork
> Butt and W9ART, winner of Jammer of the Year for 1998.
>
> Already I think the election is predictable. I think Pork Butt will win hands
> down. Go to the link below to see why.
>
> http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/
All I do laugh "Lid of The Month" ?? Boy who ever thought of that one
was right. "I I I The Porkbut Song" STILL number one on the amateur
radio top 40.
Another One Bytes the Dust
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

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1730. FS Clipperton L HF Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372074E2.49BB@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello all
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new 572b's new band switch
and all of the Capacitors and diodes have been replaced. I have
schmatics too. The amp is wired for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts
out on 80-meters. The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking
500 bucs plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line.
oris@dirtball.com
73 and thanks for reading
Oris
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1731. WOW---Check this out!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kkoblische@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423095458.11218.00000540@ng121.aol.com>
Source record: 145044

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WIN A FREE VACATION!
Enter as often as you like. A winner is selected everyday!!!!
Cut and paste the following address and good luck!
http://www.leadcentral.com/rep.cfm?id=2108
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1732. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fq35l$7a$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <01be8d7b$8508e8c0$da60b6cd@cbx-nt>,
"Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net> wrote:
> Oh, its you again, long time!
>
> I was wondering if the FCC auctioned the frequencies you wanted or not, its
> been so long.
>
> Anyhow, no-coders can read CW just fine, isn't technology wonderful. Now
> please stop posting flame bait. It is obvious what you are trying to do.
>
> Regards from the thinking part of the Country.
>
> Christopher Cox
>
> radiate <Hate@spam.org> wrote in article
> <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
> > > You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby
> whiners
> > won't know you're talking about them.
> > > 73, Have a nice day!
> > >
>
You know how to tell if a guy is using a "code reader" ??
Send to him on a bug. Works everytime.

Dan/W4NTI

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1733. Re: Help RF in the House

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7fq3ns$q5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145046

In article <371F848A.87D56FAF@qsl.net>,
Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net> wrote:
> Hello,
> I have a G5RV I just put up and I'm getting RF in the house. I put a air
> wound choke on it. Like the manual said 8 turns 6 inch diameter at the
> feedline outside.
> I seems to be on 40 meters when this happens. Anyone have any ideas??
> Please e-mail me thanks and 73s
>
> Steve KB9HGI
>
>
Steve,

You didnt say what it is getting into. Item one a G5RV is a compromise antenna at best. The only band it really is resonate on is 20 meters, and that is not all that great. The biggest problem about a G5RV from the RFI standpoint is that the feedline WILL RADIATE. This being said, you will probably find that moving the feedline away from the house as far as possible will help the problem. Or change out the G5RV and replace it with a center-fed ant using coax all the way to the antenna.

Without more specific's on your situation I can not comment further.

Dan/W4NTI

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1734. Re: 2meters ruined my tape-recorders?!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jenni <Jenni@stcp.net>
Message-ID: <924876443.389.61@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145047

If you think this is bad -- wait untill 01-01-2000

BD wrote in message <7fp6tu$j8e$1@newnews.startext.net>...
>GRR... Was it just a coincidence?
>Before putting my 2meter antenna on top of the house, I was playing with
it,
>and the radio, in the house... And.. All 3 of the tape-recorders in here
are
>now RUINED. All I get on any of 'em when trying to record now it a low
>humming sound. Nothing gets thru to the tape now. They still play ok.
>Oh well.. ;)
>
>AND.. When using my ic-32a on 440 in the house, my svga monitor sorta
>jumps/bounces when starting/ending transmission..
>Should I also not be using it near the computer?........
>.
>
>

1735. Re: 'MEAN GENE CROTCH"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2590-37207D0E-37@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145048

One of the things you'll quickly find out, "Banana Nose", is that you can't "walk over" people in this newsgroup, like you walk over people on 20 meters. So your attempts to censor good old fashioned right-wing, Christian conservative speech on usenet will be met with a large amount "flames". Just thought you'd like to know.

Now get back to you little ADL buddies and go out and circumcise somebody......

1736. Littleton, Co

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372087DE.7445@dirtball.com>
Source record: 145049

I received this today from a friend. Sounds like a positive gesture that I
will definitely participate in.

Turn On Your Lights for America

As I was driving to work this morning I passed by an elementary school and
noticed that the flag had been lowered to half-mast in memory of the
students and their families in Littleton, Colorado. What a wonderful gesture
that simple act is. But, I thought to myself, what can I do to show others
that I too am deeply affected by this tragedy.

Turn on a light. Turn on my headlights. Turn on my porch light. But how do I
get this message to others? Use the Internet. I*m sending this message to
everyone on my email list and am asking that you do the same. I am going to
turn on my headlights on Friday morning on my way to work, on Saturday as I
run my errands and especially on Sunday as I go to my place of worship. I*m
also going to turn on my porch lights on Friday, Saturday and Sunday night.
I*m going to turn on my lights for the families in Littleton to show them
that I care about them, that I feel the pain and hurt and heartache.

I*m going to turn on my lights for what is right about this country. I*m
going to turn on my lights against the darkness, the anger and the
prejudice. I hope you will join me. One light is not much but put them
together and we can light up the world.

Turn on your lights * show that you stand for what is right about America.
And as you turn on your headlights and porch lights this weekend; turn on
the light in your heart and soul. Show the world that this is not what
America is all about. With your light shining bright, along with others, we
can come together (if only for a brief moment) and combat the evil that
confronts us all.

Please pass this email on to everyone on your address list. Lets see if
we
can get this message to everyone across this great country before Friday
morning and lets use the Internet for what it was intended - good.

73 from
Oris
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1737. Re: Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <37258085.5641262@news.erols.com>
Source record: 145050

On Thu, 22 Apr 1999 22:10:33 -0400, "Spirit of '76"
<NOjaa155SPAM@alumni.psu.edu> wrote:

>Well, I'm new to this NG but I've held my ticket since 1979 and have had
>extra-class since 1981 or thereabouts (I forget). I too was pretty good at
>CW and spent many happy hours passing traffic on 3RN and chasing CW DX. I
>can't claim an EE degree or other technical certifications, but I have 20
>years experience with PCs, an MBA in management science & info. systems (and
>also marketing, which is useful in a discussion about consumer behavior such
>as this). I earn my living as a management consultant for one of the Big 5
>firms and reengineer companies for a living... So, here's what I think:

OK, I'll admit, to me this is strike one. I'm an engineer. I have a
really bad attitude about most management consultants. I'll try not
to let that affect my opinion of you.

>I'll buy the concept that Morse is becoming obsolete, but let's face it: SO
>IS ELECTRONICS THEORY. Nobody actually tinkers, let alone builds, his own
>gear anymore. In fact, I haven't done diddly at the component level since
>the 1970s.

Hmmm. You must not have seen the QRP-L e-mail reflector. Folks build
all sorts of stuff. You simply haven't been hanging around the right
groups. Given that you're not a technical person, I'll cut you some
slack here.

>The way I see it, the new ARRL proposal would gratify a lot of geeks who can
>deal with arcane, high-level physics at the expense of non-geeks who
>cannot--but who *can* master CW with simple determination and perseverance.

Physics taught in high school is "arcane, high-level" stuff?

>So, if we are to make the license relevant to a changing world, I suggest
>the following scheme that will eliminate obsolescence at all levels and
>focus on our historical and primary mission, PUBLIC SERVICE:

Umm, public service was never the primary mission of the hobby. It
always has had multiple missions. Besides public service, there was
training, exploration of new technologies, and disaster
communications. I've made a good case in the past that the most
important mission left in this hobby is training.

>1. Require minimal Morse proficiency because if we don't know it, who the
>heck will? Maybe 10WPM max.

And that's precisely the point! Who else uses morse code? That's the
reason why I'd like to see it removed as a prerequisite to get in to

this hobby.

>2. Require only basic EE: for example, P=IE, E=IR and antenna-related
>theory as those are the most used concepts.

Fine. Antenna theory? How deep do you want to go with this? You
complain about "Geekiness" and then you ask for antenna theory?

>3. Drop semiconductors, amplifiers, oscilators, etc., as no ham actually
>builds 'em and you can't fiddle with the store bought units. Those who
>enjoy tinkering are free to learn what they wish to learn.

>4. Beef up operating practice to the point of expertise. I'm talking all
>new technologies from an OPERATIONAL/FUNCTIONAL perspective, not a geek's
>eye view of things. This would include trunking systems, microwaves,
>satellites, spread-spectrum, whatever, so that hams can be experts in
>communications--not doo-dads.

>5. Include a "character" test. No sociopaths ought to be let anywhere near
>our hobby!

I disagree with #3. Often store-bought radios ARE modified, even the
surface mount stuff. Even more to the point, what are you going to do
about all those nice connectors on the back of the radio? What if
your ham radio operator candidate wants to hook an amplifier of Brand
X to a transmitter of Brand Y. How do you propose to have someone set
that up properly if the tests don't demand some kind of theoretical
background?

Beefing up operational practices for trunking systems, microwave,
satellites, spread spectrum and the like requires lots of theory. For
example, unless you understand oscillators and mixers, how can you
explain what a Costas loop is? How can you then explain what an I/Q
diagram is? How can you then explain what's wrong with a digital
microwave link? It all ties together.

And a character test? What kind of test might that be? Shall we
allow only God-fearing people to become radio amateurs? Shall we
count the number of times someone says <expletive deleted> in a given
period of time? Shall we exclude ex-convicts? Or are you talking
about requiring a note from a psychiatrist?

>So, how about it??

/* <flaming stereotype mode on> */ (I'm sorry, but I can't resist!)

This fuzzy argument is a classic example of why I have such a bad
attitude about MBA-toting management consultants. Maybe there are a
few who have experience in the real world and who can really lead a
company out of disaster. But I've yet to meet or even hear of one
(and I have met and heard of far too many).

/* <flaming stereotype mode off> */
(Again, my bias may be unavoidable)

This argument isn't just fuzzy, it's contradictory. It's difficult to discuss because "Geek Theory" versus "OPERATIONAL/FUNCTIONAL perspective" is poorly defined. And the character test is an open invitation to restrict the hobby even further by making candidates subject to even more arbitrary tests than the morse code.

Frankly, from an engineer's perspective, the tests are already at an "operational/functional" perspective. We don't ask for a demonstration of information theory (though I think we should). We don't ask to demonstrate computation of a Fourier Transform. There is no requirement to use anything worse than fundamental trigonometry to get an Extra Class license. If that isn't an "operational/functional" test, then what criteria would you use? Knob turning 101?

Joe, I think you missed a major feature of this hobby: It already is quite operational and functional in perspective. We don't ask its practitioners to build their own radios. We don't ask its practitioners to design a single thing. What little theory we ask for in the exams is needed so that the users can operate a radio safely and properly.

When you attended school, did you complain that classes were not suited to the real world? Of course you did! I did. So do most other folks. Teachers and professors know this. The problem is that they teach a general subject. You're looking for specifics. I maintain that while everything they taught in Kindergarten may have been important, that the importance of each subject in each grade after that drops exponentially. By the time you reach college, you're lucky if you'll use even 10% of what you learned in class.

The problem is that we don't know WHICH 10% out of each subject you're going to need. So they teach the whole subject, not just the specifics you're looking for. And so it is for the test for your ham radio license. It's not Geek knowledge for Geek sake. It's a test for your ham radio activities some day in the future. And as such, I think it quite reasonable to ask for the knowledge base that they do.

So, how about that??

73,

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

1738. Re: Desk mikes??? Need Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: AC6V <ac6v@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <372093A7.72B4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 145051

Nat wrote:
>
> Hi All,
>
> I'm buying a pretty good HF (Yaesu) rig and am wondering if I NEED a desk
> mike.
>
> I need info! Does a desk mike sound any better than a hand-held?
>
> Does an expensive one do a better jobe than a cheaper one?
>
> Do you have one for sale?
>
> 73, Nat
> NA5NA
> Oxford, Arkansas

Hi Nat --- well depends. For general use, the Kenwood hand mike that
came with my TS-850S is superb -- I realized this when I QSOed a JA
station using same. Sounds as good as my MC-60 desk mike. He had both.

For rag-chewing -- your going to get tired of holding the mike and
holding down the key unless you use VOX or a footswitch. Vox is tricky,
a footswitch is a great addition to the rig. Most mikes are wired such
that the audio goes thru without pressing the mike key -- provided you
use another TX key such as a foot switch, VOX or a PTT hand switch.

If you get into DXing, a DX mike can make a real difference in pileup
busting.
Bob Heil offers an optimized DX cartrige and microphones -- see URL:
http://www.heilsound.com/

Some Heil Microphones allow the selection of
either a wide range setting or a DX setting --
the later is tailored
for optimum DX use -- the former for rag-chewing.

The legendary Astiatic D-104 also is favored by DXers, as well as
several others -- Shure, Turner, etc.

See URL
http://www.ac6v.com/pageax.html
For Microphone Mfgs

Impedance matching is a factor -- the older vacuum tube rigs require a
hi-Z mike or suitable matching.

If you get into contesting -- a desk mike is almost a necessity -- allows the use of a foot switch for hands free operation -- coffee in one hand -- pencil in the other -- or both hands free for keyboarding.

Purists will use a broadcast mike equalized for optimum results.

Your Monitor switch on the newer rigs supposedly allows you to hear yourself -- but really doesn't sound like your on-the-air signal. I suggest borrowing a desk mike -- have a fellow Ham transmit -- alternately using both hand and desk mikes and you listen at another station -- real enlightning exercise. Also allows you to set up your mike gain and processor for best results. The mfg's ALC settings can be very conservative -- you want to pack in as much GOOD QUALITY powerful audio as you can for SSB. BTW - listen on head phones, speakers can color the sound -- big time.

Hope to hear your results on the air.
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73 From Rod In San Diego

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FEATURING 88 PAGES, 400 INDEXED TOPICS, AND 3000 LINKS
Over 350,000 visits on the counter
http://www.ac6v.com/pageas.html -- Alphabetical Index
http://www.ac6v.com/ -- Home Page

1739. Re: 'MEAN GENE CROTCH"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423114545.14324.00001918@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 145052

First off, you're not man enough to give your callsign or name. Secondly Christian talk should concern matters of dignity,conscience, ethics,brotherhood,charity and forgiveness rather than the racist garbage of "Crotch",his compatriots and a lackey like you. And in case you forgot, Jesus was a JEW whom you turned into God. I wonder what he'd think of a scumbag like you knowing how you've corrupted his teachings to fit your unacceptable hate mongering?

1740. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fqbr8$8nv$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7fkmid$4fb$0@208.207.71.134>,
Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> BUT unless there is a total national
> > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
>
> You'd better make that a "worldwide" ban on concealed
> weapons, Bob, and that's 'mission impossible', of course.
> It's curious to me that if the government can't stop the
> smuggling of tons and tons of cocaine from entering the
> country, how do they expect to prevent guns from being
> brought in by the thousands, whatever the law?

Yep...maybe they can't stop all guns or all cocaine BUT ask yourself.. If
they can even stop some...wouldn't that save some lives? Isn't life valuable
enough for it to be worthwhile to save even a few innocent lives?

>
> I'm told that under NAFTA there is a category of trucks
> that cross the Mexican border that are exempt from incoming
> inspection. In other words, all they have to do is to show
> their pre-approved paperwork and they are waved on through
> the inspection point. The load is ostensibly inspected and
> approved by the government involved. Yeah, Right!

Yeah Canada has the same problem..They let a lot of stuff from the US enter
without close inspection! So many vehicles enter Canada from the US that I
suspect there can be only spot checking.

> So while the solution seems simple--just ban the guns--,
> reality is, as always, much more complex. A true gun ban is
> not possible even if it was desirable. RESPONSIBILITY is the
> key. Everyone today insists on their "rights", but when
> "responsibility" is mentioned they duck and dodge.

I never said it was simple. Deciding how Hams should or should not be tested
is not even simple...BUT when changes are made in laws and in the enforcement
of laws they should be made in the right direction. Nothing can be totally
effective but that does not say we should do nothing.

> So one of the kids who did the shooting in Colorado -no
> concealed weapons involved there, BTW- drove a BMW and had
> his own website where he posted reams of material which

> should have helped predict what was coming. Apparently no
> one took him seriously. He had the "right".

Yeah..BUT in that case they used AUTOMATIC weapons which I believe are illeagal in many states and by some limited federal laws as well...BUT apparently the laws were not enforced as they should have been. I have not kept up with the news on that case BUT I find it not only sad but disgusting that those kids could get themselves so heaverly armed without being stopped by their parents or other responsible adults. There must be an investigation to trace the path that those weapons took. The trouble is, we feel sorry for the parents of kids like that. IMHO parents or gardians are at least partly responsible and should serve some jail time for their negligence. In another case a grandfather allowed his grandson to not only get all his weapons but to use his station wagon although the young kid had no drivers license. There is no excuse for such negligence IMHO. It is against the law in many states to leave the keys in a vehicle to tempt theft. That law is there to not only protect cars from being stollen but to prevent unlicensed and inexperienced kids from taking "joy rides" which might threaten public safety.

> I wonder how long it will be until every victim of such
> stuff sues Hollywood for the planting the seeds of all this
> in children's minds...a couple are already underway and
> probably the Colorado situation will cause many more. It's
> about time.

I don't blame Hollywood or even the stupid video horror games. There is a certain amount of aggression in all males...It comes with our hormones. It makes for being good soldiers in time of war, it could help in being good football players, etc. BUT it must be logically controlled and the job of parents and teachers is to see that children are able to have rational self-control and to try to spot those children...[and there are a lot more than we might care to admit]..who are potential threats to society and themselves because they have no respect for human life. These children need special attention and if need be they must be sent to secure reform schools. IMHO many lives have been saved by teachers, social workers, and even parents who have taken the necessary steps to prevent mentally "disturbed" children from acting out their agressive fantacies. We don't read about the hundreds of cases where maniacs ARE stopped before they can harm anybody. We can not publically identify such children because they may become good citizens with proper treatment. AND We can not stop trying to do what is best for society just because of the cases where is wasn't done or where some suggested regulation may not have helped. Nothing is ever 100% effective by itself.

>
> Dick

73,
Bob Wex w2ilp

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1741. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fqc7m$90n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371ED1BD.83F5CBD1@cds1.net>,
Ken Harrison <ken@cds1.net> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > BUT unless there is a total national
> > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
>
> Yeah, yeah... just like the ban on illegal drugs has stopped
> drug addict criminals from getting coke, heroine, marijuana, etc...
>
> oops, sorry... ham radio here...

Pleae see my answer to Dick Carroll on this thread.
Hmmm..you said "ham radio here..."What is your call sign?
73,
Bob Wex w2ilp

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1742. Re: The sound of silence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fqe9u$b5f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145055

In article <7fq0gnteu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,

Well Well Well , looks like old "I AM GOING TO KILL YOU" Dan, W4NTI is upset because someone is talking about his RADIO MASTER- WB2OTK Not W2OTK but WB2OTK, thanks to Mr Riley Hollingsworth. Rambo Dan is really mad. Hey Dan, don't try to bully people on the internet and tell them you are going to kill them like you have on amateur radio many times.It aint going to cut it. Get it through that controlled substance crazed mind of yours that you can not bully or threaten people on this medium, so do not try it. You fit right in with the shamed Wb2OTK, you deserve to hang together. I say "HANG EM HIGH" Mr Hollingsworth, go after the radio rats!!!!!!!! You have about a few more to go including "CRAZY DAN".

Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> In article <7fpu7ordh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Where is WB2OTK? One place he is not is twenty meters. If he does get on he
> > has to use His old call WB2OTK not the vanity call W2OTK. Poor thing, he
lost
> > a amateur call because of his criminal acts on the radio.
> >
> > Looks like Mr Riley Hollingsworth has pruned the tail of this radio rat,
> > WB2otk.
> >
> > God bless Mr Riley Hollingsworth. And, Let me tell you one thing Rich
Whiting,
> > You better not use that vanity call W2OTK, If you do, you are in deep
trouble
> > with the FCC.
> >
> > All you FatBoy OTK radio suckups will have to find you a new radio master to
> > set on the radio fifteen to twenty four hours a day and tell you silly
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> > unending lies.
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> >
> This is another example of BARF/STUMPER fuzzy logic. Here he is accusing
> "All you FatBoy OTK radio suckups" of talking with Rich. Wonder how he
> know's about all this, think maybe he is listening 15 to 24 hours a day?
> Sound's to me like he is jealous.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>

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1743. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spam@Nospam.com
Message-ID: <37219ef4.952865953@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 145056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 23 Apr 1999 15:21:30 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
wrote:

>In article <01be8d7b$8508e8c0$da60b6cd@cbx-nt>,
> "Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net> wrote:
>> Oh, its you again, long time!
>>
>> I was wondering if the FCC auctioned the frequencies you wanted or not, its
>> been so long.
>>
>> Anyhow, no-coders can read CW just fine, isn't technology wonderful. Now
>> please stop posting flame bait. It is obvious what you are trying to do.
>>
>> Regards from the thinking part of the Country.
>>
>> Christopher Cox
>>
>> radiate <Hate@spam.org> wrote in article
>> <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
>> >
>> > You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby
>> whiners
>> > won't know you're talking about them.
>> >
>> > 73, Have a nice day!
>> >
>>
> You know how to tell if a guy is using a "code reader" ??
> Send to him on a bug. Works everytime.
>
> Dan/W4NTI

Or a hand pump. Real brass pounding is a lost art.

Tony

1744. Re: DX question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fqaicsss1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145057

Carl Schulz wrote in message <7f42cjfbs1@grandprime.binc.net>...
>I just got my Tech ticket. I'm still waiting for my call sign. I have a
>friend in Chicago (I'm in Madison, WI) that is studying too. I am going to
>buy a 2 meter rig soon. I thought we might be able to talk on 2 meters
>(aprox 160 miles between us). Will this work? if not, what is a good band
>to use? I don't have my code yet so HF is out. According to the ARRL
>handbook it's possible but a local ham told me it's not.
>
>Also, being in the midwest, what is a good band to use to talk to any of
the
>coasts? I have another friend that is going to be touring the country and
>may take up ham radio too. I thought it could be cool to talk while he is
>out and about the country.

Carl, yea, you might be able to get away with 160 miles on 2m FM but your talking about high towers high power and directive antennas, CW and SSB could work on 2 but your looking at a much more expensive radio than a simple FM rig, and I'll assume that's what you meant when you said your going to buy a "2 meter rig soon" the majority of 2m rigs you see advertized are FM only, ones that allow you to do weak signal work on SSB and CW usually cost quite a bit more.

Forget about the coasts until you upgrade while it is possible to work several hundred miles during an opening on 2m using FM it's very unpredictable and unless your paying close attention to propagation the opening can come and go in a matter of minutes. You also have 6m privileges but 6m is also very unpredictable right now when it's open you can work the world, but when it's not you wonder if there is ANYONE else out there with a 6m rig. 80m and 40m are good for the distances your talking about with your friend, during the day 20m will get you to the southern states and west coast and DX when the band goes long, but 20m would skip over your friend 160 miles away, same for 15m and higher.

Just by passing the 5 wpm code you'll have access to 80 and 40m Novice band privileges, an inexpensive CW rig for 40 or 80m can be had for a song and $20 at many hamfests, most of these are CW only or AM and CW but would work just fine for communicating using CW with your friend. Have fun, there is a lot to learn and don't be dissapointed if you don't succeed right away.

73, Tim ka8ddz

1745. Wtd: Keys & Keyer & CW Accessories & CW Reader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fqcht$83i$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145058
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Following Items To Purchase Or Trade For.
I Don't Need All Of This.
These Are Some Of The Models I Will Be Interested In.
If You Have Anything Along These Lines Please E-Mail Me.
73's W5IDX Houston

AEA MM-3 MorseMatic Electronic Keyer

Or

MFJ 493 Menu Driven Memory Keyer
MFJ-1315,
MFJ-551,
MFJ-5409,
MFJ-5425,
MFJ-79,

MFJ462B Multi-Reader

MFJ 452 Morse Keyboard With LCD Display
Or
MFJ 451 Morse Keyboard

MFJ 414 Tutor & Keyer

Only Need One Of The Following

Bencher Or Vibroplex Iambic Paddles
BY-1, By-2 etc.
Also 1 Straight Key

I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

1746. Re: The sound of silence

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423133909.14336.00001873@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 145059

<< God bless Mr Riley Hollingsworth. And, Let me tell you one thing Rich Whiting,
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>>You want to make a bet that Rich is on the air long after Herbie Schoenbohm becomes the President of the Ex-Ham SWL Club?

1747. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <Tu2U2.9273$D9.2614964@news2.mia>
Source record: 145060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey Dan and Tony,

You both are right. I was sending using a straight key to a guy
(handicapped) who was using a reader. He complimented me on my sending,
saying "My reader usually can't read a straight key too well"

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

Tony - GeezerGlide wrote in message
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>
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>

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fqg40akf1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 145061
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Also 1 Straight Key

I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.

--
W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

1749. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <FD95B6288E3C0CB4.D64ABD3FDD31F848.3FBC531F1CAD8487@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Maybe they should update the HAM tests to reflect a HAM's ability to setup CW send/receive software
on his PC instead of having to learn code. :-)

1750. Re: 'MEAN GENE CROTCH"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cannon-ball@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2590-3720B9E3-54@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145063

Hell, Doc....let's take a look at the Talmud and see what THEY say about Jesus:

--Jesus "limped on one foot' and was "blind in one eye," "he practiced enchantment by means of his membrum,""he committed bestiality with an ass," he was a fool who "did not even know his heast's mind," (Talmud, Sanhedrin 105a-105b)--

As far as not using a real name or callsign, it may make me a coward, but it makes YOU a dumb-ass and a fool, Doc. Because you're now phucking around in cyberspace, where all kinds of wierdo's hang-out and now know your full name and address as:

Charles Schwartzbard
POB 1347
Clifton, NJ 07015

Gee, Doc.....why not use your street address??? Or....are you YOU a phucking coward!!!!

1751. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3720C318.C37C7C5@IEEE.org>
Source record: 145064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Arnie Macy wrote:
>
> Hey Dan and Tony,
>
> You both are right. I was sending using a straight key to a guy
> (handicapped) who was using a reader. He complimented me on my sending,
> saying "My reader usually can't read a straight key too well"

Did you ask him what would happen if his reader actually did read
a straight key too well? :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1752. Re: Commies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3720C8FD.826BF03A@uakron.edu>
Source record: 145065

Marxist Propaganda
http://www.evl.uic.edu/pape/Marx/

http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

Radiosigs wrote:

> Hey Hawke...I notice how indiscriminately you toss around the word COMMUNIST.
> This is to tell you that I am offended since I'm a Marxist.
> You'.re saying that Groucho,Chico and Harpo aren't American icons?
>
> radiosigs@aol.com

1753. Re: I can proof Oris is ginst the jewdish

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net>
Message-ID: <01be8dbe$fd3898c0$843f19d0@badco>
Source record: 145066

Your a fucking IDIOT!!!!

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in article <7ffnlpjme1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> oris says - its not legal to speak pig latin over the radio.
>
> Oris is it leagal to say pig lattin in hear???? HUH????? well then
>
> UCKFAY OOOYAY
>
> you stil steemed cause wb2OtK cooned your east tern short dum ass with
them
> fillers????? aint that a shame. dint you ever here a the term cavity
> emptyer????? that meen let the buyerbee wear an all that shit. rich try
give
> you bak the money an all that shit. butt you had get shitty with him jus
> like rich say. you dint show prop her reed spect to rich an all that
shit. so
> now you out on 3901 an that sententS is 4 live from jugs rich wB2otk.
now
> you tern ginst the jewdish run them down an all that shit. if you reed
the
> god book bout the savor you no he dont cownt for the jewdish. the jewdish
is
> saved by spectral dip sensation. see god gave them a spectral dip
sensation
> so they dont has to waste money on xmas an all that shit. same go for
easier
> and the easier bunny. god tolt them to skip that shit. that why they rich
an
> you a white niggar. they skips that shit cept to coolect rent money from
> W.T.I.A. like you. wb2OtK sends you a xmas cart to be poll lite cause he
feel
> sorry for you wite niggars an all that shit. It dont meen he beet lives
in
> xmasan all that shit. Rich he under the spectral dip sensation. too bad
you
> aint jus like rich says. BYE BYE Oris Grin BYE BYE. you gone now from
3901 4
> live. you shunt gone ginst the jewdish. when you go ginst rich Wb2OtK
you go
> in ginst evry Jewd in the worlt. I pity your wite niggar ass. they gone
> rays your rent now for sure. no more food stamp pogrom for you Oris grin
> cause the Jewds run that to. i sin searly hope you dont starf.
>

>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

>

1754. Re: Littleton, Co

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Sellers <badco@jps.net>
Message-ID: <01be8dbf$5dedfb60$843f19d0@badco>
Source record: 145067

so is turning on your lights out of the ordinary you idiot?

Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote in article <372087DE.7445@dirtball.com>...
> I received this today from a friend. Sounds like a positive gesture
> that I
> will definitely participate in.
>
> Turn On Your Lights for America
>
> As I was driving to work this morning I passed by an elementary school
> and
> noticed that the flag had been lowered to half-mast in memory of the
> students and their families in Littleton, Colorado. What a wonderful
> gesture
> that simple act is. But, I thought to myself, what can I do to show
> others
> that I too am deeply affected by this tragedy.
>
> Turn on a light. Turn on my headlights. Turn on my porch light. But how
> do I
> get this message to others? Use the Internet. I*m sending this message
> to
> everyone on my email list and am asking that you do the same. I am
> going to
> turn on my headlights on Friday morning on my way to work, on Saturday
> as I
> run my errands and especially on Sunday as I go to my place of worship.
> I*m
> also going to turn on my porch lights on Friday, Saturday and Sunday
> night.
> I*m going to turn on my lights for the families in Littleton to show
> them
> that I care about them, that I feel the pain and hurt and heartache.
>
> I*m going to turn on my lights for what is right about this country. I*m
> going to turn on my lights against the darkness, the anger and the
> prejudice. I hope you will join me. One light is not much but put them
> together and we can light up the world.
>
> Turn on your lights * show that you stand for what is right about
> America.
> And as you turn on your headlights and porch lights this weekend; turn
> on
> the light in your heart and soul. Show the world that this is not what

> America is all about. With your light shining bright, along with others,
> we
> can come together (if only for a brief moment) and combat the evil that
> confronts us all.
>
> Please pass this email on to everyone on your address list. Lets see if
> we
> can get this message to everyone across this great country before Friday
> morning and lets use the Internet for what it was intended - good.
>
> 73 from
> Oris
> --
>
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
>

1755. Re: NEW ! 50 MHz Beacon list - by OZ6OM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marcus <marcusnl@sister.com>
Message-ID: <7fqp13$l6f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <14QT2.1407$o4.27791@news030.image.dk>,
"O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk> wrote:
> Dr OM/YL
>
> This mail to inform You that I resently have uploaded an updated
> beacon list covering a 70 MHz world wide, a 50 MHz world wide in
> six continantal splitted listings covering, Africa, Asia, Europe,
> North America, Ocean/Pacific and South America.
>
> These lists can either be viewed in html or downloaded as a ZIP
> file in band pacages, the ZIPed version contains a bandplan aswell.
>
> These can be found at http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/
>
> I hope You find the listings of use ...
>
> vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

Thanks Matt, you're allways the best informed and it's very useful
with the emerging Es season.

Cheers and beers

73's dr OM de Marcus

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1756. Re: No one speaks Esperanto on the street.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: pricerbumanto@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fqp5h$la5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145069

In article <7fpp3kmej1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
thos1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> (snip) It occoured to me later
> that if he had learned it, then he could say that he bumped into an
> Esperantist "on the street." (Well, he can still say that, but you know what
> I'm saying.)

The problem, of course, is that most of the time you'd have no idea whether someone you bumped into spoke Esperanto or not. I've been stopped by a Belgian who spoke Esperanto on the street in Prague's Old Town, and asked if I wanted a cup of coffee in Esperanto by the wife of a charter-boat skipper in Icy Strait west of here (just after I'd clambered aboard cold and wet out of a kayak; yes, I had a cup of coffee, although I don't usually drink it) offered a cup; in both cases I was wearing something that gave them a hint (a t-shirt with "All One People" in Esperanto on it in the former case, a patch that said "Amikeco Trans Limoj" on my halibut shirt in the latter). I discovered recently that my oldest cousin on my mother's side, whom I've known literally for over 50 years, speaks Esperanto; neither of us had any hint that the other did, until I happened to send an annual chrismtas photocollage out wiht bilingual captions (normally I would send Egnlish to the English-speakers, French to the French-speakers, Esperanto to the, etc.). I met David Richardson (a journalist, and author of perhaps the best beginner's book on Esperanto for Americans) by chance on a ferry between Orcas Island and Anacortes, because he had a green star on the bumper of his car. But normally there's no way to tell Esperanto-speakers from ordinary Czechs or Chinese... or English-speaking ham operators! ;-)

George

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1757. Dear Ed Hare

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ac5ez@webtv.net
Message-ID: <22821-3720BF20-70@newsd-111.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 145070

I didnt say that people didnt have the right to change the rules. What I said was that , right now, ham radio has a limited cw requirement that must be mastered to get a ham ticket.
If you dont want to do that , find another hobby or be happy with the no code. You need to stop putting words in peoples post Ed.

1758. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: elickd@shell.one.net
Message-ID: <3720d72f.0@news.one.net>
Source record: 145071
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jon Bloom (jbloom@arrl.org) wrote:
: Mark Keith wrote:
: >
: > Jon Bloom wrote:
: > >
: > > I'd do the same, but I'd check my equipment first because, you know, he
: > > just might be right.
: >
: > Pretty unlikely with a modern radio. Flattopping, etc, maybe, but I
: > doubt wide. The filters shouldn't let this happen.

: Failures can occur in driver and PA stages that cause massive IMD and
: other nasty effects; filters would have no effect on that.

: [snip]
: > think. At that level you are nearly saturating the pair of 3-500z's.
: > Usually if I were to have a problem, I'll know it before the OO has a
: > chance to hear it.

: All well and good, but what if the signal's dirty coming into the amp?
: What if it's the exciter that's the problem? I had a TS-930 with a PA
: that became unstable when operated on 30 meters, spewing garbage all
: around the operating frequency. The only visible indication was a
: certain sluggishness in the meter readings during keying. I probably
: never would have noticed it on SSB. (See, folks, CW does have it uses!
: :)

: > But, hummmm, I've never had problems like that. And
: > have never had a OO notice. I'm mister clean. I hate a nasty overdriven
: > signal. :) MK.

: Good! But if you did get an OO notice, wouldn't you at least check your
: signal?

: Jon
: --
: Jon Bloom, KE3Z
: jbloom@arrl.org
: Electronic Publications Manager
: (CD-ROM publications, software products and Web site)
<CUT>

If I'm spewing a bad signal, I don't need an OO notice to tell me that.
Most hams make it a *point* to report the problem to the offending party.

<PASTE>

Doug Elick, KC8HQX
elickd@one.net

1759. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 145072

Mark,
I don't know what your comments have to do with "Jewish racists." but
you're totally right regarding the outlawing of concealed weapons. And isn't it
strange how Charleton "Moses" Heston went from holding a staff over the Red Sea
to a machine gun over the heads of every citizen of this nation?
AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

1760. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <7fojgr$m6f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 145119

Brian,
Thanks much for explaining the term Mozilla. How about telling me what "deletion within Mozilla" means? Several of my pieces have been dumped using this terminology. Am I being censored or censured or what? My language is correct-I don't resort to profanity, so what gives? If a piece is too lengthy, does it fall into the Mozilla mode of dumping?

Please respond by E to radiosigs@aol.com

Sincere 73,
Doc A

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1761. Re: PHYSICIAN'S CODE WAIVER QUESTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8d5f$94911c20$1f3bac3e@default>
Source record: 145120

Apply for a licence in the normal manner - enclosing a doctor's/medical cerificate to say your hearing is impaired. The licensing authorities are not inhuman. They are more closely genetically related to us amateurs than chimpanzees - which is VERY close. They may grant you a licence without making further enquiries.

No harm in trying.

Reg.

1762. NEW ! 50 MHz Beacon list - by OZ6OM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <14QT2.1407$o4.27791@news030.image.dk>
Source record: 145121
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that I resently have uploaded an updated
beacon list covering a 70 MHz world wide, a 50 MHz world wide in
six continantal splitted listings covering, Africa, Asia, Europe,
North America, Ocean/Pacific and South America.

These lists can either be viewed in html or downloaded as a ZIP
file in band pacages, the ZIPed version contains a bandplan aswell.

These can be found at http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

I hope You find the listings of use ...

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

1763. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net>
Message-ID: <V4vU2.4749$%L2.184618@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Yes, one of the two made it... both got into the boats, but one froze to death before pickup.

BD wrote in message <7fspok$1q9$1@newnews.startext.net>...
>And one of 'em lived to tell that?
>
>Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net> wrote in message > It sent both. SOS
>had just come into effect as a distress call 1 April
>> 1912; one of the two radio operators said to the other who was pounding
>> brass, "You might as well send SOS... it may be the last time we ever get
>to
>> send it." (Walter Lord, A NIGHT TO REMEMBER)
>
>
>

1764. For sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Craig Spada <craigs24@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fu0h5$s8b$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144775

Hi folks, I have the following for sale or trade I am looking for vhf or uhf equipment as in old handi talkies, vhf or uhf or mobile.

qty (1) Microsoft Bus mouse this is a the new version, with mouse and controller board $20.00 plus shipping from Cleveland, Ohio

qty (1) swap box this is a 16 bit card that accepts pcmcia cards, so you can use you pc cards in your pc, such as memory, modems, you name it, $25.00 plus shipping.

qty (2) MIDI interfaces (music quest) and (voyetra) these are MPU-401 dedicated midi interfaces $25.00 a piece plus shipping.

qty (1) Sound blaster compatable board with the following interfaces on board, for IDE, panasonic, mitsumi and goldstar CDROM drives.
it is 16 bit sampling 44khz with on board amplifier and joystick port.
$20.00 plus shipping, work great with window 95 or 98.

qty (1) Aztech sound board with built in 14.4 modem voice and data.
16 bit sampling and SRS 3d sound $15.00 plus shipping.

qty (1) WavJammer pcmcia 16 bit sound card New media, laptop powered speakers, this is a great pc sound card 16 bit sampling and more $50.00 plus shipping for both. for more in goto www.newmediacorp.com

qty (1) Turtle beach pc sound card (pcmcia) audio advantage with software and midi interface cable $20.00 plus shipping

qty (1) Megahertz pcmcia fax modem card 14.4 it's the gold series $15.00 plus shipping

qty (1)

qty (1) Daytona 64T PCI vga card 1 meg on board very fast graphics card, it is based on theTrident chipset. $15.00 plus shipping

I have the following Laptop Hard drives for sale these are 2.5" form factor they have been formatted and check:
qty (1) Toshiba 260 meg model #MK172FCV $20.00 plus shipping
qty (1) Seagate Model ST91430AG 1.44 gig $55.00 plus shipping
qty (1) IBM Model DPRA-20810 810 meg $40.00 plus shipping
qty (1) IBM DBOA-2540 540 meg $35.00 plus shipping
qty (1) Conner CP2081 120 meg $10.00 plus shipping

I have the following standard hard drives for sale:
qty (2) Seagate ST3283N 240meg SCSI drives 20.00 a piece plus shipping these are new in the wrapper.
qty (2) Quantum Prodrives ELS 140 meg a piece (IDE) $10.00 a piece plus

shipping.
qty (1) Quantum 240sc, 240 meg SCSI $10.00 plus shipping.
I have an assortment of 16 bit Network interface cards NE2000 compatable,
SMC, Anthem also 10 port hubs, the NIC's are 10.00 a piece, the hubs are
$25.00 plus shipping.

If interested in any of these item please reply to craigs24@worldnet.att.net
Craig WA2TWF

1765. Swap Timewave DSP for Power Supply?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steve.w3sy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fu0vs$m2o$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144776
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a very nice Timewave DSP-59+ that I am willing to trade straight up
for a good 13.8 Volt 35 Amp (or more) power supply. Unit is in excellent
condition
and works well. Will even toss in power pack. Includes original box and
manual.

73 from Steve W3SY
STEVE.W3SY@EROLS.COM

1766. Panama Vets take note

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob & Heather Williams <will7370@tao.sou.edu>
Message-ID: <37228ACE.4696DDF8@tao.sou.edu>
Source record: 144777

An email discussion list has been started for all Panama Vets. This list is for anyone military or civilian, who has ever been a part of the US Forces stationed in the Republic of Panama. Discussions regarding military experiences, family issues, local culture and everything related to the Panama experience are welcome.

Additionally, anyone involved in the Dec 1989 invasion of the Republic of Panama, otherwise known as Operation Just Cause are particularly invited to participate here too.

This list will try to serve as a connecting link for all who desire to remember their Panama experience and share it with others.

To subscribe, simply go to the following URL:

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/PanamaVets

Take care,

Robert L. Williams
Former member 6933 Electronic Security Squadron
Howard AFB, Republic of Panama - Nov 87 thru Aug 90

1767. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net
Message-ID: <372371a2.100205672@news.csrlink.net>
Source record: 144778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 12:25:44 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>"I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
>Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.

Humans shouldn't need to adapt to unreasonable environments -- it is one of the characteristics of our species that we can create our own environment. The amateur radio laws are human-created and can be human-modified.

--
home page: http://woodstock.csrlink.net/~jshaffer

1768. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmagers@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <MPG.118c401d9dc575529896ff@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 144779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <372371a2.100205672@news.csrlink.net>,
jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net says...
> On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 12:25:44 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>
> >"I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
> >Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.
>
> Humans shouldn't need to adapt to unreasonable environments -- it is one of the
> characteristics of our species that we can create our own environment. The
> amateur radio laws are human-created and can be human-modified.
>
>
Shure can, and will be.
--
CW
KC7NOD

1769. Re: Communications on the road...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike de Wey <sjsharks@saber.net>
Message-ID: <3722AE51.42C303BC@saber.net>
Source record: 144780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Try 14,302.5 on 20 meters. There are around 400 truckers that check in from time to time. We make contact and have personal meets when time and schedules allow. I have met many other amateur operators in this manner. There are both solo and husband/wife teams out there. Good luck and have fun. May be back out there some time after I get out of Calif. and back to Arkansas.

73 de WB6VSE/Mike

1770. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: VE7SEZ <tkpoustie@NOSPAMbc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <KAyU2.123$DF4.567297@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 144781

Typical attitude,c/w uninformed rhetoric. Milosevic's aggression against the Serbs! Milosevic is a SERB. We are all perfectly happy to bomb a country we know nothing about because our leaders feed us some crap about how good a thing it is and how the leader is so bad it's worth us causing a million 'ethnic albanians' to all become DP's overnight. But let's please not talk about it in the newsgroup lest it interfere with our hobbies.

This war stinks and we will all live to regret it.

Tim VE7SEZ

JJ wrote in message <3722886F.2F52@no.net>...
>YU7XX wrote:
>>
>> Dear friends,
>>
>> my name is Nick Hacko, YU7XX and VK2ICV / VK9LX.
>>
>> Five weeks ago, US and NATO started aggression on my
>> home country, Yugoslavia. Since today, I was trying to force
>> myself that this is not my business at all.
>> But this morning I've received an e-mail form my brother,
>> Branislav Hacko (Mr.sci.med., YZ7DX) telling me that
>> his 6 years old boy is wearing his snorkeling mask
>> "... because he believe if they bomb petrochemical plant
>> nearby he would be protected!"
>>
>> Five weeks ago, this would be just sarcastic joke.
>> Today, it's their reality. Hanibal ante portas.
>> Barbarians are at our gates. They are using their largest
>> and smartest bombs to destroy our schools and hospitals, our
>> museums and ancient monasteries, our heating plants
>> and food factories, our bridges and dams.
>> "In the name of democracy and humanity ", of course.
>>
>> As a Yugoslav and Australian, I deeply sympathize with ALL innocent
>> people who suffer and this is my modest contribution to peace and
>> spreading of the truth about Yugoslavia's innocence,
>> in the moment when the world's biggest powers have born
>> down on it. I owe this to my family, friends,
>> my 2 yr. old son and myself.
>>
>> You can laugh on this letter or you can go and have a good look in the
>> mirror and ask your self 'what am I doing to stop this war?'
>>

>> It's up to YOU.
>>
>> Nick Hacko
>
>Want to discuss the aggression of your leader, Slobodian Milosevic,
>against the Serbs? Milosevic could look in the mirror and ask the same
>question of 'what am I doing to stop this war?"

1771. Spring Cleaning stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill <m6rf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <372274B1.51CA@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144782

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I am doing my spring cleaning in the radio room, and I have the following items for sale. TERMS: The terms are, the first person with the money gets the item (sorry to have to do it this way, but in the past some people have not sent the checks that they promissed to). If need be I can accept Visa, MasterCard, and American Express and run it through the company account.

PRIORITY WILL BE GIVEN to those having any old Leica, Rollei, Alpa, or Voightlander camera equipment to trade. They will have first chance through midnight Monday April 26. However, you can put your name in anytime.

The prices are really pretty firm. All prices are plus shipping. I live in the Denver area (mountain time zone).

My phone number is: 303-674-0510
My e-mail address is: m6rf@yahoo.com

1) Yaesu FL2100B HF amplifier. 10 through 80 meters. Output is 1,200W pep, 1,000W CW, 600W AM. Virtually mint condition with manual. This you will need to pick up or if you are in the Denver area maybe I can deliver it. $350.

2) VoCom 100W 2 meter 12VDC amp. It requires 2 watts in to get the full 100W out. I have not had this on the air for at least 10 years, maybe more. I assume it still works. Mint condition with the manual. $30.

3) Shure 444 mic. Mint condition. Grey. $15.

4) MFJ model 901 antenna tuner. This is a 100W to 200W model for coax, wire, or balanced line inputs. Mint condition. $25.

5) Heath (you remember them) model IM-2400 digital frequency counter. 500Hz to 512MHz. Two time bases .1 sec and 1.0 sec. With the special antenna. Needs battery pack repair (AA type battery). Very nice counter. $25.

6) Brandes Navy Type. Matched tone. Head phones. These are early WWII or earlier (so they are at least 60 years-old). They have the cloth across the head bands. They are stamped "PAT. MAR 13 1923". They are in quite good condition. $25.

7) ICOM mobile hand mic. Dynamic Imp 600 ohms. Condition unknown. $5.

8) Kenwood mobile hand mic. Dymanic, Imp 500 ohms, "UP-DOWN" switches on top. Six pin connector. Mint condition, if not NEW. $10.

9) B&W model 593 antenna switch. This has three imputs. $15.

10) Daiwa model CS-201 antenna switch. This has two imputs. This can be wall mounted or has rubber feet for use on a desk. Virtually NEW. $15.

11) MFJ model 262; 1,000 dry dummy load. Mint. $10.

12) Two old radio handbooks. One is a 1972 ARRL soft cover good condition. The second is the 11th edition, Copyright 1947, of The Radio Handbook by Editors and Engineers, LTD. This is a hard cover book which is also in quite good condition. You get both for $35.

13) Pulser shortwave radio. This is the small portable type that will run on 110vac with a power adapter (included) or batteries (not included). It is about 7 1/4" by 4 1/2". Digital display, clock, AM, FM, SW1 band from 3.2 to 7.3MHz, SW2 band from 9.5 to 21.75MHz. $15.

14) Kamtronics Kam all mode converter for RTTY, CW, etc. For use with your computer or terminal and HF rig. Good condition. The last time I used it (maybe 10 years ago) it worked. $10.

15) Kenwood model SP-230 external speaker. This has a switch for two inputs, plus low, high1, and high2 filters. Mint. $40.

16) Yeasu MD-1 Dynamic desk mic. This has the UP-DOWN buttons, P.T.T. and LOCK switches. Plus three position tone switch and selectable imdenance of 600 ohms or 50K ohms. Mint. $40.

17) ICOM model IC-HM10, mobile mic. This has the UP-DOWM and search functions. Dynamic type. Absolutely NEW, factory boxed, still in plastic. $10.

18) Belden RG-8 coax. Belden number 8237. About 75 feet (that's a guess there is probably more) This is

brand new, low loss foam core with stranded center conductor. $35 (that's about .46 cents a foot).

19) 4 two meter Rubber Duck antennas. 4 1/2" long with a BNC connector. Brand NEW. $5 each or $15 for all 4.

20) Heath (you remember them) model GD-1B grid dip meter. This is a jewel. Its probably 1950s vintage TUBE TYPE, 115VAC genuine Heathkit. I have the coil box with ALL 5 COILS 37 to 100 MC, 14 to 37 MC, 2 to 5 MC, 5 to 15 MC, and 100 to 250 MC. The unit appears to be in working order, but I can not guarantee that. All things considered, this is in very good condition. The purple coil box is faded and water stained in spots. $50.

That is the list. I believe the amplifiers to be in good working order, but for obvious reasons I can not guarantee that.

73's,
Bill
K0OWO

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1772. Kenwood TM732 & TH48

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7fs4ef$99e$1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 144923
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

On my Webpage you will find Amateur Radio Mods for the following radio's:

Motorola GP300
Motorola GM300
Motorola McMicro
How to make a programming interface (RIB) for your GP300 and GM300.
Yaesu FT847
Kenwood TM732
Kenwood TH48
Standard C510

The URL is:

http://web.jet.es/colinlowe/index.htm

73 de Colin EB/G1IVG
Barcelona Spain.

1773. Freebander Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: shm144@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990424090151.29838.00001036@ng100.aol.com>
Source record: 144924

Can someone please tell me or define a freebander I am new to amateur radio
and have never heard this term
Thank you

1774. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net>
Message-ID: <bxjU2.3903$qj7.186194@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Anonymous wrote in message <199904232219.AAA27967@mail.replay.com>...
>Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:

>Did the Titanic send SOS or CQD MGY as its distress call?
>

It sent both. SOS had just come into effect as a distress call 1 April
1912; one of the two radio operators said to the other who was pounding
brass, "You might as well send SOS... it may be the last time we ever get to
send it." (Walter Lord, A NIGHT TO REMEMBER)

1775. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W7AAV@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13969-3721BD31-5@newsd-283.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144926

concerining the cw test, the end result is to show one can copy/send cw at what ever speed has been required, does it really matter how the info is put down on the answer sheet, either one can copy or not.....as far as the written test's go, I just recently in the last two months, went through the whole bit, as I let my extra ticket expire about ten years ago. ARRL likes to switch around the answers, but here if you know the question it does not matter what way the answers are arranged. What I found though, was that the W5YI group gets things to the fcc about a week faster than ARRL, still awaiting my extra to get on my ticket, when with W5 it would already be done.

1776. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <3721c842.1938585@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 144927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Richard Murnane" <richardm@zeta.org.au> wrote:

:sco@sco-inc.com wrote in message <371a6285.2250706@news.mindspring.com>...
:>On Sat, 17 Apr 1999 13:35:40 GMT, barryo@fastlink.com.au wrote:
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:
:>>:>Two things come to mind here. Swatch have a higher standard of morality
:>>:>than the vocal hams because they were prepared to give up their mission
:>>:>to help MIR. The satellite is still available and could be used at a
:>>:>later date. We must send emails to Swatch telling them to ignore the
:>>:>immature hams and to please launch their satellite when they are next
:>>:>able to.
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:
:Gee, Barry, you're very naive, if you believe that yarn about the batteries
:for a printer. How that's supposed to fix a problem with the Gelios weather
:satellite service has never been made clear.
:
:And it's not up to Swatch to launch the satelilte at all. They don't own it
:and never did.

In that case it would be illegal for them to not launch it, and all the
protests are worth nothing.

:>>:I am curious. What is your callsign?
:>>
:>>You don't need to know, but I imagine you could look it up.
:
:
:It's VK2TLC - I don't know why Barry would be so reluctant to reveal that.
:
:>Lets see if I get this right, you are a ham [from somewhere] who wants
:>a corporation to violate international law and create willful
:>interference on the amateur radio 2m band for their personal profit?
:>
:>Well if you are a US ham I would think that attitude would make you
:>unfit to hold a US license.
:
:Unfortunately, being "a few elements short of a beam" is no barrier to
:getting an Amateur licence in Australia, as Barry has demonstrated.

It doesn't take any smarts to get an amateur licence anywhere, as
demonstrated by the idiots that post in these newsgroups and the
way that amateurs orgasm at haveing heard some country or other.

:73 Richard VK2SKY

I don't put my callsign in my sig because being associated with
amateur radio is nothing to be proud of.

Just so you US cretins don't get the wrong idea, not all Australian
hams are as moronic as the ones that post in the newsgroups.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.

1777. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <3721c286.471764@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 144928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.art-bell

Jon Bloom <jbloom@arrl.org> wrote:

:Bill Sohl wrote:
:>
:> On Mon, 05 Apr 1999 22:10:59 -0700, W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
:>
:> >mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
:> >> 22. We modify section 15.121 to clearly prohibit the modification of scanning
:> >> receivers to receive Cellular Service transmissions, regardless of the date
:> >> of manufacture or number of units modified.
:> >
:> >Don't canners receive cell phone transmissions on the image frequencies
:> >without any modifications?
:>
:> Yes, not all of them, but many do.
:
:That topic was addressed by this proceeding, BTW. See paragraphs 12-14
:of:
:http://www.arrl.org/announce/et98-RandO.html

ERROR
The requested URL could not be retrieved

While trying to retrieve the URL: http://www.arrl.org/announce/et98-RandO.html

The following error was encountered:

DNS name lookup failure
The system returned:

DNS Domain 'www.arrl.org' is invalid: Host not found (authoritative).
This means that:

The specified host does not exist or its address can't be found.

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:Jon
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:Jon Bloom, KE3Z
:jbloom@arrl.org

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.

1778. NEW SONG:"I'm A Catholic Girl Of Course I Swallow"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sticks <sticks770@carlston.net>
Message-ID: <3722028F.DEF939FE@carlston.net>
Source record: 144929

Check out the new song, "I'm A Catholic Girl Of Course I Swallow!" It's an explicitly raunchy Techno/Dance spoof that has to be heard to be believed. Let's just say that once you hear it, you'll probably want it in your MP3 collection. This song is # 1 in Comedy with over 2,000 downloads a day, and our CD is a bestseller in the Top 10 at MP3.COM. Hear it on "Real Audio Instant Play", download the MP3, and listen to other very sick music and material from one of America's most bizarre new bands free at:

http://www.mp3.com/cockysticks

Warning: Strong language & content.

1779. Re: Freebander Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <3724ccb6.46028785@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144930

On 24 Apr 1999 13:01:50 GMT, shm144@aol.com (Shm144) (in <19990424090151.29838.00001036@ng100.aol.com>) wrote:

>Can someone please tell me or define a freebander I am new to amateur radio
>and have never heard this term

From http://rob.acol.com/~cb/freeband.html

"Freeband CB Radio is the use of frequencies or channels that are not designated to the CB Radio service for use as "private" channels or for attempting long distance contacts (DX). These freeband channels run from 26.000 MHz up to channel 1 (26.965 MHz) and from above channel 40 (27.405 MHz) to the edge of the 10 Meter ham band (28.000 MHz)."

There's also a handful of "A" channels between CB channels which most radios capable of so-called freebanding are capable using as well.

The reason so-called freebanding is popular with some CBers is because the CB 40 channels are almost unuseable due to the wide use and acceptance of modified CB radios, overpowered radios, and linears. There's been virtually no enforcement which 1) the din and flatus makes good people look for relief, and 2) blurs the distinction between legal/illegal. When 90% of the people on the radio are running "export" radios and power, and it's obvious the FCC knows about this, it's easy to believe there are none of the rules are really noteworthy.

I don't know why it is popular with some hams.

Enforcement seems to be increasing. I just hope it will go so far as to clean up CB which contributes to the problem. There seems to be a growing organization among CBers to press out even further:

http://home.fuse.net/rlgrenel/cbthreat2.htm

If the rules aren't going to be enforced, I actually think this is a good idea. Just enforcing it in freeband and not in CBRS itself will likely spur more people into the movement (IMO).

Mark

Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1780. This Week on Jehosophat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7i3nb6.c9q.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 144931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc

New this week on Jehosophat.com:

A Vagabond Ham

Clyde De Vinna, operating K7UT in the Arctic would have died at the key if not for the quick thinking of his buddy in New Zealand ... and Hawaii ... and Alaska. It's not so tough to call the doctor from 10,000 miles away through the magic of radio.

Articles, stories, and opinion for Amateur Radio enthusiasts!

http://jehosophat.com

Vy 73,
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jeff davis, n9avg
http://jehosophat.com

1781. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3721E77E.D4354CBD@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Never happen with ATT, GTE, Sprint--you know, those people that own the phone lines. ;-)

1782. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: reasonable analysis <observe@nd~report.net>
Message-ID: <7fspg3$4oo$0@208.207.71.166>
Source record: 144933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Waldron wrote:
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> Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
> they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
> concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
> or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
>
> What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
>
> >
> > >
> > BUT unless there is a total national
> > > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> > > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
> >

Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
since that didn't solve the problem, now the effort is to
ban guns nationwide, *if* they can get it done, because they
believe that guns coming from out-of-state are the root of
the problem.

Then, when that doesn't work any better, because it
creates a black market and ready source of ca$h for
smugglers in the fashion of herion, cocaine etc, then the
push will be for a worldwide ban on weapons possession by
individuals - which is actually already underway within the
UN.

In a "free" society, there is only so much control that
can be exercised by any level of government - beyond that
point it is no longer free, but subject to the whim and
personal viewpoints of those individuals in power -at all
levels- at any time.

Another effect of a nationwide gun ban would be to assure
that only the criminal element would posses them. Currently,
a criminal never can be sure who might be a gun owner and
pose a threat to him. Such is usually avoided unless the
crook is abnormally stupid or under influence of some
illicit but ILLEGAL substance, which is common. Under a
total gun ban he really wouldn't need to worry much about it

since lawabiders wouldn't own guns.

It seems to always be the leftwingers who insist on complete control in the name of "freedom, protection and justice". Observe these terms closely, for definitions mean everything. There is a constant Utopian search for a perfect "system" which cannot exist within a human setting. Remember the USSR and "communism"?

If you were a Hitler, Stalin, Saddam Hussein, Milosovich, Mao etc what would YOU support in the way of gun control? In fact what DID all of them dictate within their own spheres of influence? Then consider that Washington, Jefferson, Madison etc. all strongly supported private ownership of weapons, and why they did.

It's easy to blame "guns" for debacles such as the school shooting tragedies- as well as less-publicised tragedies, and ignore the REAL problems. You don't see any criticism by the Administration of their Hollywood buddies who propagate the excessively violent "movies" and video games that engender similiar thoughts within malleable, insecure and active but undeveloped young minds, with such disasterous results. Invaribly these sources of violent extremism have been shown to be a factor in what we see on TV news. Is there an 'agenda' within this trend toward extreme violence in films/entertainment, or are they just following the profit motive and exercising their "Freedoms", too? For sure the Administration won't be anxious to determine a true answer. Or maybe they already know. Could they be a part of the problem?

I'm hearing from relatives in the military that important resources are being pulled worldwide and dedicated to the effort in the Balkans. Today our military has been downsized to alarming proportions, and the Balkan effort emphasizes our weaknesses. It is sasid that today there isn't a aircraft carrier presence in the Pacific. Two weeks ago, cruise missile stocks (conventional warhead) were down well below a total of 100 remaining, with none being built, no factories tooled up to make them and no plans to restock. By now there should be few left but the nukes, and you KNOW we won't use them. Their conversion to high explsoive warheads is said to take a year and cost as much as the original price.

Does anyone really believe that we will always be invulnerable to any sort of attack? Only the most optimistic or the most ill informed. Those who didn't study history or didn't learn anything from it.

What all this shows is that "superior" intelligence doesn't automatically equate to satisfactory problem solving, and that genius is often illogical in its application, based on human emotion instead of recognition of reality - and twisted by personal Agendas. This applies to the Code/No code controversy just as well.

1783. Re: Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3721EE8E.BFACD6F3@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144934

1. Require minimal Morse proficiency because if we don't know it, who the heck will? Maybe 10WPM max.

ANS: CW is an ITU requirement, therefore, has to be part of our licensing program. Quite probably the new standard in the US will be 5wpm.
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4. Beef up operating practice to the point of expertise.[snip]This would include trunking systems, microwaves, satellites, spread-spectrum [snipped].

Read the related article in May QST by Rick Palm, p.32

1784. Re: HELP! ADI AT600HP Dual Bander Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7fsu4obsn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <AAbU2.3649$qj7.180326@news14.ispnews.com>,
radioman@localnet.com wrote:
> I just picked up this radio and it seems pretty nice. Does anyone out
> there know the keypad functions / sequence to increase the Rx & Tx on
> this unit? If anyone can assist, I would sure appreciate it a great
> deal.

To Access Expanded Receive:

The AT-600 is already capable of wide-banded receive out of the box.
To widen coverage range even further turn the radio on and enter the
menu system. (To enter the menu hold down "F" and press the "0" key.)
hile in the menu system press the following sequence of numbers:
"1," "4," "6," "2," and "3." You do not need to be in any particular item
on the menu for this to work. After entering this sequence simply turn the
radio off and then back on. The receive range will now be greatly
expanded.

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1785. Twenty Meters Jammer contest results!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx302man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990424122547.02634.00001125@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 144936

We have gotten a Overwhelming response to this Contest!!

THE WINNER IS:

WB2OTK!!!!!

We will have a Awards Ceremony tonite! Tune in to 3950KHZ at around 9:45PM EST time. K5BLB and K5ZU will sing "The PorkButt Song" to him in honor of this outstanding award!!!

Enjoy it Porky, it'll be the last award you ever get!

"Where's that big ol' PorkButt?"
"I want to see him get another NAL!"

1786. Geek Theory (different thread), Morse Code, and the New Guy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3721F1E8.5EEB569@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144937

OK Hams, got my tech-plus ticket two weeks ago. Am trying to learn Geek Theory and don't find it in any of the books:
1) What is WACS, see a lot written about it when discussing radios?
2) What is surface mount when talking about rigs?
3) Are there any "geek" Elmers in AC909 that can help me build a QRP rig?

1787. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Your name <YourName@anywhere.com>
Message-ID: <3721F1E1.7F643DCF@anywhere.com>
Source record: 144938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

I think BOTH of them survived. I know the one, became a popular hero after the sinking, (at that time).

BD wrote:

> And one of 'em lived to tell that?
>
> Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net> wrote in message > It sent both. SOS
> had just come into effect as a distress call 1 April
> > 1912; one of the two radio operators said to the other who was pounding
> > brass, "You might as well send SOS... it may be the last time we ever get
> to
> > send it." (Walter Lord, A NIGHT TO REMEMBER)

1788. Re: No one speaks Esperanto on the street.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3721F338.41D257F7@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144939

(snip) someone mentioned that I probably couldn't use Esperanto
> with anyone on the street. True, but that would also be the same with Finnish. Does that mean that I would be wasting my time learning Finnish?

To answer your question, you probably would be wasting your time
learning either if you're not going to use Esperanto, Finnish or any
other language on a regular basis.
These 2 cents from someone who was proficient in French, Spanish,
English, and esperanto (in the military). The latter wasn't quite
practical in Southeast Asia.

1789. Wtd: Keys & Keyer & CW Accessories & CW Reader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fssmf$303$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144940
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Following Items To Purchase Or Trade For.
I Don't Need All Of This.
These Are Some Of The Models I Will Be Interested In.
If You Have Anything Along These Lines Please E-Mail Me.
73's W5IDX Houston

AEA MM-3 MorseMatic Electronic Keyer

Or

MFJ 493 Menu Driven Memory Keyer
MFJ-1315,
MFJ-551,
MFJ-5409,
MFJ-5425,
MFJ-79,

MFJ462B Multi-Reader

MFJ 452 Morse Keyboard With LCD Display
Or
MFJ 451 Morse Keyboard

MFJ 414 Tutor & Keyer

Only Need One Of The Following

Bencher Or Vibroplex Iambic Paddles
BY-1, By-2 etc.
Also 1 Straight Key

I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

1790. Wanted CW Keyer, Keys & Reader Etc. Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fst2q$727$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144941
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net

1791. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA AGAIN?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3721FB85.24383534@jump.net>
Source record: 144942

Mosaic
NCSA was the source.
H.
WA5IGW

Michael Young wrote:

> Mozilla was Netscape's code name for Netscape during early development.
> It's funny how the recent pace of change makes this seem almost ancient,
> archaic, irrelevant history. In fact, only five years has passed. But
> darned if I can remember the freebie browser that preceded Netscape,
> though.
>
> Michael.

snip

1792. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <3722009F.4BC5EDD9@home.com>
Source record: 144943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

That sounds like an excellent idea!

Abolish the Code!

Spot wrote:
>
> Maybe they should update the HAM tests to reflect a HAM's ability to setup CW send/receive software
> on his PC instead of having to learn code. :-)

1793. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <372201CE.457E88AE@home.com>
Source record: 144944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Exactly! This stubborn attitude will unfortunately be the death of Ham
Radio!
The attitude must change if there is any hope!

> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of
> requirements
> are very outdated.

1794. Kenwood 940 Modification?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ltu@pipeline.com
Message-ID: <37220235.4675999@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144945

Is it possible to modify the 940 so that the Narrow Filters can be enabled in the SSB Mode? Thanks.

w2ltu@pipeline.com

1795. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1on@arrl.org
Message-ID: <37230f3e.56031508@news.gte.net>
Source record: 144946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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In <3721c286.471764@genenews.acay.com.au>,
barry123456@my-dejanews.com (Barry O'Grady) wrote:
:While trying to retrieve the URL: http://www.arrl.org/announce/et98-RandO.html
:
:The following error was encountered:
:
:DNS name lookup failure
:The system returned:
:
: DNS Domain 'www.arrl.org' is invalid: Host not found (authoritative).
:This means that:
:
: The specified host does not exist or its address can't be found.

In this case it means that your DNS is screwed up or otherwise inadequate.
www.arrl.org exists and is perfectly accessible.

/JBL
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1796. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be8e82$4bffcaa0$6b60b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 144947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> It's not that the requirements are outdated.

Actually, yes Morse Exams are.

Stronger Tech side exams with actual application side testing. That should rattle loose some old vacuum tubes.....:-)

1797. Re: Freebander Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <MkoU2.1294$pg4.75217@paloalto-snr1>
Source record: 144948

Shm144 wrote in message <19990424090151.29838.00001036@ng100.aol.com>...
>Can someone please tell me or define a freebander I am new to amateur radio
>and have never heard this term
>Thank you

They are unlicensed operators, mostly CB'ers with one of the junk "10 meter"
rigs sold by Copper, etc. who use the frequencies between 11 and 10 meters
(27.410 - 27.995). Many of them are now venturing into the 10 meter ham band
to disrupt the licensed operators there.

73 de KF6KNB

1798. Re: Geek Theory (different thread), Morse Code, and the New Guy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3722088A.F1DC86BA@ibm.net>
Source record: 144949

Go to the ARRL.org site and see if you can order a ARRL Handbook.
Should be required for all new hams. There is a lot of good info in
it and a bunch over the heads of many.

Not sure abut the WACS right off. Could mean Worked All Continents,
or maybe you left out a leter and it is the newer bands becides 160,
80,40,15,10 meters. That would be 30,17 and 12 meters.

Surface mount is when the components don't have long wires that go
to the other side of the circuit board, but mount on one side of the
board and are soldered to that side.

The Captain wrote:
>
> OK Hams, got my tech-plus ticket two weeks ago. Am trying to learn Geek
> Theory and don't find it in any of the books:
> 1) What is WACS, see a lot written about it when discussing radios?
> 2) What is surface mount when talking about rigs?
> 3) Are there any "geek" Elmers in AC909 that can help me build a QRP
> rig?

1799. FS: 23 Ch. CB Base

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gas-Mart <wayne@psln.com>
Message-ID: <372217B1.3CC6@psln.com>
Source record: 144950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SBE Trinidad 23 Chanel Base Unit.

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ANL on/off swich

SWR SENS

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Mic included.

Asking $25.00, you pay shipping. Will accept MC, Visa, Discover,
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Contact: Wayne
Lowry Oil Company
P.O. Box 268
Greenville, CA 95947

(530) 284-7016

http://www.psln.com/wayne/hp3.htm

1800. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmagers@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <MPG.118bbf6b806fbc1b9896fb@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 144951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7fsu93$3de$1@newnews.startext.net>, bodu@pobox.com says...
> It's not that the requirements are outdated.
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> learn and the mommy-types) would be complaining about it..
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> because the "current crop" of spoiled-brats aren't willing to go thru the
> trouble of finding and restoring an old junker... Who knows why they want
> in, if not only for the "let him play too, but don't be too rough on him..."
> communist/socialist-teachings of most moms...
> "I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
> Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.
>
> Spot <spot@dog.org> wrote in message
> news:4A21D768C8088F17.6E12C568E0654BA5.375DFF230C265551@library-proxy.airnew
> s.net...
> > I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
> > that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
> > for HF that you guys can't pass.
>
> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of
> requirements
> are very outdated.
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>
When I was in the army, I was in the Calvary. We didn't have horses
though. Get the point?
--
CW
KC7NOD

1801. WTT: MTS-2000 for HT1000's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <EnpU2.2202$_c7.106347@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144952
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Trade MTS-2000 800 MHz for 2 HT1000 VHF 16 channel portables. Don't need the chargers, have my own. Th.

1802. MTS-2000 for HT1000's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <UopU2.2207$_c7.106762@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Trade MTS-2000 800 MHz for 2 HT1000 VHF 16 channel portables. Don't need the chargers, have my own. Thx.

1803. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be8e91$1d98ae20$a660b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 144954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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to
> > become a HAM, so should everyone else".
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> > are very outdated.
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> though. Get the point?
> --

Certainly do........ PSK and GTOR rules!

1804. OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-016

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <A_pU2.1616$o4.35506@news030.image.dk>
Source record: 144955
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-016 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

1805. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ftarh$ord@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7fspok$1q9$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>And one of 'em lived to tell that?

As a matter of fact, yes, one of the two radio operators did survive, and helped to handle the distress-related traffic that was piling up on the rescue ship which held the survivors. He testified before board of inquiry which investigated the disaster. He went on to serve on another ship.

Radio history is as close as your local library.

73, Jeff KH6O

1806. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fter7$pm7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371E9FF1.BBFC9755@nationwide.net>,
Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
> >
>
> Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
> they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
> concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
> or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
>
> What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
>
Can you begin to imagine how many people would have been killed if they didn't
ban concealed weapons in NYC???
Can you imagine how many people would have been killed if kids were allowed to
carry semi-automatic weapons to schools in their trench coats in NYC???
I'm from Earth....Did you ever live in New York?
> > >
> > BUT unless there is a total national
> > > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and
cut
> > > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
> >

No ban would be 100% effective. I do have a suggestion that might do some
good. Why don't they get the private sector involved with a profit motive in
mind? All guns should be registered like all automobiles are. In order to
register a gun the owner should show proof of Weapon Insurance by a private
insurance company. Like automobiles, the insurance should cover the costs
that occur when the gun owner gets sued by victims (or their surviving
families) of any related "accidents" or theft. The weapons themselves should
be insured for theft...and in this way stolen weapons would be reported and
owners would tend to be more careful that their weapons don't get
stolen....same as cars. The insurance companies would have to be informed
when a weapon is sold or resold or even junked just like with cars. If the
risks of the guns getting stolen are small and if the risks of any related
accidents or crimes are small the insurance can be very cheap. If not...IMHO
too bad... The insurance companies will then have money to at least track the
resales of guns [in insurance company computer data bases] and this IMHO
might keep some of them out of the wrong hands. Guns get resold in some
states without any requirement to check the mental status or age of the
buyer. Even in states that prohibit such reselling, there is little
enforcement as the documentation of resales is often non-existant.
Semi-automatic and automatic weapons which are illeagal in some states and

according to some limited federal laws still seem to be available. Anyone who is found to be distributing such weapons should be treated at least as harshly as drug dealers are. As I stated in another post no measures can assure that people won't kill people with guns...BUT that does not mean we should do nothing. If we can have regulations that save only a few innocent lives then IMHO those regulations are well worth having and enforcing. If local governments can not enforce regulations maybe it is time for private insurance companies to get involved. There are regulations prohibiting hate mongering via Ham radio...but there are still hate mongers...Hams must also identify themselves with their call-letters on the air! Can you imagine how the Ham bands would be without any regulations?...Hmmm...I suppose it might be as bad as this NG is getting to be. PLEASE keep thinking, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Hams need more classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (Insure Licensed Pyromaniacs) -- .- -..- .. --

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1807. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <B0B9EAE0E2D0121D.CDA0B734126C3B8C.499E4E5094B49B8E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

No, there should be no "beefing up" of tests either.
I'm having a hard enough time passing the General Test right now, I don't need
your help in screwing my over and making my odds less of getting my General License.

1808. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <D769DA3333F214E8.86D80868B39DF190.4FFB987B7BC62735@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hehehe, sounds like we got an old grandpa fart in this newsgroup, either that or this guy has been fishing with his grandpa waaay too much.
Gee, guy, maybe we should cut ourselves with razor blades and glass shards in order for you to feel we have "earned' our right according to what your narrow mind beleives in.

> It's not that the requirements are outdated.
> If morse were easy, I'd bet that 0% of you (the ones who aren't willing to
> learn and the mommy-types) would be complaining about it..
> It's no different than the vintage car-clubs allowing owners of new cars in
> because the "current crop" of spoiled-brats aren't willing to go thru the
> trouble of finding and restoring an old junker... Who knows why they want
> in, if not only for the "let him play too, but don't be too rough on him..."
> communist/socialist-teachings of most moms...
> "I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
> Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.

1809. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <3B9841FBAED80F66.B79A81E410F19506.6A9E0C17D0759C1A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

They should completely drop vacuum tubes from the tests if they have not already also.
I'm going to be running completely solid state anyhow so why would I or anyone else care.

1810. Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <mVqU2.12525$Gm.3175156@news4.mia>
Source record: 144961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bob,

They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47 wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol with approximately 100 rounds stored in additional pre-loaded magazines. (10 rounds divided into a hundred means about 10 extra magazines) They also had numerous homemade pipe bombs. Sounds like a lot, but we have to divide the weaponry by at least two persons. A typical drive-by shooting involves (less the bombs) more firepower than this.

Now, no argument here that these weapons were *more* than enough to cause *more* than enough heartache and destruction and I'm definitely not defending these two [enter your own descriptive adjective here], But I've seen it reported in a few other places (media) that they were heavily armed with automatic weapons. (just not accurate).

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

1811. Re: Freebander Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990424175521.01565.00000487@ngol06.aol.com>
Source record: 144962

"Freebanding" or "Outbanding" refers to the illegal use of radio frequencies between 27.405Mhz (Citizens Band channel 40) and 28.000Mhz (the beginning of the 10-meter amateur radio band.) The individuals you hear operating here are doing so with either illegally modified Citizens Band radios or with amateur equipment which has been altered.

Regardless of the equipment used, operation on these frequencies is unlawful. In view of the recent and significant increase of enforcement efforts by the Federal Communications Commission against those who operate on these frequencies, one might rightfully conclude that such operation is not a wise activity to engage in.

1812. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA AGAIN?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Art Jackson <artjaxon@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <37224060.36F4290C@mindspring.com>
Source record: 144963

"H. Adam Stevens" wrote:
>
> Mosaic
> NCSA was the source.
> H.
> WA5IGW
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> Michael Young wrote:
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> > Mozilla was Netscape's code name for Netscape during early development.
> > It's funny how the recent pace of change makes this seem almost ancient,
> > archaic, irrelevant history. In fact, only five years has passed. But
> > darned if I can remember the freebie browser that preceded Netscape,
> > though.
> >
> > Michael.
>
> snip

They are still active in Netscape developement. http://www.mozilla.org/

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*************************** _______
Art Jackson W4TOY	When all else	
Owensboro, Kentucky USA	fails. Read THE	HOLY
artjaxon@mindspring.com	Instruction Book.	BIBLE
*************************** |_______|

1813. Communications on the road...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John <mstr-jl@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <IjrU2.236$6Q5.85614@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 144964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi all,

I'm sure there must be some truck driving hams out here :))

I'll be going back into cross country trucking pretty soon, and since my wife and myself both have our amateur licenses, I was wondering if there is some reliable method of keeping in contact with each other via ham radio communications.

Cell phones charges would probably cost us a couple hundred bucks a month easily - not an option. The various 10-10 numbers are pretty cheap nowadays, but that would involve (first) finding a phone, stopping the truck (miles are money), etc., not really my first choice if I can avoid it.

Any ideas or suggestions? I'll make whatever initial investment necessary for good *reliable* (any time of the day) communications with the family...

Thanks for any help...

John

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John Lewis - (South) St. Louis, Mo. 63116
mstr-jl@swbell.net
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1814. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37224521.657F@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Arnie Macy wrote:
> They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47
> wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol ...

Then Dan Rather lied to us. He said it was an automatic pistol.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1815. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7ftgmr$1nj$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Duh. I got my first license at age 14. Sorry to hear folks are so stupid
or lazy to learn something new these days.

Pete

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>> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
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requirements
>> are very outdated.
>

1816. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fth0j$30i$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
primary operating mode? You might be surprised to learn
that many amateurs enjoy using cw.

Pete

>THERE IS NOTHING NICE ABOUT CW. iT IS AN ANTIQUATED TECHNOLOGY THAT IS
>ANALOGOUS TO A MODEL T FORD. IT HAD IT'S TIME AND NOW IT BELONGS IN A
>MUSEUM.
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>IT IS NOTHING MORE THAN A HAZING RITUAL.
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>I WALKED A MILE TO SCHOOL BAREFOOT IN 2 FEET OF SNOW, AND YOU MUST DO
>THE SAME
>TO BE ACCEPTED!
>
>

1817. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <372247d8.77555295@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 17:26:41 -0500, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
(in <37224521.657F@IEEE.org>) wrote:

>Arnie Macy wrote:
>> They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47
>> wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol ...
>
>Then Dan Rather lied to us. He said it was an automatic pistol.

I don't know if he lied to you or not. But, during the so-called
"assault weapon" ban debate of '93 and '94, I continually watched NBC
report on the progress of this legislation. They always showed film
clips of people shooting machine guns when the legislation didn't
mention such weapons and neither did the final ban affect them.

Mark

Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1818. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
Message-ID: <37224855.670166061@news.npwt.net>
Source record: 144969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 11:07:52 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>The difference is there's "vastly more room" on the internet than there is
>on HF.. It'd be no different than trying to actually communicate with
>someone on CB in a large city if any/everyone was allowed on..
>And that's why I think CW should stay, atleast till the other parts of the
>tests are 'beefed up'...

Indeed the other parts are not likely to "beefed" up, since
they serve the function indeeded by the FCC according to the FCC. The
idea that a barriar only test of any type is legal does not seem to be
agreed to by those whoose opinion really counts, the FCC

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

1819. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <372255CF.38106339@uswest.net>
Source record: 144970

It seems that "freebanders" have more access to equipment than do most hams (who would be willing to pay out huge $$$ for aircraft capable tranceivers?). In the last 20 years have I ever run across an idiot in ham radio (3 of them) and in all cases, they were jailed and fined for their actions (2 teens and a TV repair shop technician).

Hawke

Dan K Nelson wrote:

> Except for the fact that the person who transmitted the bogus message ended
> his transmission with a "Roger Four good buddy, and we're back quiet". :>)
>
> 73 de KF6KNB
>
> CRTï¿½ wrote in message <37211d9e.188527770@news.mindspring.com>...
> >WASHINGTON (AP) The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating
> >reports someone broke into the local air traffic control frequency at
> >Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport late Thursday and told an
> >aircraft to divert its landing.
> > ... SNIP ...

1820. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <F9CC7953B702B8D7.2DBF830C66B05E69.CC4BAB032623D469@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

It's not a matter of lazyness, it's a matter of having to learn a bunch of outdated crap. If I want to fill my mind with knowledge, I prefer to fill it with things that matter.

> Duh. I got my first license at age 14. Sorry to hear folks are so stupid
> or lazy to learn something new these days.

1821. A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <37226D7F.3D7B1B9C@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 144972

Hello Fellow ham's. I just recently bought a new hand held and since I
am a new HAM I was wondering if anyone out there would be willing to
help me out? I am in the southern California area and I need a really
quick lesson in using repeaters. I understand that input and output are
located on 2 different freqs? If you are in the same area would you be
willing to e-mail me with steps for locating and using an open repeater?
Or if you live some where else i would also appreciate a general step by
step process for accessing and transmitting on a repeater. I just
recently received my license and I have not transmitted once yet. I need
a little help here. I would appreciate anything. Thank you and 73's to
all...
you can e-mail me at jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu
joseph merfalen KF6VVQ

1822. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904232219.AAA27967@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:
: Maybe they should update the HAM tests to reflect a HAM's ability to =
: setup CW send/receive software
: on his PC instead of having to learn code. :-)

Did the Titanic send SOS or CQD MGY as its distress call?
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1823. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <1h8U2.10059$D9.2883312@news2.mia>
Source record: 144985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

My understanding is that he sent CQD MGY. SOS was still new, and since the
Radio Op was british, he would more than likely have used the standard CQD.
All the Titanic buffs can correct me if I have it wrong.

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

Anonymous wrote in message <199904232219.AAA27967@mail.replay.com>...
>Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:
>: Maybe they should update the HAM tests to reflect a HAM's ability to =
>: setup CW send/receive software
>: on his PC instead of having to learn code. :-)
>
>Did the Titanic send SOS or CQD MGY as its distress call?
>
>

1824. FS: NC-125 parts, case, knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k6sde@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7frd2p$4ve$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144986

I have completed restoring my NC-125 and have a parts unit from which I'd sell parts to get your NC-125 back working. I have NO silver bar knobs (had to buy the parts receiver to get them) but have the other knobs. Chassis parts, etc. are available. The parts unit has had a lot of "modifying" done to it but most everything is there.

The cabinet sheet metal is in pretty good shape but would need a repainting to be nice. (I need
to paint the one I'm keeping also!) It's not dented or bent but has the usual scrapes and
scratches on it.

Let me know what you're looking for and I'll see if I have it.

A few of the parts MAY be usable on NC-173/183 series receivers but I'm not positive about
that. It seems as though I've seen some of those receivers with the same S-meter for example.

Let's keep the NC-125 working!!!!

Ian, K6SDE

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1825. Re: METZGER,KE2LO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx394man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423212113.19392.00000704@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 144987

>Learn more about this
>organization from Atlanta.

SPLC is not located in Atlanta. They are located in Ala-dam-bamma. And who cares if Gene is related to Tom. Don't worry about 3950. The netters and jammers have it under control just fine.

1826. Re: N2SAG, PARKER!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx394man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423212543.19392.00000708@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 144988

>Al Parker,N2SAG, as "Faggy Boy."

Nope .. it's SAGGY boy. Or SAGGY butt. Both are an extension of SAG. The call sign. Get it?

Don't worry about 3950. The netters and jammers can handle it just fine.

1827. Re: METZGER,KE2LO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: oi0lo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423211843.15736.00000864@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 144989

> In case you haven' heard, the S.P.L.C. organizes the Klan Watch as well
>as carefully scrutinizing the doings of American Nazis. Learn more about this
>organization from Atlanta.
>

No kidding? Does the SPLC also scrutinize OTHER
anti-American organizations, such as the ADL, La Raza,
and other communist organizations?

>We ,who love this nation, owe it a debt of
>gratitude.
>

Just WHAT nation are you referring to? Israel? Mexico?
Cuba? What?

Ya know ... what ever else one can say about the Nazis,
you have to give them credit for knowing EXACTLY what to do with communists !

73s

1828. Re: N2SAG, PARKER!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: oi0lo@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423212813.15736.00000869@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 144990

>For the longest time on 3.950 and elsewhere, my dear friend David Castle,
>WA9KJI, has been referring to the darling of 3.950, Al Parker,N2SAG, as
>"Faggy
>Boy." Dave,I resent it very much. Why insult homosexuals?
>

"Darling of 3950"? Hmmmm. Sounds like AF2Y is
sexually attracted to N2SAG ! AF2Y is in for a big
disappointment, as N2SAG is as straight as the Kansas
Turnpike.

Hey AF2Y, I hear that K5BLB is available. You DO go for
the flabby, fetid, green-teethed type, don't you? I think
you 2 would really hit it off. Such a deal!!!

73s

1829. Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <37211d9e.188527770@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144991

WASHINGTON (AP) The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating reports someone broke into the local air traffic control frequency at Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport late Thursday and told an aircraft to divert its landing.

Someone broke into the frequency at about 9:30 p.m. and said, "USAir divert, divert, divert your landing,'' according to WUSA-TV, which quoted several sources in its report.

The pilot of a United Airlines aircraft, on its final approach to Reagan National, reportedly contacted the tower to find out what to do and was told to complete the approach, the station reported.

A US Airways pilot further back also called the tower and was told to circle the airport. Both planes landed safely.

Jim Peters, an FAA spokesman, told The Associated Press the incident is under investigation but would not discuss the details.

1830. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fr6bk$7lc@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144992

In article <7fqbv7$4j6$1@newnews.startext.net>, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>There any/much of a difference? I've a list of test-sessions in my area, and
>each're listed as being one of those types.
>Thanks.

I recommend ARRL. W5YI exams contain too many errors. When I sat for
the Extra written, it contained a withdrawn question, and the code
code test contained a question which had the roles of the sender
and the listener reversed (which really didn't matter since I
had one-minute of error-free copy).

It was a nice gesture of the W5YI group to send me certificates for
passing their Advanced and Extra exams, but even those contained spelling
errors.

GL!
Jeff KH6O

1831. FS: Motorola UHF & VHF Maxar 80 Radios - CHEAP!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: hutch@jerrylee.com
Message-ID: <1D9U2.4182$%L2.159524@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.lmr-commercial,rec.radio.misc

I have several VHF and UHF Motorola Maxar radios for sale.

The VHF radios are 25 watt radios. All radios are two (2) channels; and come complete with radio, mic, heavy duty locking bracket, and power cord.

You will need to purchase the crystals for your favorite frequencies, and have the radios tuned to your specs.

Radios do include a PL reed, already installed.

VHF radios are $25.00 + $10.00 shipping.
UHF radios are $35.00 + $10.00 shipping.

Shipping is USPS Priority Mail. Radios are in great condition.

Going fast, but still several left. Respond to hutch@jerrylee.com for immediate shipment.

Thanks,

Eric - N8XHP

1832. Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <372628ae.4030275@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144994

Besides Andy Cogswell's (KF4KHC) site

http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555

another ham "freebander" site has been brought to my attention:

http://www.angelfire.com/ky/bradh/radio.html

This is KQ4RG and claims "Freeband Operations -- Too many callisigns
to list!" Has link to FCC and various so-called "Freeband" sites.

Mark

Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1833. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmcdonld@thezone.net
Message-ID: <7fr9i4$n9o$1@nova.thezone.net>
Source record: 144995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Wrong! There is all kinds of software for the PC with SoundBlaster for
decodeing CW.

I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
for HF that you guys can't pass.

Just my 2 cents worth.
73, VO1CSM, Chris McDonald

Hate@spam.org (radiate) wrote:

>You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby whiners
>won't know you're talking about them.

>73, Have a nice day!

1834. Re: TC CB radio equipment sales

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990423225054.15406.00000770@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 144996

Wrong newsgroup, Tony.

<<Subject: TC CB radio equipment sales
From: TC <tonys@epix.net>
Date: Wed, Apr 21, 1999 10:41 PM
Message-id: <371E5407.5FDA9EDE@epix.net>

Largest selection of CB equipment for sale stop in and see our price
list.
Place your order today!!!
Also sell CB radios,antennas,amps,rotors,towers,meters,linears,echo
boxes,sound toys,export radios,mod magazines,and anything and everything
for the CB Radio operator.
http://www.webspawner.com/users/tccblinearsamp/

or E-mail me TC @ tonys@epix.net>>

1835. HELP! ADI AT600HP Dual Bander Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <AAbU2.3649$qj7.180326@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I just picked up this radio and it seems pretty nice. Does anyone out there know the keypad functions / sequence to increase the Rx & Tx on this unit? If anyone can assist, I would sure appreciate it a great deal. Thanks and have a nice day.
Ray Miller N2NJK

1836. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <372148AC.7EB3CE8C@home.com>
Source record: 144998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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ANALOGOUS TO A MODEL T FORD. IT HAD IT'S TIME AND NOW IT BELONGS IN A
MUSEUM.

IT IS NOTHING MORE THAN A HAZING RITUAL.

I WALKED A MILE TO SCHOOL BAREFOOT IN 2 FEET OF SNOW, AND YOU MUST DO
THE SAME
TO BE ACCEPTED!

Christopher Cox wrote:
>
> Oh, its you again, long time!
>
> I was wondering if the FCC auctioned the frequencies you wanted or not, its
> been so long.
>
> Anyhow, no-coders can read CW just fine, isn't technology wonderful. Now
> please stop posting flame bait. It is obvious what you are trying to do.
>
> Regards from the thinking part of the Country.
>
> Christopher Cox
>
> radiate <Hate@spam.org> wrote in article
> <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
> >
> > You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby
> whiners
> > won't know you're talking about them.
> >
> > 73, Have a nice day!
> >

1837. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372149CE.72C1@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144999

Mark A. Fuller wrote:
>
> Besides Andy Cogswell's (KF4KHC) site
>
> http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555
>
> another ham "freebander" site has been brought to my attention:
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> http://www.angelfire.com/ky/bradh/radio.html
>
> This is KQ4RG and claims "Freeband Operations -- Too many callisigns
> to list!" Has link to FCC and various so-called "Freeband" sites.
>
> Mark
>
> Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
> http://www.2ndlawlib.org/
Take alook at this,
http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
I think we should give the people what they want and incorperateCB with
ham radio and turn the freebanders into leagal operators.
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1838. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <A853BE1F8D686013.9CBAF55D54AAF69A.86E2447714C9B3FF@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

radiate wrote in message <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
>
>You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby whiners
>won't know you're talking about them.
>
>73, Have a nice day!
73's..but no call sign...us lids dont understand how you got friends....

1839. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <42123F70ADADEDB1.85C48624A61D241E.D254BBCEE3F23F95@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145001
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I don't know.
Either way, it's at the bottom of the ocean.

> Did the Titanic send SOS or CQD MGY as its distress call?

1840. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <4A21D768C8088F17.6E12C568E0654BA5.375DFF230C265551@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
> that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
> for HF that you guys can't pass.

The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
become a HAM, so should everyone else".
This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of requirements
are very outdated.

1841. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <309CE43909473D20.EB14B919BD3A0EEE.A4D381BE28BE7B19@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> I like that idea. Quite a few hams are lost when it comes to computers.
> Computers are becoming more and more a fact of life.

That's all I hear HAM's talking about is their web page, e-mail etc, other than
simple signal strenth reports.
Funny as they could simply get on the Internet to talk about the internet. ;)
I do see great uses for HAMS though and yes, the internet as a whole might be nuke proof
but alot of good that serves when your ISP is down and you can't even get onto the Internet
to start
with.

1842. Re: ICOM IC-751 ACCESSORY PLUG PINOUT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter Fournia <glide@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <37210F2B.A0B15C2D@frontiernet.net>
Source record: 145004

Various functions are available through the accessory socket such as modulation output, receiver output, T/R changeover, and so forth. Pin #1 is in the lower left corner with pins 2,3,4 above it. Pin 24 is in the upper right corner viewed looking at the back of the radio.

1. Output from the squelch control stage. (+8v when the squelch is on)
2. 13.8 v dc conjunction with the power switch operation.
3. Connected to push to talk, T/R changeover switch. When grounded, the set operates in the transmit mode.
4. Output from the receiver detector stage. Fixed output regardless of AF output or AF gain.
5. Output from Transmitter MIC amplifier stage. (Inputs for MIC gain control stage)
6. 8v dc available when transmitting. (relay can not be directly actuated. Max. ma)
7. Input to external ALC voltage.
8. Ground
9. Input to RTTY keying (MARK : high level, SPACE: low level)
10. NC
11. Input to transveterter control. When 8 v dc is applied, the set can operate with a transverter.
12. Output reference voltage for band switching.
13. Out for external band switching.
14-24. NC

Directory from the manual.
PEter F. W2SKY

Al May wrote:

> I need the pinout for the accessory plug (24 pin Molex connector) on a Icom
> IC-751.
> If anyone has this information I sure would appreciate having it E-Mailed to
> me.
> Thanks In Advance
> Al May WB7AJP

1843. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <37215AB7.2EE12F65@home.com>
Source record: 145005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spot wrote:
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> > I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
> > that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
> > for HF that you guys can't pass.
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> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of requirements
> are very outdated.

This also sums up why HAM Radio is dieing!

You probably also walked two miles to school barefoot in zero degree
weather and
30 inches of snow? Why do I need to do the same?

1844. FS Kenwood R-5000'SSSS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7frm99$7jl$4@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 145006

I have "many" Kenwood R-5000 Receivers they are all in "EXCELLENT
CONDITION".

This is what is included:

Kenwood R-5000 RX 500 KHZ - 30 MHZ. General Coverage
Kenwood IC 10
Kenwood IF-232C interface unit
CUSTOM MADE rack mount
and copy of the manual $485.00 EACH plus shipping.....

State how many you need>>>>>>>>>>>

Thank You

LEO Ph/Fax (310) 670-6969

1845. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <j4dU2.535$pg4.14541@paloalto-snr1>
Source record: 145007

Except for the fact that the person who transmitted the bogus message ended his transmission with a "Roger Four good buddy, and we're back quiet". :>)

73 de KF6KNB

CRT wrote in message <37211d9e.188527770@news.mindspring.com>...
>WASHINGTON (AP) The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating
>reports someone broke into the local air traffic control frequency at
>Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport late Thursday and told an
>aircraft to divert its landing.
> ... SNIP ...

1846. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <D7DDFE7BEA764D41.F4B4BDF84A54DD20.E62C7B44D2670363@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 145008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> You probably also walked two miles to school barefoot in zero degree
> weather and
> 30 inches of snow? Why do I need to do the same?

Hehe, sounds like what grandfathers tell their grandsons :)
They sit around all day bitching about how everyone has it easy "these days".
I always wanted to respond "Gee grandpa, maybe I can light myself on fire or something to make you feel better".

1847. SCA radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Michno <jhnwy@spec.net>
Message-ID: <01be8ef1$657ce8e0$2c5da7cd@jhnwy.spec.net>
Source record: 145009

Where can I buy SCA radios, and what stations/SCA services are in the NY Metro area?

1848. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924944571.113.43@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

One day, someone will say the same about QWERTY keyboards and caps lock.
Imagine how much nicer life would be if they required a license to get
on the Internet. The day can't be too far away.

Michael.
KB9UNH

Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote in message
news:372148AC.7EB3CE8C@home.com...
> THERE IS NOTHING NICE ABOUT CW. iT IS AN ANTIQUATED TECHNOLOGY THAT IS
> ANALOGOUS TO A MODEL T FORD. IT HAD IT'S TIME AND NOW IT BELONGS IN A
> MUSEUM.
>
> IT IS NOTHING MORE THAN A HAZING RITUAL.
>
> I WALKED A MILE TO SCHOOL BAREFOOT IN 2 FEET OF SNOW, AND YOU MUST DO
> THE SAME
> TO BE ACCEPTED!

1849. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924944771.506.57@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145011

The ARRL written test is from the same question pool. My ARRL CW test was fill in the blank. Multiple choice here would have been too easy.

Michael.
KB9UNH

Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote in message news:37210B81.216FBE26@dimensional.com...
> The ARRL tests are multiple choice, not fill in the blank.

1850. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA AGAIN?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <924945472.196.13@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 145012

Mozilla was Netscape's code name for Netscape during early development. It's funny how the recent pace of change makes this seem almost ancient, archaic, irrelevant history. In fact, only five years has passed. But darned if I can remember the freebie browser that preceded Netscape, though.

Michael.

Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message news:19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com...
> Hey look guys...I posed this question before and got unspecific wise guy
> answers from Messrs.Castglione and Boyd. My postings are being deleted thanks
> to Mozilla. I E-mailed Dejanews but they're not answering either. Maybe they're
> scared of him too? I used to know a tough guy from New Joisey named Mazzella,
> yeah..Tough Frankie Mazzella and I wonder if Dejanews is misspelling the name.
> I'm scared to do any more postings because you don't want to mess with Frankie.
> The guy used to eat ten inch nails for lunch..I know..I was at the high school
> lunch table with him. Give me a break fellows and tell me Mozilla ain't
> Mazzella. radiosigs@aol.com

1851. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@online.no>
Message-ID: <oIgU2.85$3h6.371@news1.online.no>
Source record: 145013
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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radiate skrev i meldingen
<7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
>
>You can send messages to your ham friends and the
no-code cry-baby whiners
>won't know you're talking about them.
>
>73, Have a nice day!

Well, its a shame for all those fools who thinks
so, because my "cw-get" is a wery fine tool !
And then can all cw-nerds talk all they want for
me...
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1852. Mac Ham Software ++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@mediaone.net
Message-ID: <wd1v-2404990725490001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 145014

http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v/index.html

is YOUR source for

Macnet Roster - the HyperCard Database of all hams with Macs

Macnet Software List - the list of all known ham radio programs for Macs

Macnet Member's Links - Links to all hams with Macs with WWW pages

Macnet FTP - Direct downloads of all the known Mac ham programs

Registration into Macnet is painless - an email to wd1v@amsat.org
detailing:

* Call Sign
* Full Name
* Address, City, State, Zip
* Email Address/WWW Site
* Macs Used
* Radios Used
* Software Used
* Passions
* Comments

gets you into Macnet Roster and that is it. All for FREE, all for FUN!

73!

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John Seney, WD1V [FN42]
Manchester, NH
http://www.qsl.net/wd1v
FISTS #5014
http://www.fists.org

1853. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7fsbge$lu3$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 145015

In article <7fs119$n3c$1@newnews.startext.net>, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>Hmm.. The VE doesn't simply count the # of errors in your 'copy'?
>Should have taken the test mnths ago... ;)
>Thanks for the replies!
>(going for my 5wpm test tomorrow)

Good luck! I'm going for my General upgrade Sunday!

73,
Tom

>MailfrmPA <mailfrmpa@aol.com> wrote in message
>news:19990423193750.24549.00000785@ng153.aol.com...
>> In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in the
>> blank type on the ARRL tests.
>>
>> From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also
>appears
>> that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the
>answers,
>> falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take the
>W5YI
>> test.
>
>

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

1854. Re: Littleton, Co

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: scotter1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990424080413.14336.00003255@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 145016

> Turn On Your Lights for America

Another effortless, meaningless gesture masquerading as a "social committment".
The latest in a quarter century of easy "solutions" to huge, complex problems.
Hell,k you can even engage in this one while driving to the liquor store.
Great stuff!

Maybe if America wasn't so full of empty feel-good bullshit and straightfaced
hypocrisy, our kids would be able to locate some sort of value system and hang
on it.

1855. AF2Y "Doc-Boy" Song...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9art <w9art@aol.com>
Message-ID: <_ziU2.452$Bm2.23338@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 145017

AF2Y "Doc-Boy" Song...

(sung to the theme of "The Beverly Hillbillies")

Let me tell ya little story,
'bout a Jew named Doc,
a stingy, cheap, tight-fisted guy,
he never was in "hock".

And then one day,
Doc was jammin' on the air,
so Riley sent him notice,
and told him he shouldn't dare...

interfer that is. Willfully. With malicious intent.

So the next thing ya know,
Doc's a headin' for the 'net,
thinks he'll do the same bullshit,
some do on twenty yet,

but Doc will get a big surprise,
when folks begin to flame,
for then he'll have to realize,
Usenet's really not the same.

--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

1856. Motorola McMicro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7fs4h2$9h6$1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 145018
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

On my Webpage you will find Amateur Radio Mods for the following radio's:

Motorola GP300
Motorola GM300
Motorola McMicro
How to make a programming interface (RIB) for your GP300 and GM300.
Yaesu FT847
Kenwood TM732
Kenwood TH48
Standard C510

The URL is:

http://web.jet.es/colinlowe/index.htm

73 de Colin EB/G1IVG
Barcelona Spain.

1857. Motorola RIB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7fs4fg$9ae$1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 145019
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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1858. Standard C510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7fs4g7$9aq$1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 145020
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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1859. Motorola GP300 & GM300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7fs4ci$985$1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 145021
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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Kenwood TH48
Standard C510

The URL is:

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73 de Colin EB/G1IVG
Barcelona Spain.

1860. Yaesu FT847

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Colin Lowe <colinlowe@jet.es>
Message-ID: <7fs4dd$98b$1@lola.ctv.es>
Source record: 145022
Cross-posted to:
es.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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Barcelona Spain.

1861. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3723D89F.47E8@sir.com>
Source record: 144724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jim Wayda wrote:
>
> THERE IS NOTHING NICE ABOUT CW.

Well there is ONE thing, it won't be a requirement to get a Ham license
much longer. That's nice.

1862. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3723D970.39EF@sir.com>
Source record: 144725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart wrote:
>
> Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
> why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
> primary operating mode?

Why do thousands of people continue to ride horses or bikes as their primary transportation? Same reason. Only difference, Knowing how to ride a horse or bike is not a requirement to get an automobile license.

You might be surprised to learn
> that many amateurs enjoy using cw.

You might be surprised to learn that many amateurs enjoy using microphones too.

1863. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3723DA09.3C67@sir.com>
Source record: 144726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Anonymous wrote:
>
> Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:
> : Maybe they should update the HAM tests to reflect a HAM's ability to =
> : setup CW send/receive software
> : on his PC instead of having to learn code. :-)
>
> Did the Titanic send SOS or CQD MGY as its distress call?

The question should be, what would a ship use TODAY, not in 1912.

1864. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3723DAF2.49C3@ibm.net>
Source record: 144727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> And who said anything about ignoring better emergency
> modes??? But we'll have one that you codehaters won't.

I'm not a code hater, Dick, I'm a code lover. CW is my favorite mode.
But I've got better sense than to rely on CW for emergencies. If I
ever use CW for an emergency for the entire rest of my life, I promise
to mail you a $1000 check and eat crow for a week.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1865. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3723D84D.FFCC57CA@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> The murder rate in North America was even lower before
> 1492. How do you account for that ?

I don't believe you, Reg. Please produce the records.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
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1866. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmagers@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <MPG.118d8117d72c9101989701@news.sprynet.com>
Source record: 144729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3723D89F.47E8@sir.com>, sir@sir.com says...
> Jim Wayda wrote:
> >
> > THERE IS NOTHING NICE ABOUT CW.
>
> Well there is ONE thing, it won't be a requirement to get a Ham license
> much longer. That's nice.
>
Sir, this is the first thing that you have written that I have agreed
with. The Pro-code crowd seems to go rather silent when this fact is
mentioned so I guess they must realize it. The code requirement is on
it's way out. BTW, I am against the code requirement on principal alone
as I have not been on the air in a matter of years and probably will not
go back to it.
--
CW
KC7NOD

1867. Rogue Cancellation Summary for rec.radio.amateur.misc - 4/19/99 thru 4/23/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Cancel Watch"
Message-ID: <315842ED4.4CF4@cancel.watch>
Source record: 144730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,microsoft.test
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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The following is a summary of Rogue Cancellations of Usenet posts in
the rec.radio.amateur.misc newsgroup from 04/19/99 thru 04/23/99

All of the Rogue Cancels are originating from Bellsouth Internet
Services. If one of your articles was Cancelled by this Rogue
Canceller, then I suggest you send a complaint to the Abuse Dept at
Bellsouth at abuse@bellsouth.net along with the headers to one of
the Rogue Cancels listed below.

This is the break down of the articles that were cancelled:

cschwartzbard@my-dejanews.com 1 Article Cancelled
NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com 2 Articles Cancelled
radiosigs@aol.com 22 Articles Cancelled
w4nti@my-dejanews.com 1 Article Cancelled

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: cschwartzbard@my-dejanews.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <7fn98o$dvm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
References: <7fn98o$dvm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Control: cancel <7fn98o$dvm$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <1sKT2.5115$qE6.694@news1.atl>
Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:07:32 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.92
X-Trace: news1.atl 924808061 209.214.75.92 (Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:07:41
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:07:41 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
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X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>
References: <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>
Control: cancel <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:17:27 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.220
X-Trace: news1.atl 924542255 209.214.75.220 (Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:17:35
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:17:35 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!169.207.30.10.MISMATCH!newspump.sol.net!news.execpc.com!newspeer.sol.net!
howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn.net.MISMATCH!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstr
eam.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: CRT
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>
References: <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>
Control: cancel <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:04:31 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.67.169
X-Trace: news1.atl 924447878 209.214.67.169 (Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:04:38
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:04:38 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!wn3feed!worldnet.att.net!4.1.16.34!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.gtei.
net!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>
References: <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>

Lines: 2
Message-ID:

Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 01:47:32 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-67-15.atl.bellsouth.net
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 21:47:32 EST

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!wn3feed!worldnet.att.net!207.97.14.174!europa.clark.net!europa.netcrusade
r.net!207.172.3.37!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-f
or-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>
References: <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>

Lines: 2
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 01:49:29 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-67-15.atl.bellsouth.net
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 21:49:29 EST

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>
References: <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>

Lines: 2
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 14:35:54 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-68-67.atl.bellsouth.net
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 10:35:54 EST

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>
References: <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>

Control: cancel <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>

Lines: 2
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 14:36:38 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-68-67.atl.bellsouth.net
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 10:36:38 EST

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!169.207.30.10.MISMATCH!newspump.sol.net!news.execpc.com!newspeer.sol.net!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.gtei.net!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423143405.14336.00001930@ng-cl1.aol.com>
References: <19990423143405.14336.00001930@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423143405.14336.00001930@ng-cl1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <%o4U2.7486$yJ2.1023@news2.atl>
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 16:06:16 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.66.56
X-Trace: news2.atl 924897979 209.214.66.56 (Fri, 23 Apr 1999 16:06:19
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 16:06:19 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423161622.25858.00000646@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990423161622.25858.00000646@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423161622.25858.00000646@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Lines: 2
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 21:05:18 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-74-190.atl.bellsouth.net
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 17:05:18 EST

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!nntp.primenet.com!feeder.qis.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail

From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423162021.25858.00000649@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990423162021.25858.00000649@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423162021.25858.00000649@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Lines: 2
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 21:05:43 GMT
NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-74-190.atl.bellsouth.net
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 17:05:43 EST

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!portc02.blue.aol.com!howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn.net.MISMATCH!fee
d1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423165131.25860.00000631@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990423165131.25860.00000631@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423165131.25860.00000631@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:02:46 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.65.4
X-Trace: news1.atl 924908571 209.214.65.4 (Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:02:51
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:02:51 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:03:07 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.65.4
X-Trace: news1.atl 924908592 209.214.65.4 (Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:03:12

EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:03:12 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!portc02.blue.aol.com!howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn.net.MISMATCH!fee
d1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990423163532.25858.00000661@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990423163532.25858.00000661@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990423163532.25858.00000661@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <1%6U2.7555$qE6.999@news1.atl>
Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:03:20 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.65.4
X-Trace: news1.atl 924908605 209.214.65.4 (Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:03:25
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 19:03:25 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!portc02.blue.aol.com!nyd.news.ans.net!newspump.monmouth.com!newspeer.monm
outh.com!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990422123559.14436.00000402@ng-co1.aol.com>
References: <19990422123559.14436.00000402@ng-co1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990422123559.14436.00000402@ng-co1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:03:01 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.92
X-Trace: news1.atl 924807791 209.214.75.92 (Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:03:11
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:03:11 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>
References: <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:05:15 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.92
X-Trace: news1.atl 924807925 209.214.75.92 (Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:05:25
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:05:25 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!portc02.blue.aol.com!howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn.net.MISMATCH!fee
d1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990422123154.14436.00000396@ng-co1.aol.com>
References: <19990422123154.14436.00000396@ng-co1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990422123154.14436.00000396@ng-co1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <_uKT2.5122$qE6.694@news1.atl>
Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:10:40 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.92
X-Trace: news1.atl 924808250 209.214.75.92 (Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:10:50
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:10:50 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421143609.18315.00000026@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421143609.18315.00000026@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421143609.18315.00000026@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 14:43:06 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.73.187
X-Trace: news2.atl 924720199 209.214.73.187 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 14:43:19
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 14:43:19 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421153644.18315.00000062@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421153644.18315.00000062@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421153644.18315.00000062@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <4ksT2.3359$yJ2.518@news2.atl>
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:16 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
X-Trace: news2.atl 924733824 209.214.78.36 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:24
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:24 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:36 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
X-Trace: news2.atl 924733845 209.214.78.36 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:45
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:45 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421163715.18315.00000082@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421163715.18315.00000082@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421163715.18315.00000082@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <3lsT2.3362$yJ2.458@news2.atl>
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:31:19 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
X-Trace: news2.atl 924733887 209.214.78.36 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:31:27
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:31:27 EDT

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
newstank.sol.net!169.207.30.10.MISMATCH!newspump.sol.net!news.execpc.com!newspeer.sol.net!
cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.gtei.net!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-f
or-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421164028.18315.00000085@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421164028.18315.00000085@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421164028.18315.00000085@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:31:32 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
X-Trace: news2.atl 924733900 209.214.78.36 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:31:40
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:31:40 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421170117.18315.00000103@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421170117.18315.00000103@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421170117.18315.00000103@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:32:08 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
X-Trace: news2.atl 924733937 209.214.78.36 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:32:17
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:32:17 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990421171224.18315.00000106@ng127.aol.com>
References: <19990421171224.18315.00000106@ng127.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990421171224.18315.00000106@ng127.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:32:32 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
X-Trace: news2.atl 924733961 209.214.78.36 (Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:32:41
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:32:41 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for
-mail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990420150220.16572.00003549@ng-fd1.aol.com>
References: <19990420150220.16572.00003549@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990420150220.16572.00003549@ng-fd1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Tue, 20 Apr 1999 16:34:21 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.74.102
X-Trace: news2.atl 924640469 209.214.74.102 (Tue, 20 Apr 1999 16:34:29
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Tue, 20 Apr 1999 16:34:29 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990420153421.16592.00003376@ng-fd1.aol.com>
References: <19990420153421.16592.00003376@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990420153421.16592.00003376@ng-fd1.aol.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID:
Date: Tue, 20 Apr 1999 16:34:57 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.74.102
X-Trace: news2.atl 924640505 209.214.74.102 (Tue, 20 Apr 1999 16:35:05
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Tue, 20 Apr 1999 16:35:05 EDT

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Path:
newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplanet.com!news.gtei.net!newsfeed.a
tl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
From: w4nti@my-dejanews.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

Newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave
Subject: cancel <7fdlimrgh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
References: <7fdlimrgh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Control: cancel <7fdlimrgh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>

Lines: 1
Message-ID: <3rJS2.628$f27.93@news1.atl>
Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:09:11 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.220
X-Trace: news1.atl 924541759 209.214.75.220 (Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:09:19
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:09:19 EDT

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1868. Re: No one speaks Esperanto on the street.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pricerbumanto@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ftog1$1af$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144783

In article <3721F338.41D257F7@hotmail.com>,
The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote:

> To answer your question, you probably would be wasting your time
> learning either if you're not going to use Esperanto, Finnish or any
> other language on a regular basis.
> These 2 cents from someone who was proficient in French, Spanish,
> English, and esperanto (in the military). The latter wasn't quite
> practical in Southeast Asia.

Interesting! So did you learn Esperanto as the "Aggressor Language"?

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1869. Memphis, TN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal <realdeal@Stumpjumper.idiot.org>
Message-ID: <dYsU2.12793$Gm.3238863@news4.mia>
Source record: 144784

yd:
x-archive: no

The Polly & Bill Jack dueo from MEMPHIS, Tennessee

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote in message: Nothing of
any importance.

1870. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ftpla$290$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <371ED1BD.83F5CBD1@cds1.net>,
Ken Harrison <ken@cds1.net> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > BUT unless there is a total national
> > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
> > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
>
> Yeah, yeah... just like the ban on illegal drugs has stopped
> drug addict criminals from getting coke, heroine, marijuana, etc...
>
> oops, sorry... ham radio here...

Any regulation can be better than no regulation but no regulation can be 100% efficient. Please read my other replies on this thread. That goes for gun control, drug control, AND Ham Radio hate monger control. The subjects are all important and maybe all related because we must all use our self-controlled common sense as parents...as teachers...and as HAMS....to place things in the proper perspective and if we must regulate anything let us agree among ourselves to regulate in the right direction. As citizens of the USA we all deserve each others respect. We have nothing to hate but hate itself. PLEASE keep thinking, I never met a Ham I didn't like, BE HUMAN DON'T HATE... Hams need more classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (I Like Practicallity) -- .- -..- .. --

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1871. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay-Zero Handsome Brute <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7ftr0n$3bq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> What is your call sign?

Why do you care about his call sign? They are not needed
to 'transmit' on usenet.

Hans

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~~~
If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
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-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1872. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990424204705.14435.00004941@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 144787

>http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
> I think we should give the people what they want and incorperateCB with
>ham radio and turn the freebanders into leagal operators.
> 73 from Oris

Well Said!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1873. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fts0n$47s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <mVqU2.12525$Gm.3175156@news4.mia>,
"Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> wrote:
> Bob,
>
> They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47
> wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol with approximately 100 rounds
> stored in additional pre-loaded magazines. (10 rounds divided into a
> hundred means about 10 extra magazines) They also had numerous homemade
> pipe bombs. Sounds like a lot, but we have to divide the weaponry by at
> least two persons. A typical drive-by shooting involves (less the bombs)
> more firepower than this.
>
> Now, no argument here that these weapons were *more* than enough to cause
> *more* than enough heartache and destruction and I'm definitely not
> defending these two [enter your own descriptive adjective here], But I've
> seen it reported in a few other places (media) that they were heavily armed
> with automatic weapons. (just not accurate).
>
> Regards,
>
> Arnie -
> KT4ST

OK Arnie on your more accurate report. It agrees with what I have read today. I'm no expert on weaponry...and I was wrong about the automatic weapon allegation...but the semi-automatic AK-47 seems to me not exactly a sportsman's weapon...I could be wrong...But is that a legal weapon for anyone to sell (or give) to a person who is less than 18 years old and who has previously been convicted of a minor hate crime? As in a previous case the parents involved are well educated and even educators themselves...It is ironic that such people are unable to admit that their own children may be dangerous to society as well to as themselves. Intelligent people often freely speak their minds in front of their own children (which can be a big mistake) and sometimes this can make their children (who are not mature enough to put matters in the proper perspective) hateful of society. I know how it can be from my own experience...but I am not so proud that I can not realize my own responsibilities as a parent and as a citizen. Enuf sed. Please read my other posts in this thread on this subject.

Regards,

Bob
W2ILP

I reply in all cases with no threats...no flames...and respect for the opinions of others... because I never met a Ham I didn't like and I'm not looking for one. I also admit that the information that I receive from any media is no different than the information that anyone else may receive and the opinions expressed here are only those of myself (W2ILP) and no organizations which I may be a member of. I am not an agent of any political, religious, ethnc, or nationalistic group...I am only an independent US citizen and a licensed Ham Radio operator and I like to think for myself.

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1874. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <HZtU2.12898$Gm.3263168@news4.mia>
Source record: 144789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil,

The weapon in question was a Tec-9, which is a 9mm semi-automatic pistol made to look like a sub machine gun. (Dan is not a trained investigator, so an honest mistake maybe)This by-the-way is one of the all time favorites of the street gangs. I've noticed this a lot in the media (Dan Rather included), a pattern of calling semi-automatic pistols and rifles automatic because they have the "look" of automatic weapons. It is also common to call anything akin to a rifle an "assault weapon".

Don't get me wrong here Cecil, I am not an advocate of, nor do I own any semi-automatic "assault style" weapons. Clearly, they were designed with only one function in mind. (generally wouldn't go duck hunting with a Mac-10). But I did want to clarify the difference.

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

W6RCecilA wrote in message <37224521.657F@IEEE.org>...
>Arnie Macy wrote:
>> They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47
>> wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol ...
>
>Then Dan Rather lied to us. He said it was an automatic pistol.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1875. Re: Swatch backs down

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Murnane <richardm@zeta.org.au>
Message-ID: <7ftq5cpqb1@phaedrus.zeta.org.au>
Source record: 144790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Barry O'Grady wrote in message <3721c842.1938585@genenews.acay.com.au>...

>:And it's not up to Swatch to launch the satelilte at all. They don't own
it
>:and never did.
>
>In that case it would be illegal for them to not launch it, and all the
>protests are worth nothing.

It kept their commercials off two metres. That was worth a lot.
Unfortunately, the vindictive bastards launched the satellite without power.
I wonder how many O'Grady's work at Swatch?

>I don't put my callsign in my sig because being associated with
>amateur radio is nothing to be proud of.

So, why ARE you associated with Amateur Radio? Why do you have a callsign,
and why do you loiter around newsgroups intended for use by people who think
Amateur Radio IS something to be proud of?

>Just so you US cretins don't get the wrong idea, not all Australian
>hams are as moronic as the ones that post in the newsgroups.

Thanks for pointing that out Barry - I'd hate to be tarred with the same
brush as you.

73 Richard VK2SKY

1876. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ftq9q$611@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <F9CC7953B702B8D7.2DBF830C66B05E69.CC4BAB032623D469@library-proxy.airnews.net>, Spot <spot@dog.org> wrote:
>It's not a matter of lazyness, it's a matter of having to learn a bunch =
>of outdated crap.
>If I want to fill my mind with knowledge, I prefer to fill it with =
>things that matter.

You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code requirement exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages, but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

(Daily worldwide comms don't normally take place above 50 MHz, so a common mode in that region can be chosen on a national level; for us it's of course FM phone.)

73, Jeff KH6O

1877. To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: YU7XX <watchman@tig.com.au>
Message-ID: <372265BA.965365D@tig.com.au>
Source record: 144792

Dear friends,

my name is Nick Hacko, YU7XX and VK2ICV / VK9LX.

Five weeks ago, US and NATO started aggression on my
home country, Yugoslavia. Since today, I was trying to force
myself that this is not my business at all.
But this morning I've received an e-mail form my brother,
Branislav Hacko (Mr.sci.med., YZ7DX) telling me that
his 6 years old boy is wearing his snorkeling mask
"... because he believe if they bomb petrochemical plant
nearby he would be protected!"

Five weeks ago, this would be just sarcastic joke.
Today, it's their reality. Hanibal ante portas.
Barbarians are at our gates. They are using their largest
and smartest bombs to destroy our schools and hospitals, our
museums and ancient monasteries, our heating plants
and food factories, our bridges and dams.
"In the name of democracy and humanity ", of course.

As a Yugoslav and Australian, I deeply sympathize with ALL innocent
people who suffer and this is my modest contribution to peace and
spreading of the truth about Yugoslavia's innocence,
in the moment when the world's biggest powers have born
down on it. I owe this to my family, friends,
my 2 yr. old son and myself.

You can laugh on this letter or you can go and have a good look in the
mirror and ask your self 'what am I doing to stop this war?'

It's up to YOU.

Nick Hacko

1878. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <37247581.89246305@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 01:43:52 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com (in
<7fts0n$47s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>) wrote:

>... but the semi-automatic AK-47 seems to me not exactly a
>sportsman's weapon...

The 2nd amendment's not about hunting and the only thing about the AK
(or other so-called "assault weapons") that makes it not-so-good as a
hunting rifle is the high-capacity magazine. Plug a 5-round mag in
and it's no different than a Mini-14 and a number of .30 cal firearms
(the 7.62x39 round being only moderatly smaller than the .308).
Pre-load a score of 5-round mags and you can rack off as many rounds
just about as quickly as if you had a couple of 30-round mags. Its
menacing looks set it apart more than anything else.

>I could be wrong...But is that a legal weapon for anyone
>to sell (or give) to a person who is less than 18 years old and who has
>previously been convicted of a minor hate crime?

Any firearm is prohibited from being sold to a minor. I'm not sure
you can "give" a weapon to a child except to the degree the child
can't use it without parental or adult supervision. These laws vary
from state to state, but you can't sell.

>As in a previous case the
>parents involved are well educated and even educators themselves...It is
>ironic that such people are unable to admit that their own children may be
>dangerous to society as well to as themselves.

Yes. The kid in Springfield Oregon took a gun to school just days
before the shooting. Instant violation of federal law if not state
law as well. He was turned over to his parents -- whom he proceeded
to murder and then come back to school with guns.

I've heard regarding Littleton that one of the boys pulled a gun on
some jocks and it went unreported. Supposedly the pair also did a
movie for a school project where they depicted what they ended up
doing. I dont' know if this is true. Someone told me they'd seen it
on teevee. Makes me skeptical, but it sounds bizarre enough to be
true.

Mark

Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1879. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990424223309.14255.00004963@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 144794

>As a Yugoslav and Australian, I deeply sympathize with ALL innocent
>people who suffer

Perhaps we can discuss this in detail, later. Right now, I am deeply disturbed by a newswire story outling the story (told by the lone survivor) of 23 men herded into a shed where they pleaded for their lives for 45 minutes before being blasted away with machine guns.

Care to read some of what they said, just before they were murdered? You never will forget it.....

For weeks, I've ignored this situation. "Not my fight," I said. But reading this really got my attention. It could happen anywhere. Who else shall we "cleanse"? Whites? Blacks? Christians? Yugoslav men who have migrated to Australia? Jews? Hmmm, forget the Jews. We already picked on six million of them.

I deeply regret what is happening in and to your native country. Really, I do. I know the "smart" bombs sometimes take out innocent civilians. But you're wrong about two things. First, it is not the "US and NATO" attacking your country. It is NATO. As a signing country, the US participates. But so do all the other countries--regardless of whose planes are in the air. NATO is the COLLECTION of countries. Please keep that in mind.

Second, at the cost of a million dollars EACH, and with inventory running low, don't think that smart bombs are being directed toward schools, hospitals, museums, and ancient monasteries. Highly-charged, emotional writing won't bring a solution to this.

I pray that your family, including YZ7DX, will be spared any personal loss during this conflict and that it can be resolved quickly. God Bless.....

1880. Free Advertising

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: leeasher@globec.com.au
Message-ID: <373c53d4.8459379@news.globec.com.au>
Source record: 144795

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CyberTech World Marketing Academy
http://www.cybertechworld.com
Email: lee@cybertechworld.com

1881. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fu02r$9mk$4@208.207.71.170>
Source record: 144796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

No. Phillips, the Cheif Operator perished. Bride, the
second op survived and died in Scotland in 1956.

Your name wrote:
>
> I think BOTH of them survived. I know the one, became a popular hero after the
> sinking, (at that time).
>
> BD wrote:
>
> > And one of 'em lived to tell that?
> >
> > Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net> wrote in message > It sent both. SOS
> > had just come into effect as a distress call 1 April
> > > 1912; one of the two radio operators said to the other who was pounding
> > > brass, "You might as well send SOS... it may be the last time we ever get
> > to
> > > send it." (Walter Lord, A NIGHT TO REMEMBER)

1882. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <%uvU2.12385$oH.3303901@news3.mia>
Source record: 144797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bob,

I'll reply to you and comment on Mark's comments. No, it's not a sportsman's weapon and was never designed to be one. It's primary function in life is to kill people. However, Mark's comments concerning the high capacity is true, and it could easily be used in that manner if the the capacity was lowered. (general standard for hunting rifles is 3 -5 round magazines)

It is a violation of Federal law to sell a weapon of this type to a minor (under 21). Mere possession of the weapon is also a violation.

Mark is also absolutely correct when he talks about the mini 14. A similar weapon was banned during the anti-gun legislation because it "looked" like an assault rifle. Fired the exact same round however. So why wasn't the mini-14 banned also? I've asked that question a number of times.

Do we all remember the FBI shoot out in Florida? The FBI members who were killed, were shot with a mini-14. (this is a fairly high powered carbine for those who aren't familiar with it)

Hope I've answered your questions ...

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

1883. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fu4fu$b04$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7fspg3$4oo$0@208.207.71.166>,
reasonable analysis <observe@nd~report.net> wrote:
> Mark Waldron wrote:
> >

Mark ...Your points are well taken in some cases. They are not unique. I
have heard the same songs from others who I also respect BUT PLEASE read my
responses below..

> >
> > Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
> > they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
> > concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
> > or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
> >
> > What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
> >
> > >
> > > >
> > > > BUT unless there is a total national
> > > > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and
cut
> > > > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
> > >
>
> Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
> since that didn't solve the problem,

I admit it didn't totally solve the problem but it went a long way in the
right direction because if there were no such bans there would be wholesale
murder!

> now the effort is to
> ban guns nationwide, *if* they can get it done, because they
> believe that guns coming from out-of-state are the root of
> the problem.
>
> Then, when that doesn't work any better, because it
> creates a black market and ready source of ca$h for
> smugglers in the fashion of herion, cocaine etc, then the
> push will be for a worldwide ban on weapons possession by
> individuals - which is actually already underway within the
> UN.

Yep...I'm sure the black market, as it may be called, is already in place as well as in operation...but that has nothing to do with laws that can make for punishment in the even rare cases where they might be enforced. Believe it or not some other nations who ban guns are asking the USA to be stricter.

>
> In a "free" society, there is only so much control that
> can be exercised by any level of government - beyond that
> point it is no longer free, but subject to the whim and
> personal viewpoints of those individuals in power -at all
> levels- at any time.

In a free society all citizens have a right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness and freedom from the fear of unregulated weapons in the hands of hate mongers. You are correct in saying that no contrrol can be fully efficient BUT we still need some controls. No society is really completely "free" because in all societies some people are for some reasons freer than others...be it economical, political, or whatever reasons. Why is O.J. Simpson free? Why are others in jail who may be innocent but had dumb lawyers? No system is perfect.

> Another effect of a nationwide gun ban would be to assure
> that only the criminal element would posses them.

Are High School students part of your "criminal element"?...BTW who are the "criminal element" ? IMHO there is only a "criminal element" in the minds of bigoted haters who can perceive of some "criminal element" boggiemen who has some fictious ethinisity, race or religion. IMHO criminals are individuals who can not be identified by solely being of any race, religion, creed, etc. There are good and bad people in all groupings...The "mafia" is not all Italian,etc.

> Currently,
> a criminal never can be sure who might be a gun owner and
> pose a threat to him.

So a criminal might want to kill anybody who might be able to draw a gun faster than he thinks he can...Instead of risking unarmed. Your logic makes no sense and only can lead to living in an armed camp where everyone feels he must be armed because everyone else is...and then at the slightest provocation...maybe a family feud...maybe a lover's quarrel...maybe a teachers repremand...off go the loaded and waiting weapons...UGH...We don't need guns to be ever present. Some of us may neecd to let off steam without the ability of reaching for a weapon that can be used to inflict multiple casualties in short order.

But a maniac schitsophrenic may not care about any threat to his life...he may be suicidal as were two of those high school students!

> Such is usually avoided unless the
> crook is abnormally stupid or under influence of some
> illicit but ILLEGAL substance, which is common. Under a
> total gun ban he really wouldn't need to worry much about it
> since lawabiders wouldn't own guns.

People who kill are neither necessarily stupid nor logical nor drugged. I would suggest that you take a course in abnormal behavior. If only a few didn't own guns and it saved only a few lives I would be for making guns a lot harder to own. There are bootlegger Hams but that does not mean that we should not make people who want to be licensed be licensed without any examinations. It must be difficult for minors and previously convicted criminals to obtain guns and maybe even a little harder for anyone to obtain guns. Laws are weak...One law said that a person could only buy one gun per month...Heck in several years he or she could build an arsenal. Does any individual need that many guns?

> It seems to always be the leftwingers who insist on
> complete control in the name of "freedom, protection and
> justice". Observe these terms closely, for definitions mean
> everything. There is a constant Utopian search for a perfect
> "system" which cannot exist within a human setting. Remember
> the USSR and "communism"?

Left wingers often are libertarians who want no controls...especially no controls from affluent capitalists...You are a victim of old propaganda...which is no longer popular because... Communism and Marxist Socialism doesn't work and they are different an now unpopular ECONOMIC systems...even in modern China...This has very little to do with what we are discussing here. Right wing capitalists have a right to protection of their own lives and propertties in our society (The right to own and protect property is certainly a right wing right) and I for one believe that that is an important right that has as much priority as any left wing pinko's assumed rights...No class of people and no individuals should have to fear that weapons may be in the hands of anarchists or children or nuts who have no political persuasion other than Hate. The nuts who are blinded by ignorant hate are neither to be associated with left or right wings. They are a threat to all wings. There is no entirely perfect Utopia. We need laws and law enforcers... but no laws or law enforcers can be entirely efficient nor can they avoid taking away some of the assumed rights of the public. Police have a right to search our vehicles without a formal warrent...Airline security agents have a right to look in our bags..They can search mine because I carry no drugs..no arms...and no stollen goods. They can finger print me and take my DNA...I have nothing to fear because I am not a criminal...IMHO those INDIVIDUALS who fear that their rights may be relinquished may be the criminals (but not any mythological "criminal element"). IMHO People who fear to identify may always be suspects.

> If you were a Hitler, Stalin, Saddam Hussein, Milosovich,
> Mao etc what would YOU support in the way of gun control?

For who? Your own armies? Your enemies? Internal rebels? This has nothing to do with gun control internal to a nation at peace. Obedience to authority does mean that you drop your guns when your nation officially surrenders (as all obedient Japanese did when they lost WW2)...This is the only good argument against gun control that I saddly admit to....Because if some nation won a war against the USA and we surrendered...I dunno if it would exactly be easy to occupy Texas. (:=))

> In fact what DID all of them dictate within their own
> spheres of influence?

Heck I wouldn't mind if Hitler collected all Jewish owned guns. It was the Jewish skins that were made into lampshades that enoyed me. Ask yourself what spark started WW1 in Europe? It was one extremest with a gun. Before WW2..Another gun nut, who happened to be a Jew, caused Germans to reply with the famous "Crystal Nacht" which destroyed Jewish property and started the mass persecution of German Jews.

>Then consider that Washington,
> Jefferson, Madison etc. all strongly supported private
> ownership of weapons, and why they did.

Yep and they "controlled" the Native American Indians and Black slaves who were not as well armed and they planted marajawana and used out houses...So what has that to do with today's society?

> It's easy to blame "guns" for debacles such as the school
> shooting tragedies- as well as less-publicised tragedies,
> and ignore the REAL problems. You don't see any criticism by
> the Administration of their Hollywood buddies who propagate
> the excessively violent "movies" and video games that
> engender similiar thoughts within malleable, insecure and
> active but undeveloped young minds, with such disasterous
> results.

I am not defending the movies, the TV, or the horror video games...BUT IMHO they alone do not make criminals any more than pornography makes sex offenders. There is a big jump between fantasy and reality in normal minds...Sick minds do not need inspiration from media...This has beeen accepted fact from studying the case histories of real criminals.

> Invaribly these sources of violent extremism have
> been shown to be a factor in what we see on TV news. Is
> there an 'agenda' within this trend toward extreme violence
> in films/entertainment, or are they just following the
> profit motive and exercising their "Freedoms", too? For sure
> the Administration won't be anxious to determine a true
> answer. Or maybe they already know. Could they be a part of
> the problem?

The main factor is money...People supply what the public seems to want to pay for and the public does often prefer sex and violence because that propensity exists in the hormones of most normal people...BUT most normal people can handle the difference between entertainment, curiosity, self indulged voyerism and criminal hate behavior.

>
> I'm hearing from relatives in the military that important
> resources are being pulled worldwide and dedicated to the
> effort in the Balkans. Today our military has been downsized
> to alarming proportions, and the Balkan effort emphasizes
> our weaknesses. It is sasid that today there isn't a

> aircraft carrier presence in the Pacific. Two weeks ago,
> cruise missile stocks (conventional warhead) were down well
> below a total of 100 remaining, with none being built, no
> factories tooled up to make them and no plans to restock. By
> now there should be few left but the nukes, and you KNOW we
> won't use them. Their conversion to high explsoive warheads
> is said to take a year and cost as much as the original
> price.

Yep..This will give business to our military industrial complex. This will reduce our monetary surplus...This will further threaten our social security funds and our health care funds...This will prevent a tax cut or in fact increase our tax...This may force us to again draft people into military service. Hmmm...We can blame it all on Slobodan Milosivic..or can we? Worst of all this may threaten the lives of your family and/or friends in the military services because where there is war or conflict, more often than not there is death on all sides. Let us all hope that this Balkan conflict is ended soon.

> Does anyone really believe that we will always be
> invulnerable to any sort of attack? Only the most optimistic
> or the most ill informed. Those who didn't study history or
> didn't learn anything from it.

We will always need to prepare to defend ourselves.. more so if our leaders plan to police the world. The fall of the USSR had given some of us hope that the world could be rational enough to live in peace...BUT now we see that even leaders of small nations can cause major troubles...If I was president I'd try to humor them instead of bombing their citizens...but that's me...and it wouldn't sell any new bombers.

> What all this shows is that "superior" intelligence doesn't
> automatically equate to satisfactory problem solving, and
> that genius is often illogical in its application,
Whew...That could be a paradox!...If genius is illogical maybe "Ignorance is Strength", as George Orwell had Big Brother say in "1984".
>based on
> human emotion instead of recognition of reality

Like ignorant hate??? Like the fear of some paranoids which can lead to unreasonable hate ...and even the murder of innocent people.
> - and
> twisted by personal Agendas. This applies to the Code/No
> code controversy just as well.

Welll...I don't think anyone got shot over the Code/No Code controversy yet. I must admit that by being a Mugwump I'm trying to minimize my risk. (;=)) There is no "superior" intelligence. Man has evolved as the creature with the most ability to control the destiny of the Earth...even if man destroys it with nuclear weaponry...BUT true intelligence is not IQ alone,.It is basically the ability to survive... and man can only survive in the modern world if man is willing to compromise without making threats of bombs and

wars...without hate producing exagerated propaganda...without extremism...without jingoism.. True you can not easily negotiate with a mad-men BUT to survive you must learn how to do just that!...Because in every war there are no winners. PLEASE keep thinking, Collect stamps, collect QSL cards, collect telegraph keys...but PLEASE don't collect guns...BUT if you must... Lock them up so that nobody else can use them in a fit of anger. Hams need more license classes, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Bob Wex w2ilp (Identify Loose Pistols) and check your guns at the door. -- .- -..- ..
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----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1884. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fu4uhbeq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7fspg3$4oo$0@208.207.71.166>,
reasonable analysis <observe@nd~report.net> wrote:
> Mark Waldron wrote:
> >

Mark ...Your points are well taken in some cases. They are not unique. I
have heard the same songs from others who I also respect BUT PLEASE read my
responses below..

> >
> > Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
> > they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
> > concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
> > or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
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> > What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
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> > > > BUT unless there is a total national
> > > > ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and
cut
> > > > down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
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> Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
> since that didn't solve the problem,

I admit it didn't totally solve the problem but it went a long way in the
right direction because if there were no such bans there would be wholesale
murder!

> now the effort is to
> ban guns nationwide, *if* they can get it done, because they
> believe that guns coming from out-of-state are the root of
> the problem.
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> Then, when that doesn't work any better, because it
> creates a black market and ready source of ca$h for
> smugglers in the fashion of herion, cocaine etc, then the
> push will be for a worldwide ban on weapons possession by
> individuals - which is actually already underway within the
> UN.

Yep...I'm sure the black market, as it may be called, is already in place as well as in operation...but that has nothing to do with laws that can make for punishment in the even rare cases where they might be enforced. Believe it or not some other nations who ban guns are asking the USA to be stricter.

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> In a "free" society, there is only so much control that
> can be exercised by any level of government - beyond that
> point it is no longer free, but subject to the whim and
> personal viewpoints of those individuals in power -at all
> levels- at any time.

In a free society all citizens have a right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness and freedom from the fear of unregulated weapons in the hands of hate mongers. You are correct in saying that no contrrol can be fully efficient BUT we still need some controls. No society is really completely "free" because in all societies some people are for some reasons freer than others...be it economical, political, or whatever reasons. Why is O.J. Simpson free? Why are others in jail who may be innocent but had dumb lawyers? No system is perfect.

> Another effect of a nationwide gun ban would be to assure
> that only the criminal element would posses them.

Are High School students part of your "criminal element"?...BTW who are the "criminal element" ? IMHO there is only a "criminal element" in the minds of bigoted haters who can perceive of some "criminal element" boggiemen who has some fictious ethinisity, race or religion. IMHO criminals are individuals who can not be identified by solely being of any race, religion, creed, etc. There are good and bad people in all groupings...The "mafia" is not all Italian,etc.

> Currently,
> a criminal never can be sure who might be a gun owner and
> pose a threat to him.

So a criminal might want to kill anybody who might be able to draw a gun faster than he thinks he can...Instead of risking unarmed. Your logic makes no sense and only can lead to living in an armed camp where everyone feels he must be armed because everyone else is...and then at the slightest provocation...maybe a family feud...maybe a lover's quarrel...maybe a teachers repremand...off go the loaded and waiting weapons...UGH...We don't need guns to be ever present. Some of us may neecd to let off steam without the ability of reaching for a weapon that can be used to inflict multiple casualties in short order.

But a maniac schitsophrenic may not care about any threat to his life...he may be suicidal as were two of those high school students!

> Such is usually avoided unless the
> crook is abnormally stupid or under influence of some
> illicit but ILLEGAL substance, which is common. Under a
> total gun ban he really wouldn't need to worry much about it
> since lawabiders wouldn't own guns.

People who kill are neither necessarily stupid nor logical nor drugged. I would suggest that you take a course in abnormal behavior. If only a few didn't own guns and it saved only a few lives I would be for making guns a lot harder to own. There are bootlegger Hams but that does not mean that we should not make people who want to be licensed be licensed without any examinations. It must be difficult for minors and previously convicted criminals to obtain guns and maybe even a little harder for anyone to obtain guns. Laws are weak...One law said that a person could only buy one gun per month...Heck in several years he or she could build an arsenal. Does any individual need that many guns?

> It seems to always be the leftwingers who insist on
> complete control in the name of "freedom, protection and
> justice". Observe these terms closely, for definitions mean
> everything. There is a constant Utopian search for a perfect
> "system" which cannot exist within a human setting. Remember
> the USSR and "communism"?

Left wingers often are libertarians who want no controls...especially no controls from affluent capitalists...You are a victim of old propaganda...which is no longer popular because... Communism and Marxist Socialism doesn't work and they are different an now unpopular ECONOMIC systems...even in modern China...This has very little to do with what we are discussing here. Right wing capitalists have a right to protection of their own lives and propertties in our society (The right to own and protect property is certainly a right wing right) and I for one believe that that is an important right that has as much priority as any left wing pinko's assumed rights...No class of people and no individuals should have to fear that weapons may be in the hands of anarchists or children or nuts who have no political persuasion other than Hate. The nuts who are blinded by ignorant hate are neither to be associated with left or right wings. They are a threat to all wings. There is no entirely perfect Utopia. We need laws and law enforcers... but no laws or law enforcers can be entirely efficient nor can they avoid taking away some of the assumed rights of the public. Police have a right to search our vehicles without a formal warrent...Airline security agents have a right to look in our bags..They can search mine because I carry no drugs..no arms...and no stollen goods. They can finger print me and take my DNA...I have nothing to fear because I am not a criminal...IMHO those INDIVIDUALS who fear that their rights may be relinquished may be the criminals (but not any mythological "criminal element"). IMHO People who fear to identify may always be suspects.

> If you were a Hitler, Stalin, Saddam Hussein, Milosovich,
> Mao etc what would YOU support in the way of gun control?

For who? Your own armies? Your enemies? Internal rebels? This has nothing to do with gun control internal to a nation at peace. Obedience to authority does mean that you drop your guns when your nation officially surrenders (as all obedient Japanese did when they lost WW2)...This is the only good argument against gun control that I saddly admit to....Because if some nation won a war against the USA and we surrendered...I dunno if it would exactly be easy to occupy Texas. (:=))

> In fact what DID all of them dictate within their own
> spheres of influence?

Heck I wouldn't mind if Hitler collected all Jewish owned guns. It was the Jewish skins that were made into lampshades that enoyed me. Ask yourself what spark started WW1 in Europe? It was one extremest with a gun. Before WW2..Another gun nut, who happened to be a Jew, caused Germans to reply with the famous "Crystal Nacht" which destroyed Jewish property and started the mass persecution of German Jews.

>Then consider that Washington,
> Jefferson, Madison etc. all strongly supported private
> ownership of weapons, and why they did.

Yep and they "controlled" the Native American Indians and Black slaves who were not as well armed and they planted marajawana and used out houses...So what has that to do with today's society?

> It's easy to blame "guns" for debacles such as the school
> shooting tragedies- as well as less-publicised tragedies,
> and ignore the REAL problems. You don't see any criticism by
> the Administration of their Hollywood buddies who propagate
> the excessively violent "movies" and video games that
> engender similiar thoughts within malleable, insecure and
> active but undeveloped young minds, with such disasterous
> results.

I am not defending the movies, the TV, or the horror video games...BUT IMHO they alone do not make criminals any more than pornography makes sex offenders. There is a big jump between fantasy and reality in normal minds...Sick minds do not need inspiration from media...This has beeen accepted fact from studying the case histories of real criminals.

> Invaribly these sources of violent extremism have
> been shown to be a factor in what we see on TV news. Is
> there an 'agenda' within this trend toward extreme violence
> in films/entertainment, or are they just following the
> profit motive and exercising their "Freedoms", too? For sure
> the Administration won't be anxious to determine a true
> answer. Or maybe they already know. Could they be a part of
> the problem?

The main factor is money...People supply what the public seems to want to pay for and the public does often prefer sex and violence because that propensity exists in the hormones of most normal people...BUT most normal people can handle the difference between entertainment, curiosity, self indulged voyerism and criminal hate behavior.

>
> I'm hearing from relatives in the military that important
> resources are being pulled worldwide and dedicated to the
> effort in the Balkans. Today our military has been downsized
> to alarming proportions, and the Balkan effort emphasizes
> our weaknesses. It is sasid that today there isn't a

> aircraft carrier presence in the Pacific. Two weeks ago,
> cruise missile stocks (conventional warhead) were down well
> below a total of 100 remaining, with none being built, no
> factories tooled up to make them and no plans to restock. By
> now there should be few left but the nukes, and you KNOW we
> won't use them. Their conversion to high explsoive warheads
> is said to take a year and cost as much as the original
> price.

Yep..This will give business to our military industrial complex. This will reduce our monetary surplus...This will further threaten our social security funds and our health care funds...This will prevent a tax cut or in fact increase our tax...This may force us to again draft people into military service. Hmmm...We can blame it all on Slobodan Milosivic..or can we? Worst of all this may threaten the lives of your family and/or friends in the military services because where there is war or conflict, more often than not there is death on all sides. Let us all hope that this Balkan conflict is ended soon.

> Does anyone really believe that we will always be
> invulnerable to any sort of attack? Only the most optimistic
> or the most ill informed. Those who didn't study history or
> didn't learn anything from it.

We will always need to prepare to defend ourselves.. more so if our leaders plan to police the world. The fall of the USSR had given some of us hope that the world could be rational enough to live in peace...BUT now we see that even leaders of small nations can cause major troubles...If I was president I'd try to humor them instead of bombing their citizens...but that's me...and it wouldn't sell any new bombers.

> What all this shows is that "superior" intelligence doesn't
> automatically equate to satisfactory problem solving, and
> that genius is often illogical in its application,
Whew...That could be a paradox!...If genius is illogical maybe "Ignorance is Strength", as George Orwell had Big Brother say in "1984".
>based on
> human emotion instead of recognition of reality

Like ignorant hate??? Like the fear of some paranoids which can lead to unreasonable hate ...and even the murder of innocent people.
> - and
> twisted by personal Agendas. This applies to the Code/No
> code controversy just as well.

Welll...I don't think anyone got shot over the Code/No Code controversy yet. I must admit that by being a Mugwump I'm trying to minimize my risk. (;=)) There is no "superior" intelligence. Man has evolved as the creature with the most ability to control the destiny of the Earth...even if man destroys it with nuclear weaponry...BUT true intelligence is not IQ alone,.It is basically the ability to survive... and man can only survive in the modern world if man is willing to compromise without making threats of bombs and

wars...without hate producing exagerated propaganda...without extremism...without jingoism.. True you can not easily negotiate with a mad-men BUT to survive you must learn how to do just that!...Because in every war there are no winners. PLEASE keep thinking, Collect stamps, collect QSL cards, collect telegraph keys...but PLEASE don't collect guns...BUT if you must... Lock them up so that nobody else can use them in a fit of anger. Hams need more license classes, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Bob Wex w2ilp (Identify Loose Pistols) and check your guns at the door. -- .- -..- ..
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1885. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <3722873e.93787305@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 02:55:55 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
<%uvU2.12385$oH.3303901@news3.mia>) wrote:

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>weapon was banned during the anti-gun legislation because it "looked" like
>an assault rifle. Fired the exact same round however. So why wasn't the
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.223 (5.56). Neither were banned, just the future production or
import of <10 round magazines for those guns. The reason these guns
weren't banned is that they didn't have the various _cosmetic_
features of other guns (bayonette lug, pistol grip, ability to accept
a flash supressor). Such features might offend the senses of many,
but they're not exactly dangerous or a societal problem.

At the time the so-called "assault weapons" were banned, they
accounted for 0-3% of police confiscation stocks. In other words,
they weren't the choice of criminals any more than other guns (3%
being the import and manufacturing rate for these guns in comparison
to all the others). It was really a very poor expenditure of
political and public resources if the goal was to reduce gun crime.
It was an excellent expenditure if the goal was incrementalism.

The AKS-47 was banned in 1989 by George Bush's Executive Order import
ban (a brian fart of the then-Drug Czar William Bennet). The
following year the gun was redesigned into the MAK-90 and came with a
thumbhole stock, bayonette lug milled off, and flash supressor threads
milled off. It also came with a 5-round magazine and thus could be
called a "sporter." Clinton banned all guns and ammo from China via
an Executive Order (similar to Bush's) six months before the
legislative ban occured.

If it hadn't been for this Executive Order, chances are the MAK-90
would have been modified yet again and come into the country. The
AR-15 (semiauto clone of the M-16 has been thusly modified and
continues to be sold). It's nothing to really get excited about since
this has always been cosmetics and the bans simply push the guns
cosmetically in a different direction.

One thing I found very amusing in all of this is that when Bush banned
guns the conservatives kind of brushed their hands and said, "well,
what can we do." When Clinton did the same thing four years later you
would have thought it was the end of the world.

The gun issue is, unfortunately, largely partisan, emotional and entirely irrational.

Mark
Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1886. BV2DP 1998-1999 50MHz DX REPORT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
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1887. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

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Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
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Source record: 144802

In article <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Mark,
> I don't know what your comments have to do with "Jewish racists." but
> you're totally right regarding the outlawing of concealed weapons. And isn't
it
> strange how Charleton "Moses" Heston went from holding a staff over the Red
Sea
> to a machine gun over the heads of every citizen of this nation?
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

Yep...That shows that this has absolutely nothing to do with being Jewish. Charlton Heston is a Jew who is president of the NRA...and Barbra Streisand is a Jew who is fighting for stricter gun control...Many other Jews are playing it safe and not expressing their opinions. Most Jews who own guns are afraid to admit they are afraid and the ones who don't own guns are afraid to admit that they aren't afraid. At any rate if non-Jewish people think that Jews own guns it will be good for gun sales...Same thing if Non-Jewish people think that Jews don't own guns. Yep.. You don't have to be Jewish to get involved with any side of any debate...Some Jews are strongly for CW exams. Some Jews are strongly against CW exams. Not me...I'm a mugwump on that issue BUT I'm against any no-tech-tech class of non-real hams who could infiltrate our hobby and create Citizen's MultiBand (CMB)....and debate about "Jewish racists" and guns instead of Swiss watchmaker advertisements! 73, Bob Wex w2ilp BTW...I don't think that Moses was an Amateur...but he was sort of a Ham communicator...because he RELAYED the ten commandments to his people.

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1888. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3722886F.2F52@no.net>
Source record: 144803

YU7XX wrote:
>
> Dear friends,
>
> my name is Nick Hacko, YU7XX and VK2ICV / VK9LX.
>
> Five weeks ago, US and NATO started aggression on my
> home country, Yugoslavia. Since today, I was trying to force
> myself that this is not my business at all.
> But this morning I've received an e-mail form my brother,
> Branislav Hacko (Mr.sci.med., YZ7DX) telling me that
> his 6 years old boy is wearing his snorkeling mask
> "... because he believe if they bomb petrochemical plant
> nearby he would be protected!"
>
> Five weeks ago, this would be just sarcastic joke.
> Today, it's their reality. Hanibal ante portas.
> Barbarians are at our gates. They are using their largest
> and smartest bombs to destroy our schools and hospitals, our
> museums and ancient monasteries, our heating plants
> and food factories, our bridges and dams.
> "In the name of democracy and humanity ", of course.
>
> As a Yugoslav and Australian, I deeply sympathize with ALL innocent
> people who suffer and this is my modest contribution to peace and
> spreading of the truth about Yugoslavia's innocence,
> in the moment when the world's biggest powers have born
> down on it. I owe this to my family, friends,
> my 2 yr. old son and myself.
>
> You can laugh on this letter or you can go and have a good look in the
> mirror and ask your self 'what am I doing to stop this war?'
>
> It's up to YOU.
>
> Nick Hacko

Want to discuss the aggression of your leader, Slobodian Milosevic,
against the Serbs? Milosevic could look in the mirror and ask the same
question of 'what am I doing to stop this war?"

1889. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <JEwU2.12497$oH.3338026@news3.mia>
Source record: 144804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark,

Not to carry this thread on forever, but there was a weapon banned that used the same caliber round as the mini-14. It was cosmetically different and I suspect that's why it received the attention. Do you recall what weapon it was? It was mentioned in the law enforcement critique of the Florida FBI shooting, but I can't recall the name - brand - etc.

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

1890. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <372896a5.97731591@news.primenet.com>
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On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 04:14:33 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
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>shooting, but I can't recall the name - brand - etc.

No, I don't know what guns were used in that shooting and it's not too
clear what was banned since most of them have reappeared with cosmetic
changes. :) The mini-14 uses the .223. The only gun that comes to
mind that was banned (until cosmetics were altered) is the AR-15 (M-16
look-alike). It might have been that one but I didn't realize the
Florida shooting involved rifles. I thought it was machine-pistols
(Uzis and Mac-10s), but I don't know.

It's all senseless since the Mini-14 without bayonete, flash
supressor, pistol grip and folding stock, would have killed just as
effectively as the AR-15.

Mark

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http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1891. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fu64e$48m$0@208.207.71.170>
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Mark A. Fuller wrote:
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> On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 02:55:55 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
> <%uvU2.12385$oH.3303901@news3.mia>) wrote:
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> features of other guns (bayonette lug, pistol grip, ability to accept
> a flash supressor).

Another pertinent point. The "ban" on so-called "assault
weapons" which is a misnomer, did not ban them at all, only
future production and importation of the specific models on
the list,as well as future production of high capacity
magazines. Those presently owned were not affected.

Actually, a real Assault Weapon by definition uses a
selective-fire mechanism which means that it can fire either
fully-automatic or semi-automatic, selectable by the
operator via a lever which is a part of the mechanism. Under
the ban law they also have at least some of the other
features that Mark mentioned, pistol grip, bayonet mount,
flash suppressor, large magazine capacity. The Mini-14 has
none of these features and only "looks" like an assault
weapon, tho a large-capacity magazine can be purchased, and
these high capacity magazines WERE banned in new production.
Again, present stocks are legal. The Mini 14 fires the same
round as the military M16 -a true assault rifle- uses. That
is, a small caliber (.223) round with a healthy powder
charge resulting in a high velocity projectile that has good
range.

> Such features might offend the senses of many,
> but they're not exactly dangerous or a societal problem.

To most people who haven't been in the military, any long
gun that looks menacing is considered an "assault rifle".

Makes it much easier to lobby against them as legal to own.

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> they weren't the choice of criminals any more than other guns (3%
> being the import and manufacturing rate for these guns in comparison
> to all the others). It was really a very poor expenditure of
> political and public resources if the goal was to reduce gun crime.
> It was an excellent expenditure if the goal was incrementalism.

It's the only way that serious gun control could ever be
brought about in the USA and the oponents of gun ownership
know it. With a view to eventually totally banning of
private gun ownership within the USA, they have adopted a
one-step-at-a-time agenda. Of course this is well known to
gun owners -who *are* The National Rifle Association, and
they are working hard in opposition to it.

The most telling feature about Gun Control is--if it would
work, we wouldn't need it!!!

Dick W0EX

1892. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fu6c9$48m$1@208.207.71.170>
Source record: 144807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Jim Shaffer, Jr. wrote:
>
> On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 12:25:44 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>
> >"I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
> >Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.
>
> Humans shouldn't need to adapt to unreasonable environments -- it is one of the
> characteristics of our species that we can create our own environment. The
> amateur radio laws are human-created and can be human-modified.
>
>

In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
want to".
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1893. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
Message-ID: <372299f7.691067267@news.npwt.net>
Source record: 144808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 01:03:39 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Any regulation can be better than no regulation but no regulation can be 100%

indeed it can be, but the mere fact something relgulated is is
no proof that either the matter needs regulation can be regulated or
that the given reg is better than having no reg at all

>efficient. Please read my other replies on this thread. That goes for gun
>control, drug control, AND Ham Radio hate monger control. The subjects are
>all important and maybe all related because we must all use our

Or perhaps they are related becuase they all are basicaly
impossible tasks, indeed it seems that much of the ill which those
well intentioned efforts have come from the basic facts they are all
impositions of somebodies personal morality on somebody else. Most of
the problems in this seem to stem from exactly, Frankly down to and
including the recent incident near Denver.

>self-controlled common sense as parents...as teachers...and as HAMS....to
>place things in the proper perspective and if we must regulate anything let
>us agree among ourselves to regulate in the right direction. As citizens of

Bullshiot we can not address these issues "amoug ourselves"
with out reference to rights of all these issues have no meaning
>the USA we all deserve each others respect. We have nothing to hate but hate
>itself. PLEASE keep thinking, I never met a Ham I didn't like, BE HUMAN DON'T
>HATE... Hams need more classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (I Like Practicallity) -- .-

good grief what is it with your almost constant effort to
define evrything Now you are trying to define what behavoir is Human.
Hated is part of the human condiction efforts to avoid dealing with
that fact are part and parcel of incidents like the one in Denver.
Indeed so was the holocost itself. It was made possible by the west
refusing to look at and deal with the dark sides of ourselves. As long
as we ignore that side of human nature we will never understand the
actions of humans in the world

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

1894. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <QjxU2.12907$D9.3724631@news2.mia>
Source record: 144809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark,

It did involve semi-automatic pistols, but by far, the most damage was inflicted by "Maddox" who was armed with a mini-14. It took a shotgun blast at close range to finally stop him. Officers at the scene said it sounded like a cannon every time he fired it (mini-14) at them. Anyone who has been in war, or involved in a shooting knows what that sounds like.

I guess my point here is the same as yours. If an AR-15 and a Mini-14 use the same round, what sense does it make to "ban" one and not the other. They both kill equally effectively. Unless we ban ALL weapons, banning just the ones that "look" bad won't do any good at all. And we all know that banning all weapons is never going to happen. The Congress should stop playing political games with this issue and deal with the real problem. The people behind the guns.

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

Mark A. Fuller wrote in message <372896a5.97731591@news.primenet.com>...
>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 04:14:33 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
><JEwU2.12497$oH.3338026@news3.mia>) wrote:
>
>>Not to carry this thread on forever, but there was a weapon banned that
used
>>the same caliber round as the mini-14. It was cosmetically different and
I
>>suspect that's why it received the attention. Do you recall what weapon
it
>>was? It was mentioned in the law enforcement critique of the Florida FBI
>>shooting, but I can't recall the name - brand - etc.
>
>No, I don't know what guns were used in that shooting and it's not too
>clear what was banned since most of them have reappeared with cosmetic
>changes. :) The mini-14 uses the .223. The only gun that comes to
>mind that was banned (until cosmetics were altered) is the AR-15 (M-16
>look-alike). It might have been that one but I didn't realize the
>Florida shooting involved rifles. I thought it was machine-pistols
>(Uzis and Mac-10s), but I don't know.
>
>It's all senseless since the Mini-14 without bayonete, flash
>supressor, pistol grip and folding stock, would have killed just as
>effectively as the AR-15.

>
>Mark
>
>Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
>http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1895. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3722A7DE.7689D5C6@uakron.edu>
Source record: 144810

I thought that he was pounding the brass!

Lou WA8PHD
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

Dan K Nelson wrote:

> Except for the fact that the person who transmitted the bogus message ended
> his transmission with a "Roger Four good buddy, and we're back quiet". :>)
>
> 73 de KF6KNB
>
> CRTï¿½ wrote in message <37211d9e.188527770@news.mindspring.com>...
> >WASHINGTON (AP) The Federal Aviation Administration is investigating
> >reports someone broke into the local air traffic control frequency at
> >Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport late Thursday and told an
> >aircraft to divert its landing.
> > ... SNIP ...

1896. Re: No "Jewish racists" ?????? Hardy Har Har !!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fudi9$i61$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144811

In article <7fsji3$38j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
dOnKbOy666@yahoo.com wrote:
> That's right. There are no "Jewish Racists" on this planet. That is
why
> the United Nations passed a resolution that says ZIONISM = RACISM. Those
> Zionists are not Jews???? Hardy Har Har. Even the limp wrist commies in the
> UN know that all Zionists are racists.

BUT...Here is some logic for you: - Not all Jews are Zionists. Zionists believe that Israel is theirs because it is the "promised land" mentioned in their Bible. Many Hassidic Jews were against the creation of Israel because they do not believe this notion due to differing Biblical interpretation. These Jews are still waiting for the Messiah to come and they believe that they are cursed to live anywhere else on Earth until he arrives. IMHO they think that only Jews who are for Jesus should live in Israel. I could be wrong. Many non-religious Jews do not think of Jews as a nationality alltogether but are loyal citizens of the nations that they were born and educated in. If war broke out between Israel and the USA...I know which side most of my Jewish family and friends and I would be on. Many American Jews who were pro-Israel have been disenchanted because of Israel's stubbon politics and unwillingness to give Palestinians back their lands as they had promised. Many Jews do see the same hiprocracy that non Jews may see. Even some Jews in Israel do not agree on the present government's policies. Thus all Jews are not Zionists and therefore if Zionists are Racists all Jews are not Racists. I'm not completely sure if dOnKbOy is a racist...BUT it could be possible. First off may I ask him to identify himself. I am not going to guess who he might be....Nor who Dr. Hate and Porkbutt may be....The shoes don't exactly fit any Hams that I ever met and didn't hate.

> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to pretend that he is a Jew as long as he defends the
> Jews.

What would be the advantage of pretending to be a Jew if you weren't a movie actor acting a role that was Jewish (like Ray Milland in "Gentleman's Agreement"??

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
Who is he?
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to pretend that he is a millionaire because Jews are
> all supposed to be wealthy, aren't they?

Now this is getting interesting..Who is Porkbutt...maybe he could loan me some gelt? Contrary to public mythological opinion, according to "Fortune" magazine there are no Jews in the top hundred...but I know of lots of Jews who are homeless and lots of Jews who can't afford to move out of Brooklyn or the Bronx.

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to knock up a nice unwed Jewish girl as long as he
> marries her and pretends to be Jewish, isn't it?
Ah so you admit that Jewish girls could be "nice"...maybe there is some hope
that you aren't a complete racist.
> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to pretend that his daughter is a genius because all
> Jews are supposed to have genius I.Q.'s, aren't they?

Nope there are just as many Jewish idiots as there are geniuses...Scientific
Jews believe that this could be caused by imbreeding. The Jewish bell curve
may be broader than the Non-Jewish bell curve but their centers are the same.
This is in spite of the fact that a famous Jewish genius (named Gould..If I
remember correctly) says that all of the bell curves mean absolutely nothing.

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to behave like he is above the law because all Jews
> are above the law, aren't they?

Nope..Ethel and Julius Rosenberg were not above the law. Neither is Pollack.

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to have everyone believe that he owns a palace estate
> because all Jews are supposed to own mansions, aren't they?

Nah...More Jews live in city tenements than in country mansions....and some
Jews (including myself) have more dandlions on their lawns than their
Non-Jewish neighbors.

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to make racial slurs against African Americans
> because most blacks really hate the Jews, don't they?

Naw most Blacks don't hate Jews and those who do use Jewish script writers
who are experts in explaining to the Blacks why the Jews are more their
enimies than the non-Jewish policemen who don't exactly treat them with kid
gloves. When Black leaders speak against Jews it is only to draw the
attention of complete raciests so they can get around to insulting them even
more than they care to insult Jews. People who hate both Blacks and Jews
would love to see them fight but it does not often happen although they often
work and live together. I never met a Black that hated me because I was
Jewish but like any suppressed people I have met Blacks that hated everybody!
(I can't say that I blame them)...and I must admit I met Blacks that hated
me slightly because I was White. BUT Most blacks who I have known, including
Black Hams, Black technicians and Black engineers have a great sense of humor
and a very cheerful attitude. The poorest Jews who live among the poorest
Blacks do not normally hate each other...They think they know who their
common enemy may be....but IMHO they are all rationalizing. There are some

Jews who recently moved to Brooklyn from Russia who don't get along too well with the Black people...It will take a little time and they will IMHO all be dancing to the same music. Truthfully every time I had generalized about Black people I met many Black people who proved me to be wrong. I can truly say that I never met a Black person who I didn't like...As a matter of fact I got my job at Emerson Radio as the result of a suggestion by a Black Ham. He is Herman Richards W2EPT and according to Buckmaster he now resides in California. I won't go on about all my good Black friends here but if anyone doubts...I can supply a long Black-list for rerferences.

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to tell everyone that he is a college graduate
> because all Jews are supposed to go to college, aren't they?

Nope only the ones who can pass the required courses and don't drop out. I almost didn't make it...I dropped out of CCNY and didn't return to college till 20 years later.

> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> It's O.K. for Porkbutt to lie about anything or anybody as long as he sticks
> up for the Jews, isn't it?
Nah...Any Jew who can't stick up for his or herself probably wouldn't want any other person to defend them.
> Just ask Dr. Hate.
>
> Shalom,

And hasta luego or whatever to you.

> L.D

or is it LID?
Hardy Har Har yourself!

To the sensible Hams and NewsGroopies who may read the above: - The above post doesn't belong here...but it does belong somewhere on this planet and to those who it doesn't concern: - Let me apologize for biting this bate and posting it here. I won't do it again..at least not if I can't know who the heck I'm replying to. You can all see that I'm no genius because if I was I wouldn't waste my time replying to a person who I don't know, who is talking about people I don't know and probably won't take the time to read this anyway. --w2ilp--

> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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1897. Re: Geek Theory (different thread), Morse Code, and the New Guy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3722AAE6.CFB7E475@uakron.edu>
Source record: 144812

> 2) What is surface mount when talking about rigs?
>
You are right, most "rigs" are transceiver!
Lou WA8PHD
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

Ralph Mowery wrote:

> Go to the ARRL.org site and see if you can order a ARRL Handbook.
> Should be required for all new hams. There is a lot of good info in
> it and a bunch over the heads of many.
>
> Not sure abut the WACS right off. Could mean Worked All Continents,
> or maybe you left out a leter and it is the newer bands becides 160,
> 80,40,15,10 meters. That would be 30,17 and 12 meters.
>
> Surface mount is when the components don't have long wires that go
> to the other side of the circuit board, but mount on one side of the
> board and are soldered to that side.
>
> The Captain wrote:
> >
> > OK Hams, got my tech-plus ticket two weeks ago. Am trying to learn Geek
> > Theory and don't find it in any of the books:
> > 1) What is WACS, see a lot written about it when discussing radios?
> > 2) What is surface mount when talking about rigs?
> > 3) Are there any "geek" Elmers in AC909 that can help me build a QRP
> > rig?

1898. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925019884.511.58@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Outdated crap? Handguns obviated hand-to-hand martial arts. Or did they? Ox-drawn plows have been replaced by heavy machinery. Except on small farms, and in underdeveloped areas. I painted my living room with a roller and paint tray. It might have been easier with a power roller, but I'm not planning on painting much else anytime soon. I watched my neighbor struggle to put in deck posts using a hand auger. I wonder if he knows about other tools he might have used. I watched another neighbor dig his post holes with a power auger, with a very large friend helping. The bit grabbed every few seconds in the clayey soil, and would torque the two men off their feet. (Neither way looked like fun, so I have stone pavers instead of a deck. That wasn't much fun, either.)

Everything has their time and place. I especially liked Jeffrey's explanation about CW on HF. I realize it's not for everyone. For them, there's FM on VHF.

Michael.

Spot <spot@dog.org> wrote in message news:F9CC7953B702B8D7.2DBF830C66B05E69.CC4BAB032623D469@library-proxy.airnews.net...
It's not a matter of lazyness, it's a matter of having to learn a bunch of outdated crap.
If I want to fill my mind with knowledge, I prefer to fill it with things that matter.

1899. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925020113.569.63@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144814

It might be just the FCC. I called them Thursday (4/22); they were still working on the applications from 4/4. Mine, from 4/12, was posted late Friday afternoon. As Steve Martin once exclaimed, I'm a somebody.

Michael.

R.Steven Smith <W7AAV@webtv.net> wrote in message news:13969-3721BD31-5@newsd-283.iap.bryant.webtv.net...
> What I found though, was that the W5YI group gets things to the fcc
> about a week faster than ARRL, still awaiting my extra to get on my
> ticket, when with W5 it would already be done.
>

1900. Re: Communications on the road...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n8djp9@qsl9.net>
Message-ID: <01be8ee9$6b37dd60$a0b651d1@danielha>
Source record: 144815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have you got a laptop? Maybe you could use internet-phone? Get a
nation-wide provider with lots of local dial-ins and you could hook up when
you pull into a truck stop and use the internet-phone to communicate with
home.

Dan N8DJP

John <mstr-jl@swbell.net> wrote in article
<IjrU2.236$6Q5.85614@typhoon01.swbell.net>...
> Hi all,
>
> I'm sure there must be some truck driving hams out here :))
>
> I'll be going back into cross country trucking pretty soon, and since my
> wife and myself both have our amateur licenses, I was wondering if there
is
> some reliable method of keeping in contact with each other via ham radio
> communications.
>
> Cell phones charges would probably cost us a couple hundred bucks a month
> easily - not an option. The various 10-10 numbers are pretty cheap
> nowadays, but that would involve (first) finding a phone, stopping the
truck
> (miles are money), etc., not really my first choice if I can avoid it.
>
> Any ideas or suggestions? I'll make whatever initial investment
necessary
> for good *reliable* (any time of the day) communications with the
family...
>
> Thanks for any help...
>
> John
>
> --
>
> John Lewis - (South) St. Louis, Mo. 63116
> mstr-jl@swbell.net
> --
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>

1901. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <6FCC830DFC6F510C.EB735AB41F476B3D.8654A4566ADF000E@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

From the old fashioned attitudes I see in this thread, I can see why people don't renew their licenses
or even get their license.

1902. ACS Newsletter for 19 April 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fuefd$jaq@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.info,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!
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>From the Editor's Desk:

If you haven't had the opportunity of seeing the April issue of QST magazine from the American Radio Relay League, and particularly the article by Rick Palm K1CE on the Shifting Needs of Served Agencies, you're really missing something good. Rick highlig hts the changing roles of our served agencies, and outlines some of the means Amateur Radio can meet those needs. It handshakes very well with the position we at State OES have maintained for years -- that cross training of our groups will benefit everyo ne. You'll be seeing the article soon, and a discussion of the article in some of our upcoming EMCOMM Bulletins. We congratulate Rick and the ARRL for a well thought-out article, that we hope will more closely link all of the volunteer communications or ganizations who must work together to better serve their agencies in time of need.

This issue of the Newsletter is dedicated to the memory of the 168 persons who lost their lives in the explosion of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City, four years ago today. From all of us who respond to those in need......we will rem ember you.

Stay safe, everybody -- see you next week! Dave Larton, Editor
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Please Welcome:

Howard Burkhart KB6MYE <aoksurvival@earthlink.net>
San Pedro CA
Member, RACES (L.A.Co. DCS); NWS weather spotter, ARRL DEC for 1/5 L.A. Co., Tech + license since 1989. Emergency Medical Technician 1; First-aid, CPR, Disaster Preparedness, Forklift Instructor. Volunteer since 1982 on first-aid stations, member since 19 85 of E.M.S. Rescue Team. Speaker, "Disaster Preparedness for the Amateur Radio Operator -- What to do When Your Radio Brings You NO Help!", presented at many SW Division HamCons since 1991.

Willaim M. Clayton <BillClayton@sbcusd.k12.ca.us>
San Bernardino, CA
An excellent resource!

Chuck Heron <kd7bwg@arrl.net>
Payson, AZ
Had to change servers. Might have to do it again so I am using the ARRL E-Mail and regardless of my server, your newsletter will be forwarded to me with only one change required on my part. Thanks again....Great newsletter...keep it coming. I will be w orking in the near future to organize a similiar type organization in Arizona and your web page has been a tremendous help...if my printer holds out.

Philip K. Sedgwick, N6CMF <n6cmf@aol.com>
Redlands, CA
Originally introduced to emergency communications as a radio operator in the late 50's at the federal Region 8 Emergency Operations Center at Redlands, CA. Currently I am the Chief Radio Officer, Emergency Communications Group, City of Redlands, CA Fire Department Emergency Services, and permanently assigned to the City of Redlands by the Office of Emergency Services, San Bernardino County Fire Department. Redlands City ECG/RACES has pre-planned assigments during urban and small stream flooding occuranc es as well as pre-planned assignments during "red-flag" weather situations as they relate to fire prevention and supression of vegetation fires within and near the City.

David Schumacher <orionpck@aol.com>
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RACES member, Redlands California, WD6FAW

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Current Events:

CINCINNATI HAMS RESPOND AS TORNADO STRIKES

The Cincinnati Section SKYWARN Weather Amateur Radio Net was in operation April 9 when a killer tornado struck the Blue Ash/Montgomery area of the city around 6 AM. Six people died as a result of the storm, which caused heavy damage and power outages. WARN, with its W8NWS net control site at WLW radio, quickly reported weather conditions and damage as it occurred and alerted police and emergency crews.

As a result, WARN Public Information Officer and ARRL PIO Michael Nie, KB8VMX, ended up as the live lead story on the 6 o'clock news on April 15 on Cincinnati's WKRC-TV Channel 12. The station's Chief Meteorologist, Tim Hedrick, interviewed Nie live on the value of severe weather spotters and especially ham radio spotters.

"I was shocked," said Nie. "All the press releases and business cards finally paid off." During the interview, Nie told how two local spotters used Amateur Radio to relay the first reports of a tornado on the ground, as they dove for cover in a ditch. Despite the close call, the spotters were not injured. (For more information on this event and on WARN operations, visit the WARN Web site, http://www.warn.org.)

The Queen City Emergency Net provided communication support on VHF with operators at various emergency operating centers, command posts, shelters, and disaster relief agency headquarters. QCEN is affiliated with the Cincinnati Red Cross and typically provides damage assessment and communication support for the agency. The storm also affected parts of Indiana and Kentucky.--Fred Stone, W8LLY; Mike Nie, KB8VMX

EMERGENCY EFFORT GETS NATIONAL TV COVERAGE

An effort to obtain health-and-welfare information via Amateur Radio from Yugoslavia war zone got some national media attention recently. Thanks to efforts by the ARRL, Diane Ortiz, K2DO, and Stephan Anderman, K2SMA, a TV news crew from Fox News Channel spent about two hours April 10 at the Long Island home of Mid-Island Amateur Radio Club President Mike Christopher KG2M, where this operation is taking place. A three-minute feature aired the following day on FNC.

On April 9, Christopher, who's also ARRL New York-Long Island Section Bulletin Manager, activated MIARC's International Emergency Assistance Unit for the purpose of passing health-and-welfare traffic from refugees in the Yugoslavia war zone to family and loved ones in the United States. This is being accomplished with the help of Drago, T94GB, in Bosnia-Herzegovina, the only country in the Balkans with which the US has a third-party traffic agreement.

T94GB will be QRV daily on 80 meters with the war zone and refugee areas, gathering health and welfare traffic, then

passing that to the IEAU on 15 meter SSB for forwarding to the National Traffic System.--The Hudson Loop via Mike Grant, N2OX

University Leaders and Federal Lawmaker to Discuss the Progressive Development of Disaster Resistant Universities Initiative

Washington, April 19, 1999 - University leaders from around the country and federal lawmakers will meet April 20 in Washington D.C. to discuss the progress and the next steps of the initiative, Disaster Resistant Universities.

In recent years FEMA's latest initiative, Disaster Resistant Universities, builds on Project Impact: Building Disaster Resistant Communities' progress in reducing the human and economic costs of disasters, by protecting the substantial federal investment in university research and education. Last fall, university leaders asked FEMA to support their efforts to address their vulnerability to natural disasters.

Having seen very costly natural disasters impact universities, and knowing the importance of universities to their surrounding communities and states, FEMA's Director James Lee Witt responded by proposing the Disaster Resistant Universities initiative, which several universities have signed on to as partners. These universities have been informing Senators and Members of Congress of the importance of this initiative to their institutions.

Several professors at University of California, Berkeley are conducting a study on the economic impact universities have on their regions and the nation, and how disasters affect university communities. Director Witt and university representatives will discuss Wednesday how to implement Disaster Resistant Universities initiative this fall.

The initiative will not only protect the nation's investment in research and education, but a valuable economic, cultural and recreational resource to communities. The university representatives in attendance, which will include other senior administrators from various institutions, will be recognized for their foresight and firm commitment to ensuring that natural disasters will not hinder the economy and research capacity of the nation.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Office of Emergency Information & Public Affairs --- Washington, D.C.
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What's New on the Web:

http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-ec-lessons.htm

A high level summary of the various lessons learned through more than fifteen years of emergency communications operations and exercises on Oahu and in the state of Hawaii.

This page is dedicated to the efforts of Stan Harter, KH6GBX which made many things possible for amateur radio in Hawaii and California.

Ron Hashiro, AH6RH
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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC180 Net Control Training
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

EMC180 Net Control Training For release 4/19/1999

Certified Net Control Training is a vital part of the training program for the Huntington Beach RACES unit. It's May, 1998 News letter put it this way: "The Net Control Training Team has worked hard to determine what information to teach and how each individual could best demonstrate their ability to run the Huntington Beach RACES Net in an emergency. The Team has succeeded in developing a simple classroom training program followed by individual drills for RACES personnel. The class is divided into three parts;

Part I, Classroom Training - The classroom training is open to ALL RACES personnel and all are encouraged to attend.

Part II, Tactical Command Trailer - Training on how to operate in the Tactical Command Trailer will be done at Field Day. RACES Field Day and Camp CERT will be held in xx and all are invited to spend the weekend. The Tactical Command Trailer training will be held from 1-4 PM on Saturday. A certificate is part of the Net Control Credential program.

Part III, EOC Drill - The EOC Drill consists of message handling from the RACES Radio Room in the EOC. You will operate at Net Control while other RACES personnel send field messages. The Team has scheduled the following dates xxxxxx in the EOC. You will need to sign up for one of them and can attend only one. You can observe prior to going through the drill. If you have difficulty demonstrating the capability to run the Net the first time you try, may may come back and try again at one of the later dates." (end of quote.) ______

One method of training HF net control operators was described some years ago by Stan Harter, KH6GBX (deceased) because he felt HF net control required skills often not learned on vhf/uhf

nets. Here is a general description of his idea:

Set up an audio amplifier system with speakers and mikes in a building. Put the class of net control operators in one room, the trainers in another, and provide the trainers with the ability to introduce HF background 'noise', "qrm", "static" and "real time interference" into the "net" that is conducted on the audio system. In other words, for HF Net Control operators, provide them with exactly the same conditions they can face on-the-air, but do so in an in-house audio setup that emulates the real net. --- To subscribe to bulletins, use the Subscription Services web page at <http://acs.oes.ca.gov/subscribe.html>. If you don't have web access, just send an e-mail message to <mailto:emcomm-bulletin-sub@harthaven.com>.

- For training assistance contact the ACS Training Officer at the web site or send an email to larton@garlic.com
- Submit suggestions, topics or comments on the bulletins to cary.mangum@macnexus.org or cary_mangum@oes.ca.gov

Bulletins are on the ACS Web page: http://acs.oes.ca.gov -and a Landline BBS: 916-262-0856 (graphical & standard interface); and a FTP Archive: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/packet/tcpip/incoming for some bulletins. For earlier ones: ftp.ucsd.edu/hamradio/races

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Please let others in the emergency services field know of the newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions, suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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If you have tried this procedure and can't get it to work, please contact <listmaster at harthaven.com> and place "Manual request" in the subject line. Be sure to include both your old and new addresses, if applicable.

1903. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: tgold@microvest.demon.co.uk
Message-ID: <19990425.0752.9901726snz@microvest.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144818

On 24 Apr, in article <7fr6bk$7lc@news.Hawaii.Edu>
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu "Jeffrey Herman" wrote:

> It was a nice gesture of the W5YI group to send me certificates for
> passing their Advanced and Extra exams, but even those contained spelling
> errors.

I don't want to burst your balloon, Jeff, but actually everone who
passes with VEs from either VEC gets a certificate. That's the law.

:-)

Regards,
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Tony - G3SKR / W2TG email: tgold@panix.com

1904. MFJ 1798: first impressions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925028971.993.92@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144819

I just bought and put up the MFJ 1798. Due to the dearth of information on the web about this vertical, I thought I'd post my first thoughts. I don't have anything else here to compare it to performance wise, so you'll have to look elsewhere for that. Also, I haven't had a chance to tune to resonance on the lower bands; and 12m and above were dead by the time I finished.

It's a 20' tall multi-band vertical with a 12' ft square counterpoise at the top, covering all amateur bands from 80m through 2m. The vertical is a full wavelength for 6m. A separate 18" 2m quarter wave sits above the counterpoise. The HF bands are matched using a variety of rods, coils, and capacitance hats. Cost from AES was $250.

The instructions say it takes 5 to 6 hours to assemble. It took me 8 hours with minor rework, and a trip to the hardware store for some missing split lock washers. For the most part, it goes together like an erector set; the instruction manual is available on MFJ's web site. Only basic tools were needed.

I built mine in my garage, resting across the top of a 4 section fold-up type ladder. The counterpoise end stuck out through the open garage door. Setup as a 4-1/2' tall scaffold, this was almost enough to keep the counterpoise rods off the driveway. As it were, the bottom two touched the ground, but this did not interfere much with assembly.

The center pole is the radiator, ringed by 4 tuning rods for 10, 12, 15, and 17 meters. The tuning rods are made from 3/16" aluminum rod sections, held together with set-screwed sleeves. The top sections have #10 threads rolled into one end of the rod. Two nuts above and below the plate hold each rod in place. Three fiberglass spacers hold the rods in position around the center pole.

I had the most difficulties attaching the rods. The rolled threads were not completely formed on mine, and was bad enough on one to snap off below the nut while I was torquing the nut into place. There was enough rod and thread left to put on a nut from my junk hardware drawer. The original nut stayed firmly stuck to the part that broke off.

Also, the rods have to be placed in a specific sequence relative to the 2m radiator. The instructions do state this clearly, but not until after telling you to install them in a particular order. I had to swap the 17m and 15m rods to get them to match. This is not the trivial task it may seem. The rod sections are held together with sleeves, using pointed screws. This arrangement peens the rods in place in the sleeve, and makes removal and replacement extremely difficult. Moral: read ahead a page or two in the instructions before undertaking each step.

After rearranging the rods, the balun was no longer under the 17m rod, as required. The instructions here are not where they are needed to avoid rework. I ended up turning the bottom assembly 180 deg to suit.

The final assembly step is to mount the loading coils. The loading coils are on a 2' fiberglass rod that mounts perpendicular to mast, at its bottom. Three capacitance hats help tune the 80, 40, and 30m bands are also on this rod. The instructions say to mount the antenna on a temporary mast to install and tune the hats. It was storming outside at this point, so I opted to install the hats inside the garage, with the antenna still lying on the makeshift platform. The spokes for the longest bands are 23" long. It's difficult to imagine how awkward these hats are until you start working with them. This decision led to the most problems.

Even with heavy rains, high winds, lightning, and darkness outside, I thought I would try erecting the completed antenna on a 5' pole I guyed up in the backyard. The soggy ground helped make this an unsuccessful experience, and gave me new respect for the 2-1/2 sq. ft wind loading. I almost lost it more than once trying to lift it shoulder height in the driving wind and rain. In retrospect, the hastily erected post couldn't have held the antenna in calm conditions.

Giving up finally, I rested the antenna supported at one end by a chain-link dog run, and on the other with its construction platform (moved from the garage). In the tussle of moving and wrestling with the antenna, four of the capacitance spokes got entangled on something or another, and were pulled from their mounts. They are held in place, set-screw fashion, to collars on the loading coil rod. A few others were bent slightly, but they were easily straightened by hand.

Two lessons were learned from this. The capacitance hats, and the loading coils they mount to, are extremely fragile and awkward. They attach to the mast using two simple hose clamps. A wiser person would remove the loading coils when moving the antenna.

Second, the 3-ft roof-top tripod I bought seemed very, very undersized from my experience with this wind. I never really lost control of the antenna, but 30 mph on 2.5 sq. ft, 15' or so up, creates a strong force to be reckoned with. While on the roof a few days previous, I surveyed my neighbors' TV antennas. Quite a few were lying broken, their mast, mountings, or tripods having failed. The first really strong wind will most likely rip it down, or worst, rip the tripod and take part of the roof with it. The XYL would definitely not be pleased.

The most direct solution seemed to be guy wires to tie everything tightly to the roof. When I visited my nearest Home Depot, they had plenty of wire rope in all sizes, but only had hardware for 1/4" wires. I agonized over this for some time, and finally visited an Ace Hardware. They had full racks of hardware for 3/16" cable, probably the best compromise for this application. 3/16" aircraft cable is good for over 800 lb tension, much more than I can use. (The tripod has a single rivet in double shear on each of its legs. This would be the likely point of

failure.) 1/8" cable seemed a bit on the scrawny side at 200 lb working load.

I anchored the guy wires to the roof with 1/8" steel straps, using 3 1/4"x3-1/2" lag screws each. Small cleats on the tripod mast keep the guy wires from sliding down the pole. With the tripod mounted on 2x6's across 3 rafters, the mast was finally as firm as it was going to get. (As I tested my handiwork, the thought occurred to me I would fall to my death if I guessed wrong, and the mounts failed as I lunged fore and back. It held firm, as my continued presence attests.)

Getting the antenna onto the roof was almost anti-climatic. With the antenna bottom on the picnic table, the counterpoise easily cleared the eave line. My wife was able to lift the 20 lb antenna enough for me to pull it up the rest of the way. With clear skies, a calm wind, and no capacitance hats to struggle with, the rest was a snap. The wind-down is that I did a sloppy job plumbing the mast. I used a bubble level, half-heartedly, after the guy wires were tensioned. The tall vertical makes the slight list -- no more than 5 degrees -- very noticeable. However, I judge that the small mass won't have much effect on the structural integrity. The mechanical part of the job was done. Running the coax and ground wire was all that was left. By the time that was done, it was already dark, and the tuning will have to wait until tomorrow.

Oddly, I had tested the antenna while it was lying across the two metal makeshift supports. The SWR was less than 1.5:1 on all bands! (Except 30m; three of its four capacitance spokes were lost in the rain soaked tussle.) I didn't get out much, though, since it was lying horizontal a few feet off the ground.

Tonight, I found that 80m was resonant just below the band, and 40m is infinite all through the band; I presume it's long. Mounted on the roof, 80, 40, 30, and 20 will still be easy tune. The shorter bands are tuned with the rods, now mounted above easy reach. The 15m is a hair long, and is resonant at the bottom of the band; I should be able to reach it with the nippers to get more even coverage. Sadly, there is no way to get to the 10m and 12m rods.

Overall, assembly was easy, although it was missing about $1 in split washers, and the threaded rods really were not. I would run a #10 die down each thread before attempting assembly. Pay careful attention to orientation and relative placement of each item, particularly the tuning rods. Don't try to move the antenna with the loading coils and capacitance hats in place. And, of course, it's helpful to have a securely mounted temporary mast for preliminary tuning.

The roof mount was a crap shoot at best. All told, I have $150 in hardware invested, plus countless hours noodling and fretting over details. In the end, it took about 4 hours of labor to mount the tripod securely. I don't think a larger tower would have been the answer. The problem was distributing the 1800 ft-lb moment across enough roof to

support it. As installed, the two u-bolts holding the antenna to the mast will likely fail first. At worst, this leaves the roof intact. Maybe I'll just put up a small beam if/when this breaks.

My reason for buying the MJF vertical was to avoid significant roof structure. Maybe the small tripod would have held by itself, but I'll sleep better with the guy wires in place. However, the added strength and rigidity negates the original decision logic. The mast will now easily support a small tri-band beam, which is what I wanted in the first place. I don't expect I'll follow this up with a performance report. I think I can sum up already, and just say it works, but doesn't put out as well as even a small beam. At present, I feel this is a sure bet, even for the best performing vertical.

Michael.

1905. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904251140.NAA19984@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

David Hitchner (hitchner@worldnet.att.net) wrote:
: I like that idea. Quite a few hams are lost when it comes to computers.
: Computers are becoming more and more a fact of life. Also consider the
: number of ham radios which have computer interfaces. I would like to
: go back to the days when you could actually repair computers (I'm
: talking componant level) instead of just replacing a board. But I realize
: we all must move on.

You probably long for the days when you could buy a piece of software,
take it home, and actually have it work without having to first download
a bunch of updates.

1906. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904251142.NAA20073@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Greg Baker (bakergsj@maranatha.net) wrote:

: It sent both. SOS had just come into effect as a distress call 1 April
: 1912; one of the two radio operators said to the other who was pounding
: brass, "You might as well send SOS... it may be the last time we ever get to
: send it." (Walter Lord, A NIGHT TO REMEMBER)

It the recent movie, they sent a CQD. Cameron was very much a stickler
for detail. Perhaps the scenes with the SOS wound up on the cutting room
floor, there was quite a bit of footage they shot but couldn't put in
because of the time constraints. The movie A Night To Remember from the
50's did have SOS in it.

1907. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904251146.NAA20242@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BD (bodu@pobox.com) wrote:
: And one of 'em lived to tell that?

Yes, one of the radio operators did survive, he was able to climb up on
top a floating capsized lifeboat or something like that.

1908. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904251152.NAA20473@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144823
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:
: They should completely drop vacuum tubes from the tests if they have not =
: already also.
: I'm going to be running completely solid state anyhow so why would I or =
: anyone else care.

Speaking of vacuum tubes, how much would an unassembled radio kit, one
which uses tubes, be worth today. Probably a lot.

1909. CAY - 46077 receiver HELP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: wilfried dobbelaere <wilfried.dobbelaere@pandora.be>
Message-ID: <3723045E.A37137BA@pandora.be>
Source record: 144824

Hallo,

Looking for the wiring diagram for the cay - 46077 navy hf receiver
All info wellcome !

Wilfried

1910. YOUR OWN FREE HAM RADIO WEB SITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1qq@qsl.net
Message-ID: <3723036f.2509094@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144825

Yes, QSL.NET lets you put up your own free Amateur Radio related web site... Check mine out..If you want, I can help you put yours there! Just tell me what you want......

My site is at: www.qsl.net/n1qq

n1qq@qsl.net

1911. Re: ¿Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: barry123456@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <372305b4.8884358@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 144826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

There is no need to =?iso-8859-1?Q?= swear.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.

1912. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Talon <talon@you_know.com>
Message-ID: <7fv1mvcvm1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144827

>I think we should give the people what they want and incorporate CB with
>ham radio and turn the freebanders into legal operators

We did that with the no-code Technician class license.

1913. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <37230A64.7580@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spot wrote:
>
> From the old fashioned attitudes I see in this thread, I can see why people don't renew their licenses
> or even get their license.

Old fashioned: Anything requiring an attention span of more than twenty seconds or having anything to do with putting in an amount of time to attain something. The term can also include anything having to do with tradition. See "hazing ritual", "lodge hall", "hoop jumping" and "old boy's club".

Out, damned Spot!

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

1914. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8f5e$a311c0a0$923763c3@default>
Source record: 144829

Your report does not allow much confidence to be placed in
the security of communication links between airport
controllers and aircraft pilots.

A radio transmitter in irresponsible hands is like a gun.
There should be laws.

Reg.

1915. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fv3f7$4c2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144830

Anthony R. Gold <tgold@panix.com> wrote:
> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu "Jeffrey Herman" wrote:

>> It was a nice gesture of the W5YI group to send me certificates for
>> passing their Advanced and Extra exams, but even those contained spelling
>> errors.

>I don't want to burst your balloon, Jeff, but actually everone who
>passes with VEs from either VEC gets a certificate. That's the law.

It's really a law to send the following? Amazing!
^^^^
"AMATEUR EXTRA CLASS -- This Certifies that Jeffrey Herman Station
KH6OO Has achieved the Highest License available to the Radio Society
and Hereby awarded this DIPLOMA in recognition of successfully
completing the most comprehensive of the Federal Communications
Amateur Test, including confirmation of bearr's ability to send
and receive international morse code at the speed of twenty
words per minute. Bearr is hereby granted All Amateur Privileges
in accordance with Part 97 of the Commission's rules. //signatures//"

"Bearr"??? =:o

Of course everyone *gets* the CSCE, but the certificate I was referring
to was the one above that was *sent* to me. (Note the subtile difference
between those two words...)

73, Jeff KH6O (ex KH6OO)

1916. Re: For sale or trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: robh8304@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fv6n5$5ib$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144831

In article <7fu0h5$s8b$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>,
"Craig Spada" <craigs24@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
> Hi folks, I have the following for sale or trade I am looking for vhf or uhf
> equipment as in old handi talkies, vhf or uhf or mobile.
>
> qty (1) Microsoft Bus mouse this is a the new version, with mouse and
> controller board $20.00 plus shipping from Cleveland, Ohio
>
> qty (1) swap box this is a 16 bit card that accepts pcmcia cards, so you can
> use you pc cards in your pc, such as memory, modems, you name it, $25.00
> plus shipping.
>
> qty (2) MIDI interfaces (music quest) and (voyetra) these are MPU-401
> dedicated midi interfaces $25.00 a piece plus shipping.
>
> qty (1) Sound blaster compatable board with the following interfaces on
> board, for IDE, panasonic, mitsumi and goldstar CDROM drives.
> it is 16 bit sampling 44khz with on board amplifier and joystick port.
> $20.00 plus shipping, work great with window 95 or 98.
>
> qty (1) Aztech sound board with built in 14.4 modem voice and data.
> 16 bit sampling and SRS 3d sound $15.00 plus shipping.
>
> qty (1) WavJammer pcmcia 16 bit sound card New media, laptop powered
> speakers, this is a great pc sound card 16 bit sampling and more $50.00 plus
> shipping for both. for more in goto www.newmediacorp.com
>
> qty (1) Turtle beach pc sound card (pcmcia) audio advantage with software
> and midi interface cable $20.00 plus shipping
>
> qty (1) Megahertz pcmcia fax modem card 14.4 it's the gold series $15.00
> plus shipping
>
> qty (1)
>
> qty (1) Daytona 64T PCI vga card 1 meg on board very fast graphics card, it
> is based on theTrident chipset. $15.00 plus shipping
>
> I have the following Laptop Hard drives for sale these are 2.5" form factor
> they have been formatted and check:
> qty (1) Toshiba 260 meg model #MK172FCV $20.00 plus shipping
> qty (1) Seagate Model ST91430AG 1.44 gig $55.00 plus shipping
> qty (1) IBM Model DPRA-20810 810 meg $40.00 plus shipping
> qty (1) IBM DBOA-2540 540 meg $35.00 plus shipping

> qty (1) Conner CP2081 120 meg $10.00 plus shipping
>
> I have the following standard hard drives for sale:
> qty (2) Seagate ST3283N 240meg SCSI drives 20.00 a piece plus shipping these
> are new in the wrapper.
> qty (2) Quantum Prodrives ELS 140 meg a piece (IDE) $10.00 a piece plus
> shipping.
> qty (1) Quantum 240sc, 240 meg SCSI $10.00 plus shipping.
> I have an assortment of 16 bit Network interface cards NE2000 compatable,
> SMC, Anthem also 10 port hubs, the NIC's are 10.00 a piece, the hubs are
> $25.00 plus shipping.
>
> If interested in any of these item please reply to craigs24@worldnet.att.net
> Craig WA2TWF
> what the hell does this crap have any thing to do with radio's, iI fail to
see why its here at all
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1917. Re: Communications on the road...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Vause <jdv@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <37230F99.ECD8CCD7@iglou.com>
Source record: 144832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Try APRS (Automatic Position Reporting System). Real-time tracking of
your position and two-way messaging (if you have a laptop/palmtop or
Kenwood TH-D7A).

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http://www.aprs.net/vm/index.htm

John wrote:
>
> Hi all,
>
> I'm sure there must be some truck driving hams out here :))
>
> I'll be going back into cross country trucking pretty soon, and since my
> wife and myself both have our amateur licenses, I was wondering if there is
> some reliable method of keeping in contact with each other via ham radio
> communications.
>
> Cell phones charges would probably cost us a couple hundred bucks a month
> easily - not an option. The various 10-10 numbers are pretty cheap
> nowadays, but that would involve (first) finding a phone, stopping the truck
> (miles are money), etc., not really my first choice if I can avoid it.
>
> Any ideas or suggestions? I'll make whatever initial investment necessary
> for good *reliable* (any time of the day) communications with the family...
>
> Thanks for any help...
>
> John
>
> --
>
> John Lewis - (South) St. Louis, Mo. 63116
> mstr-jl@swbell.net
> --

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* John Vause KF4ERV jdv@igloudot.com *
NOTE: email address altered for benefit of Spambots
"Unlike computers, guns don't have Y2K problems..."
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1918. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990425091955.08645.00001239@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 144833

Dear OM Nick:

Just suppose.....
Someone takes power in Australia and decides that there are too many Yugoslavs living there. The word is put out by radio and television that any Yugoslavs must leave the country within the next 12 hours or be killed.

For some reason, you are delayed. Soldiers arrive and drag you and your family out of the house. While you are made to watch, your wife is gang-raped and then killed. Next, your precious 2-year-old son is tied to the bumpers of two military vehicles which gun their motors and tear him in half.

One of the soldiers then pokes out your two eyeballs so that, forever, these will be the last visual images your brain receives. You stagger back toward your house and realize that it has been set afire.

A ham operator reports this (and numerous other incidents) to the outside world. What should be the reaction of the world community?

Yrac?

1919. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37231801.3F1D@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hello,
I bet you could get alot of ducks with a MAC-10. At least you wouldn't go home without anything if you used a MAC-10!
All kidding aside I do beleive that the press wants to disarm the public. I mean the system failed these two brats in Littleton. I have heard cryes that the Constitution is to old and needs to be revised. Bullhockey! I want to know what is different about 1953 1959 1969 1973 1999 as far as the Constitution is concered? Boy I would love to hear the press cry if they where to say that freedom of the press is now illeagal. That Bill of Rights has made this nation the great power that it is. I say don't fix whats not broken. The fact that there are so many guns in the USA is what keeps other contries from invading the USA.
I would sujest we look at the real problem here. Its the teachers of the schools today (I bet they are afraid that they are going to be sued for caring to much) , and the students themselves. I think that the students need to be tought a little love and tolerance. What ever happened to the Plege of Alegance, what ever happened to school prayer? What is this seperation of church and state? If this is true why is In God We Trust on our money? I know In God We Trust all others pay cash!HA HA! I remember back in 1st grade there was a student had a religous reason for not particapating they didn't. I remember what it was like to be a teenager in high school back in Aberdeen. It was hard! I was littler then everyone! I would say more has to be done about mentoring trouble kids. The kids that seem to be getting into all this rype of trouble are the kids that all the more popular kids pick on. Its always the kids who play sports or the good looking kids that seem to get all the attention. Thats the real problem not weather or not kids can get guns or not. Back in my old neighborhood we all had guns and nobody was killed or even wonded. A window got put out once but that was stupidy nothing more.
Thats Just My Opinion I Could Be Wrong!

73 Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1920. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: yrac@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990425093143.08645.00001241@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 144835

>. I understand that input and output are
>located on 2 different freqs?

Hi, Joseph:

The band plan for 2 Meters is as follows:

Repeaters below 147.00 have an input 600 KHz BELOW the repeater output frequency.

Repeaters above 147.00 have an input 600 KHz ABOVE the repeater output frequency.

Your new radio may set the split automatically. Refer to the instruction book which came with the unit for a more detailed description and instructions.

The people who trained and/or tested you for your Amateur license can give you info regarding open repeaters. Remember, many are OPEN but require a tone access to activate. This is not intended to be selective against new Amateurs; it is a means for avoiding interference from nearby repeaters operating on adjacent channels.

When you find a repeater you enjoy using, ask if contributions are accepted to support the machine. Building and maintaining a repeater is quite costly, and it is a nice gesture to help financially when you use a specific machine on a regular basis.

With very few exceptions, anyone can use a repeater, whether or not they make a donation. However, with many repeaters, a contribution will bring a nice letter from the repeater operator with codes for special functions such as autopatch, linking to other machines, getting signal strength reports, testing your keypad, etc.

Welcome to the hobby! Now You're Talking!

Yrac

1921. FS Clipperton L Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37231A0D.79E6@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,dfw.forsale

Hello all
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new 572b's new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters. The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500 bucs plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line.
oris@dirtball.com
73 and thanks for reading
Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

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1922. FS SB 104 hf rig + power supply +VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37231A86.667C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,dfw.forsale

Hello
I have the Heathkit SB 104 HF radio matching VFO and power supply. The radio needs finals and 10 ohm bias transistor in the final board. It also needs the controlling IC in the last digit of the digital read out. 250 bucs plus shipping. The rig is in real good shape. Drop me a email if you are interested.
oris@dirtball.com
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

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(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

1923. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37231C1B.7E60@ibm.net>
Source record: 144838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dick Carroll wrote:
> In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
> want to".

Nope, in other words, I shouldn't be coerced into a situation
with no return on investment.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1924. David Letterman and Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmnadel@banet.net
Message-ID: <37231C60.F57C635F@banet.net>
Source record: 144839

Check out http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo/

For an update of the Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club's " Morning Show" crew challenge to David Letterman. on May 3.

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1925. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37231DBE.1F2@ibm.net>
Source record: 144840
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> The most telling feature about Gun Control is--if it would
> work, we wouldn't need it!!!

It's much the same with Morse code testing. If it was as good as
you say we wouldn't need the test. The test is only necessary
because almost everyone realizes that it is near useless for
anything except having fun. Do you use it for anything except
fun, Dick?
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1926. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3723189C.2DF758F4@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <7fspg3$4oo$0@208.207.71.166>,
> reasonable analysis <observe@nd~report.net> wrote:
> > Mark Waldron wrote:
> > Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
> > since that didn't solve the problem,
>
> I admit it didn't totally solve the problem but it went a long way in the
> right direction because if there were no such bans there would be wholesale
> murder!

There is not "wholesale murder" in Phoenix where open carry of handguns
is perfectly legal and anyone except felons and mental incompetents can
own as many as they like. What makes New York so different? In Arizona,
and other states with concealed weapon permits, a criminal never knows but
what the guy beside him may be armed. Armed robberies have been nipped in
the bud by such law-abiding citizens. A robber pulled a knife on me one night
in a bowling alley parking lot in Mesa, AZ while I was waiting to pick up my
kids. All I had to do was show him my 9mm Detonics and he took flight. Those
kinds of incidents happen all the time and go unreported.

> In a free society all citizens have a right to life, liberty and the pursuit
> of happiness and freedom from the fear of unregulated weapons in the hands of
> hate mongers.

I remember the first part but I don't remember that second part. If we outlaw
guns, the hate mongers with their illegal weapons can rest easy and assured
that we are completely helpless against their onslaught. We cannot rely
on the government to protect us from criminals. We must each shoulder
some of that responsibility if for no other reasons than we may not be
able to call for help and help may not arrive quickly enough.

> Some of us may neecd to let off steam without
> the ability of reaching for a weapon that can be used to inflict multiple
> casualties in short order.

Some of us need to gain a little maturity, training, and sense of responsibility.
I assume you have no butcher knives in your house?

> But a maniac schitsophrenic may not care about any threat to his life...he may
> be suicidal as were two of those high school students!
> I would suggest that you take a course in abnormal behavior.

I suggest we put all those people who exhibit dangerous abnormal behavior behind fences where they belong and eliminate the ones who commit capital crimes from the gene pool.

> If only a few
> didn't own guns and it saved only a few lives I would be for making guns a
> lot harder to own.

Statistics indicate that guns are used to prevent crime many, many more times than they are used to commit crime. You just don't hear about those times on TV or in the newspapers. Disarming the law-abiding public will cause more lives to be lost. Are you willing to accept responsibility for the deaths of individuals who would still be alive if they had only been armed and prepared?

One of the Northern European countries has the lowest rate of breaking and entering. In that country, every able-bodied male is required to own a military rifle. Think there's a correlation?
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1927. 75 Ohm Hard line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <0rFU2.10057$5E.168585@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144842
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I may be getting some 3/4 or7/8 inch hard line that is 75 ohms. I remember reading a article about using 75 ohm line. The author only did test up to 2 meters. I want to use this line on 70 cm. Will cotangent transformers work for this band? I have heard if everything else is good you would only get a 1.5 to 1 match any how. Also do I have to mess with the antenna? I would like to use this at a 440 repeater site and the antenna is a 4 dipole array. Is there any one that sells matching transformers?

Any help?

Mike

mjs@nolnet.net

1928. Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <3wFU2.10076$5E.168699@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144843
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does any one have info on building notch filters to be used as a low power notch duplexer. I have heard you can make a notch out of shorted coax stubs. Are the stubs 1/4 waves at the notch frequency? Anyone have plans for these types of filters.

Mike

mjs@nolnet.net

1929. Cushman CE-23A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <DxFU2.10077$5E.168691@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Does any one have any info or know were it can be found about a Cushman CE-23A?

Mike

mjs@nolnet.net

1930. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <37231acf.131570175@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 09:26:25 -0400, Oris <oris@dirtball.com> (in
<37231801.3F1D@dirtball.com>) wrote:

>I bet you could get alot of ducks with a MAC-10. At least you wouldn't
>go home without anything if you used a MAC-10!
> All kidding aside

I don't think you realize how your kidding replays history.

In the fall of 1988, Josh Sugarmann, formerly of the National
Coalition to Ban Handguns, and presently head of his own organization,
the Violence Policy Center, authored a strategy memo for the gun
prohibition movement. Sugarmann observed that the handgun-ban issue
was considered old news by the media, and there was little realistic
possibility of enacting handgun bans in the immediate future. In
contrast, suggested Sugarmann, the "assault weapon" issue could allow
the gun prohibition movement to open a massive attack on a new front.
Sugarmann noted that public misunderstanding over the nature of
semiautomatics would play directly into the hands of the gun
prohibition movement:

The semiautomatic weapons' menacing looks, coupled with the
public's confusion over fully automatic machine guns versus
semiautomatic assault weapons -- anything that looks like a
machine gun is assumed to be a machine gun -- can only
increase that chance of public support for restrictions on
these weapons.[1]

As several Senators noted, attaching the label "assault weapon" to
certain semiautomatic firearms was a brilliant stroke.[2] Many
members of Congress, like Rep. Gary Ackerman of New York, fell into
this carefully laid trap. In a House debate, Ackerman actually asked
whether hunters needed "a Mac 10 machine gun with 30 round banana
clips of armor piercing bullets to bag a quail?"[3] Of course armor
piercing bullets are not available for sale to the public (and have
not been for over 20 years), and none of the "assault weapon"
legislation had anything to do with machineguns (which are already
heavily regulated).

> I want to know what is different about 1953 1959 1969 1973
>1999 as far as the Constitution is concered?

Well, for one thing, prior to 1969 you could purchase firearms mail
order, delivered to your door without proving your identity to anyone.
We didn't have the kind of mindless gratuitous violence we have today.

Maybe such unregulated sales aren't a good idea, but our problem is something else. We've gone from mail order sales when there wasn't such a problem, to "papers please" today. And people are still calling for more.

The gun debate is counter productive to ever getting to the underlying social ills which are manifested in violence. Anti-gun advocates (more accurately pro-prohibition) use every opportunity to stigmatize and demonize the "extremist" NRA (witness the so-called "assault weapon" ban which was a near-complete waste of a year's political capital and public resources). This kind of failure to recognize and accept the legitimate interests of half the households in America which own guns (98% of which owners aren't the problem) only pushes these owners to an "extremist" NRA. It explains why gun owners usually reject almost any form of gun control. It thus far has always been a ratchet turning in only one (tightening) direction and a cheap fix for a far deeper problem in our society. It always ignores the fact that record numbers of people buy guns because of crime (committed largely by repeat offenders which the system failed) and seeks to disarm them rather than fix the failure of the system to correct or rehabilitate offenders.

A criminologist[4], and self-described Marxist, has argued the gun control debate is destructive to the purposes of the left; an obfuscation which prevents society from dealing with the lack of social institutions etc. This seems increasingly true when anti-gun (pro-prohibition) advocates continually portray rival drug dealers and gang membes as "friends and acquaintances" as if all gun owners are equally capable of violence as those who largely account for our crime rates. This kind of vicious stereotyping only serves to placate an anti-gun agenda based upon moral hatred rather than a sincere desire to reduce violence. It simply drives people to both extremes.

Another example is a catchy phrase often bandied about: "gunshot wounds are the leading cause of death among 18-25 -year-old males." This sounds disturbing enough and its obvious point is that if we got reduced (more accurately "eliminated") guns the problem among this segment of society would be largely addressed. What is obscured by this statistic is that young black males account for over 80% of the statistic. Nobody would dare suggest that we disarm all blacks because 18-25 year-old blacks are dying from gun shot wounds. But, it is perfectly enlightened to prejudicially stereotype and stigmatize everyone and suggest everyone should be disarmed because a less specific segment of society has a problem.

However, the real travesty is that a very serious problem is hijacked and used to further an anti-gun cause. Instead of calling attention to young blacks and how society has failed them, their problem is ignored and obfuscated. This point isn't lost on gun owners and has the effect of pushing them further into opposition to any rational dialogue on gun control.

This is the stuff people ought to be upset with. Not bayonette lugs, pistol grips or the size of someone's magazine.

[1] _Assault _Weapons _and _Accessories _in _America. When Sugarmann wrote the memo, he was affiliated with an organization called "New Right Watch." (cited in Morgan, Eric and Kopel, David. The Assault Weapons Panic: "Political Correctness" Takes Aim at the Constitution. Independence Issue Paper No. 12-91. Golden, CO: Independence Institute. October 10, 1991. p. 24.) Although attaching the "assault weapon" label to semiautomatics greatly misled the public - as Sugarmann knew it would, Sugarmann did not make a verifiably false statement. The more palpably false statements have come from Handgun Control, Inc., with its untrue claims that "assault weapons" are the "weapon of choice" of criminals and are "weapons of war."

[2] The Anti-drug, Assault Weapons Limitation Act of 1989. S. Rep. No. 160, 101st. Cong., 1st. Sess. 16 (1989) (introduced by Senator DeConcini to reduce semiautomatic firearms abuse by drug traffickers and violent criminals). Senators Thurmond, Hatch, Simpson, Grassley, and Humphrey commented that "[i]n the attempt to generate support for banning these guns, they have been referred to as "assault weapons," a term which conjures up some idea of terrible weapons that have no purpose other than killing innocent people." Id.

[3] 135 CONG. REC. $ 1868 (daily ed. Feb. 28, 1989).

[4] Raymond G. Kessler, Gun Control and Political Power, 5 Law & Pol'y Q. 381 (1983)

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Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at: http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1931. FS Bird stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7fv8gelel1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144846

I have just 2 Bird Items left

1. Bird 8201 excellent condition 500 watt dummy load
W/N connectors.......$200.00 plus shipping

2. Birs 4381 RF Power Analyst W/ N connector, no manual
in very good condtion. It either uses regular, or rechargables,
becauase it shows a charger input. can not test. I bought it 20 other
bird items that all worked perfectly......$420.00 plus shipping

3. MA-COM dummy load # 44017 I think its about 200 watts
$57.00 plus shipping

Leo Ph/fax (310) 670-6969

1932. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fv971gfe1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Let's see, are you saying there is "no return on investment"
in obtaining a ham license?

Peter

"support no code! 20 million CBers can't be wrong!"

W6RCecilA wrote in message <37231C1B.7E60@ibm.net>...
>Dick Carroll wrote:
>> In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
>> want to".
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>Nope, in other words, I shouldn't be coerced into a situation
>with no return on investment.
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>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1933. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <37232a59.1421068@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 13:52:39 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous
<nobody@replay.com> wrote:

>Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:
>: They should completely drop vacuum tubes from the tests if they have not =
>: already also.
>: I'm going to be running completely solid state anyhow so why would I or =
>: anyone else care.
>
>Speaking of vacuum tubes, how much would an unassembled radio kit, one
>which uses tubes, be worth today. Probably a lot.

Any value is strictly as an antique. I don't believe there
is much value in antique electronic kits, however.
I know there are some folks into antique radios, but
I don't think it has the following and $$$$ that many
other antique specialties does.

Bill K2UNK

1934. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <va3hie@eagle.ca>
Message-ID: <37232D4A.90EBCB13@eagle.ca>
Source record: 144849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

To all who have sent their comments:

Maybe you had better take a good look at what you are saying, some comments are well thought out and others are not. True there may be lazy people out there who don't want to work for their privileges, but there are those who do. Some of these people have handi-caps (which are not considered handi-caps), I happen to have an extremely hard time with timing and separating the characters when receiving. I have tried NUMEROUS times to get it but can't (I'm not whining). So I turned my interests to "above 50mhz."
As for the comment Mr. Young made there is more to vhf than fm. A lot of people who think morse code is out of date and "whine" about it are possibly too busy to learn it and the only enjoyment they get from ham radio are portable or mobile. Myself I am gone from home 5 days a week with a home, car and family to take care of. Now as for the people "set in there ways", did anyone consider, the most of these people are older? With age not only come wisdom but a sense of comfort and security in things that are familiar to them. The laws for code will change in time , once these people have passed on (regrettably). Please let's keep the issue alive as it is one in the RADIO community which will need to be re-evaluated on a constant basis, but can we keep it civil? Remember amateur radio is not only a PRIVILEGE but a SERVICE as well. Also every time one transmits they are nominating themselves as ambassadors to their country. you never know who, where you are being heard. Even on VHF FM.
Thanks for reading,
hope I opened some eyes.
- .... .- -. -.- -.-- --- ..-
'73 Mike VA3HIE

"Torbjï¿½rn Morka" wrote:

> radiate skrev i meldingen
> <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
> >
> >You can send messages to your ham friends and the
> no-code cry-baby whiners
> >won't know you're talking about them.
> >
> >73, Have a nice day!
>
> Well, its a shame for all those fools who thinks
> so, because my "cw-get" is a wery fine tool !

> And then can all cw-nerds talk all they want for
> me...

1935. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8TB <sam@SPAMSUKSerinet.com>
Message-ID: <372347CA.4D13@SPAMSUKSerinet.com>
Source record: 144850

Michael Young wrote:
>
> The ARRL written test is from the same question pool. My ARRL CW test
> was fill in the blank. Multiple choice here would have been too easy.
>
> Michael.
> KB9UNH
>
That's not always the case. Our local VE team switched to the multiple choice format 2 years ago. The failure rate went up about 20%. The ARRL tests have 2 answers that are so similar(was it W9NT or WN9T?, 45 watts or 40 watts) Bottom line, if the candidate can't copy the code, they probably won't guess their way to a passing grade.
I do admit that there are ALWAYS exceptions!

73, N8TB Tim

1936. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fvaktqtn1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

For a cheap education, check the going eBay prices
for unassembled Heathkits. What you believe is not
based in fact.

Pete

Bill Sohl wrote in message <37232a59.1421068@news.planet.net>...
>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 13:52:39 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous
>Any value is strictly as an antique. I don't believe there
>is much value in antique electronic kits, however.
>I know there are some folks into antique radios, but
>I don't think it has the following and $$$$ that many
>other antique specialties does.
>
>Bill K2UNK

1937. Re: No one speaks Esperanto on the street.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372331E8.444B23E3@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144852

Yes, we were always the bad guys on operations. The "good guys" had to
have someone from S-2 or G-2 as a translator.

1938. Re: Freebander Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37232f1f.6521326@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144853

Mark:
Please enlighten us as to whether you are 'for' or 'against' the use
of the so-called 'freeband'.I see you one one post talking about the
illegality of it,then you post the urls for 'freeband' websites,which
I am sure are Pro-freeband.

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 14:05:28 GMT, mfuller@primenet.com (Mark A.
Fuller) wrote:

>On 24 Apr 1999 13:01:50 GMT, shm144@aol.com (Shm144) (in
><19990424090151.29838.00001036@ng100.aol.com>) wrote:
>
>>Can someone please tell me or define a freebander I am new to amateur radio
>>and have never heard this term
>
>From http://rob.acol.com/~cb/freeband.html
>
>"Freeband CB Radio is the use of frequencies or channels that are not
>designated to the CB Radio service for use as "private" channels or
>for attempting long distance contacts (DX). These freeband channels
>run from 26.000 MHz up to channel 1 (26.965 MHz) and from above
>channel 40 (27.405 MHz) to the edge of the 10 Meter ham band (28.000
>MHz)."
>
>There's also a handful of "A" channels between CB channels which most
>radios capable of so-called freebanding are capable using as well.
>
>The reason so-called freebanding is popular with some CBers is because
>the CB 40 channels are almost unuseable due to the wide use and
>acceptance of modified CB radios, overpowered radios, and linears.
>There's been virtually no enforcement which 1) the din and flatus
>makes good people look for relief, and 2) blurs the distinction
>between legal/illegal. When 90% of the people on the radio are running
>"export" radios and power, and it's obvious the FCC knows about this,
>it's easy to believe there are none of the rules are really
>noteworthy.
>
>I don't know why it is popular with some hams.
>
>Enforcement seems to be increasing. I just hope it will go so far as
>to clean up CB which contributes to the problem. There seems to be a
>growing organization among CBers to press out even further:
>
> http://home.fuse.net/rlgrenel/cbthreat2.htm
>

>If the rules aren't going to be enforced, I actually think this is a
>good idea. Just enforcing it in freeband and not in CBRS itself will
>likely spur more people into the movement (IMO).
>
>Mark
>
>
>Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
>http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1939. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3723344D.EBB3BA4@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Read the article by Rick Palm in the May QST, "Emergency Communications..."; p.32. It seems you old hams who got your license the "old-fashioned way" are just as lazy, stupid, and provincial as us new guys.

1940. Re: FCC Revision of Scanner Rules... Enforced by Unterstormfuhrer Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <372330a8.6915064@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I just tried http://www.arrl.org and received an error
message....maybe their server is down.....

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 18:40:47 GMT, kd1on@arrl.org (Joel B Levin) wrote:

>In <3721c286.471764@genenews.acay.com.au>,
> barry123456@my-dejanews.com (Barry O'Grady) wrote:
>:While trying to retrieve the URL: http://www.arrl.org/announce/et98-RandO.html
>:
>:The following error was encountered:
>:
>:DNS name lookup failure
>:The system returned:
>:
>: DNS Domain 'www.arrl.org' is invalid: Host not found (authoritative).
>:This means that:
>:
>: The specified host does not exist or its address can't be found.
>
>In this case it means that your DNS is screwed up or otherwise inadequate.
>www.arrl.org exists and is perfectly accessible.
>
> /JBL
>

1941. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ma_locksmith <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#pFxGGzj#GA.241@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144856
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Shorted stubs are 1/2 wave, open stubs are 1/4 wave. Both reflect a short
at the driving end.

Michael Smith wrote in message <3wFU2.10076$5E.168699@news7.ispnews.com>...
>Does any one have info on building notch filters to be used as a low power
>notch duplexer. I have heard you can make a notch out of shorted coax
>stubs. Are the stubs 1/4 waves at the notch frequency? Anyone have plans
>for these types of filters.
>
>Mike
>
>mjs@nolnet.net
>
>

1942. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37233228.7299000@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

SOAP-BOX mode>on....

The difference in Hams who had to pass the CW requirements of their particular license class,and the people who would like to have a license in the same class,is simply the Hams WORKED for what they have.The others obviously dont want it bad enough.I got past the 13 wpm CW requirement in 91 and,have never used CW since,as I had to work so hard at it,I grew to hate it!(it didnt come very easy for me) I do agree however,that CW ...maybe..shouldnt be a requirement,but it should be replaced with something that will separate the serious radio ops from the curious.A good friend of mine,who is an MD,stated it perfectly..."75% of the 'hell' I went thru in medical school was designed to 'weed out' the students who werent dedicated enough to become a Doctor." The same holds true for Amateur Radio,in that there should always be some difficult 'hurdle' to overcome before obtaining a license.This is by no means a perfect solution,but its the only one we have at the moment.

SOAP-BOX mode>off....
On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 17:39:26 GMT, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:

>Exactly! This stubborn attitude will unfortunately be the death of Ham
>Radio!
>The attitude must change if there is any hope!
>
>> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
>> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
>> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of
>> requirements
>> are very outdated.

1943. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7fvccn$8iu@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 144858
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dick Carroll (dixie@townsqr.com) wrote:
: Jim Shaffer, Jr. wrote:
: > On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 12:25:44 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
: >
: > >"I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
: > >Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.
: >
: > Humans shouldn't need to adapt to unreasonable environments -- it is one of the
: > characteristics of our species that we can create our own environment. The
: > amateur radio laws are human-created and can be human-modified.

: In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't want to".

Is that what he said? Seems more like he advocates -changing- the
requirements.

But it is one answer to the "logical", "I had to do it, YOU have to do
it!" And the fastest growing amateur group in the US is NOT doing it (for
what ever reason).
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

1944. Re: ### Hamband Trader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37233787.8674361@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144859
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What is this "shake down' you refer to?

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 01:03:50 GMT, O'Hearte@emmail.com (Chester (Chet)
W. Hart) wrote:

>New Internet Web Site
>"Shake down begins now until May 1, 1999"
>

1945. Re: Freebander Question Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <372532c0.137699950@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144860

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:07:47 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) (in <37232f1f.6521326@news.mindspring.com>) wrote:

> Please enlighten us as to whether you are 'for' or 'against' the use >of the so-called 'freeband'.I see you one one post talking about the >illegality of it,then you post the urls for 'freeband' websites,which >I am sure are Pro-freeband.

I've posted pro and anti URLs. The fact that I've posted pro-URLs to a ham newsgroup, or reported the new URL of a ham who lost his old URL due to ham complaints[1], should indicate I'm not a supporter of non-enforcement. Conversely I'm not comfortable with the idea that CBRS operators should be pushed back (through enforcement of the buffer zone between ARS and CBRS) to CBRS without even an attempt to fix the *rampant* disregard for laws on CBRS which makes CBRS unuseable and pushes operators into other channels.

It's this non-enforcement which at least causes me to understand why so many (perhaps the majority) of CBRS operators use linears and talk out of band. Just pushing them back in band is a recipie for them to view nocode ARS as an expansion of CBRS. Indeed, Copper has already suggested this as noted in the URL[2] in the posting you referred to.

I don't mind saying that I'm not a ham and I'm just a bit skeptical of FCC's new-found devotion to enforcement. I'm not sure it isn't oddly timed to placate opponents of reduction/elimination of code precisely at a time when FCC seeks to accomplish something in this regard. I support reduction/elimination, but I think opponents have a valid point: look at CBRS. I personally would want to see more dedication to enforcement (or enforcement moved permanently to the local level) before I fell for FCC's "trust me" routine.

As an example of what has me just a little sketchy on this "new FCC" is the little story from ARRL's mailing, "* +Riley Hollingsworth surprises hams at NAB." Riley's boss was reported to have said,

"When I turned Riley loose, I said, 'look, you're going to be going all over the place. How can I get in touch with you?''' Lee recalled. "And he said, 'Boss, I'm like Batman, it's real simple. All you have to do is call out K4ZDH, Riley, are you around. and I'll show up, I'll be there.'"

So Lee gave it a try. "K4ZDH, Riley, are you around?" After a pause, from the back of the room Hollingsworth piped up, "Here I am," and came forward to address the gathering.

And the crowd, as they say, went wild.

I don't know about anyone else, but this sounds like pure showmanship. It might make people feel good, like they're returned to the old days, but what's been given can be taken away -- and we have more history of it being taken away than we have of this current "Batman" enforcement (which is ironically timed to coincide with complaints concerning reduction in requirements).

That's just my opinion. Either way, I'd say "trust with verification." I can't imagine anyone would disagree.

Mark

[1] Message-ID: <37201df2.9242417@news.primenet.com> and the thread therein.
[2] http://home.fuse.net/rlgrenel/cbthreat2.htm

Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at: http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1946. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3723395E.43AB09CF@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144861

Your rebuttal about us no-coders has been the only one that's made sense since I started reading this NG.
1) Let's keep CW but make our entrance requirement be 5 wpm for all the HF bands instead of 13 or 20. The key issue is not that CW is going to be dropped as a license requirement. The whining from the pro-CW hams is that the Morse Code proficiency is going to be decreased.
2) The interesting thing is that many of these foreign hams know english, albeit choppy, and also communicate quite well on the Internet.

Harry Helms, AA6FW, wrote a nice book ALL ABOUT HAM RADIO: HighText Publ., San Diego, CA. PP. 62-64 gives an excellent history about the ARRL, licensing history. Those few pages convinced me that ham radio's die hards need to change or this hobby will become stagnant.

BTW, I also took his advice and joined the ARRL; whether I like its policies or not, it's the only effective ham lobby along with W5YI, and of course, the manufacturers.

Regards, Oscar

1947. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <372337d5.8751418@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144862

How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license without learning
even this most basic operating procedure?

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 18:18:55 -0700, Joseph Merfalen
<jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu> wrote:

>Hello Fellow ham's. I just recently bought a new hand held and since I
>am a new HAM I was wondering if anyone out there would be willing to
>help me out? I am in the southern California area and I need a really
>quick lesson in using repeaters. I understand that input and output are
>located on 2 different freqs? If you are in the same area would you be
>willing to e-mail me with steps for locating and using an open repeater?
>Or if you live some where else i would also appreciate a general step by
>step process for accessing and transmitting on a repeater. I just
>recently received my license and I have not transmitted once yet. I need
>a little help here. I would appreciate anything. Thank you and 73's to
>all...
>you can e-mail me at jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu
>joseph merfalen KF6VVQ
>

1948. Re: 75 Ohm Hard line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <375137c5.770170140@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144863
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 10:13:58 -0400, "Michael Smith" <mjs@nolnet.net> wrote:
>I may be getting some 3/4 or7/8 inch hard line that is 75 ohms. I remember
>reading a article about using 75 ohm line. The author only did test up to 2
>meters. I want to use this line on 70 cm. Will cotangent transformers work
>for this band? I have heard if everything else is good you would only get a
>1.5 to 1 match any how. Also do I have to mess with the antenna? I would
>like to use this at a 440 repeater site and the antenna is a 4 dipole
>array. Is there any one that sells matching transformers?

ZD Engineering sells transformers for most types of CATV hardline.
They work fine, and also serve as substitutes for the often expensive
hardline connectors. The address I have is 605 Balsley Avenue,
Findlay Ohio, 45840. The phone number is 419-424-8765. ZD
Engineering is owned by Paul Darwactor W8ZD. I've used these
transformers and can recomend them.

(It has been some years since I've bought any. I can't guarantee
that the address and phone number are still good, but it is the
best info I have.)

Since the SWR isn't really that high, and excess SWR loss is
relatively low, the question of why should we care is relevant.
The reason is that the reactive termination can *detune your
duplexer*. This leads to desense problems.

You can work around that in a couple of ways (absorb the reactance
into the tuning of the duplexer, or cut the line to a multiple of a halfwave,
remembering velocity factor), but it is generally better to match the
system up as best you can so you can freely interchange parts without
having to retune the entire system. A pair of these transformers are
useful for doing that. (You still have to get your antenna tuned correctly,
or you'll have SWR on the line anyway.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1949. FS: linemans butt-in set, telecom phone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcat4955@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <7fvh52$e0p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144864

harris linemans set, butt in set. modern touch tone set with square ends. same as currently used by many phone companies. has built in monitoring amp with three volume settings or use as regular phone. built in polarity indicators for line polarity. uses 9 volt batt which last over 2 months of daily use. weatherproof. can provide pic. $125 SHPD to lower 48 states. thanks robert

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1950. FS: 40 chnl mini handheld cb w/handmic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: dcat4955@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <7fvhb4$e20$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144865

radioshack 40 chnl handheld cb, mini size, current model. comes with handmic but lost antenna so you will have to get a new antenna. radio looks new, barely used. no scuff or scratches. $60 SHPD to lower 48 states. thanks robert

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1951. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7fvekl$g5e$0@208.207.71.133>
Source record: 144866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > The most telling feature about Gun Control is--if it would
> > work, we wouldn't need it!!!
>
> It's much the same with Morse code testing. If it was as good as
> you say we wouldn't need the test. The test is only necessary
> because almost everyone realizes that it is near useless for
> anything except having fun. Do you use it for anything except
> fun, Dick?
>

Shirley you're not stupid, so why do you insist on
continuously exuding the aura?

The reason for maintaining a CW test has been recounted so
many times here I'm not about to go over them again. But you
can be sure I'm ready to do whatever needs to be done with
Morse code on ham radio. Fun or not, pro-coders are ready.
It's certainly no surprise that you're not.

Dick W0EX
FISTS #3939
BIT #0003

1952. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904251611.SAA14538@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
: For a cheap education, check the going eBay prices
: for unassembled Heathkits. What you believe is not
: based in fact.

What *who* believes is not based in fact?? It's hard to tell who's post
you are replying to. One post says they'd be very valuable, another says
they won't. Who is wrong? It would be quite interesting if you had a
few examples of what things they're selling and what the bids are like.

1953. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <37263802.139046785@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 05:00:32 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
<QjxU2.12907$D9.3724631@news2.mia>) wrote:

>... And we all know that
>banning all weapons is never going to happen. The Congress should stop
>playing political games with this issue and deal with the real problem. The
>people behind the guns.

Exactly. This is the point that gets lost in the popular gun debate.
The underlying problems are never considered. It's all us vs. them.
We've wasted tremendous public resources on policies that even the
supporters knew would have little effect on violence compared to the
expenditure. That just drives gun owners further into a reflexive
anti-regulation position.

The problem that isn't addressed is the failure of government to
correct and rehabilitate offenders. Our violence rates are often
compared to other countries as proof that we're a violent society and
guns are the antigen. However, if we removed the contribution repeat
offenders make, we'd have crime rates which would be envied.

Studies have found that approximately 75% of murderers have adult
criminal records,[280] and that murderers average a prior adult
criminal career of six years, including four major adult felony
arrests.[281] These studies also found that when the murder occurred
"[a]bout 11% of murder arrestees [were] actually on pre-trial
release"--that is, they were awaiting trial for another offense.[282]

The fact that only 75% of murderers have adult crime records should
not be misunderstood as implying that the remaining 25% of murderers
are non-criminals. The reason over half of those 25% of murderers
don't have adult records is that they are juveniles.[283] Thus, by
definition they cannot have an adult criminal record. Juvenile
criminal records might well show these murderers to have extensive
serious criminal records. "The research literature on characteristics
of those who murder yields a profile of offenders that indicates that
many have histories of committing personal violence in childhood,
against other children, siblings, and small animals."[284]

[from http://www.2ndlawlib.org/journals/tennmed.html]

The implication that impacting the 98% of gun owners who aren't the
problem completely ignores what the real problem is. It also implies
that this vast majority is in some way similar to the abberants who
are responsible for most crime. It's just more stereotyping and

stigmatizing. It ignores that it is the constant release of these abberants onto the streets which causes the other 98% to arm themselves. Going after the 98% can only be explained as a deep disgust with guns (symbolic crusade), or simple animsim (scapegoat objects).

By blaming objects, a person can avoid having to blame individuals for their moral choices and lack of self control. Some gun controllers base their position on their sincere belief that gun control could reduce crime. Other advocates of gun prohibition seem motivated by a desire to express their disdain for the kind of people who own guns. Other controllers may be reluctant to condemn groups (particularly the inner-city underclass) for their actions, and guns therefore become a substitute scapegoat object.

Indeed, the scapegoat object has long tradition in Anglo-American law. For many centuries, if a criminal killed someone with a sword, the sword would be forfeited. Earlier in Britain, objects that "caused" a death were punished. If man fell from a tree, the tree was cut down. If he drowned in a well, the well was filled up. If a criminal killed a victim with a third party's sword, "the sword shall be forfeit as deodand, and yet no default is in the owner." A steam-engine was even forfeited under this doctrine (Holmes, 1881). The "deodand" was a gift to God of the object causing death. In early American law, a tree that fell on someone might be destroyed as deodand. One court ordered destruction of a canoe that had failed "to make way in a storm," causing its owner's death. A Virginia court ordered the chain by which a boy had hanged himself in suicide to be forfeit as deodand (Chapin, 1983).

Similarly, in ancient Greece, a sword used by a murderer would be banished beyond the city limits, as would a statue that fell on someone (Hyde, 1916). This punishment of physical objects was paralleled in medieval and early modern European law by the legal punishment of animals. If a pig killed a baby, or if a swarm of locusts ate a crop, the animals would be charged with legal offenses, defended by a court-appointed lawyer, and usually convicted. Animal defendants whom the court could apprehend, like domestic pigs, would be tortured to death, just as were human criminals (Evans, 1906).

Some scholars suggest that the people who punished swords and executed pigs were not so stupid as to believe that swords or pigs could form criminal intent, or could be deterred by the punishment of their fellows. Rather, argues one scholar of the phenomena, people were terrified by the seemingly random nature of bad events, which implied that perhaps there was no order to the universe. Thus, the purpose of punishing objects and animals "was to establish cognitive control ... the job of the courts was to domesticate chaos, and to impose order on a world of accidents--and specifically to make sense of certain seemingly inexplicable events by redefining them as crimes ... the child's death became explicable. The child had died as an act of

calculated wickedness, and however awful that still was, at least it made some kind of sense" (Humphrey, 1906: xxvi). Albert Cohen described the same phenomena as the "evil causes evil fallacy": the belief that bad consequences must had bad causes. Perhaps it is easier to trace America's problems to "wicked" objects like guns or drugs, rather than to consider the depressing possibility that America may include a disproportionately large number of wicked people.

[from http://www.2ndlawlib.org/journals/dk-ideo.html]

As you can see, it's an interesting topic and it's unfortunate the popular debate centers on perceptions and stereotypes.

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[280] An FBI data run of murder arrestees nationally over a four year period in the 1960s found 74.7% to have had prior arrests for violent felony or burglary. In one study, the Bureau of Criminal Statistics found that 76.7% of murder arrestees had criminal histories as did 78% of defendants in murder prosecutions nationally. In another FBI data run of murder arrestees over a one year period, 77.9% had prior criminal records. Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Rep. 38 (1971).
The annual Chicago Police Department bulletin Murder
Analysis shows the following figures for the percentage of murderers who had prior crime records:

1991: 77.15%
1990: 74.63%
1989: 74.22%
1988: 73.59%
1987: 73.81%

Five year average for 1987-1991: 74.68%

[281] Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Rep. 43 (1975).
[282] John Dilulio, The Question of Black Crime, 117 Pub. Interest 3, 16 (1994).
[283] See Kathleen M. Heide, Weapons Used by Juveniles and Adults to Kill Parents, 11 Behav. Sci. & Law 397, 398 (1993).
[284] Ronald M. Holmes & Stephen T. Holmes, Murder in America 8-9 (1994).

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Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

1954. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fvh75$fb4$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Does your newsreader present threads as one coherent listing?
The relply was made to a April 25 post, that shouldn't be too hard
to find; providing you are following the thread and not jumping in
ill-informed?

You want me to sort through 300 or so eBay ads to
prove a point? If you have a net browser, you are welcome
to do so. Be sure to check the thousand or so closed
auctions as well. Check rec.amateur.radio.boatanchors and other
related forums for ads seeking unassembled kits --DeJa news will
aid in you this search. I am not
here to do homework for you. Especially for someone who
needs to hide behind an "anonymous" signature.

Pete

Anonymous wrote in message <199904251611.SAA14538@mail.replay.com>...
>CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
>: For a cheap education, check the going eBay prices
>: for unassembled Heathkits. What you believe is not
>: based in fact.
>
>What *who* believes is not based in fact?? It's hard to tell who's post
>you are replying to. One post says they'd be very valuable, another says
>they won't. Who is wrong? It would be quite interesting if you had a
>few examples of what things they're selling and what the bids are like.
>

1955. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kovar <kovar@ia.net>
Message-ID: <01be8f3b$64c61c60$8dd0a0cd@k0var>
Source record: 144870
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I think you forgot to figure in the electrical propagation charteristics of
the feedline.
It is likley you will find a 1/4 wave times .66 to get a closer value.
Thats if I remember correctly and you use a feedline with .66 VF.
--
Jack Kovar
k0var
Iowa

ma_locksmith <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com> wrote in article
<#pFxGGzj#GA.241@cpmsnbbsa05>...
> Shorted stubs are 1/2 wave, open stubs are 1/4 wave. Both reflect a
short
> at the driving end.
>
>
> Michael Smith wrote in message
<3wFU2.10076$5E.168699@news7.ispnews.com>...
> >Does any one have info on building notch filters to be used as a low
power
> >notch duplexer. I have heard you can make a notch out of shorted coax
> >stubs. Are the stubs 1/4 waves at the notch frequency? Anyone have
plans
> >for these types of filters.
> >
> >Mike
> >
> >mjs@nolnet.net
> >
> >
>
>
>

1956. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fvi71lnj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Interesting. I checked my original posting, and the post I replied
was quoted in part at the end my reply. What are you talking about?

Secondly there were two comments posted regarding value of unassembled
tube kits. The first was YOURS:

"Speaking of vacuum tubes, how much would an unassembled radio kit, one
which uses tubes, be worth today. Probably a lot."

The second post in part:

">
>Speaking of vacuum tubes, how much would an unassembled radio kit, one
>which uses tubes, be worth today. Probably a lot.

Any value is strictly as an antique. I don't believe there
is much value in antique electronic kits, however.
I know there are some folks into antique radios, but
I don't think it has the following and $$$$ that many
other antique specialties does.

Bill K2UNK"

My response, with quotes from the post I was commenting on:

"For a cheap education, check the going eBay prices
for unassembled Heathkits. What you believe is not
based in fact.

Pete

Bill Sohl wrote in message <37232a59.1421068@news.planet.net>...
>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 13:52:39 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous
>Any value is strictly as an antique. I don't believe there
>is much value in antique electronic kits, however.
>I know there are some folks into antique radios, but
>I don't think it has the following and $$$$ that many
>other antique specialties does.
>
>Bill K2UNK"

You can't even keep track of your own posts, or
properly read what I posted. Congratulations. You

have earned a spot in my newsreader filter.
Please supply a list of your other aliases on the net
for inclusion.

Peter

Anonymous wrote in message <199904251611.SAA14538@mail.replay.com>...
>CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
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>: for unassembled Heathkits. What you believe is not
>: based in fact.
>
>What *who* believes is not based in fact?? It's hard to tell who's post
>you are replying to. One post says they'd be very valuable, another says
>they won't. Who is wrong? It would be quite interesting if you had a
>few examples of what things they're selling and what the bids are like.
>

1957. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925060468.461.9@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144872

N8TB <sam@SPAMSUKSerinet.com> wrote in message
news:372347CA.4D13@SPAMSUKSerinet.com...
> Michael Young wrote:
> >
> > The ARRL written test is from the same question pool. My ARRL CW
test
> > was fill in the blank. Multiple choice here would have been too
easy.
> >
> > Michael.
> > KB9UNH
> >
> That's not always the case. Our local VE team switched to the multiple
> choice format 2 years ago. The failure rate went up about 20%. The
ARRL
> tests have 2 answers that are so similar(was it W9NT or WN9T?, 45
watts
> or 40 watts) Bottom line, if the candidate can't copy the code, they
> probably won't guess their way to a passing grade.
> I do admit that there are ALWAYS exceptions!

That doesn't make much sense to me. With fill in the blank, it was
either W9NT, or it was gibberish. The blank had to be filled exactly as
sent: CPY, not COPY, for example. With multiple choice, K9NT or W9NT
requires you only copy the first letter correctly.

In either case, I agree with you that he can copy code, or he can't. 5
wpm is not at all difficult. I copied 100% on my Morse test. The odd
thing is, you can still pass the test if you miss both callsigns. On the
air, you missed the call if you don't get the callsign.

Michael.

1958. ANARC SWL Net Is Gone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigsteve@dorsai.org
Message-ID: <kyzI3QQI85JG092yn@dorsai.org>
Source record: 144873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Due to an increasing lack of participation, the Sunday morning on air
meetings of the ANARC SWL Ham Radio net have beem suspended for the summer,
and may not return in the fall.

Dave Kirby, N1DK posted this up on the #SWL IRC this morning:

************************* STATEMENT ************************************
After careful consideration, Al NN2U, and myself Dave N1DK, have
decided to put the ANARC SWL NET into Summer hiatus. As you are aware,
check-ins on 7240khz have been NIL for quite a while. 7240khz, being inside
the Amateur Radio bands, is designed for 2-way communication and not
broadcasting. True, as long as there's more than one person on frequency,
it is considered 2-way communication. But two people, in my opinion, does
not constitute a net. I am aware that there are many SWL's that listen to
the net and contribute their loggings each week. To those people, I say
thank you very much for your participation during the past 11 years. I'm
sure a lot of fingers will be pointed as to what or who is to blame for the
low turnout on frequency. My e-mail box is full with theories. I think it
is a combination of many things. The Internet has wealth of information on
SWL'ing, so Al and I are working on keeping people updated on the swl
scene, via the Internet. A weekly real audio file to be posted on my web
page. Keep checking my web site for details. http://www.n1dk.com Al and I
will attempt to resurrect the 7240 ANARC SWL NET at some point in the Fall,
possibly September or October. Meantime, There's a lot of activity in IRC
chat channel #SWL.

************************* End of Message ********************************

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< ^^^>
< "Big Steve" Coletti >
< A Different Kind Of Oldies Show on WBCQ, 7415kHz Shortwave >
< Saturday Evenings at 6:30 EST, 2230 UTC >
< Internet: bigsteve@dorsai.org >
< US Mail: P.O. Box 396, New York, NY 10002 >
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1959. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ma_locksmith <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OTNe4S0j#GA.254@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144874
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Absolutely correct.... but I was not commenting on electrical Vs mechanical
length. Only on 1/4 vs 1/2 wave. You must take into consideration the
propagation factor (typically 0.66 for lots of cable) to go from electrical
to mechanical size. Good comment.

Ed
kovar wrote in message <01be8f3b$64c61c60$8dd0a0cd@k0var>...
>I think you forgot to figure in the electrical propagation charteristics of
>the feedline.
>It is likley you will find a 1/4 wave times .66 to get a closer value.
>Thats if I remember correctly and you use a feedline with .66 VF.
>--
>Jack Kovar
>k0var
>Iowa
>
>ma_locksmith <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com> wrote in article
><#pFxGGzj#GA.241@cpmsnbbsa05>...
>> Shorted stubs are 1/2 wave, open stubs are 1/4 wave. Both reflect a
>short
>> at the driving end.

1960. directional accuracy of 25MHz signal detection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjz7636@csDOTrit.edu
Message-ID: <372357d5.0@isc-newsserver.isc.rit.edu>
Source record: 144875

I'm not sure if this is the proper place to ask this, but it's the closest I could find.

A friend and I are currently working on our senior design project in computer engineering. We are looking at the feasibility of using three model RC transmitters, probably on three different channels of the 25 MHz band, as beacons to calculate a position off of. The problem is that we have no experience with this type of equipment and don't know how accurate this would be over the distances we will be working with. (less than 5 meters) We don't need a detailed analysis at this time, just a general idea of if it would be possible to use this set up with a vehicle about the size of an RC car (about 36 cm x 25 cm), and if we could get reasonable accuracy from it.

Thanks for any help.

PS please copy me a reply by e-mail as well, as the news feed here can be flaky at times.

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Ralph Zajac, Jr.
rjz7636@cs.rit.edu

1961. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8f8a$3f01e460$d0e2abc3@default>
Source record: 144876
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

0.66 applies only to solid polyethylthene lines of any
impedance.

If foam-filled or expanded, or disk-supported, with air
space, then a higher VF will apply. Could be as high as
0.94.
--
Reg

1962. ICOM-706MKII-G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n1qq@qsl.net
Message-ID: <372354a6.23302717@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144877

ICOM-706 MKIIG..

I just bought one...I love it.... I put it up against my 746 for performance anyday!! It doesn't have all the bells and whistles of the bigger rigs, but packed with features. I only bought one extra filter for CW......Excellent..I am using it on 40 through 2 meters... (It also has 440 Mhz...) Rich.. N1QQ

1963. Re: ⍰Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: A T <cokmand@world.att.net>
Message-ID: <7fvm11$r57$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

ACTUALLY , MINE RECEIVES WORLDWWIDE STATIC!!!

Barry O'Grady wrote in message
<372305b4.8884358@genenews.acay.com.au>...
>There is no need to =?iso-8859-1?Q?= swear.
>
>Barry
>==========
>Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
>

1964. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be8f4a$d0082860$8560b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 144879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> Ya.. Lots of people have lost the "gotta work for what you get" attitude
> nowdays... That's why freebanders are so common.

Horse Pucky!

With both members of a married couple working 50 to 70 hours a week....
Welcome to the 90's, where have you been?

Perhaps you are not happy with the current pecking order of where Amateur
Radio is with the rest of this busy society. Well neither am I, BUT holding
Morse Code as some kind of virtue certainly is not helping the cause.

1965. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <37236216.5FE7@ibm.net>
Source record: 144880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> Fun or not, pro-coders are ready.
> It's certainly no surprise that you're not.

Go ahead and ignore better emergency modes, Dick. We'll miss you.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

1966. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37544950.774662362@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 21:59:04 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>In article <371E9FF1.BBFC9755@nationwide.net>,
> Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
>> >
>>
>> Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
>> they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
>> concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
>> or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
>>
>> What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
>>
>Can you begin to imagine how many people would have been killed if they didn't
>ban concealed weapons in NYC???

It is easy enough to find out. Just look at the murder rates in NYC before and after the Sullivan Act was passed. You won't like what you find, because the per capita murder rate was *lower* before the Sullivan law (compare 1895 with 1995). Assaults, burglaries, and robberies were lower before the Sullivan law too. The same thing happened more recently when DC enacted a gun ban. Criminal activity is discouraged by an armed citizenry. That's been proven time and again. When Florida enacted a concealed carry permit, rapes and strong arm robberies declined. England is a recent case in point for the other direction. After the draconian gun ban, violent home invasions are up 800%.

>Can you imagine how many people would have been killed if kids were allowed to
>carry semi-automatic weapons to schools in their trench coats in NYC???

Prior to 1968, anyone could buy a gun by mail order, including the semiautomatics some people seem to fear so much, with no waiting periods, background checks, etc. They were cheap too, with a 1911A1 .45ACP going for about $25, and a 9mm P38 going for about $20 from the large mail order dealers. There were no such things as gun free school zones. Many teens kept rifles or shotguns in their pickups parked in the school yard (not in NYC of course). Yet, incidents like those we've recently seen were virtually non-existent. This is a clear indication that easy access to guns is not the factor which determines whether these sorts of violent incidents will occur. The truth is, guns were easier to get years ago, many kids had them (legally), yet the sorts of violence we see today was almost unheard of in that era.

What has changed is not easier availability of guns (availability was easier then, at least *legal* availability was easier). What has changed is the willingness of people, particularly
young people, to commit violent acts. If we want to stop violence, we have to look at that problem, and solve that problem, which is at heart a people problem, not a thing problem.

The largest mass murder in US history was committed by a young man using a gallon of gasoline to firebomb the only unlocked entrance to a crowded club (in NYC). Availability of guns isn't the cause of violence, and guns haven't been the instruments of the worst violent acts committed in the US. If we want to solve the problem of violence, we have to concentrate on the reasons people commit it, not on the methods that they use.

This is a complex and difficult problem. People want simplistic quick fixes, but there are no simple or quick fixes to this problem. One clue, however, is to look at what was different 50 or 100 years ago. That way we can get some idea of what has changed to cause our society to produce so many vicious little animals (the bulk of violent criminal
activity is commited by people under 24). Perhaps the biggest change was that in an earlier time it was recognized that parenting was a full time job, and one parent stayed home to do it. That's not a politically correct observation, but I think it cuts to the heart
of why so many children are now so wild. There are many other reasons, of course. We've "mainstreamed" the mentally ill onto our streets, we've forced together cultures with different values, we operate a rotating door justice system, we've made sure crime pays with our war on some drugs, etc.

We've created a pervasive climate for violence to flourish, and we are reaping the results of that. The only way, short of creating a police state, to solve the problem of violence is to
address the reasons it occurs, and correct the things we have done to foster it. What we do not want to do is to remove people's most effective tools for resisting violent attack. That
would unleash whatever limits the vicious animals among us have by assuring them that their victims will be helpless to resist. Ask yourself how different things would have been in Littleton if every adult in that school had been armed (illegal thanks to the gun free school
zone law). Now look at what they're actually proposing, more security cameras, as if a camera
is any defense against someone intent on mass murder. A camera might deter a shoplifter, but not someone intent on mass murder. Once again, the emphasis is on things rather than on dealing immediately and effectively with the people who are intent on doing evil.

On another front, are the parents of the vicious kids in Colorado, and Arkansas, and Kentucky responsible for what their kids did? YES THEY ARE! But it is unlikely that they will be held accountable. If you have a vicious dog, you are liable if that dog attacks
someone. You can even go to jail for failing to leash or muzzle the animal. But parents are allowed to escape the responsibility for their vicious little animals' actions. That's not right, and it needs to change, right now. When parents fail to properly supervise and control their children, they should be held liable for the actions of those children just as if they had pulled the trigger themselves. That might cause parents to take their responsibilities more seriously.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

1967. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be8f4b$b719e7c0$8560b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 144882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey Joe,

Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you other 'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you cannot even make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.

Food for thought.

1968. VHF radio tech needed in CA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Wells <davew@cruzio.com>
Message-ID: <7fvlnd$1r56@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 144883

The place I work at has an opening for a VHF tech to repair marine fixed mount and handheld radios. Great job for a ham with radio repair experience. The position is full time, temporary. Located in Hollister, CA. Anyone interested can send me an e-mail.

--
Dave

1969. Re: CW bait/Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: J W Schermerhorn <skemi@capital.net>
Message-ID: <37238FD5.4CAC@capital.net>
Source record: 144884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

4/25/99

This thread started when one guy "Hate@spam.org (radiate)" baited the group with his post about CW whinners and look what happened. He must be having the last laugh.

CommQuart wrote:
>
> Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
> why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
> primary operating mode? You might be surprised to learn
> that many amateurs enjoy using cw.
>
> Pete
>
> >THERE IS NOTHING NICE ABOUT CW. iT IS AN ANTIQUATED TECHNOLOGY THAT IS
> >ANALOGOUS TO A MODEL T FORD. IT HAD IT'S TIME AND NOW IT BELONGS IN A
> >MUSEUM.
> >
> >IT IS NOTHING MORE THAN A HAZING RITUAL.
> >
> >I WALKED A MILE TO SCHOOL BAREFOOT IN 2 FEET OF SNOW, AND YOU MUST DO
> >THE SAME
> >TO BE ACCEPTED!

1970. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: acp45@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7fvrj2mfv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <372201CE.457E88AE@home.com>,
Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:
> Exactly! This stubborn attitude will unfortunately be the death of Ham
> Radio!
> The attitude must change if there is any hope!
>
> > The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
> > become a HAM, so should everyone else".
> > This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of
> > requirements
> > are very outdated.
>
> > Anything worthwhile is worth working for. Too many people want something for
nothing. Sounds like you were born in the 60's

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1971. Re: KV4FZ vs. WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: herbs@islands.vi
Message-ID: <7fvs3dmvk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144886

In article <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Hey Herbie...instead of concentrating on WB2OTK and his problem with Riley H.,
> how about concentrating on how to keep your kids out of jail. The last I heard
> there's going to be a Schoenbohm Wing in the pokey down there.
>
> radiosigs@aol.com
>

radiosigs@aol.com is none other than Charlie Swartzbard a seriously demented
and defrocked former dentist who spends his days spreading discontent on the
twenty meter band. Even children are fair play for their viciousness.

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1972. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: quatsein@island.net
Message-ID: <37237316.1270986275@news.cr.island.net>
Source record: 144887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe, I agree with your post. I think a technical hurdle would be far
more value to amatuer radio, than the antiquated morse hurdle.

Steve Carlisle VE7AHL

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:31:58 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:

>SOAP-BOX mode>on....
>
>The difference in Hams who had to pass the CW requirements of their
>particular license class,and the people who would like to have a
>license in the same class,is simply the Hams WORKED for what they
>have.The others obviously dont want it bad enough.I got past the 13
>wpm CW requirement in 91 and,have never used CW since,as I had to work
>so hard at it,I grew to hate it!(it didnt come very easy for me) I
>do agree however,that CW ...maybe..shouldnt be a requirement,but it
>should be replaced with something that will separate the serious radio
>ops from the curious.A good friend of mine,who is an MD,stated it
>perfectly..."75% of the 'hell' I went thru in medical school was
>designed to 'weed out' the students who werent dedicated enough to
>become a Doctor." The same holds true for Amateur Radio,in that there
>should always be some difficult 'hurdle' to overcome before obtaining
>a license.This is by no means a perfect solution,but its the only one
>we have at the moment.
>
>SOAP-BOX mode>off....
>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 17:39:26 GMT, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:
>
>>Exactly! This stubborn attitude will unfortunately be the death of Ham
>>Radio!
>>The attitude must change if there is any hope!
>>
>>> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
>>> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
>>> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of
>>> requirements
>>> are very outdated.
>

1973. FS: Yaesu FT-736R w/6m and 1.2 GHz MINT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7fvq3a$2c3@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $2000 (original
discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element yagi (commercial) with
purchase!! ($100 original cost).
Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
with serious buyers.

1974. Re: WHAT'S MOZILLA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: S <kf4nnqNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7fvq2c$72k@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144889

Mozilla = Mosaic Killer, made by Netscape engineers in 94.

N0VFP wrote in message <19990422223953.02633.00000347@ng-fd1.aol.com>...
>> Thanks much for explaining the term Mozilla. How about telling me what
>>"deletion within Mozilla" means? Several of my pieces have been dumped
using
>>this terminology. Am I being censored or censured or what?
>
>When you make false statements about KV4FZ, KC1ZQ and others on this
Newsgroup.
>You not on 20 meters here, Doc, People can respond by having your messages
>"cancelled" through Deja-news or AOL!!!
>
>
>LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
>Athens, Alabama
>ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
>ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
>WEB PAGES:
>http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
>http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

1975. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7fvqp8$jt6@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Rec.radio.amateur.space, rec.radio.scanner, and rec.radio.shortwave
deleted.

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:
>But it is one answer to the "logical", "I had to do it, YOU have to do
>it!" And the fastest growing amateur group in the US is NOT doing it (for
>what ever reason).

And if there was a "No written exam" class of license, want to be it would
be the fastest growing group?

Let's try to keep these articles out of the .space newsgroup, gang.

Jeff KH6O

1976. Re: ICOM-706MKII-G

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Magne J�rgensen <ma-joerg@online.no>
Message-ID: <HgKU2.367$MH2.1695@news1.online.no>
Source record: 144891

Can you use it on lower frequenzies than 40 m?
If so, how will it do that?

mj :-)
n1qq@qsl.net skrev i meldingen <372354a6.23302717@news.earthlink.net>...
>
>ICOM-706 MKIIG..
>
>I just bought one...I love it.... I put it up against my 746 for
>performance anyday!! It doesn't have all the bells and whistles of
>the bigger rigs, but packed with features. I only bought one extra
>filter for CW......Excellent..I am using it on 40 through 2 meters...
>(It also has 440 Mhz...) Rich.. N1QQ
>
>
>

1977. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8f97$914e1600$96f0abc3@default>
Source record: 144892

Joe asked :-
> How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license
without learning
> even this most basic operating procedure?
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Could it be because it is not covered in the examination
syllabus ?

Reg.

1978. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #406

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.406.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 144893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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THE HOT DX TOPIC OF THE WEEK! P5, NORTH KOREA. Well known DXer Martti Laine, OH2BH, has once again surprised the DX Community. Martti was able to be active as P51BH for a very short time on April 21th, for about 2 hours. During Martti's short operation, he was able to make 263 QSOs. The operating was done from a telecom center. Were some North Koreans climbed a 150 ft. tower to hoist the antennas. Martti states that "the antennas were left right there together with the Yaesu FT-847 equipment. It is just a matter of switching the power on - when the time is ripe - to allow North Korea to join the ranks of amateur radio." In short (from Martti's press release), "the operating was done between 1436-1640 Korean Time. First JA QSO was JA2DO, Europe OH5MBF, Oceania KH6WU and the United States W6WKE. The operation covered 14 MHz CW and SSB plus 21 MHz SSB. The documentation will be sent to the ARRL shortly, and QSL cards will be released from the OH2BH Finland address as soon as possible." Martti has currently left North Korea on Thurday and is back in Beijing, China. The complete press release by Martti, along with a special DXCC Press Release, will be sent out to all OPDX InterNet Subscribers as an additional bulletin. ADDED NOTE: Audio from this operation may be heard on 9K2HN's home page. The URL is: http://www.qsl.net/9k2hn

SPECIAL NOTE FROM EDITOR. Last week we had an unfortunate thing happen to OPDX.405 which was completely out of our hands and responsibility. Some (not all) OPDX InterNet Subscribers received multiple bulletins, but the hardest hit seem to be the NJDXA's DX Reflector with each subscriber receiving about 19 bulletins. Let me asure you that OPDX only sent out

one bulletin (check the headers -- dates/times/Message ID were all the same). Even BARF-80 BBS's (system where the bulletin is sent) mail log shows one copy left the system. After I learned what happened on Monday (and receiving many complaints), I sent an announcement that I would look into what happened and explain the problem did not come from this end. During some investigating, it was explained to me by local ISPs that the following "may" have happened: "It has become known a major backbone for SMTP mail, a hub for hundreds ISP's processing over 30,000 E-mail messages per minute, had its hub in Chicago go flakey starting Sunday in the early afternoon..... Knowing how SMTP mail is delivered, it may be that the Chicago hub had failed to acknowledge received E-mail and ISPs were retransmitting over and over again waiting for an acknowledgment."
I want to thank the many who were very sympathetic to the situation.

3C, EQUATORIAL GUINEA (New IOTA!). The "DX News Sheet" reports that Jean, TR8XX, is planning to be active May 22nd from Corisco Island (in the Rio Muni Province Group). His length of stay is not known, but more details are to follow.

3D2, FIJI. Look for Mat/JA1JQY, Sasi/JA1KJW, Kaoru/JA3MCA/1 and Kuni/JA8VE/1, of the Yamato ARC (JA1ZEK), to be active as 3D2SH, 3D2HI, 3D2TK and 3D2KZ, April 30th through May 1st. Suggested frequencies are:
CW - 1827, 3507, 7007, 1007, 14007, 18077, 21007, 24897, 28007 and 50107 kHz
SSB - 3798, 7080, 14197, 21270, 24937, 28470 and 50107 kHz.
Please QSL via their home callsigns. The group plans to move on to Tuvalu after this operation (See T2).

9K, KUWAIT. Mohammed Al-Holi, 9K2DR, KARS Manager, announced that the DX group of Kuwait Amateur Radio Society have currently organized a trip to the Kuwait Island of Faylaka (IOTA AS-118) for the third time. This operation should have started by the time you read this and will last until April 30th. Activity will be on all bands using the callsign 9K2F. QSL via 9K2RA. The direct address is: Kuwait Amateur Radio Society, P.O. Box 5240, 13053, Safat, Kuwait.

BI5, DONGTOU ISLAND (New IOTA). Just a quick reminder. The BI5D IOTA DXpedition team will be active next week from Dongtou Island in the Zhejiang Province Group, April 29th through May 3rd. Please refer to OPDX.403.

FO, MARQUESAE AND AUSTRALES ISLANDS. The "LNDX" reports that Alain, F2HE, will be FO/F2HE from Marquesas starting June 4th. In July, he will return to Tahiti with stop overs in Tuamotu Archipelago (OC-066) and Raiatea (OC-067). In August, he will be in the Australes on the Island of Tubuai (OC-152). He will go back to France in early September.

FT5W, CROZET ISLANDS (Bad news!). Gil, F5NOD, reports that as of April 17th, Gilles's (FT5WH) Transceiver went QRT! While he was transmitting, he saw a "flash" inside and can't transmit at all. He is looking for a solution and is absolutly disappointed. Gil will keep the DX community updated.

HK, COLOMBIA. Gerard, F2JD (now ex-HK3/G0SHN), has received his new callsign HK3JBR. He has been active this past week on 80 meters around 3794 kHz after 0400z. Gerard will be here for 2 years. See OPDX.400 for more details.

IOTA NEWS.....
NEW IOTA. The "LNDX" reports that Christian/6W1QV, Jean/TR8XX, Alain/ TR8CA will be active as 3C8XX from Corisco Island from May 22-30th. They will have two complete stations, one on CW and one on SSB. QSL via TR8XX.

AS-049. Takeshi, JI3DST/6(7N3UXO/6), will be active from Tokara Archipelago, April 28th through May 4th. Activity will be on 17/15/12/10 meters SSB. QSL via JI3DST, Takeshi Funaki, 2-18-26 Hannan-Cho Abeno-Ku, Osaka-City Osaka 545-0021 Japan

AS-067. Syouzi, JA4PXE/6, will be active from Kusagaki Island from April 29-30th. Activity will be on 40-10 meters SSB. QSL via JA4PXE, Syouzi Kuwabara, 1-75 Midori-Cho Tokuyama-City Yamaguchi, 745-0075 Japan.

EU-038. Marcel, ON4ASW, reports that the club station ON4NOK (UBA section NOK) will be active from the Island of Texel, in the Netherlands, during the IOTA contest July (23), 24 and 25th. Their callsign will be PA6TEX. Activity will be on CW/SSB. Also, look for them to be on the WARC bands. QSL via ON4ALW.

EU-074. F5JOT, F5TBF, F5LGQ will be /P from Brehat Island from May 8-16th. They will be active on 80-10 meters CW/SSB.

EU-074/EU-105/EU-157.
F5SNY and F5PFT will be /p from Batz Island (EU-105) from May 3-5th, Brehat Island (EU-074) from May 7-9th and Cezembre (EU-157) from May 10-13th.

NA-136. Tony/WF1N and Lou/W1DIG (ex-KA1DIG) will be on Pot Island in the Thimble Island Group, May 21-23rd. Their operation will start around 1500z Friday and end about 1800z Sunday. Operations will be with a tribander and amp, on/near the usual IOTA frequencies, SSB. QSL to home calls direct (SASE Please) or Bureau. Tony can be contacted at: megahertz@webconn.net

L2, ARGENTINA. LU1FI is another station that will be active as L21FI during the celebration of the 75th aniversary of the contact between Carlos Braggio (r-CB8) and Ivan O'Meara (z-2AC) in 1924. QSL L21FI via LU1FI by the bureau or direct to: Montevideo 441 P.5, Zip 2000, Rosario (Santa Fe), Republica Argentina. For more details or questions, send an E-mail to: lu1fi@hotmail.com
Also, look for "Luc", LU7EC, wto be active as L27EC. QSL via LU7EC, Lucas Mariano Elichagaray, C.P. 2703, Carabelas Bs As, ARGENTINA (with a S.A.S.E.) or bureau.

NEW WEB SITE AND NEW SERVICE. John, K1XN, reports that "The Golist" has a new Web Site and some new features on the Web. The Web site is at: http://www.itis.net/golist/
The site now has NEW features for Guests and Registered Users, such as "Online Look ups from the Golist database". This database will be updated periodically during the month. OPDX InterNet Subscribers will receive the complete details and press release by John as an additional bulletin.

QSL INFO AND NEWS......
Fabio, I4UFH, reports that all QSLs for the 5H1FS (1997) and SV9/I4UFH (1998) have been processed (direct and bureau). So, there are no more backlogs of QSLs, and if anyone doesn't receive their direct QSL in 2 weeks, please send it again.

T9 BUREAU. Joe, N9JR, reports that the Bosnia-Herzegovina QSL bureau is now fully functional. With the T9 QSL bureau working, Joe will no longer be serving as T94B's QSL Manager effective April 1, 1999, and all QSL requests should be made to him via the T9 bureau.

Tony, IK1QBT, reports that the following logs for his activities are now available on-line at: http//www.freeweb.org/freeweb/ik1qbt
3A/IK1QBT 1993/1996/1997/1998
TK/IK1QBT 1994
4U0ITU May 13/14th and 20/21st (1995, only CW)
IP1/IK1QBT IA1/IK1QBT from IOTA EU-083 -- 1996/1997/1998
ID9/IK1QBT from IOTA EU-017 -- 1997

CQ2S was a special event station that was active this past weekend to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the "Revolution in Portugal". SSB activity was by CT1AXS and CW/RTTY by CT1FMX. QSLs go to CT1AXS for SSB QSOs and CT1FMX for CW/RTTY QSOs.

Yuri, UA0SJ, reports that, because of problems with the mail to please send mail only direct using "acknowledgement guarantee". Send request with SASE and coupon IRC or dollars to: Yuri A. Maltsev, P.O. Box 2304, Bratsk-City, 665700, Russia. Yuri's E-mail: ua0sj@windoms.sitek.net

SPECIAL EVENT. Commemorating the 500 anniversary of the University of Valencia, a special callsign has been issued which will be on the air April 30th through May 2nd. The callsign will be EG5UV, and a special QSL card will be available for all contacts. There will be two operators: EA5DFV and EA5GMI. Please look for them on all bands including the WARC bands. QSL via EA5GMI, preferably via the bureau.

SPECIAL EVENTS (French)......
Look for TM0AR to be active during "The Festival of Art and Technologies" from May 9-16th. QSL via F5TJC.

Look for TM0AC to be active during the 50 years anniversary of the National School of Civil Aviation (ENAC). The special callsign TM0AC will be on the air from May 15-19th. QSL F6ITD via bureau.

SV9, CRETE. Bob, I2WIJ, will operate as SV9/I2WIJ during his summer vacations, July 12-26th. He will also participate in the IOTA Contest as a Single Op (24H CW) DXpedition Mode entry. During his first week there, he will be mainly on vacation. During the second week he will be more active on the radio. He will be using a Cushcraft R7 and ICOM IC706 MkII. Look for him on the usual IOTA frequencies and the WARC Bands. For more news and updates, also on-line logs after his operation, check out Bob's Web page at: http://www.qsl.net/i2wij/

T2, TUVALU. After their 3D2 operation (See 3D2 above), look for Mat/JA1JQY, Sasi/JA1KJW, Kaoru/JA3MCA/1 and Kuni/JA8VE/1, of the Yamato ARC (JA1ZEK), to be active from Funafuti Atol May 2-9th. They will sign T22JY, T22KJ, T22TK and T22VE. Suggested frequencies are:
CW - 1827, 3507, 7007, 1007, 14007, 18077, 21007, 24897,
28007 and 50107 kHz
SSB - 3798, 7080, 14197, 21270, 24937, 28470 and 50107 kHz.
Please QSL via their home callsigns.

T30 & T33, WEST KIRIBATI AND BANABA ISLANDS. A German team from the Berlin DX Group will go in October-November (1999) to T30 and T33 for three weeks. The team consists of 11 members, 8 which are ham operators. The operators are: Tom/DJ6TF, Wolf/DL2NWK, Tom/DL2RUM, Tom/DL7BO, Sigi/DL7DF, Frank/DL7UFR, Rudi/DL7VFR and Marianne/DD6UYL (YL operator). The rest of the team consists of two XYL's and one YL (Norma, Christiane, Sabine). All of the operators have DXpeditions experience since 1990. They expect to arrive on the Island of West Kiribati on the morning of October 19th. Their licence is in order, but their callsigns are still not assigned. They will try to use two callsigns, one for SSB and one for CW/RTTY. They will have four complete stations with PAs with them (actually they will have six TRCVRs with them). They may run three stations around the clock and all stations simultanusly. The team has three beams antennas (a 5 element Tribander, a 3 element Tribander and a 3 element for WARC. They hope to get a second WARC beam). They will also have two fullsize 1/4 verticals for 80m. It is planned to erect both antennas, and phase it for better gain. These antennas are also used for 160m. For 40m and 30m, they will also use verticals. They hope to find enough space on the islands to erect all antennas. They plan to be active on CW/SSB and also on RTTY. After about a week of operation, four of them will go to Banaba, with half of the equipment. The ship for their 2.5 days of sailing is already booked. They have everything they need (Water, food, fuel, generators, beer, ...). It is planned to be on the island from October 28th through November 2nd. In Banaba, there is a guest house all ordered, but they will need special permission to visit the island. They will run with two complete stations with PAs and a third Low-Power staion for "local" QSOs with JA and NA. They will depart from Kiribati the morning of November 11th. For more details and update-to-date info, check out the Web site at: http://www.qsl.net/DL2RUM

T8, BELAU. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Hiro/JH3FJG and Kenji/JI3DLI will be active July 20-25th, as T88JR and T88DX. Activity will be CW/SSB/FM on 80-6 meters. QSL via their home callsign.
Just a quick reminder and update to look for Misao/JJ1DWB, Hide/JM1LJS

and Hiro/7N1KAE to be active as T88MT, T88LJ and T88YH April 27th - May 6th (Refer to OPDX.403). Hide, JM1LJS, informs OPDX that he will be on 3795 kHz (April 27-May 1st) everyday between 2000-2100z.

XU, CAMBIDIA. Jani, YB0US, will be active from here as XU7AAP, April 22-26th. Activity will be on 80-6 meters (look for him on the high end of the band). QSL via N2OO, Bob Schenck, P.O. Box 345, Tuckerton, N.J. 08087 USA.

YK, SYRIA. Michael, DL6MHW, informs OPDX that he plans to operate as YK/DL6MHW some time this week. He will be attending a conference on April 28th, but wants to operate at least 6 days on the air. He wants to demonstrate PSK31 and Pactor to Syrian amateurs. He will become active with the help of YK1AO, Dr. Omar Shabsigh, who is the president of the Technical Institute of Radio, the Syrian amateur radio society. According to information by Omar, Michael will use the call YK/DL6MHW for his visit. He will be operating SSB and CW all bands, depending on available antennas. Michael states, "The main goal is to support as many as possible stations with an new one (YK is somewhere on the Top 30 in the World and North America). For that I will focus to one main band, if pile-ups are booming." Check out his Web page for details/updates at:
http://wwwiti.cs.uni-magdeburg.de/~hoeding/hamradio/yk_main.html

ZK1, NORTH AND SOUTH COOK ISLANDS. Look for the Wolf/DL2SCQ and his wife Ann/DL1SCQ to activate a few IOTAs from these two islands during the month of August. Their callsigns will be ZK1SCQ and ZK1SCR and their planned schedules are as follows:
August 4-8th - Rarotonga Island (OC-013), S.C.I.
August 10-12th - An island in the Aitutaki group (OC-083), S.C.I.
August 14-17th - Mangaia Island (OC-159), S.C.I.
August 20-25th - Manihiki Atoll (OC-014), N.C.I.
August 28-31st - Palmerston Atoll (OC-124), S.C.I.
Bands/Modes activity were not mentioned. QSL via DL6DK, Peter Voilts, Uhlandstr 28, D-59192 Bergkamen, Germany.

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OPDX INTERNET SUBSCRIBE/UNSUBSCRIBE REQUEST: opdx-request@nshore.org
OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
OPDX SPANISH WEB SITE. (provide by "QTC Magazine" and Tony Pernas, EA1CSI):
http://www.intercom.es/qtc/qtcopdx.htm
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ones ("1111"). (NOTE: Some FAX machines that send single "BEEPS" every second will not have to do this step.) 3) The phone will pick up and after the "BEEP" leave your voice message or FAX.

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1979. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Magne J&#65533;rgensen <ma-joerg@online.no>
Message-ID: <EIKU2.373$MH2.1830@news1.online.no>
Source record: 144894

>A radio transmitter in irresponsible hands is like a gun.
>There should be laws.
>-----

lets slow down folks...

mj:-)

1980. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@online.no>
Message-ID: <WvKU2.384$MH2.1884@news1.online.no>
Source record: 144895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Well, let us narrow it down to one essential Q, is
it necessary to KNOW the code
for using HF and Phone ?
There are opinions that says theese are to prevent
cb'whiners to get on the air, and
i might agree to that. Nevertheless, globally seen
there is a drop in the number of 'hams'
and i belive one of the reason is the lack of PR
reagarding this matter, not because CW
is a demand !
When you are taking the exam, you have to be able
to send and receive code by a certain
wpm, and ofcourse some extra theory too. After say
you are become a family-man or busy at work
you take up your old hobby and is once again QRV,
but what about your code then.....?

After some years i guess that the majority has
forgotten their skills rather its 5wpm or 25wpm !
Fair that they can use their equipment then ? I
mean not, if i could decide, there should be
regular exams
in the code for at least once a year, since this
is SO necessary to be able to talk on HF !!!

Then this would happen :
A- many would fall apart and loose their call.
B- the interest for morse and skill would all the
time be at peak and we wouldnt risk any danger if
emergensy SOS or eqv were heard !

I'll put my head out for the gulliotine for this,

Mike skrev i meldingen
<37232D4A.90EBCB13@eagle.ca>...
>To all who have sent their comments:
>
>Maybe you had better take a good look at what you
are saying, some
>comments are well thought out and others are not.
True there may be lazy
>people out there who don't want to work for their
privileges, but there

>are those who do. Some of these people have handi-caps (which are not
>considered handi-caps), I happen to have an extremely hard time with
>timing and separating the characters when receiving. I have tried
>NUMEROUS times to get it but can't (I'm not whining). So I turned my
>interests to "above 50mhz."
>As for the comment Mr. Young made there is more to vhf than fm. A lot of
>people who think morse code is out of date and "whine" about it are
>possibly too busy to learn it and the only enjoyment they get from ham
>radio are portable or mobile. Myself I am gone from home 5 days a week
>with a home, car and family to take care of. Now as for the people "set
>in there ways", did anyone consider, the most of these people are older?
>With age not only come wisdom but a sense of comfort and security in
>things that are familiar to them. The laws for code will change in time
>, once these people have passed on (regrettably). Please let's keep the
>issue alive as it is one in the RADIO community which will need to be
>re-evaluated on a constant basis, but can we keep it civil? Remember
>amateur radio is not only a PRIVILEGE but a SERVICE as well. Also every
>time one transmits they are nominating themselves as ambassadors to
>their country. you never know who, where you are being heard. Even on
>VHF FM.
>Thanks for reading,
>hope I opened some eyes.
>- .... .- -. -.- -.-- --- ..-
>'73 Mike VA3HIE
>
>"Torbj&#65533;rn Morka" wrote:
>
>> radiate skrev i meldingen
>> <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
>> >
>> >You can send messages to your ham friends and

the
>> no-code cry-baby whiners
>> >won't know you're talking about them.
>> >
>> >73, Have a nice day!
>>
>> Well, its a shame for all those fools who
thinks
>> so, because my "cw-get" is a wery fine tool !
>> And then can all cw-nerds talk all they want
for
>> me...
>

1981. pre amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lauri D. Lundgren" <llndgren@snet.net>
Message-ID: <372373A1.341170C3@snet.net>
Source record: 144896

I'd like to get a schematic or plans for a pre amp to put at the antenna
for
around 137 MHz for use with the Meteor and NOAA satellites. I'd be
happy
to purchase plans or one already built. Any help is appreciated. Thanks

in advance. Larry, N1UKX

1982. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <2D9C70DD6AF62D69.3F70143549A51F36.E9E1B75C40AE2786@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You are implying that you have a right to set a standard value over all HAM wannabees
and then have a right to deem a certain amount of work to meet that value.
As you know, the FCC is the only one who has a right to set these values and the amount of
work
needed, not you.
Sit there and get upset all you want, resent us for things being easy, but the fact is, FCC
will be dropping
code from the requirements in less than 3 years and will also be updating its tests to
reflect modern times instead
of their current tests which are geared more for those who wanted to became HAMS in the
1950's - 1970's.

> Ya.. Lots of people have lost the "gotta work for what you get" attitude
> nowdays... That's why freebanders are so common.

1983. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spot <spot@dog.org>
Message-ID: <0A2A75556851F08C.C567D66CE51D8624.1D2BDE77F5C61C63@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the first place as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.
This explains why we have alot of oddballs in here with screwed up, old fashioned thinking, which is completely in reverse with the rest of the world.
Thank goodness that most of these people are dying out of old age.
For those who carry the carry this torch of illogical thinking, get out of the world's fast lane and move aside as you are holding up everyone.

1984. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fvuoekkj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Another brilliant statement from "Spot, the Wonder Dog"!
Spot, you just don't get it. Sadly, you never will.
If gabbing into a mike all day is YOUR idea of HAM UTOPIA; why
don't you just save yourself a lot misery (and waiting for standards
to be lowered to your level) and go to RS and buy
yourself a nice shiny new CB?!

Wooof! 10-fer?

Spot wrote in message
<0A2A75556851F08C.C567D66CE51D8624.1D2BDE77F5C61C63@library-proxy.airnews.ne
t>...
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1985. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7fvusklig1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Oh, great. Does this mean in three years we get to hear
"Spot" howl about the tough, unfair, digital elements of
the written exam? Stay tuned!

Woof!

Sit there and get upset all you want, resent us for things being easy, but
the fact is, FCC will be dropping
code from the requirements in less than 3 years and will also be updating
its tests to reflect modern times instead
of their current tests which are geared more for those who wanted to became
HAMS in the 1950's - 1970's.

> Ya.. Lots of people have lost the "gotta work for what you get" attitude
> nowdays... That's why freebanders are so common.

1986. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net>
Message-ID: <01be8f5f$93baa3a0$9960b6cd@cbx-nt>
Source record: 144901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Hi Torbj&#65533;rn,

I have NASA types who routinely ridicule:

A) Morse Code
B) Narrow Band Communications

I can assure, they have no desire for H.F. access. Nor are they lazy.

1987. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Mozeleski <moz@ncx.com>
Message-ID: <2F29EE591F16B3EB.4C7CDDA3A59DE6FF.0B19AC270D54D17C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

what i dont understand is...pass the no-code test..get a license..now i have
2-meter CW priviledges..why?..am i gonna use that?...no

Christopher Cox wrote in message <01be8e82$4bffcaa0$6b60b6cd@cbx-nt>...
>> It's not that the requirements are outdated.
>
>Actually, yes Morse Exams are.
>
>Stronger Tech side exams with actual application side testing. That should
>rattle loose some old vacuum tubes.......:-)
>

1988. Re: ANARC SWL Net Is Gone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <no_email@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <7fvuobqvn1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 144903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Steve_Coletti wrote
>To those people, I say
>thank you very much for your participation during the past 11 years. I'm
>sure a lot of fingers will be pointed as to what or who is to blame for the
>low turnout on frequency. My e-mail box is full with theories.

If your email box is full, why not create a reflector? That seems like a
more logical place for this sort of thing where both licensed and unlicensed
SWL hobbyists could participate...

1989. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <37238ab1.26088244@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:38:19 -0500, "Spot" <spot@dog.org> wrote:

>Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in
>the first place
>as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.

As much as I am opposed to morse code test
requirements I find this statement to be just as
nuts as some that profess that everyone should love
or learn CW. People enjoy whatever turns them
on. I can drive down the highway and get lots
of people that wave at my antique car...yet there
are others that haven't a clue. I care not a bit
about what motivates anyone to like CW. That's
their interest and I make no judgement as to the
person's mental capability because of it... neither
should anyone else.

>This explains why we have alot of oddballs in here
>with screwed up, old fashioned thinking,
>which is completely in reverse with the rest of the world.

The only thinking that is screwed up is related to
the test requirement. Let's keep this discussion
focused on that only.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

1990. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: oap1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g0682$vc7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144905
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HI. I am looking for a board to do the same with some old monitors I have. How about the Radio Electronics/ Harmony Research converter that was mentioned earlier?, 1.would this work with a CGA, EGA or a VGA monitor? 2. Are some CGA monitors TTL and others Analog 3. Could such a circuit work on a SUN /Sony fixed sync (lowest res 1024 x 768) workstation monitor (I have used this on a PC by just modifying the cable and adding a capacitor to combine the sync wires.) 4. What is the resolution of a regular 19" colour TV vs a CGA monitor with composite input or a VGA monitor with an adapter? 5. How much improvement would you get by feeding say a satellite receiver composite video output to the TV with a composite input vs going through a vcr input then via the antenna connection to the TV? 6. Finally has anyone seen another converter other than the Harmony one.

Thanks.
Orville.

KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@qsl.net> wrote:
>
>
> David Cunningham wrote:
> >
> > I have an old redundant colour computer monitor, which was originally used
> > with a 286 PC. I also have a television tuner module, which was liberated
> > from a scrap VCR, and provides composite video and audio outputs. I am
> > hoping to combine the two, along with a simple audio amplifier, to make a
> > cheap television. The monitor has a 9 pin d-plug on one end, but I am not
> > sure what type of signal it needs. I therefore need to process the composite
> > video signal in such a way that the resulting output signal will drive the
> > monitor. Is this possible? I would appreciate it if anyone could suggest how
> > to do this, or if anyone can tell me what sort of input signal the monitor
> > requires.
> >
> > Thanks, John Cunningham.
>
> John
> From what I've read of the responses you would be better off with a used
> Apple 11 color computer monitor! I use one on a busted vcr (eats tapes)
> with computer speakers for sound. The best thing is the Apple uses a
> RCA phono jack for the video input and it has a real sharp picture.
> Maybe you can find one at a yard sale or trade yours in at a computer
> store for what you need!
> --
> To reply remove the extra @
> _____

>
> "73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
> <'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
> E-Mail me at: kb9tmp<AT>@qsl.net
> Home Page: http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
> Church URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/
> _____
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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

1991. Re: KV4FZ vs. WB2OTK so now Dr Hate is spreading his venom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g0988$23g$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144906

It looks like the shamed and defrocked dentist Dr Hate, AKA "Banana Nose" Charlie has started spreading his venom on the internet. It seems someone gave him an old worn out computer and after a months of trying he has made his apperance on the web to spread his hate and bigotry on these pages. Of course he has cut back on his active deliberate inteference on twenty meters. Do you know why? One answer to that question Mr Riley Hollingsworth. Dr Hate knows he can not get by with the violations he used do every single day on the amateur bands. So here he is, trying to do it on the web. Won't work "Banana Nose". We can not hear your foolishness here. So talk about the children of people who get your goat. Thats about all you are good for you Radio Rat. Riley will prune that tail for you. Then you will be like your Master the shamed Richard Whiting, WB2OTK, By the way he lost his vanity call. So keep it up, You are next!!!!!!

article <7fvs3dmvk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
herbs@islands.vi wrote:
> In article <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> > Hey Herbie...instead of concentrating on WB2OTK and his problem with Riley H.,
> > how about concentrating on how to keep your kids out of jail. The last I heard
> > there's going to be a Schoenbohm Wing in the pokey down there.
> >
> > radiosigs@aol.com
> >
>
> radiosigs@aol.com is none other than Charlie Swartzbard a seriously demented
> and defrocked former dentist who spends his days spreading discontent on the
> twenty meter band. Even children are fair play for their viciousness.
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1992. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: removals1@iname.com
Message-ID: <37239998.25099186@news>
Source record: 144907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:31:58 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:

>The difference in Hams who had to pass the CW requirements of their
>particular license class,and the people who would like to have a
>license in the same class,is simply the Hams WORKED for what they
>have.

This sounds similar to the logic used by fraternities, some parts of the military, etc. for the continued practice of hazing: "WE got the crap beat out of us when we joined; we deserve to beat the poo-poo out of someone, too!"

If knowing Morse code is actually USEFUL for something these days, then by all means keep the requirement. But if nobody uses it, why bother? Somehow, I don't see extracting a pound of flesh from new recruits as a worthwhile reason.

>I got past the 13 wpm CW requirement in 91 and,have never used CW since

So by your own admission, knowing code is useless.

>[The code requirement] should be replaced with something that will separate the serious radio
>ops from the curious.A good friend of mine,who is an MD,stated it
>perfectly..."75% of the 'hell' I went thru in medical school was
>designed to 'weed out' the students who werent dedicated enough to
>become a Doctor." The same holds true for Amateur Radio,in that there
>should always be some difficult 'hurdle' to overcome before obtaining
>a license.This is by no means a perfect solution,but its the only one
>we have at the moment.

Why are such "hurdles" necessary? One can kind of understand it with the medical profession - it pays extremely well, and it's in everyone's best interests to weed out the gold-diggers. However, ham radio is a hobby - it pays nothing. In fact, it *costs* you some pretty serious money! The only benefits of participating in it are those derived from the activity itself. If you're not "serious" about it (whatever that means) you'll get bored and find something else to do, i.e. you'll weed yourself out; won't you?

For the record, I am not a ham radio operator, but am considering becoming one at some point. Thus, barriers to entry (and the rationale behind them) are of great interest to me.

1993. Re: KK7HO's Long history of controversary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Cooper <mvlaw@home.com>
Message-ID: <3723A063.6BF3FF32@home.com>
Source record: 144908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

No they won't

J Morrison wrote:

> I've just corrected the URLs below. They were
> missing a critical ampersand (&). They will work
> now. And what's all this about a gay outcall
> service, Tim?
>
> Jake wrote:
>
> > In an effort to understand why KK7HO generates so
> > much controversary, I've just done a Dejanews search
> > on KK7HO. Some of the articles tell the story.
> >
> > Not it's clear why KK7HO is usually in hot water on
> > the ham bands.
> >
> > See:
> >
> > http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=325442830&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940
&hitnum=19
> >
> > http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=347896734&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940
&hitnum=11
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> > http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=354266236&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940
&hitnum=3
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> > http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=355992260&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940
&hitnum=22
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> > http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=344142172&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940
&hitnum=31
> >
> > http://x15.dejanews.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=325442830&CONTEXT=924121782.1128398940
&hitnum=19

1994. Want: Hufco TWS-6 Freq. Counter Schmatic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Randy and Cara Randall <crrandal@seidata.com>
Message-ID: <3723A7AB.92CD3610@seidata.com>
Source record: 144909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

The subject line says it all. A photo copy will do. PLEASE
NO $20.00 manuals!
The counter is probably not worth $20.00 when working! (:'>

Thanks for your kind attention.
Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.

1995. MFJ 1798 performance: very anecdotal and preliminary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925082145.828.22@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144910

I stand corrected on my earlier pessimistic assumptions about the MFJ 1798. Today, on my second QSO, very first phone contact, I got a 59 report from Chaco, Argentina on 100 watts on 10 meters. My QTH is near Chicago, IL. First QSO was on 15 meters to Cupertino, CA, with a 569 report, also on 100 watts. Two countries and a new state within an hour of starting operations. :) Quite frankly, I'm stunned.

Michael.
KB9UNH

1996. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I am neither for keeping or eliminating the code. I will point out that thousands of DXers, ragchewers, QRP operators, Contesters and homebrewers operate on CW, some exclusively. CW is often referred to as the "gentleman's mode" in ham radio. Folks that claim that CW is outmoded and not used are not aware of the facts, and stating opinion rather that facts.

"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted to build, design, align and
adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any other class of radio service. Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some knowledge
of the theory behind its operation.

Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already exists on 27 MHz.

Regards

Pete

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1997. Re: ANARC SWL Net Is Gone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigsteve@dorsai.org
Message-ID: <p95I3QQI8BRC092yn@dorsai.org>
Source record: 144912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>more logical place for this sort of thing where both licensed and unlicensed
>SWL hobbyists could participate...
>
Don't answer me, it was a forwarded message. Send it to Dave.
--
< ^^>
< "Big Steve" Coletti >
< A Different Kind Of Oldies Show on WBCQ, 7415kHz Shortwave >
< Saturday Evenings at 6:30 EST, 2230 UTC >
< Internet: bigsteve@dorsai.org >
< US Mail: P.O. Box 396, New York, NY 10002 >
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1998. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7g0cs3$mm0$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 144913
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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> exists on 27 MHz.
>
> Regards
>
> Pete

Pete ... I believe that if you were to review the past couple
of years worth of postings here, you'd find that it's NOT the
no-coders and no-code-test advocates (like NCI) who espouse or
seek a "no theory" situation. It's simply a red herring that
the procoders toss out from time to time in an attempt to
generate FUD and division.

In fact, if you'll visit http://www.nocode.org and look under
the articles section for the copies of our comments in WT 98-143,
you'll find that NCI told the FCC that N/T/T+ should have to
take the "missing written element(s)" to upgrade to General and
Advanced should have to take the "missing written element" to
upgrade to Extra (we proposed 3 classes T/G/E).

Now, the ARRL proposed "instant upgrades" for N/T/T+ to a 5 wpm
General ... but they tried to hold on to as much code testing as
they seem to think they might possibly persuade the FCC to keep
with their proposal for 12 wpm for Advanced and Extra (they want
4 classes so the OT extras don't get PO'd at "losing status"),
so they don't get hauled over the coals like NCI. NCI is the group
that gets accused of being the "no theory" bunch ... which is
a bald-faced lie ... which is a typical tactic of many procoders.

Check it out for yourself ... the documents NCI filed with the
FCC don't support the bogus assertion that we favor a "no theory"
situation AT ALL ... in fact, they prove just the opposite.

73,

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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1999. Re: KV4FZ vs. WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: reverberative <mikedoner@aol.com>
Message-ID: <7g0ddcsns1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144914

herbs@islands.vi wrote in message <7fvs3dmvk1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <19990421162337.18315.00000078@ng127.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
>> Hey Herbie...instead of concentrating on WB2OTK and his problem with Riley H.,
>> how about concentrating on how to keep your kids out of jail. The last I heard
>> there's going to be a Schoenbohm Wing in the pokey down there.

>radiosigs@aol.com is none other than Charlie Swartzbard a seriously demented
>and defrocked former dentist who spends his days spreading discontent on the
>twenty meter band. Even children are fair play for their viciousness.

What's the deal here??

You kids from the never-ending 14.313 "Boer Wars"
getting nervous since Riley has been cleaning up
the ham bands, almost better than a good dose of
Maalox, on the RF sourness you screwballs have created
and kept running since the Jim Jones WB6MID fiasco
in 1978 ! ??

Jeeze! You think these knuckleheads on BOTH SIDES of
the 14300/14313 mess would have gotten tired of all this
BULLSHIT they've been creating and wallowing in since the
late 70's? Not a chance. Their ALL screwballs, as Mike
Galego would have said...

2000. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925089018.578.50@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Homebrew a stand alone PSK31 decoder/keyboard yet? While you're at it, make it cheap enough and rugged enough to ship gratis to deprived economies. Should you get an honorary Extra license for doing this? Why not?

I'm trying to see your point, but all I see is contentiousness.

Michael.

Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net> wrote in message news:01be8f4b$b719e7c0$8560b6cd@cbx-nt...
>
> Hey Joe,
>
> Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you other
> 'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you cannot even
> make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.
>
>
> Food for thought.
>
>

2001. Re: David Letterman and Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3723C00F.8DB9AE7D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144916

Yawn. . . . . .

2002. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net
Message-ID: <37237fe5.169403227@news.csrlink.net>
Source record: 144917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 18:35:09 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com> wrote:

>Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
>why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
>primary operating mode? You might be surprised to learn
>that many amateurs enjoy using cw.

But nobody is proposing stopping them. They're only proposing that people who have no intention of using it shouldn't have to learn it.

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home page: http://woodstock.csrlink.net/~jshaffer

2003. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925090562.555.48@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Shiva Nataraja <removals1@iname.com> wrote in message
news:37239998.25099186@news...
> On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:31:58 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>
> >I got past the 13 wpm CW requirement in 91 and,have never used CW
since
>
> So by your own admission, knowing code is useless.

Certainly he didn't say this! He said he (Joe) hasn't used CW since
passing element 1B eight years ago. Anything beyond that is your
speculation.

> Why are such "hurdles" necessary? One can kind of understand it with
> the medical profession - it pays extremely well, and it's in
> everyone's best interests to weed out the gold-diggers. However, ham
> radio is a hobby - it pays nothing. In fact, it *costs* you some
> pretty serious money! The only benefits of participating in it are
> those derived from the activity itself. If you're not "serious" about
> it (whatever that means) you'll get bored and find something else to
> do, i.e. you'll weed yourself out; won't you?

No, no, no. Money isn't the issue at all. Medical doctors are trusted
with public life, health, and safety. For hams, sharing the limited
airwaves wisely is at issue. CB'ers prove you can operate the appliance
without any special training or knowledge. Heck, I could have unpacked
an HF transceiver and got on the air without special training. By law,
though, I am allowed to use a portion of the precious airwaves if I can
demonstrate that I understand misuse can cause harm or interference to
other users. More privileges will be allowed when I demonstrate more
knowledge and ability. If Morse proficiency demonstrates only personal
commitment, then maybe that's all it needs to mean.

I live in the suburbs now, and parallel parked maybe twice in the past
ten years. Indeed, there are very few places to park curbside here. Most
driving tests still require you to do this sufficiently well. This, too,
might be considered HAZING. I think it only means you should know how to
park without obstructing traffic, or banging into fenders or sign posts.

Michael.

2004. Littleton message traffic to Italy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Goodheim <goodheim@colorado.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.990425194104.29301A-100000@rintintin.colorado.edu>
Source record: 144919

Can anyone give me some guidance or assistance in getting a brief message (in Italian) to an older couple, probably not online, in the City of Nuoro, Sardinia, Italy. I used to be active in hamnet message trafficing but I am currently not on the air.

Thanks for any help,

-Brian Goodheim

2005. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g0hlb$763$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Greetings Billl

If you check some comments made earlier (in this thread
I believe) someone suggested eliminating the code but
beefing up the theory portion of the exam--this raised more
negative responses.

Regardless what elements of the test that remain, you will
continually have complainers--whether the subject is code,
or not seeing the need to learn theory once the code barrier
is lifted.

73

Pete

Bill Sohl wrote in message <3723b9f6.38191297@news.planet.net>...
>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 20:20:05 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
>wrote:
>
>>
>As indeed, you are doing here...stating YOUR opinion
>and not facts as to the mode being whatever one might
>care to consider it as.
>
>>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>>services such as CB.
>
>NO!
>
>Justifiable requirements are needed, not Hurdles simply
>for the sake of hurdles.
>
>>Note that the technical portion of the test
>>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted
>>to build, design, align and
>>adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any
other
>>class of radio service.
>
>Agree completely.
>
>>Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>>knowledge of the theory behind its operation.
>

>Agree again!
>
>>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory.
>
>That is pure bull as NO ONE from the NO CODE
>side has even suggested, much less asked for,
>any no code/no theory license.
>
>If you can provide proof to the contrary, please do.
>
>>That class of license already exists on 27 MHz.
>
>Actually that is incorrect as there is NO such thing as
>a CB license at all.
>
>Cheers,
>Bill K2UNK
>

2006. For Sale Simpson Frequency counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0IMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3723D955.455A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 144921

Simpson Frequency counter Model 710 with probe $45 see at
http://home.earthlink.net?~docky look under For Sale 73 KØIMJ

2007. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3723D836.6FD1@sir.com>
Source record: 144922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

radiate wrote:
>
> You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby whiners
> won't know you're talking about them.

The no-code people are not the cry babies. They don't have a problem
with people learning code or using it. It is the Code fanatics that cry
when people don't want to learn or use code.

Go ahead and talk nasty about no-code operators in a secret code that
they can't understand. They don't want to hear that kind of message
anyway!

2008. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f1cc.1884000@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

My point exactly.Thanks.

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 20:20:05 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>
>I am neither for keeping or eliminating the code. I will point out that
>thousands of DXers, ragchewers, QRP operators, Contesters and
>homebrewers operate on CW, some exclusively. CW is often referred
>to as the "gentleman's mode" in ham radio. Folks that claim that
>CW is outmoded and not used are not aware of the facts, and stating
>opinion rather that facts.
>
>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test
>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted to build, design, align
>and
>adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any other
>class of radio service. Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>knowledge
>of the theory behind its operation.
>
>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>exists on 27 MHz.
>
> Regards
>
>Pete
>
>
>>
>>If knowing Morse code is actually USEFUL for something these days,
>>then by all means keep the requirement. But if nobody uses it, why
>>bother? Somehow, I don't see extracting a pound of flesh from new
>>recruits as a worthwhile reason.
>>
>>Why are such "hurdles" necessary? One can kind of understand it with
>>the medical profession - it pays extremely well, and it's in
>>everyone's best interests to weed out the gold-diggers. However, ham
>>radio is a hobby - it pays nothing. In fact, it *costs* you some
>>pretty serious money! The only benefits of participating in it are
>>those derived from the activity itself. If you're not "serious" about
>>it (whatever that means) you'll get bored and find something else to

>>do, i.e. you'll weed yourself out; won't you?
>>
>>For the record, I am not a ham radio operator, but am considering
>>becoming one at some point. Thus, barriers to entry (and the rationale
>>behind them) are of great interest to me.
>>
>
>

2009. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f2cf.2142335@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Any one who has difficulty passing the General test is....lets be
nice......a bit slow.The test is a joke!Now the Advanced is a bit
more,but if I passed it,which I did on the first try in '91',anyone
who applies themselves can also.

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 16:31:53 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>Hello again Bill
>
>As I indicated it was a post in a similar thread on the
>RecRadioShortwave forum. Here is the item the I was
>referring to:
>
>>No, there should be no "beefing up" of tests either.
>>I'm having a hard enough time passing the General Test right now, I don't
>need
>>your help in screwing my over and making my odds less of getting my General
>License.
>
>
>Bill Sohl wrote in message <372433ba.530771@news.planet.net>...
>>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 22:04:40 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>Greetings Billl
>>>If you check some comments made earlier (in this thread
>>>I believe) someone suggested eliminating the code but
>>>beefing up the theory portion of the exam--this raised more
>>>negative responses.
>>>
>>>Regardless what elements of the test that remain, you will
>>>continually have complainers--whether the subject is code,
>>>or not seeing the need to learn theory once the code barrier
>>>is lifted.
>>>Pete
>>
>>Sorry Pete, I've only seen the pro-code test side make
>>ANY suggestion that theory should be eliminated.
>>
>>Cheers,
>>Bill K2UNK
>>
>>

>>
>
>

2010. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f3aa.2361151@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I would like to state ,here and now,for anyone who wants to read
this post,that I am not against No-code licensees.I know many who
entered the hobby as NCs and the vast majority of them are very good
ops and most went on to up-grade to the upper class licenses.I would
welcome eliminating the CW requirements altogether,but only when
provisions are made to replace CW with more advanced theory.Also,I
would like to see a probationary and mandatory training period (where
operating procedures are practiced ON THE AIR,under the supervision of
an 'Elmer') required for all new Amateur ops.

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 01:06:38 GMT, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net>
wrote:

>CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>> << SNIP >>
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>>services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test
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>>class of radio service. Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>>knowledge of the theory behind its operation.
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>>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>>exists on 27 MHz.
>>
>> Regards
>>
>>Pete
>
>
>And once all the smoke clears from the issue, the bottom line is just as you
>have stated.
>
>I am a "no-code tech" at the moment, but will be upgrading soon. I am
>working hard to get it done BEFORE the change takes place (if it does). I
>hope that if the changes do take place, that a person be allowed to request
>to take his exams under the old requirements, and that there be some
>differentiation in call signs between those who earned their licenses and
>those who got them in a box of Cracker Jacks.
>
>73 de KF6KNB
>

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>
>

2011. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f606.2965275@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144627
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Speed up the character rate and compensate by lowering the WPM
speed.This will result in a faster word but with more space between
the words.It worked for me.Good luck.

On Mon, 26 Apr 99 01:49:11 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:

>In article <y_OU2.1238$B55.83430@dfiatx1-snr1>, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net> wrote:
>>CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>>> << SNIP >>
>>>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>>>services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test
>>>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted to build, design, align
>>>and adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any
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>>to take his exams under the old requirements, and that there be some
>>differentiation in call signs between those who earned their licenses and
>>those who got them in a box of Cracker Jacks.
>>
>>73 de KF6KNB
>
> I'm a tech Plus and went for my General exams today. Passed the written,
>but not the code. I've been busting my butt on the code, did fine home but I
>guess nervousness and the fact that they sent the 13wpm at about 17 made me
>miss a lot of characters. Well, I'm halfway there now so more practicing for
>me on the code. I think the code tests should be lowered in speed but since
>it's not yet I'll just have to really practice a lot more.

>
>Back to practice!
>
>73,
>Tom
>
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>

2012. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f779.3336968@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144628

I cant disagree with that,as I last looked at the Novice/Tech theory
in '91'.However,I can state that any group,club,orginazation etc which
administer exams,and are turning out operators without even the hint
of how a repeater works,are doing the hobby a great injustice.This
wouldnt happen if there were a mandatory training period required
before obtaining a license.
Also,I wish to appologize the the new Ham who posted the question,as
its not his fault many of the clubs are nothing more than License
'assembly lines'.

On 25 Apr 1999 19:43:46 GMT, "Reg Edwards" <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
wrote:

>Joe asked :-
>> How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license
>without learning
>> even this most basic operating procedure?
>============================
>
>Could it be because it is not covered in the examination
>syllabus ?
>----
>Reg.

2013. Re: oris Grin a enema me age gent I can proof it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724faaa.4153872@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144629
Cross-posted to: tw.bbs.rec.japan-idol.uchida-yuki,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I dont know who Oris (and all that shit) is,but the post was damned
funny!!! :>)

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 22:59:07 GMT, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:

>I intern septic this seed crate coad sends by Oris. I sure he plot tin ginst
>the jewdish in this hear mess. Oris I cot you an all that shit. How you gone
>deed nigh you in falled with enema me age gents????? oris send to age gents
>in a fore hand tung lang gwitch. I sure that much. You a weed sell an a rat
>Oris. you a enema me age gent an all that shit. i am post this proovs of it.
>you no good jus like rich say. you bet her cunt fess now a be in a spy an a
>enema me age gent an all that shit. I cot you sent in seed crate coads to the
>Chin man an all that shit. now you go in down big time an all that shit. The
>ATF gone get you an the FPI an all that shit. Oris you bet tell on you
>selfs. wat are you sends in to the CHin man??????? Huh Huh huh?????? were you
>lernt their fore hand tung lang gwitch?????? oris you bet her cunt fess an
>all that shit.
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>In article <370CCA51.44303D67@hknet.com>,
> oris <oris@hknet.com> wrote:
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>Kong Woo.
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>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2014. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <JFred@mugs.ken>
Message-ID: <925171068.845.97@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144630
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Jim wrote in message <7g2pqs$nt2$1@brokaw.wa.com>...
>hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

Snip Snip.

>..... Get a job at McDonalds,
>save your money, and you can buy a beam too.
>
>73, Jim KH2D
>

Better yet--maybe he will play with high power microwaves.

2015. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724fca0.4655669@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I must agree that the 'contesters' are the most rude ops on the
air.Thank GOD most of them never key a mic except at contest time.

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 16:57:29 GMT, hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Yessir, good old Bill and his Prozac top heavy view of ham radio. Whenever
>someone posts a negative statement or gripe on his self promoting
>contesting.com, he attaches a little "you did a no-no" shame message and
>publicly rebukes the poor guy.
>
>You know those big mouth contesting hams who tout what great ops they are,
>right ?
>
>
>If they're such great ops, why do they need absurd towers and the rest of us
>do it with wires ?
>
>If they're such "Gentlemen", why not refrain from pig piling everytime they
>hear a G or DL on 160 CW ?
>
>Answer: they are actually the truest form of LIDS.
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2016. Re: 75 Ohm Hard line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <372504CC.56B@imt.net>
Source record: 144632
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Michael Smith wrote:
>
> I may be getting some 3/4 or7/8 inch hard line that is 75 ohms. I remember
> reading a article about using 75 ohm line. The author only did test up to 2
> meters. I want to use this line on 70 cm. Will cotangent transformers work
> for this band? I have heard if everything else is good you would only get a
> 1.5 to 1 match any how. Also do I have to mess with the antenna? I would
> like to use this at a 440 repeater site and the antenna is a 4 dipole
> array. Is there any one that sells matching transformers?
>
> Any help?
>
> Mike
>
> mjs@nolnet.net
Just pay attention to the lenghth so it mirrors the antennas impedance
and it will work GREAT! Tracy

2017. Re: FS: Yaesu FT-736R w/6M and 1.2GHz MINT!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724fd6b.4859298@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I'll take it!!!Ship to me and I will send money...

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 16:26:26 -0700, "Bob Magill"
<magill@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
>Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
>condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
>module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
>in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $2000 (original
>discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
>manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
>the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
>Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element 1.2 GHz yagi (commercial)
>with
>purchase!! ($100 original cost).
>Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
>with serious buyers.
>
>
>

2018. Best thing about CW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3724F778.D53208E2@parg.org>
Source record: 144634

The CW ops are the most well mannered of any I have run across. I am always run off of the fone bands by all the bad attitudes, swearing, jamming, frequency battles etc. I see the same attitudes on the news groups. I really don't care what they do about the CW tests. Preserve the CW subbands for the Gentlemen and Ladys of the Amateur Service and all (some) of the Fone op's can continue setting bad examples for the new guys like myself to be disgusted by. See you at the bottom of the band.

2019. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <cx7V2.193$X75.499030@news.abs.net>
Source record: 144635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...

>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>exists on 27 MHz.

I am on my way towards getting my no-code license because, I'm afraid,
that's as far as I will ever progress. I have tried for years to lear
Morse, but some glitch in my hearing or noggin or something will not let me
get the knack of it.

When I was little (30-something years ago), I used to be glued to my
step-dad's shortwave, sending postcards (I must have spent a forturne
sending cards around the world).... I desperately wanted to be part of that
world, I had a telegraph key to practice with, I specifically tuned into the
morse broadcasts so I could try to develop an ear for it...to no avail...it
just wouldn't happen. I dropped away from shortwave for years and have only
recently become aware that I now have an entry(albeit a limited one) into
the world of my youth.

I have nothing but admiration for those who can pick up morse code. I wish
I could.

ttfn/Karina

2020. Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <ID7V2.195$X75.499543@news.abs.net>
Source record: 144636

As I remarked in another message, I've only recently become aware that there is now a no-code option for me to pursue.

I have downloaded the app from the FCC, but need to bone up on current requirements and technology. Can anyone recommend a good site and/or book and/or magazine that I can begin with.

Thanx and ttfn/Karina

2021. Re: oris Grin a enema me age gent I can proof it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Castiglione <GregCa@DIM.com>
Message-ID: <37250175.2625@DIM.com>
Source record: 144637
Cross-posted to: tw.bbs.rec.japan-idol.uchida-yuki,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Joe wrote:
>
> I dont know who Oris (and all that shit) is,but the post was damned
> funny!!! :>)
>
> On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 22:59:07 GMT, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >I intern septic this seed crate coad sends by Oris. I sure he plot tin ginst
> >the jewdish in this hear mess. Oris I cot you an all that shit. How you gone
> >deed nigh you in falled with enema me age gents????? oris send to age gents
> >in a fore hand tung lang gwitch. I sure that much. You a weed sell an a rat
> >Oris. you a enema me age gent an all that shit. i am post this proovs of it.
> >you no good jus like rich say. you bet her cunt fess now a be in a spy an a
> >enema me age gent an all that shit. I cot you sent in seed crate coads to the
> >Chin man an all that shit. now you go in down big time an all that shit. The
> >ATF gone get you an the FPI an all that shit. Oris you bet tell on you
> >selfs. wat are you sends in to the CHin man??????? Huh Huh huh?????? were you
> >lernt their fore hand tung lang gwitch?????? oris you bet her cunt fess an
> >all that shit.
> >
> >
> >In article <370CCA51.44303D67@hknet.com>,
> > oris <oris@hknet.com> wrote:
> >> What are you taking about R ,I can't find any Cinema will show Beat in Hong
> >Kong Woo.
> >> ï¿½Ú¥ï¿½ï¿½ï¿½ELTON ï¿½gï¿½Dï¿½G
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> >>
> >>
> >
> >----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
Is this message written in code??

2022. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g31hadod1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

William

I am sorry, but you need to read much more carefully.
I have stated SEVERAL times that I have no problem
with the elimination of the code test. What I DO have
a problem with is the assertion that CW is both "dead"
and "outmoded" on the Amateur Bands.

Secondly, William, please explain to me how increasing the
number of hams is going to do anything to save the bands
from commercial interests? What good was served by
the millions entering the CB ranks during the 70s? Did that
form a more disciplined and thriving service based on
shear numbers?

73

Peter

William Burrow wrote in message ...
>On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 16:26:15 -0400,
>CommQuart <commquart@erols.com> wrote:
>>No, it's more your implying that CW is outmoded and is no longer
>>used on the ham bands. Have you ever listened to the CW bands
>>during a contest, or DXpedition? Why is virtually every amateur kit
>>on the market QRP CW rigs? Have you ever listened for CW activity
>>period on the amateur CW bands?? Unfortunately, you still miss the
>>fact that thousands of hams, old and young, new licencees and old
>>timers, find CW an enjoyable mode to operate.
>
>Whenever reducing the requirement for CW is mentioned, the old guys get
>up in arms. Well, if the amateur community can't or won't listen to
>its few newbies, then don't bother getting het up -- the hobby is going
>to die with you anyway.
>
>Wireless usage is going up in the commercial world, and demand for
>bands is increasing. With no new amateur usage of amateur bands, the
>bands will be sold for something more productive.
>
>
>--
>William Burrow, VE9WIL -- New Brunswick, Canada o
>Copyright 1999 William Burrow ~ /\
> ~ ()>()

2023. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g31pkftj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Karina

I hope the cw requirement is sufficiently lowered or eliminated
so that you may enjoy amateur radio. CW should not be a
barrier to keep those who want to join the hobby to do so.

I know a lot of people who have the same problem learning CW;
and I agree with your observations. Please understand my comments
are directed to those who insist that code is outmoded and not being
used on the ham bands.

Peter

Karina Wright wrote in message ...
>CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
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>that's as far as I will ever progress. I have tried for years to lear
>Morse, but some glitch in my hearing or noggin or something will not let me
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>step-dad's shortwave, sending postcards (I must have spent a forturne
>sending cards around the world).... I desperately wanted to be part of
that
>world, I had a telegraph key to practice with, I specifically tuned into
the
>morse broadcasts so I could try to develop an ear for it...to no avail...it
>just wouldn't happen. I dropped away from shortwave for years and have
only
>recently become aware that I now have an entry(albeit a limited one) into
>the world of my youth.
>
>I have nothing but admiration for those who can pick up morse code. I wish
>I could.
>
>ttfn/Karina
>
>

2024. Re: Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <372511EF.8537D36B@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144640

Karina Wright wrote:

> As I remarked in another message, I've only recently become aware that there
> is now a no-code option for me to pursue.
>
> I have downloaded the app from the FCC, but need to bone up on current
> requirements and technology. Can anyone recommend a good site and/or book
> and/or magazine that I can begin with.
>
> Thanx and ttfn/Karina

Karina,

Get a book published by the ARRL called "Now You're Talking." It has everything you need to get ready for the Novice and Technician written exams. You can order it directly from the ARRL (see www.arrl.org) or any of the big ham radio distributors such as Ham Radio Outlet or Amateur Electronic Supply.

You might also want to find a local ham club in your area. They can be a big help.

Good luck and 73,

Marv
KC0EGB

2025. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7g34f1hog1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 144641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Graham <notmy@real.address> wrote in message
news:M52V2.51$oi7.636@newsfeed.slurp.net...
> Archaic mode of communication? Human beings have been using voice
> (spoken language) far longer than CW to communicate!
>
> When looked at closely CW is a rather sophisticated communications
> system. Like computer communicatons it is a binary character driven
> system. But unlike computer communications it has variable length characters
> not limited to a fixed 1 start bit 8 data bits 1 (or 1.5 or 2 stop bits) AND
> is understandable by (through training and skill development) a human being.

You seem to be confusing "complicated" and "inefficient" with
"sophisticated" ... there have been many posts here (check
DejaNews under Gary Coffman for some excellent ones) outlining
that the variable length characters of Morse are a major reason
why it suffers a performance penalty of at least 9 dB relative
to simple BFSK (Binary Frequency Shift Keying) ... and BFSK is
certainly not the most efficient modulation scheme available.

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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2026. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrey Pinsky <optimex@mb.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <372531D9.EBAAC08E@mb.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 144642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Walt Davidson wrote:

> On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 11:36:33 GMT, kh2d@my-dejanews.com (Jim) wrote:
>
> >Obviously there is only one thing worse than being an Anony-Mouse NumbNuts.
> >That's being a broke Anony-Mouse NumbNuts..... Get a job at McDonalds,
> >save your money, and you can buy a beam too.
> >
> >73, Jim KH2D
>
> He does have a point, though, Jim. All you seem to be able to work
> with your expensive beam is W7's! Meanwhile, I worked all the E4's
> and the latest Rodriguez expedition on several bands with my wire
> dipoles.
>
> :-)
>
> 73 de G3NYY
> [who never hides behind a cloak of anonymity]
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ surf-zone.co.uk

I bet they all drive Jeep Cherokee. This is clear case of maleï¿½s ï¿½small penisï¿½ complex. Oh, those snobbish Americans. They are ready to give lessons to everybody around on somebody else expense. Do not send me in McDonaldï¿½s though, I already have job and beam.

73, Andrey VE4QQ.

2027. Re: Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: DiGitaal_DiSrupTer <superwarbird@juno.com>
Message-ID: <925162370.553574@axilla.wwnet.net>
Source record: 144643

Hello,

I'm studying to take the no-code next month. I'm using a program called HAM UNIVERSITY on my laptop for practice. It's an excellent software program and I highly recommend it. You can download it from www.zdnet.com . It also has a section for practicing morse code on your PC. Check it out.

Here is the link that will take you straight to the description of the program (if it doesn't work go to the above link and do a search for "Ham University". The program is about 1.5 megs big.

http://hotfiles.zdnet.com/cgi-bin/texis/swlib/hotfiles/info.html?fcode=000P0I&b=

Digitaal

Karina Wright wrote in message ...
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>is now a no-code option for me to pursue.
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>requirements and technology. Can anyone recommend a good site and/or book
>and/or magazine that I can begin with.
>
>Thanx and ttfn/Karina
>
>

2028. Re: More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrey Pinsky <optimex@mb.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3725434E.D9673E3B@mb.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 144644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Jim wrote:

> hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> >Doesn't take much to justify his 25,000 dollar antenna array.
> >Yes Bill, we're all too stupid to find it on a map and need you to educate us.
>
> Somebody needs to educate you, so you can get a job and buy an
> antenna too.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
>

Hi Jim,

I bet you and your buddies big time ops all drive Jeep Cherokee. This is clear case of maleï¿½s ï¿½small penisï¿½ complex. To prove for yourself that you are OK, you need ten element beams. Oh, those snobbish Americans. They are ready to give lessons to everybody around on somebody else expense.

Do not send me in McDonaldï¿½s though, I already have job and beam.

73, Andrey VE4QQ.

2029. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g39rhkb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Ha ha ha... Good one! You got me there.

Peter

Anonymous wrote in message <199904270138.DAA02220@mail.replay.com>...
>CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
>Well, if it weren't for CB in the 70's we wouldn't have had the song
>"Convoy". That alone was worth it.
>
>
>"...so I crashed the gate doing 98
>I said let those truckers roll, 10-4"
>
>
>C.W. McCall didn't, perhaps, get his name from CW, did he? (His real
>name was Bill Fries).
>
>

2030. Re: Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <37253140.7ADA9CC3@qsl.net>
Source record: 144646

Karina Wright wrote:
>
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> is now a no-code option for me to pursue.
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> and/or magazine that I can begin with.
>
> Thanx and ttfn/Karina

Karina
If you go to the AA9PW web site at
http://www.biochem.mcw.edu/Postdocs/Simon/radio/exam.html you will find
an online test generator for taking the test for all the classes of ham
license (no code testing) and you can download the program in
java and run the test generator off-line. It really helped me get ready!
--
To reply remove the extra @

"73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
<'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
E-Mail me at: kb9tmp<AT>@qsl.net
Home Page: http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
Church URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/

2031. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g3pe8$e8k$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com (AKA Anony-Mouse) wrote:

>I could spend 25 grand on an antenna array, but then I'd need to add on
>expensive therapy and medication like you and Bill. Besides, I let you
>jackasses spend the dough, I get half the benefits for free. Morons.

Medication might do you some good if you can find the right pill to
grow balls.

I know, don't tell me. You never read the contest schedule in the
Newington News, and you and your one friend in the world were on
your private schedule frequency on 20 meters and CQWW snuck up
on you and although you protested and screamed, nobody even
noticed you were there.... And now here you are screaming on
UseNet and still as Anony-Mouse here as you are on HF. Must be
tuff going thru life being just a little scratchy noise in the
background.

Never mind the antenna, spend the 25K on therapy. First question you
should ask is "Why do I have the urge to preach to the masses and
these strong opinons yet I don't have the balls to sign my name to
them ?". Did the other kids in school slap you every time you said
something and you have this ingrained fear of being slapped or what ?

73, Jim KH2D

2032. Re: More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g3q9e$f34$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Hi Andrey,

Nope, I have a (rusty) Toyota pickup.

Andrey Pinsky <optimex@mb.sympatico.ca> wrote:

>Do not send me in McDonald's though, I already have job and beam.

>73, Andrey VE4QQ.

Good for you. And you even have cookies to sign your email.
Keep up the good work and good luck in the contest, OM.

As for the Americans, I'm glad you live next door to them and
not me.... Can't say anything bad about Canadians cuz I've
never seen one, we don't have a hockey rink over here.

73, Jim KH2D

2033. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3724CC89.2385@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> The murder rate in North America was even lower before
> 1492. How do you account for that ?
> -----
> Reg.

Two factors:

1. The lack of historical recordkeeping by the North American Indians.

2. British hooligans had not yet arrived on the scene.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/
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2034. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3724CBD4.1C0E@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > And who said anything about ignoring better emergency
> > modes??? But we'll have one that you codehaters won't.
>
> I'm not a code hater, Dick, I'm a code lover. CW is my favorite mode.
> But I've got better sense than to rely on CW for emergencies. If I
> ever use CW for an emergency for the entire rest of my life, I promise
> to mail you a $1000 check and eat crow for a week.

Another sucker deal, Cecil. I wouldn't count on you to do anything.
Skip the grand and I'll bet you've got enough crow in the freezer from
past whoppers to last the rest of your life.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2035. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mzenier@netcom.com
Message-ID: <mzenierFAuxJB.E5F@netcom.com>
Source record: 144651
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7g0682$vc7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, <oap1@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>HI. I am looking for a board to do the same with some old monitors I have.
>How about the Radio Electronics/ Harmony Research converter that was
>mentioned earlier?,

>1.would this work with a CGA, EGA or a VGA monitor?

CGA, No. Actually it looks kind of neat, like some special effects
in a rock video (solarization, I think it's called), but not something
you'd use for watching TV programs.
EGA, apparently no, according to the magazine article.
VGA, No.

>2. Are some CGA monitors TTL and others Analog

Yes, back in the early half of the 1980's there were a number of
monitors made to run on both the TV (and CGA) scan rates and on some
of the higher scan rates. The Multisync line, from NEC, among others.
These were premium price monitors that had the advantage that they could
be used on IBM PCs and also on other computers like the Amiga, Atari ST,
Zenith, and various Apple machines that used Analog RGB at TV scan rates.

>3. Could such a circuit work on
>a SUN /Sony fixed sync (lowest res 1024 x 768) workstation monitor (I have
>used this on a PC by just modifying the cable and adding a capacitor to
>combine the sync wires.)

No. The Harmonic Research unit doesn't do scan rate conversion.

4. What is the resolution of a regular 19" colour
>TV vs a CGA monitor with composite input or a VGA monitor with an adapter?

NTSC is a compression scheme. Frankly, it sucks. You can't get more than
100 to 200 discrete color changes in any one scan line. S-Video would be
higher, but not that much.

>5. How much improvement would you get by feeding say a satellite receiver
>composite video output to the TV with a composite input vs going through a
>vcr input then via the antenna connection to the TV?

You might want to ask in one of the rec.video newsgroups or see if they
have a FAQ. Perhaps you'll get some improvement as you'll avoid any
more bandwidth filtering in the TV's tuner and IF, and less distortion
from avoiding the video modulator in the tuner. S-Video would probably
give even more, depending on where they bandpassed filtered the color
information. Also depends on if it's a C-band analog system or a

digital DBS system. With C-Band, it's sent as a composite signal so
you can't get more out of it that was sent in the first place.

>6. Finally has anyone seen another converter other than the Harmony one.

I've seen both Video -> VGA and VGA -> Video converters on the shelf
at CompUSA. About $200. Usually limited to 640x400, as the scan
rate conversion is relativly easy for that mode. Never saw what the
results looked like, though.

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com Washington State resident

2036. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <372480C9.90EF5DB8@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144652

Why not help him instead of scare him !!!!!!!!!!!!, what a HAM fellow.
To Joseph, where are you located ?.

Jesper
W6KTO

Joe wrote:

> How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license without learning
> even this most basic operating procedure?
>

2037. Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Conqueror <joetheripper@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3726276f.0@news.gulliver.fr>
Source record: 144653
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it in ham radio either. And if you want to say it is for security, you are not allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.

-Dan K3DRQ

k3drq@qsl.net

2038. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: reverberative <mikedoner@aol.com>
Message-ID: <7g8fh4mg1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7g25tnmjn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...

>If they're such great ops, why do they need absurd towers and the rest of us
>do it with wires ?

Because If you were to continue to do "it" on you former haunt of 14.313 or
14.300
as you have no doubt been doing in the past, you stand a good chance of being
DF'd by the
FCC at this date and time.

>If they're such "Gentlemen", why not refrain from pig piling everytime they
>hear a G or DL on 160 CW ?

I feel you wouldn't know a "G" or a "DL" if it bit you right on your
ass at 6 AM in bed on a Sunday.....

2039. Re: Summer holydays in USA and radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7g1tsh$8r5$1@nntp4.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 144674

A good place to start looking for information is: http://www.arrl.org
They can provied all the answers you require.

Andrea Gazzini wrote in message <37246228.443179708@news.plugit.net>...
>Hi,
>I'm planning to go to USA this summer for holydays, and wish to carry
>my portable transceiver with me (TH78).
>
>I own a 1st class licence, and plan to use only FM (2m and 70cm).
>
>Do I need to fill any form ? Where can I get it and where should I
>mail it ?
>
>Thanx in advance for the reply...
>
>
>'73 de I3APR, Andy
>
>
>P.S.
>Where can I get the ARRL US repeater directory in NYC ??
>
>please remove _nospamgrazie to reply via e-mail
>
>
>

2040. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37247E1E.7E6F6A12@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Do you think that suicidal crazy criminals really care?

Although people like that are pretty rare, we will never be
without them.

> If he didn't take flight...would you have killed him?

If the choice was my life or his, you betcha.

> What if he wrestled the gun from you and shot you instead of cutting you?

In general, I would not go for a gun when it would be within reach of
a criminal. Additionally, the guy with the knife was about 5'7" and
weighed about 160 lbs. I'm 6'4" and weigh 205

> What if it all started because he had the gun insteads of a knife
> because it was easy for him to buy and carry a gun??

He was too young to legally buy a gun. Many individuals like him rob
people at knifepoint to get the money to buy an illegal gun. If he had
pulled a gun instead of a knife, the situation would have been entirely
different.

> I could go on and on with "What if" and neither of us would have proven
> anything.

"If is for children, spinning daydreams."

> You never forget how
> defensless you feel when someone has a loaded gun against your head. In that
> case even if I had had a gun I couldn't have reached for it without expecting
> to be shot in the process.

No one knowledgable about guns would allow one's adversary within reach of
the gun. With proper training, you might have had a better chance reaching
for his gun rather than yours.

> Nah...because if we are efficient the hate mongers will not be able to get
> guns and if we are not efficient the hate mongers who hate other hate mongers
> will still be armed.

There are more than enough existing guns to supply criminals for both our
lifetimes. For the next few years, there is no way to get guns out of the
hands of criminals. Any gun control law will simply disarm the law-abiding
citizen and leave him helpless against the armed criminals. For the considerable
number of years that it would take to make gun control work, the law-abiding

citizens would be at the mercy of the criminals. Do you really want that?

> Please understand Cecil that I do respect your opinions and I certainly don't
> want to be threatening you in any way...with or without considering that you
> own guns...and I don't think your opinions are very unique, as I have heard
> the same exact opinions from others who are also ethical and law abiding
> people...perhaps that is why I am well prepared to refute them all.

Good luck using words to refute criminals armed with guns. Do you have
"killing words" like they did on "Dune"?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2041. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6ROY & Mary KC6WYC <w6roy@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <3724833E.A59@pacbell.net>
Source record: 144676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spot wrote:
>
> You are implying that you have a right to set a standard value over all HAM wannabees
> and then have a right to deem a certain amount of work to meet that value.
> As you know, the FCC is the only one who has a right to set these values and the amount of work
> needed, not you.
> Sit there and get upset all you want, resent us for things being easy, but the fact is, FCC will be dropping
> code from the requirements in less than 3 years and will also be updating its tests to reflect modern times instead
> of their current tests which are geared more for those who wanted to became HAMS in the 1950's - 1970's.
>
> > Ya.. Lots of people have lost the "gotta work for what you get" attitude
> > nowdays... That's why freebanders are so common.
And, mark my words, that's the day I turn in my ticket and my VE
certification. And, 'SPOT' (I called one of my dog's Spot once),
most of the advances in electronics technology came from the ranks
of the Amateurs, who were experimenting with things beyound your wildest
dream when you were but spit on your father's mouth.

Don

2042. FS: Yaesu FT-736R w/6M and 1.2GHz MINT!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7g20c9$d7k@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $2000 (original
discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element 1.2 GHz yagi (commercial)
with
purchase!! ($100 original cost).
Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
with serious buyers.

2043. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: frank@antares.ing.unipi.it
Message-ID: <7g21d1$ba2$1@pisanino.unipi.it>
Source record: 144678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spot (spot@dog.org) wrote:

: The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell =
: to
: become a HAM, so should everyone else".
: This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of =
: requirements
: are very outdated.

I'm an HAM and also an electronic engineer. I'm also not that old since
I'm 28. I didn`t go "through hell" to learn CW, it`s just easy.
The point is that if one doesn`t have enough patience to learn a simple
and slow CW ability he probably will just end up buying expensive rigs
with tons of watt and burn antennas with them saying probably that this
new 1KW ampli is just great to talk with its neighbours.
This is not the ham spirit imho.
With 10 watts you can work the world.

73
Francesco IW8QPI

2044. YAESU VX5 PL PROBLEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: JERRY <jerryrc@POBOX.COM>
Message-ID: <37248DE8.A4022DA8@POBOX.COM>
Source record: 144679

Does anyone know if Yaesu has fixed the pl decode delay problem?

It would take about a full second to decode PL

2045. Very motivated seller--equipment must be moved!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: durango408@aol.comhome
Message-ID: <19990426120248.10444.00002039@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 144680

Equipment must be moved soon!
Very motivated seller!
Please make an offer on all or part, all offers seriously considered!

Carl Schlueter
durango408@aol.com

NEC - All racks have combiners

4 - Racks with two TG-6-G2400-500 TR
1 - NAR501R Supervisory & Control
2 - 92770A Amp
4 - Racks with two TG-6-G2400-500 TR
1 - SCI 500A if switch
1 - Rack with two SCB 500 Baseband Switch
1 - Double rack with two TG-6-G2400-500 TR
2 - 92770A Amp
2 - NAS 501A Service Bay
1 - Rack with two MD 2400-500A MOD-DEMOD
1 - NAS 501A Service Bay
7 - Racks with two TG-6-G2400-500A TR
1 - SCI 500B Switch
2 - 92770A Amp
1 - NEC AT 1755 NAL Test Unit (3' High)
2 - NEC 92531A Briefcase Test Modem Sets
3 - Racks with one MD2400-500 MOD-DEMOD
1 - SCB500 Base Band Switch
4 - Racks with two TG6-G2400-500 TR
2 - 92770A Amp
1 - Combiner Network (all have)
1 - Rack with one TG6-G2400-500 TR
1 - 92770A Amp
2 - Racks one NAR 501R Supervisory Control
1 - NAS 501A Service Bay
1 - Rack with two TG-6-G2400-500TR
1 - NAS 501A Service Bay
1 - Rack with two TG-6-G2400-500 TR
2 - 92770A Amp
1 - NAS 501 Service Bay
1 - Rack with one NAR 501R Supervisory Control
3 - N??? Fuse and Alarm
1 - Rack with one SCB-500 Baseband Switch
1 - Rack with one SCB-500
1 - NAS 501R Supervisory Control
1 - NAV 501A Switchover Control

1 - Loose Baseband Switch -Spare-
Many misc. NEC spare, including Amp etc.
10 - AYDIN Computer and extra cards
8 - HLT Transmission Test sets 41-01
2 - Tectronic C-30 Scope Camera
15 - General signal Warren chargers
230 volt high capacity
1 - Phillips PM3215V Dual Occilliscope 50MHZ
2 - AWA SG1100 Audio Test Sets
1 - HP 3400A RMS Voltmeter (Rack)
1 - HP 3782B Error Detector
1 - HP 3763A Error Detector
1 - HP 3762A Data Generator
3 - HP 3743 IF Amp
1 - KROHM - HITE 3700 Filter
1 - Graphite WR 3701 Line Recorder
2000' MIC Spec RG-11 Type Cable
2 - Racks Farinon 55 6000 each with 6ghz TR
Set and MOD-DEMOD and Combiner
2 - Barringer Telecom 11 GHZ TR inc EF Data Mox (1-complete HOP)
Much more-Dishes etc.
6 GHZ Wave Guide, Connectors Flex Guide etc.
3 - 6' Dishes - Andrew
2 - 4' Prot Dishes- Andrew 21 Gig
All working when removed
All in 19" racks, All NEC
Has Combiners to Single Port

Carl Schlueter
Durango408@aol.com

2046. Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g25tnmjn1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Yessir, good old Bill and his Prozac top heavy view of ham radio. Whenever someone posts a negative statement or gripe on his self promoting contesting.com, he attaches a little "you did a no-no" shame message and publicly rebukes the poor guy.

You know those big mouth contesting hams who tout what great ops they are, right ?

If they're such great ops, why do they need absurd towers and the rest of us do it with wires ?

If they're such "Gentlemen", why not refrain from pig piling everytime they hear a G or DL on 160 CW ?

Answer: they are actually the truest form of LIDS.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2047. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37249078.F176472D@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I went for my General upgrade tests yesterday, passed the written, failed the code. Oh well, just have to practice a little more on the code and soon I'll pass it.

So Tom, here's the irony, you know radio theory but didn't master an archaic mode of communication?!?!? I don't think that should prevent you from enjoying a hobby. BTW, was this CW test multiple choice or fill-in. I'm finding that ARRL-sponsored VECs like the fill-in. This is much harder than the multiple choice where you can choose the correct call sign, QTH, if you get part of the code right. Try a W5YI group that uses multiple choice questions. One of these days the ARRL VECs will enter the 20th Century as the rest of the world enters the 21st.
BTW, I'm a tech plus working on the general CW only to shut up the pro-coders. Sorry for this long .02 cents.

2048. More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g26mpnbe1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

(WOW! Great news for any who missed the two previous XZ1N operations!
This island is at the extreme southern tip of Myanmar's territory on
the Malay Peninsula and should provide excellent propagation for both
sunrise and sunset long paths to NA East Coast on 160-40!...de W4ZV)

Doesn't take much to justify his 25,000 dollar antenna array.
Yes Bill, we're all too stupid to find it on a map and need you to educate us.
Since you spend so much of your income on radios, you MUST be more intelligent
than the rest of the hams.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2049. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3724944B.AD90806D@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144684

Multiple choice here would have been too easy.

Soo...?
Hams in conversation:
I had to draw schematics for my license...you didn't, snivel! snivel!
I didn't have the question pool to study for my license...you did,
snivel! snivel!
You're a tech...you're not a real ham, oh brother!! More sniveling.

Sounds to me like a bunch of whiners who can't accept change in the
world.

2050. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925144360.335.89@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144685
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Just out of curiosity, and nothing mean about this: how old are you, what are you studying, or what do you do for a living? I'm a software engineer, a wizard at the height of my powers at 39 years.

I suggest if you find yourself in front of me at your slow pace of acceptance, you make sure there's passing room. This old fart's likely to run you flat.

Michael.

Spot <spot@dog.org> wrote in message news:0A2A75556851F08C.C567D66CE51D8624.1D2BDE77F5C61C63@library-proxy.airnews.net...
Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the first place
as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.
This explains why we have alot of oddballs in here with screwed up, old fashioned thinking,
which is completely in reverse with the rest of the world.
Thank goodness that most of these people are dying out of old age.
For those who carry the carry this torch of illogical thinking, get out of the world's fast
lane and move aside as you are holding up everyone.

2051. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372499E7.9AC62A2D@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144686

That's not always the case. Our local VE team switched to the multiple
choice format 2 years ago. The failure rate went up about 20%. The ARRL
> tests have 2 answers that are so similar(was it W9NT or WN9T?, 45 watts or 40 watts)
Bottom line, if the candidate can't copy the code, they probably won't guess their way to a
passing grade.

That's the ARRL traditional, conservative, head in the sand way. If you
miscopy one character you miss the entire question. I've taken several
multiple choice exams in areas of knowledge that are critical to life.
None of these tests had answer choices that were so similar in content
as the ARRL choices in their exams. And for a hobby?!?!

2052. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37249A77.A5A300DE@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144687

The odd thing is, you can still pass the test if you miss both
callsigns. On the air, you missed the call if you don't get the
callsign.
>>True, but on the air you can also reply, "say again."

2053. Re: ### Hamband Trader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woodsman <woodsman@apexmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g245o$bve@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144688
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Probably referring to the initial launch of his site to work out
all the bugs. Kinda like a new warship has an initial "shakedown"
cruise before it is put on active duty.

Joe wrote in message <37233787.8674361@news.mindspring.com>...
> What is this "shake down' you refer to?
>

2054. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37249B25.9585D3C9@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144689

Criminals usually do have more access to hi-priced stuff that the
average person...
>>and for free.

2055. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37249BF6.DE0A9580@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144690

I think we should give the people what they want and incorporate CB with
ham radio and turn the freebanders into legal operators
>
We did that with the no-code Technician class license.

YAWN!!! It's time for all "true hams" who despise techs and no-code
people to leave the hobby. Go solder a transistor somewhere.

2056. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37249b1a.9078302@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144691

On 25 Apr 1999 12:56:15 GMT, "Reg Edwards" <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com> wrote:
>Your report does not allow much confidence to be placed in
>the security of communication links between airport
>controllers and aircraft pilots.
>
>A radio transmitter in irresponsible hands is like a gun.
>There should be laws.

There are laws, Reg. In the case of guns, there are over
22,000 state and federal laws, in the case of radio there
is the whole of CFR47. But having laws isn't of much value
when they aren't properly enforced. For example, the much
touted Brady law has turned up about 78,000 felons (actually
only about 35,000, the others were falsely identified as felons
due to the incompetence of the legal system) attempting
to buy a gun, but only 6 have been prosecuted.

With an error rate that high, and a prosecution rate that
microscopically small, the law becomes an ass. With so
many laws, few, if any, people can know whether their actions
are legal or not. Few police or prosecutors can know either.
Passing another law is just feel good showboating.

Misuse of radios to interfere with ATC is already a crime,
but offenders are rarely caught, and rarely prosecuted.
Saying there ought to be another law isn't the solution.
AM radio transmitters, like guns, are so easily homemade
that attempting to eliminate possession of them is impossible
in any practical sense. Anyone who seriously wants one can
make one, and there is little we can do to stop that.

However, there is a technical solution to the ATC problem.
We could replace the AM radios with cryptographically
secure spread spectrum radios. Then it would be virtually
impossible to effectively jam or spoof them. The technology
to do this has been available for over two decades, and has
become a consumer item in this decade. But people would
rather pass a feel good law than to implement a real solution.

This notion that "there ought to be a law" is similar to the absurd
cellular monitoring ban, a totally unenforceable smokescreen.
Cryptographic security is a completely viable alternative for those
who do want to guarantee their privacy, or validate their identity,
over the airwaves (except for the fact the feds don't like the idea
because it means that *they* can't eavesdrop on citizens either).

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2057. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3724A450.F946D67D@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
> Cecil, the murder rate in NYC in 1492 could not possibly
> have exceeded that of the population itself.

Reg, as you probably know, the murder *rate* does not have the same dimensions as the population so they cannot be compared as you are trying to do with the word "exceeded". If there were two people in NYC in 1492 and one murdered the other, the murder rate would be 50%.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2058. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g29ub$q3b$1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 144693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <37249078.F176472D@hotmail.com>, The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote:
>I went for my General upgrade tests yesterday, passed the written,
>failed the code. Oh well, just have to practice a little more on the
>code and soon I'll pass it.
>-----
>So Tom, here's the irony, you know radio theory but didn't master an
>archaic mode of communication?!?!? I don't think that should prevent you
>from enjoying a hobby. BTW, was this CW test multiple choice or fill-in.
>I'm finding that ARRL-sponsored VECs like the fill-in. This is much
>harder than the multiple choice where you can choose the correct call
>sign, QTH, if you get part of the code right. Try a W5YI group that uses
>multiple choice questions. One of these days the ARRL VECs will enter
>the 20th Century as the rest of the world enters the 21st.
>BTW, I'm a tech plus working on the general CW only to shut up the
>pro-coders. Sorry for this long .02 cents.

The CW written was fill in, which makes it harder if you don't copy enough.
I didn't copy enough info to pass it. My MAIN problem was that they sent the
code at about 17-18wpm but the spaceing was a bit wider than I practiced.
Now if I was copying fine at 13 home and they send at 16-18, that's a problem
to me. If people are practiceing at 13 home and they go for this test and hear
it sent FASTER most will probably fail, unless they can copy 18-20wpm home
first. I agree about your comment on it shouldn't stop me from
upgrading but that's the way it is right now so.....I'll keep at it. I'm not
waiting for the restructureing, who knows when that will take place.

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2059. AC monitor sought..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reed Park <reedpark@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <3724AB58.F29F52F8@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144694

Does anyone out there know of a device that monitors the AC line voltage and when (if) it fails would key up the repeater it is connected to and put out a tone for a short time, just to let people know it's on backup power ?

Regards
Reed.

P.S. We may need far more than we care to build.

--

ARROW Research (Avro CF-105)
Reed Park
252 Gauvin Road
Dieppe, New Brunswick
Canada E1A1M1

Amateur Radio VE1NU
WW II, # 19 SET user
I.C.Q. # 4138282

2060. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Graham <notmy@real.address>
Message-ID: <M52V2.51$oi7.636@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 144695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Archaic mode of communication? Human beings have been using voice
(spoken language) far longer than CW to communicate!

When looked at closely CW is a rather sophisticated communications
system. Like computer communicatons it is a binary character driven
system. But unlike computer communications it has variable length characters
not limited to a fixed 1 start bit 8 data bits 1 (or 1.5 or 2 stop bits) AND
is
understandable by (through training and skill development) a human being.

I like CW and am quite proficient in that skill but I do agree that it is
time to
move on and drop the requirement. However I do feel that more emphasis
should
be placed on the technical requirements to obtain a license.

Cheers, Graham VE3GHM

The Captain wrote in message <37249078.F176472D@hotmail.com>...
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>failed the code. Oh well, just have to practice a little more on the
>code and soon I'll pass it.
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>So Tom, here's the irony, you know radio theory but didn't master an
>archaic mode of communication?!?!? I don't think that should prevent you
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>sign, QTH, if you get part of the code right. Try a W5YI group that uses
>multiple choice questions. One of these days the ARRL VECs will enter
>the 20th Century as the rest of the world enters the 21st.
>BTW, I'm a tech plus working on the general CW only to shut up the
>pro-coders. Sorry for this long .02 cents.

2061. Re: Gun "Control"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <3724B7AD.6BBD6FFA@innocent.com>
Source record: 144696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

To agree, as ILP seems to do, that it is a good thing for the
government to have a monopoly on effective deadly force, one must be
assuming that the government is 1) overwhelmingly benevolent, and 2)
likely to remain so forever.

In my view, neither assumption is warranted by the facts.

Happy Interneting,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

See me: http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/america/kas1.jpg

Resources on the Internet (Not all are affiliated with me; I speak
only for myself.):

Patriotic Education --
http://www.natall.com http://www.natvan.com
Exalted European Art --
http://www.isleofavalon.co.uk/gframing/gframing.html
http://www.public.iastate.edu/~jdbrus/preraphday.htm
http://nouveaunet.com/prbpassion/index.htm
Free Speech in Canada --
http://www.freedomsite.org/
White Singles Page --
http://ws.stormfront.org/
Politically Incorrect --
http://www.sound.net/~fenix/
Western Imperative Network --
http://www.usaor.net/users/ipm
Library of Yggdrasil --
http://www.ddc.net/ygg/
Institute for Historical Review --
http://www.ihr.org/index.html
Nationalist Resource Page --
http://www.stormfront.org/
The Zundelsite --
http://www.webcom.com/ezundel/english/
British National Party --
http://www.webcom.com/bnp/
The Incomparable Revilo Oliver --
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/america

2062. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g2dspefd0@208.207.71.142>
Source record: 144697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Bill Sohl wrote:
>
sorry Pete, I've only seen the pro-code test side make
> ANY suggestion that theory should be eliminated.
>

Gete it right, Slick What was said was that it makes as
much sense to
get rid of written testing as it does all code testing. But
then, they've *already* gotten rid of most written testing,
except for the formality of learning which answers go with
what questions.

Dick W0EX

2063. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <no_email@none.com>
Message-ID: <7g2cnh$me2$3@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 144698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote
> For the considerable
>number of years that it would take to make gun control work, the
law-abiding
>citizens would be at the mercy of the criminals.

Do you really think that a true (take all away) gun control law would *ever*
work in this country? I doubt it. Prohibition and the 55 mph limit are two
examples of unpopular laws routinely ignored until the government finally
gave up...

2064. wtb inexpensive 2 meter all mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <e_2V2.196$Sc5.1184@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 144699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

looking for a inexpensive 2 meter ssb rig.older is fine,in good working order.
thanks jack n9iif

2065. Re: NOTORIOUS 147.435

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <3724BA0C.C70D8CB2@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 144700

The Famous Mt. Wilson repeater. It has been that way for 20 years , well
maybe only 15.
I first heard it on an Icom 22 A . Special xtals where needed to access
the machine at that time. The "free thinkers" took over and now it is
like it is.
AA7QA Mike in Phoenix AZ.

sales@msn.com wrote:

> THERE IS THIS IDIOT, JEFF...KD6GDB..THAT HAS A WEB PAGE THAT SAYS HE
> HAS STREAMING 'LIVE' AUDIO FROM 147.435 MHZ. (2 MTRS) IN LOS ANGELES.
>
> THERE HAS BEEN NOTHING BUT A 58 SECOND RECORDING OF HIMSELF FOR
> MONTHS..??? WHO IS THIS MORON??
> ----------

2066. Re: David Letterman and Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990426152512.14288.00000005@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 144701

Letterman is not a ham -- but he IS an antique console radio collector and does have a Lowe HF receiver setup.

2067. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7g2gku$sc9$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 144702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Tom,

The Farnsworth method holds the character speed at 18 per minute, but varies the spacing to whatever the wpm rate is. The transition from 5 to 13 to 18 wpm is easier, as the sounds are the same. I can't tell by ear much difference between 18 and 20 cpm, so the transition then should be quite easy also. Since you can already copy 13 wpm, you only need to get used to the character sounds at the faster speed. You have the same amount of time to "decode" the tones to letters. If it helps, many of the learn-morse-code software support Farnsworth.

ARRL tests use ARRL tapes, which have the same character rate as word speed. You might find this easier, but they use fill-in tests, not multiple choice.

Michael.

<Tom@astro.net> wrote in message
news:7g29ub$q3b$1@east43.supernews.com...
> The CW written was fill in, which makes it harder if you don't copy
enough.
> I didn't copy enough info to pass it. My MAIN problem was that they
sent the
> code at about 17-18wpm but the spaceing was a bit wider than I
practiced.
> Now if I was copying fine at 13 home and they send at 16-18, that's a
problem
> to me. If people are practiceing at 13 home and they go for this test
and hear
> it sent FASTER most will probably fail, unless they can copy 18-20wpm
home
> first. I agree about your comment on it shouldn't stop me from
> upgrading but that's the way it is right now so.....I'll keep at it.
I'm not
> waiting for the restructureing, who knows when that will take place.
>
> 73,
> Tom
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10

> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site:
http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>

2068. (Wanted_ CW Keyer, Keys & Reader Etc. Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g2gp3dhp1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144703
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Following Items To Purchase Or Trade For.
I Don't Need All Of This.
These Are Some Of The Models I Will Be Interested In.
If You Have Anything Along These Lines Please E-Mail Me.
73's W5IDX Houston

AEA MM-3 MorseMatic Electronic Keyer

Or

MFJ 493 Menu Driven Memory Keyer
MFJ-1315,
MFJ-551,
MFJ-5409,
MFJ-5425,
MFJ-79,

MFJ462B Multi-Reader

MFJ 452 Morse Keyboard With LCD Display
Or
MFJ 451 Morse Keyboard

MFJ 414 Tutor & Keyer

Only Need One Of The Following

Bencher Or Vibroplex Iambic Paddles
BY-1, By-2 etc.
Also 1 Straight Key

I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.

W5IDX@qsl.net
W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

2069. Re: oris Grin a enema me age gent I can proof it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990426160404.24007.00001641@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 144704

>I intern septic this seed crate coad sends by Oris. I sure he plot tin ginst
>the jewdish in this hear mess. Oris I cot you an all that shit. How you gone
>deed nigh you in falled with enema me age gents????? oris send to age gents
>in a fore hand tung lang gwitch. I sure that much. You a weed sell an a rat
>Oris. you a enema me age gent an all that shit. i am post this proovs of it.
>you no good jus like rich say. you bet her cunt fess now a be in a spy an a
>enema me age gent an all that shit. I cot you sent in seed crate coads to the
>Chin man an all that shit. now you go in down big time an all that shit. The
>ATF gone get you an the FPI an all that shit. Oris you bet tell on you
>selfs. wat are you sends in to the CHin man??????? Huh Huh huh?????? were you
>lernt their fore hand tung lang gwitch?????? oris you bet her cunt fess an
>all that shit.
>

...this is your brain on drugs. Any questions?

2070. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g2k5r$4ig$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144705

In article <WDqO2.919$qe1.1913@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> On 4 Apr 99 13:15:03 GMT bfomsd@starmedia.com wrote:
> > Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>
> yes.
>
No...Not necessarily!!!
BUT....

Hmmm...Maybe I was a Ham in a previous life and that is why I believe that there is such a thing as HAM TRADITION. BTW It isn't so easy to find out about our previous lives [if we had any}. Now that there is the Internet and NGs maybe it might get easier in the future. We shold try to remember our ham call and our internet addresses. I would suggest that everyone who posts here (and believes in reincarnation)use full and definate identification...In that way they can more easily look themselves up in the archives if and when they return in future lives....and want to continue to debate about Morse exams. I never met a ham I didn't like...probably in any of my lives, Hams need more classes, 73, Bob Wex w2ilp (Investigate Lives Passed?) -- .- -..- .. --

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2071. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925158014.125.87@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144706

Eh??? You sound like a sniveler asking the world to slow down for them. Get on the train, or stay behind. It doesn't matter at all to me either way.

The requirements today for getting on HF include demonstrating minimum proficiency in CW. The test format is immaterial, so long as it demonstrates the necessary proficiency. Since fill-in-the-blank tests don't have hints in the answer section, I feel it's a better test than multiple choice. But what do I know about educational theory?

Also, you forgot one below: "You only paid $50 to skip the CW test? Mine held out for $60!"

Michael.

The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:3724944B.AD90806D@hotmail.com...
> Multiple choice here would have been too easy.
> -----
> Soo...?
> Hams in conversation:
> I had to draw schematics for my license...you didn't, snivel! snivel!
> I didn't have the question pool to study for my license...you did,
> snivel! snivel!
> You're a tech...you're not a real ham, oh brother!! More sniveling.
> -----
> Sounds to me like a bunch of whiners who can't accept change in the
> world.

2072. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925158292.396.95@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144707

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:37249b1a.9078302@news.atl.bellsouth.net...
> However, there is a technical solution to the ATC problem.
> We could replace the AM radios with cryptographically
> secure spread spectrum radios. Then it would be virtually
> impossible to effectively jam or spoof them. The technology

It also makes it impossible to communicate with older radios in private
planes. Murphy had this part about technology right.

Michael.

2073. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g2i6r$ra0$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

No, it's more your implying that CW is outmoded and is no longer
used on the ham bands. Have you ever listened to the CW bands
during a contest, or DXpedition? Why is virtually every amateur kit
on the market QRP CW rigs? Have you ever listened for CW activity
period on the amateur CW bands?? Unfortunately, you still miss the
fact that thousands of hams, old and young, new licencees and old
timers, find CW an enjoyable mode to operate.

If CW is eliminated from the tests, fine. I love uncluttered CW bands.

It sounds like you are trying to force YOUR values more than anyone
else, and for the wrong reasons.

Peter K1ZJH
Sr. Tech. Editor, Communications Quarterly Magazine

>Spot wrote:
>>
>> You are implying that you have a right to set a standard value over all
HAM wannabees
>> and then have a right to deem a certain amount of work to meet that
value.
>> As you know, the FCC is the only one who has a right to set these values
and the amount of work
>> needed, not you.
>> Sit there and get upset all you want, resent us for things being easy,
but the fact is, FCC will be dropping
>> code from the requirements in less than 3 years and will also be updating
its tests to reflect modern times instead
>> of their current tests which are geared more for those who wanted to
became HAMS in the 1950's - 1970's.
>>

2074. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7g2ihd$e6$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hello again Bill

As I indicated it was a post in a similar thread on the
RecRadioShortwave forum. Here is the item the I was
referring to:

>No, there should be no "beefing up" of tests either.
>I'm having a hard enough time passing the General Test right now, I don't
need
>your help in screwing my over and making my odds less of getting my General
License.

Bill Sohl wrote in message <372433ba.530771@news.planet.net>...
>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 22:04:40 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
>wrote:
>
>>Greetings Billl
>>If you check some comments made earlier (in this thread
>>I believe) someone suggested eliminating the code but
>>beefing up the theory portion of the exam--this raised more
>>negative responses.
>>
>>Regardless what elements of the test that remain, you will
>>continually have complainers--whether the subject is code,
>>or not seeing the need to learn theory once the code barrier
>>is lifted.
>>Pete
>
>Sorry Pete, I've only seen the pro-code test side make
>ANY suggestion that theory should be eliminated.
>
>Cheers,
>Bill K2UNK
>
>
>

2075. Re: AC monitor sought..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kay-Zero Handsome Brute <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7g2lq4$67d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144710

Reed Park <reedpark@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:

> Does anyone out there know of a device that monitors the AC line voltage
> and when (if) it fails would key up the repeater it is connected to and
> put out a tone for a short time, just to let people know it's on backup
> power ?

When our repeater loses AC mains, a relay drops out and puts the repeater on
DC (gel cell) power. We use a second set of contacts on the same relay to
short out a resistor which changes the tone (frequency) of our courtesy beep.

Works like a charm.

73, Hans, K0HB
Trustee W0EF club station and repeaters

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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
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----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2076. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g2n08$7c8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7ftr0n$3bq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
Kay-Zero Handsome Brute <k0hb@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>
>
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > What is your call sign?
>
> Why do you care about his call sign? They are not needed
> to 'transmit' on usenet.
>
> Hans
>

Hi Hans, K0HB,
You are correct Hans nobody need use their call signs here. So why do you use yours Hans?....And why do you think I use mine?...and why do you think some other licensed Hams who post in rrap DON'T use theirs?

PLEASE keep thinking [just a suggestion],
I never met a HAM, who identified himself or herself as a HAM, I didn't like,
Hams need more classes,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Identifying & Logging Periodically)
> ~~~
> If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
> but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
> ~~~

Nobody can make anyone think, although it can be suggested.
People don't always love the people who think the same as they think nor the people who try to make them think...
BUT it is a shame that some people hate the people who they don't think are thinking the same as they are thinking.

You can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink;
You can lead a man to education...but you can't make him think.
--w2ilp--

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2077. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eHKn0nCk#GA.232@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 144712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 4 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2078. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ivan Ivanovich <iivanovich@usf.com>
Message-ID: <erMQKzCk#GA.252@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144713

YU7XX wrote in message <372265BA.965365D@tig.com.au>...
<<<< SNIP SNIP >>>>

>You can laugh on this letter or you can go and have a good look in the
>mirror and ask your self 'what am I doing to stop this war?'
>
>It's up to YOU.
>
>Nick Hacko

I believe America should pull out of all Alliances and build our country back to the level it was. Bring back to our country the jobs lost to China (a fine example of humanity in itself) and all the other worthless money mongering foreigners who exploit their own.

What American politicans have not learned is we can not stop oppressors. But that is not politcally correct thinking, as since the credo of Politicians is it does not matter how badly things go, if you good doing it then it is a good deed.

2079. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <ixohoxi@micro-net.com>
Message-ID: <3724DD4D.6541@micro-net.com>
Source record: 144714

YU7XX wrote:
>
> Dear friends,
>
> Five weeks ago, this would be just sarcastic joke.
> Today, it's their reality. Hanibal ante portas.
> Barbarians are at our gates. They are using their largest
> and smartest bombs to destroy our schools and hospitals, our
> museums and ancient monasteries, our heating plants
> and food factories, our bridges and dams.
> "In the name of democracy and humanity ", of course.

Ah, here's the problem, Nick. What you aren't seeing, because Slobodan Milosevic doesn't want you to see it, is the brutal expulsion of hundred of thousands of ethnic Albanians from their homes. At least this time, because the NATO military is there, humanitarian aid reaches them a lot more quickly than usual.

NATO certainly isn't forcing Milosevic to do this. There's some evidence he had this in the works even before the NATO bombing started.

Also: are you not aware of how the Kosovar Albanians were completely disenfranchised where they lived? A people that was alredy poor had to build an underground school system, an underground medical system, and an underground economy. I read about this several years ago, and knew that it was only a matter of time before the situation would explode. Well, now is the time.

Dennis
KE5OT

2080. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g2otj$9a0$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144715

Michael Young wrote in message <925158292.396.95@news.remarQ.com>...
>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
>news:37249b1a.9078302@news.atl.bellsouth.net...
>> However, there is a technical solution to the ATC problem.
>> We could replace the AM radios with cryptographically
>> secure spread spectrum radios. Then it would be virtually
>> impossible to effectively jam or spoof them. The technology
>
>It also makes it impossible to communicate with older radios in private
>planes. Murphy had this part about technology right.
>
>Michael.

Hmm why just equip commercial aircraft and appropriate towers with the SS radios and leave everything else alone? Tower transmissions go out on analog and digital freqs at the same time, not unlike the analog/digital phone quandry.

Tim ka8ddz

2081. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmcdonld@thezone.net
Message-ID: <7g2o0p$ub7$1@nova.thezone.net>
Source record: 144716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I had to start another war, didn't I. I should have just metioned the software.

73, VO1CSM, Chris McDonald

2082. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g2pqs$nt2$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>You know those big mouth contesting hams who tout what great ops they are,
>right ?

You know those Anony-Mouse hams who hide behind a phony Deja News
email address and plaster their unsigned opinions all over the place, right ?

>If they're such great ops, why do they need absurd towers and the rest of us
>do it with wires ?

Same reason people drive Mercedes and you drive a Ford Pinto. They can
afford to have what they want.

Obviously there is only one thing worse than being an Anony-Mouse NumbNuts.
That's being a broke Anony-Mouse NumbNuts..... Get a job at McDonalds,
save your money, and you can buy a beam too.

73, Jim KH2D

2083. Re: More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g2q48$nt2$2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Doesn't take much to justify his 25,000 dollar antenna array.
>Yes Bill, we're all too stupid to find it on a map and need you to educate us.

Somebody needs to educate you, so you can get a job and buy an
antenna too.....

73, Jim KH2D

2084. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724efc3.1362604@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Replace CW with that!!!...:>)

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 18:43:15 GMT, "Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net>
wrote:

>
>Hey Joe,
>
>Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you other
>'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you cannot even
>make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.
>
>
>Food for thought.
>
>

2085. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f001.1424316@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

This is a perfect replacement for CW....just hope I would be
'grandfathered'...:>)

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 20:10:02 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

>Homebrew a stand alone PSK31 decoder/keyboard yet? While you're at it,
>make it cheap enough and rugged enough to ship gratis to deprived
>economies. Should you get an honorary Extra license for doing this? Why
>not?
>
>I'm trying to see your point, but all I see is contentiousness.
>
>Michael.
>
>Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net> wrote in message
>news:01be8f4b$b719e7c0$8560b6cd@cbx-nt...
>>
>> Hey Joe,
>>
>> Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you
>other
>> 'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you cannot
>even
>> make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.
>>
>>
>> Food for thought.
>>
>>
>

2086. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f066.1525703@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Thank God someone got the point of my post.Thanks.

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 19:57:43 GMT, quatsein@island.net (Steve Carlisle)
wrote:

>Joe, I agree with your post. I think a technical hurdle would be far
>more value to amatuer radio, than the antiquated morse hurdle.
>
>Steve Carlisle VE7AHL
>
>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:31:58 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>
>>SOAP-BOX mode>on....
>>
>>The difference in Hams who had to pass the CW requirements of their
>>particular license class,and the people who would like to have a
>>license in the same class,is simply the Hams WORKED for what they
>>have.The others obviously dont want it bad enough.I got past the 13
>>wpm CW requirement in 91 and,have never used CW since,as I had to work
>>so hard at it,I grew to hate it!(it didnt come very easy for me) I
>>do agree however,that CW ...maybe..shouldnt be a requirement,but it
>>should be replaced with something that will separate the serious radio
>>ops from the curious.A good friend of mine,who is an MD,stated it
>>perfectly..."75% of the 'hell' I went thru in medical school was
>>designed to 'weed out' the students who werent dedicated enough to
>>become a Doctor." The same holds true for Amateur Radio,in that there
>>should always be some difficult 'hurdle' to overcome before obtaining
>>a license.This is by no means a perfect solution,but its the only one
>>we have at the moment.
>>
>>SOAP-BOX mode>off....
>>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 17:39:26 GMT, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:
>>
>>>Exactly! This stubborn attitude will unfortunately be the death of Ham
>>>Radio!
>>>The attitude must change if there is any hope!
>>>
>>>> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
>>>> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
>>>> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of
>>>> requirements
>>>> are very outdated.
>>
>

2087. Re: Gun "Control"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <3725f0d0.621759@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144722
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 13:59:57 -0500, Kevin Alfred Strom
<kevin.strom@innocent.com> (in <3724B7AD.6BBD6FFA@innocent.com>)
wrote:

>To agree, as ILP seems to do, that it is a good thing for the
>government to have a monopoly on effective deadly force, one must be
>assuming that the government is 1) overwhelmingly benevolent, and 2)
>likely to remain so forever.
>
>In my view, neither assumption is warranted by the facts.

See http://www.2ndlawlib.org/journals/lethal.html (particlularly text
accompanying footnote 167)

See also (http://ls.wustl.edu/WULQ/75-3/753-4.html)

Mark
Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

2088. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3724f0d4.1635288@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If you feel so strongly against any difficulty in obtaining an Amateur
license,why not just buy a CB?Some people dont have your'gimme
something for nothing" attitude.In my opinion,Amateur Radio dosnt need
you.

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 22:54:20 GMT, removals1@iname.com (Shiva Nataraja)
wrote:

>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 15:31:58 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>
>>The difference in Hams who had to pass the CW requirements of their
>>particular license class,and the people who would like to have a
>>license in the same class,is simply the Hams WORKED for what they
>>have.
>
>This sounds similar to the logic used by fraternities, some parts of
>the military, etc. for the continued practice of hazing: "WE got the
>crap beat out of us when we joined; we deserve to beat the poo-poo out
>of someone, too!"
>
>If knowing Morse code is actually USEFUL for something these days,
>then by all means keep the requirement. But if nobody uses it, why
>bother? Somehow, I don't see extracting a pound of flesh from new
>recruits as a worthwhile reason.
>
>>I got past the 13 wpm CW requirement in 91 and,have never used CW since
>
>So by your own admission, knowing code is useless.
>
>>[The code requirement] should be replaced with something that will separate the serious
radio
>>ops from the curious.A good friend of mine,who is an MD,stated it
>>perfectly..."75% of the 'hell' I went thru in medical school was
>>designed to 'weed out' the students who werent dedicated enough to
>>become a Doctor." The same holds true for Amateur Radio,in that there
>>should always be some difficult 'hurdle' to overcome before obtaining
>>a license.This is by no means a perfect solution,but its the only one
>>we have at the moment.
>
>Why are such "hurdles" necessary? One can kind of understand it with
>the medical profession - it pays extremely well, and it's in
>everyone's best interests to weed out the gold-diggers. However, ham
>radio is a hobby - it pays nothing. In fact, it *costs* you some
>pretty serious money! The only benefits of participating in it are

>those derived from the activity itself. If you're not "serious" about
>it (whatever that means) you'll get bored and find something else to
>do, i.e. you'll weed yourself out; won't you?
>
>For the record, I am not a ham radio operator, but am considering
>becoming one at some point. Thus, barriers to entry (and the rationale
>behind them) are of great interest to me.
>

2089. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g0b98cpd0@208.207.71.176>
Source record: 144731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > Fun or not, pro-coders are ready.
> > It's certainly no surprise that you're not.
>
> Go ahead and ignore better emergency modes, Dick. We'll miss you.
>

And who said anything about ignoring better emergency
modes??? But we'll have one that you codehaters won't.

Dick W0EX

2090. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
Message-ID: <3723aeec.761978950@news.npwt.net>
Source record: 144732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 21:59:04 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <371E9FF1.BBFC9755@nationwide.net>,
> Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
>> >
>>
>> Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
>> they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
>> concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
>> or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
>>
>> What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
>>
>Can you begin to imagine how many people would have been killed if they didn't
>ban concealed weapons in NYC???

Many less than were in fact killed many past eras have shown that an
armed socieity tends to be politer. I and others can imagine a great
deal, not all of it to your liking I suspect

>Can you imagine how many people would have been killed if kids were allowed to
>carry semi-automatic weapons to schools in their trench coats in NYC???
>I'm from Earth....Did you ever live in New York?

personaly No but I have lived in DFW Indy and LA. Aaagin wif
evrybody were in afct armed would as many have been killed recently?

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

2091. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8fbf$8fcdb060$2be2abc3@default>
Source record: 144733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The murder rate in North America was even lower before
1492. How do you account for that ?

Reg.

2092. Amateur Radio Misfits Become USENET Abusers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990425204137.22788.00000825@ngol03.aol.com>
Source record: 144734

If there was any question as to the effectiveness of Riley Hollingsworth's recent campaign to clean up the Amateur Radio Service, one has to look no further than the recent activity on this Internet newsgroup. Most of the "top troublemakers" of 20 and 75 meters have surfaced here, many within the last several days. I need not mention any names or callsigns; it's plainly obvious as to whom I'm making reference to.

Look around. The prime violators, many of whom have been specific targets of recent FCC investigation and/or enforcement efforts, are now carrying on their personal vendettas via the Internet. Coincidence? Hardly. Expect more of these familiar "problem children" of the airwaves to surface here in the coming weeks as Mr. Hollingsworth's noose tightens around their collective necks and puts a long-overdue end to their illegal activities on amateur radio.

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

2093. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <y_OU2.1238$B55.83430@dfiatx1-snr1>
Source record: 144735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
> << SNIP >>
>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test
>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted to build, design, align
>and adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any
other
>class of radio service. Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>knowledge of the theory behind its operation.
>
>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>exists on 27 MHz.
>
> Regards
>
>Pete

And once all the smoke clears from the issue, the bottom line is just as you have stated.

I am a "no-code tech" at the moment, but will be upgrading soon. I am working hard to get it done BEFORE the change takes place (if it does). I hope that if the changes do take place, that a person be allowed to request to take his exams under the old requirements, and that there be some differentiation in call signs between those who earned their licenses and those who got them in a box of Cracker Jacks.

73 de KF6KNB

2094. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <3723b9f6.38191297@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 20:20:05 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>
>I am neither for keeping or eliminating the code. I will point out that
>thousands of DXers, ragchewers, QRP operators, Contesters and
>homebrewers operate on CW, some exclusively. CW is often referred
>to as the "gentleman's mode" in ham radio. Folks that claim that
>CW is outmoded and not used are not aware of the facts, and stating
>opinion rather that facts.

As indeed, you are doing here...stating YOUR opinion
and not facts as to the mode being whatever one might
care to consider it as.

>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>services such as CB.

NO!

Justifiable requirements are needed, not Hurdles simply
for the sake of hurdles.

>Note that the technical portion of the test
>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted
>to build, design, align and
>adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any other
>class of radio service.

Agree completely.

>Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>knowledge of the theory behind its operation.

Agree again!

>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory.

That is pure bull as NO ONE from the NO CODE
side has even suggested, much less asked for,
any no code/no theory license.

If you can provide proof to the contrary, please do.

>That class of license already exists on 27 MHz.

Actually that is incorrect as there is NO such thing as
a CB license at all.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2095. Apologies - was Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
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My apologies to the many newsgroups that
should have been deleted from the response I
sent several minutes ago. I should have looked
at the response newsgroups that the prior poster
had included.

Cheers and apologies again

Bill K2UNK

2096. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@nospam.nwpt.net
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On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 04:08:30 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <7fspg3$4oo$0@208.207.71.166>,
> reasonable analysis <observe@nd~report.net> wrote:
>> Mark Waldron wrote:

>> Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
>> since that didn't solve the problem,
>
>I admit it didn't totally solve the problem but it went a long way in the
>right direction because if there were no such bans there would be wholesale
>murder!

IYO, you don't know this, neither do I

>Yep...I'm sure the black market, as it may be called, is already in place as
>well as in operation...but that has nothing to do with laws that can make for
>punishment in the even rare cases where they might be enforced. Believe it
>or not some other nations who ban guns are asking the USA to be stricter.

I and others are well aware of the fact that much of the rest
would like to change US laws on a lot of subjects
>
>>
>> In a "free" society, there is only so much control that
>> can be exercised by any level of government - beyond that
>> point it is no longer free, but subject to the whim and
>> personal viewpoints of those individuals in power -at all
>> levels- at any time.
>
>In a free society all citizens have a right to life, liberty and the pursuit
>of happiness and freedom from the fear of unregulated weapons in the hands of

Just where is that in the Constitution I have read the entire
document and have seen of this. Indeed I seen things that argue
against this idea. One does does not have a right to free of all
fear, (esp irrational ones)

>hate mongers. You are correct in saying that no contrrol can be fully
>efficient BUT we still need some controls. No society is really completely

An unsported assertion. Indeed an unconstitution position,
Nobody can dienied the right to bear based on the point of view,
therfore guns can not be keep out of the hands of Hate mongers simply
because they are hate mongers. Indeed the threat to do so in violation
of the constitution drives many of these hate mongers and aids them in

getting others to join their cause

>"free" because in all societies some people are for some reasons freer than
>others...be it economical, political, or whatever reasons. Why is O.J.
>Simpson free? Why are others in jail who may be innocent but had dumb
>lawyers? No system is perfect.

In deed no system is prefect, and so what was your point?
>
>> Another effect of a nationwide gun ban would be to assure
>> that only the criminal element would posses them.
>
>Are High School students part of your "criminal element"?...BTW who are the
>"criminal element" ? IMHO there is only a "criminal element" in the minds of

Well we disagree again big surprise, of their is a criminal
element and a gun ban would make all gun owners members of it.

>bigoted haters who can perceive of some "criminal element" boggiemen who has
>some fictious ethinisity, race or religion. IMHO criminals are individuals

Indeed nothing the post makes these bigoted assumtions, you
seek to impose your your personal views on what the poster did and did
not say.

>who can not be identified by solely being of any race, religion, creed, etc.

Indeed they can be defined by a common creed, the idea that
they are premit to conduct criminal acts, as defined by society

>There are good and bad people in all groupings...The "mafia" is not all
>Italian,etc.

Indeed but only you are going on and on about race at this
point
>
>> Currently,
>> a criminal never can be sure who might be a gun owner and
>> pose a threat to him.
>
>So a criminal might want to kill anybody who might be able to draw a gun
>faster than he thinks he can...Instead of risking unarmed. Your logic makes
>no sense and only can lead to living in an armed camp where everyone feels he

Since that has been a govenring factor for the past 4000 years or so
and still this dire prediction has not come true

>must be armed because everyone else is...and then at the slightest
>provocation...maybe a family feud...maybe a lover's quarrel...maybe a
>teachers repremand...off go the loaded and waiting weapons...UGH...We don't
>need guns to be ever present. Some of us may neecd to let off steam without

Damm good thing your sort of logic dhas never prevailed. lets see weed
still be English subjects or Nazi germany would rulle the wolrd

today. The presense of weapons does not mandate thier use.

>the ability of reaching for a weapon that can be used to inflict multiple
>casualties in short order.

Gee just who is it that advocted that use of weapons.

>
>But a maniac schitsophrenic may not care about any threat to his life...he may
>be suicidal as were two of those high school students!

Again what is your point? are you arguing that the run of the
mill criminal is suicidal by nature?
>
>> Such is usually avoided unless the
>> crook is abnormally stupid or under influence of some
>> illicit but ILLEGAL substance, which is common. Under a
>> total gun ban he really wouldn't need to worry much about it
>> since lawabiders wouldn't own guns.
>
>People who kill are neither necessarily stupid nor logical nor drugged. I
>would suggest that you take a course in abnormal behavior. If only a few
>didn't own guns and it saved only a few lives I would be for making guns a

Indeed that is obvious, and quite consistant with your
controling mentality.

>lot harder to own. There are bootlegger Hams but that does not mean that we
>should not make people who want to be licensed be licensed without any

And nobody (who should be taken seriously) has ever seriously
advanced that notion. but your reaction is more test and to deny the
basic idea that Ham radio is about radio, instead you see it as being
about testing. Frankly this suggests that you might be well advised to
take a break from being a VE and smell the air waves a bit more

>examinations. It must be difficult for minors and previously convicted

It is somewhat difficult but will never be impossible for
these people

>criminals to obtain guns and maybe even a little harder for anyone to obtain
>guns. Laws are weak...One law said that a person could only buy one gun per
>month...Heck in several years he or she could build an arsenal. Does any
>individual need that many guns?

Why does his need govern the matter? I suspect that you have
a fair sized collection of somethign or other that you don't NEED in
any real sense. Why might he feel the need? Well holding the idea that
our society was heading for a civil war is a decent justifacation as
far as I'm concerned.
>
>> It seems to always be the leftwingers who insist on
>> complete control in the name of "freedom, protection and

>> justice". Observe these terms closely, for definitions mean
>> everything. There is a constant Utopian search for a perfect
>> "system" which cannot exist within a human setting. Remember
>> the USSR and "communism"?
>
>Left wingers often are libertarians who want no controls...especially no
>controls from affluent capitalists...You are a victim of old
>propaganda...which is no longer popular because... Communism and Marxist

Left wing idealogies have never been limited to the example
that you listed. Now today we have the odd setting of the left and the
right often wanting total control in the name freedom protection and
justice.

>Socialism doesn't work and they are different an now unpopular ECONOMIC
>systems...even in modern China...This has very little to do with what we are
>discussing here. Right wing capitalists have a right to protection of their

Indeed they do have that right and your point is?

>own lives and propertties in our society (The right to own and protect

Indeed they do have that right and your point is?

>property is certainly a right wing right) and I for one believe that that is
>an important right that has as much priority as any left wing pinko's assumed
>rights...No class of people and no individuals should have to fear that

I see your point total control and trusting the government.
Well personal I trust no government, esp including my own. Mine my
happen to be one of the better ones but that still is no reason to
trust further than I must.

>weapons may be in the hands of anarchists or children or nuts who have no
>political persuasion other than Hate. The nuts who are blinded by ignorant

Indeed if that logic prevails then claerly we see policy made
based on the notion that anybody that disgarees with the proponent of
a law is based on hate of some sort and therefore has no rights etc.
That is the basic theme of the Nazis, with the word hate substituted
for threat. according to Nazis the Jews were a threat to society as
such they could denied their rights under law. You porpose to base
policy on the idea that those who hate lose their rigths as well, and
therefore sooner or later can be treated to a new Final Solution.

>hate are neither to be associated with left or right wings. They are a threat
>to all wings. There is no entirely perfect Utopia. We need laws and law
>enforcers... but no laws or law enforcers can be entirely efficient nor can
>they avoid taking away some of the assumed rights of the public. Police have

Really more unsuported assertion. Don't you have any facts or
is all of this just a tirade based on your personal giases.

>a right to search our vehicles without a formal warrent...Airline security
>agents have a right to look in our bags..They can search mine because I carry
>no drugs..no arms...and no stollen goods. They can finger print me and take

And of course anyone that feels their rights are being
violated is obviously a criminal etc.

>my DNA...I have nothing to fear because I am not a criminal...IMHO those

LOLgo read the story about the guy said nothing when they
hauled away the jews because he was not jew. till finaly he was hauled
away and nobody was left to say anything about him

>INDIVIDUALS who fear that their rights may be relinquished may be the

Indeed be a good Nazi, turn the constitution on it's head. the
State can not be allowed to turn the protections of the consitutions
against the citizens. take a minute and go TNG "Drumhead"

>criminals (but not any mythological "criminal element"). IMHO People who
>fear to identify may always be suspects.

It if be criminal to demand ones rights, then I take and wear the
label proudly. Freedom is never free, and must always be frought for
and fought over. Those that forfet there rights to state are no longer
free, and indeed often are not in a position to to fight.

>
>> If you were a Hitler, Stalin, Saddam Hussein, Milosovich,
>> Mao etc what would YOU support in the way of gun control?
>
>For who? Your own armies? Your enemies? Internal rebels? This has nothing
>to do with gun control internal to a nation at peace. Obedience to authority
>does mean that you drop your guns when your nation officially surrenders (as
>all obedient Japanese did when they lost WW2)...This is the only good
>argument against gun control that I saddly admit to....Because if some nation

Indeed the right of the pople to rebel is the reason for
allowing guns in Americia. It needs no other.

>won a war against the USA and we surrendered...I dunno if it would exactly be
>easy to occupy Texas. (:=))

Texas would a walk in the park compared to LA, with it's gangs that
are able to rival the armies of some 3rd world nations
>
>> In fact what DID all of them dictate within their own
>> spheres of influence?
>
>Heck I wouldn't mind if Hitler collected all Jewish owned guns. It was the
>Jewish skins that were made into lampshades that enoyed me. Ask yourself what
>spark started WW1 in Europe? It was one extremest with a gun. Before

As point of fact theire were two assigans that day, one of
whom was claerly in the employ of the Serbian Goveernment.

>WW2..Another gun nut, who happened to be a Jew, caused Germans to reply with

Bullshit Crystal nacht was well planed by the Nazis and indeed the
whole blueprint of Nazi agression was plain to see in the writitngs of
Hitler/ crystal Nacht was the fault of the Nazi's I am sick of your
blaming the vitums

>the famous "Crystal Nacht" which destroyed Jewish property and started the
>mass persecution of German Jews.

I guess the mere oppresion that came before Crstal Nacht was
nothing at all, the process of Ojeckte (if I remember the term
correctly) legal and semi legal means to tax the jews out of the
nation that was all the fauklt of the jews. Good greif you are trueing
making me ill at this point. Nice to know that is My great uncle's
fault he ended up dead at Sachsenhausen

Mark Morgan
KB9RQZ

Public comment welcome, indeed private email
on the Morse Code issues, esp if insulting will
become Public at My sole discretion

Sending Private email is deemed acceptance of these terms

Why can't people keep there flames Public?

Now spmaing will be dealt with as I see fit

2097. 10 meter mobile radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w5yrz@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3723c248.28660845@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144739

I am considering buying a 10 meter mobile radio. I have found one that puts out 12 watts on ssb and another one for twice the cost that puts out 25 watts on ssb. I would like someone elses opinion on whether or not 12 watts would get me contacts or should I spend the extra money for 25 watts? Any comments would be appreciated.

Thanks,
Stan Garrett
w5yrz@worldnet.att.net

2098. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g0gjjedu3@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <y_OU2.1238$B55.83430@dfiatx1-snr1>, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net> wrote:
>CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>> << SNIP >>
>>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>>services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test
>>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted to build, design, align
>>and adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any
>other
>>class of radio service. Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>>knowledge of the theory behind its operation.
>>
>>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>>exists on 27 MHz.
>>
>> Regards
>>
>>Pete
>
>
>And once all the smoke clears from the issue, the bottom line is just as you
>have stated.
>
>I am a "no-code tech" at the moment, but will be upgrading soon. I am
>working hard to get it done BEFORE the change takes place (if it does). I
>hope that if the changes do take place, that a person be allowed to request
>to take his exams under the old requirements, and that there be some
>differentiation in call signs between those who earned their licenses and
>those who got them in a box of Cracker Jacks.
>
>73 de KF6KNB

I'm a tech Plus and went for my General exams today. Passed the written,
but not the code. I've been busting my butt on the code, did fine home but I
guess nervousness and the fact that they sent the 13wpm at about 17 made me
miss a lot of characters. Well, I'm halfway there now so more practicing for
me on the code. I think the code tests should be lowered in speed but since
it's not yet I'll just have to really practice a lot more.

Back to practice!

73,
Tom

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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2099. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g0hch$ou7$0@208.207.71.153>
Source record: 144741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> The murder rate in North America was even lower before
> 1492. How do you account for that ?
> -----
> Reg.

Hey, Reg! What the heck you doing here? you're supposed to be maintaining a vigil on r.r.a.antenna to see if a Fractured antenna ever materializes.

But--really, now, those Injuns who had this side o' the pond pretty well covered before Chris set sail did their full share of hacking on each other, too. In fact that seems to have been their main entertainment.

73, Dick W0EX

2100. Re: 10 meter mobile radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g0h8ledu4@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144742

In article <3723c248.28660845@netnews.worldnet.att.net>, w5yrz@worldnet.att.net wrote:
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>for 25 watts? Any comments would be appreciated.
>
> Thanks,
> Stan Garrett
> w5yrz@worldnet.att.net

When 10 is open (which is frequently lately) 12 watts will get you out fine.
An HTX-100 will do 25 watts and used they run around $100 or so. Excellent
radio too.

73,
Tom

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2101. SSB Contacts a Bore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g0kl5$bh7$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

It's interesting to hear the 75 ya em crowd. They seem to be able to discuss more than their rig and QSL routes. I figure if you are on AM to begin with, you must not think like the typical lock step carbon copy cookie cutter FT-1000MP, Alpha 99 and TH7 at 105 feet ham.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2102. Re: 10 meter mobile radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be8fd6$63007420$2be2abc3@default>
Source record: 144744

Hi Stan,

The difference between 12 and 25 watts amounts to 3
decibels or approximately one half of an S-unit when on SSB
or AM. Which is not very noticeable in a moving vehicle
where the S-meter is up and down like a yo-yo anyway.

In slightly more technical terms, a 25-watt transmitter
will lay down the same signal strength at a distance of 10
miles across town, as a 12-watt transmitter will lay down
at about 7 miles. This roughly doubles the service area
and, if a uniform geographical distribution of radio
amateurs is assumed, will double the chances of having a
local QSO.

If the chance of a local QSO after calling CQ is only 1 in
10 then doubling it will not amount to very much. It might
takes months of operating to notice such a difference.

DX-wise, 2000 mile and 1400 mile distances will have
roughly the same 3 dB or half S-unit difference in signal
strength. You would probably not detect any significant
difference in the number of successful QSO's between 1
month operating on 12 watts and the next month operating on
25 watts. The doubling of service area does not apply
because of skip distance. There will be no QSO's at
distances less than skip distance because the radio waves
on 10 meters will not come back down to earth till then.
A 1500-mile skip is not unusual. At greater distances
signal strengths often vary by several S-units over a
period of minutes.

In my opinion you should buy the 12-watt transmitter. With
the money you save either spend some of it on a much higher
antenna or put it in the savings-bank until you have enough
to buy a 100-watt job. THEN you will notice the difference
!
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****
Reg, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp

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2103. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g0p77$f6e$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144745
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In article <37544950.774662362@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
> On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 21:59:04 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >In article <371E9FF1.BBFC9755@nationwide.net>,
> > Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
> >> >
> >>
> >> Right. New York City is a textbook case for this logic. OK let's see,
> >> they banned guns there, which I believe includes ones that are
> >> concealed,.....Hey! it worked! NYC has absolutely NO gun violence,
> >> or gun control problems any more! Like Magic!
> >>
> >> What the hell planet are you from, anyway, Bob?
> >>
> >Can you begin to imagine how many people would have been killed if they
didn't
> >ban concealed weapons in NYC???
>
> It is easy enough to find out. Just look at the murder rates in NYC before and
> after the Sullivan Act was passed. You won't like what you find, because the
> per capita murder rate was *lower* before the Sullivan law (compare 1895 with
> 1995). Assaults, burglaries, and robberies were lower before the Sullivan law
> too. The same thing happened more recently when DC enacted a gun ban.
> Criminal activity is discouraged by an armed citizenry. That's been proven
> time and again. When Florida enacted a concealed carry permit, rapes and
> strong arm robberies declined. England is a recent case in point for the other
> direction. After the draconian gun ban, violent home invasions are up 800%.

I see many falacies once we start trying to relate time, crime and human
behavior. Each case of mass murder..[multiple shootings] which occurs may be
unique. Obviously each may be a case of the abnormal behavior of people who
become driven by anti-social motivations. When we compare 1895 with 1995 we
see a vast difference in culture. The social role of women and minorities
has changed drastically in 100 years for example...and so has the role of
adolescents and the freedoms that they may expect. Teenagers want freedom
and many seem to want freedom without responsibility. There were always
criminals...but it is interesting to note that although many people were poor
in the great depression it did not usually result in crimes of hate against
peers. Most people realized that they were not suffering alone and had
compassion for others...BUT there were organized compeating criminals who
distributed liquor during the days of prohibition and as we see in the movies
there were bank and train robbers. The movies also showed that crime didn't
pay and the bad guys would always get caught and punished in the end. Now

such flicks would be considered too mundane and predictible...so they are passe. But as I said the violence of TV, movies and video games alone can not make people into crazy killers. The big trouble starts when we explore what motivates each and every individual. We suffer from a great dilemma here. All humans must be balanced to the effect that they can be both inner and outer directed. There is a price to pay when a human becomes only outer directed and it is just as bad when a person becomes soley inner directed. We want to be individuals who can think and even dream for ourselves but we must live in society and we must be cheerfully obedient to sane authority, even when we think we know better and even if the authority seems to be hypocritical. In short we must respect law and order even when or if we feel like rebelling. Each individual has the responsibility of making his or her own decisions...without blaming anyone else. This is hard to do for some young people especially; often because of poor communicatiion with parents and teachers (authority figures). It is interesting that the most educated parents often expect too much from their own children...and don't always appreciate the children's problems with self-image due to limitations of abilities. The parents want to give their children the right to make their own decisions...often too soon. They want to give ther kids "allowances" and buy them cars as soon as they are old enough to drive...but they give the kids too much... often before the kids are ready for responsibility. These parents want to be sure that their kids don't lack anything that the other local kids have. Sooo the kids seek more exciting and challenging roles from more fantastic role models.... like movie killers in trench coats with semi-automatic weapons...and these upper middle class nutty kids can proceed to live out the fantacies, which any sane person would never even really seriously fantasize about. Maybe poor kids wouldn't expect to ever get the money to buy the right types of trench coats to fullfill such fantacy...Maybe kids in 1895 and even adults in 1895 in the culture of that day would never fantacize seriously about commiting crimes just for the sake of doing them. Remember such crimes as occurred in the schools are not robberies...they are not motivated by a desire to get anything ...because material things are not what is being sought ...only revenge for some imagined attack on a deluded self-image.... and that deluded self-image is not just a product of movies and video games it is a product of the same kind of society that (and you'll pardon my return to Ham Radio Policy) that places a more glorified image on the Hams who are operators of ready bought appliances than the Hams who are constructive builders of crude looking radios and experiments. We can not argue about VALUES because there are no right and wrong VALUES in themselves other than truly ethical ones. BUT in my viewing of the past and present cultures; I see the old Hams as people who wanted to learn how radio worked and to build a radio station themselves for this would fullfill their own desired feeling of accomplishment...I see the hate mongering Hams as just the opposite...They are fullfulling what they feel is the "cool" thing that their own fantacies are made of...they can not get envolved with anything that can not be fantisized as a possible way to broadcast revenge. We had a culure of being CONSTRUCTIVE that has IMHO often evolved to a culture of being DESTRUCTIVE.

> >Can you imagine how many people would have been killed if kids were allowed
to
> >carry semi-automatic weapons to schools in their trench coats in NYC???
>
> Prior to 1968, anyone could buy a gun by mail order, including the
semiautomatics
> some people seem to fear so much, with no waiting periods, background checks,

etc. Yeah but maybe kids couldn't as easily afford to buy the mail order guns because they were saving up to buy tubes to build a radio or a miniture gas engineer for a model airplane they were building. Even $20 was a lot of money to them and if they had a part time job...remember that in the 1890s there was not yet any minimum wage. I remember when I was a kid in the 40s some kids "worked" for the local drug store delivering prescriptions to the sick. They worked for nothing hoping to get occasional nickle or dime tips. How long would it take them to save $20?...and how much time would it take them to decide where and how best to spend it. They wanted to spend it on something that might legally be valuable to them in their futures.

> They were cheap too, with a 1911A1 .45ACP going for about $25, and a 9mm P38
going
> for about $20 from the large mail order dealers. There were no such things as
gun free
> school zones. Many teens kept rifles or shotguns in their pickups parked in
the school
> yard (not in NYC of course). Yet, incidents like those we've recently seen
were virtually
> non-existent. This is a clear indication that easy access to guns is not the
factor which
> determines whether these sorts of violent incidents will occur. The truth is,
guns were
> easier to get years ago, many kids had them (legally), yet the sorts of
violence we see
> today was almost unheard of in that era.

Yeah...It reminds me of Allen Shepherd's "Christmas Story", where the kid wanted a BB gun and everyone warned him that he'd shoot his eyes out. I think that parents and even kids did have it all together years ago and are lacking something now. The thrill of being a Boy Scout or a Ham has been replaced by being thrilled by the kind of hateful fantacy that places no value on any human life...because being a Boy Scout or a licensed Ham is now just too tame. We are not at war with the Japanese or Germans and can not channel our hate to them. Of cause now there are Slobodan, Saddam, etc. but I'm not sure that kids can see them clearly as enemies with the same kind of hate that most kids I knew had for Tojo and Hitler during WW2. Kids who wanted to be heros (or killers) saved themselves for the time that they might be able to enlist in military service to fight the real enemy.

> What has changed is not easier availability of guns (availability was easier
then, at least
> *legal* availability was easier). What has changed is the willingness of
people, particularly

> young people, to commit violent acts. If we want to stop violence, we have to look at that
> problem, and solve that problem, which is at heart a people problem, not a

thing problem. What has changed is American culture and American society that even now is unable to properly place the blame for tradgedy. We can not continue to enable kids or people with mental disorders to collect arms and explosives. Unfortunately trying to stop them (and no method would be entirely effective) places certain limitations and restrictions upon everyone. We must permit our bags to be X-rayed if we want to fly and we must all register guns and if we sell them privately we must be certain that the buyers are capable of being responsible for the guns and we must report all sales to the enforcing authorities. Now I know that that will not be easy...It is easier just to blame horror movies and games than to do anything that might inconveinence people...Heck some people think that hams should be licensed without taking any tests at all! Taking tests might restrict their "freedom" or not be convient and it might even crush their fantacies about their own self-image if they failed a test.

> The largest mass murder in US history was committed by a young man using a gallon of
> gasoline to firebomb the only unlocked entrance to a crowded club (in NYC).

Availability Yep but gasoline and other possible devices of destruction [in the wrong hands] are necessary for their normal purposes...Guns stand out as primarily weapons and this labels them...not only because they can kill but because they are seen by killers as efficient tools of killing. You can kill somebody with a baseball bat too BUT the usually fantacy is to hit a home run with it. Psychological written tests were given to groups of subjects. One group was given guns and trained on shhoting them...another group was not. The gun group was allowed to hold their guns while taking a test which was designed to test for aggressive attitude, hate, etc. The group who had no guns scored less prone to harbor fellings of hate, bigotry, inappropriate delusions of granduer, etc. than the gun group. The same tests were tried with other gun and non-gun subjects. The results were consistant.

> of guns isn't the cause of violence, and guns haven't been the instruments of the worst
> violent acts committed in the US. If we want to solve the problem of violence, we have to
You are correct there... An airplane crash can and has killed more people!
> concentrate on the reasons people commit it, not on the methods that they use.
>
> This is a complex and difficult problem. People want simplistic quick fixes, but there
You are correct. There are no simple fixes because no gun ban could be 100% effective and also it is not easy to change the opinions of people who believe that gun ownership is a right and that guns should be part of our culture. BUT IMHO the fewer guns there are the fewer masd-men can get themto commit crimes of any kind.
> are no simple or quick fixes to this problem. One clue, however, is to look at

what
> was different 50 or 100 years ago. That way we can get some idea of what has
changed
> to cause our society to produce so many vicious little animals (the bulk of
violent criminal
> activity is commited by people under 24). Perhaps the biggest change was that
in an
> earlier time it was recognized that parenting was a full time job, and one
parent stayed
> home to do it.

I do agree with your observation here...BUT could we change the role that woman now have in society? Can we restrict mothers to being full time housewives when they want to fullfull their own conceived potentials and use their educations and abilities to have careers outside the home? Can we make men capable of supporting a middle class life style without help from their employed wives?..The answrer is NO...Them days are gone forever...but now you are admitting that the gun and the murder stats are overwhelmed by the cultural differences that existed 100 years ago and this is what I essentially said at the start of this post.

> That's not a politically correct observation, but I think it
> cuts to the heart
> of why so many children are now so wild. There are many other reasons, of
> course.

Now you are making much sense. It is not just the guns themselves I am willing to also admit...It is not the movies or video games alone either...It is the difference in social American culture...and IMHO although not as serious a threat to human life...It is this same difference in culture which may kill Ham Radio! The only way to save Ham Radio in my opinion is to build up respect for the hobby as being educational and constructive...True that may not seem exciting to kids and even adults in today's *horrific* culture BUT IMHO it is the only thing that will succeed in the long run. We must make ham radio something that will attract Constructive types not something that can seem fantastic to Distructive types.

> We've "mainstreamed" the mentally ill onto our streets, we've forced together
cultures
Huhhh...I know a lot of mentally ill who were "mainstreamed" for appropriate treatment...but not to the streets.
> with different values, we operate a rotating door justice system, we've made

sure crime Hold on now.. Cultures don't have different values because of ethnic, religious, or racial differences...We must all be part of that "Americans All" culture or we can not succeed as a nation. The only cultures to fear are the cultures of haters and bigots. True our legal system may not always do the right thing but it is based on ethical democracy at least in the books. We can not become paranoid and fear others because fear can lead to unjustified hatred. In order to survive all cultures must have ethics and at least real respect for humanity and the rights of others. IMHO all do in theory. What we started to talk about were the changes in general

sociological culture which have been brought about by different life styles due to mothers going to work, kids having to be on their own at earlier ages, etc.

> pays with our war on some drugs, etc.
>
> We've created a pervasive climate for violence to flourish, and we are reaping the results
> of that. The only way, short of creating a police state, to solve the problem of violence is to
> address the reasons it occurs, and correct the things we have done to foster it. What we do
> not want to do is to remove people's most effective tools for resisting violent attack.
I differ in that I do not believe that gun ownership by me or anyone else significantly would limit my risk in the improbable case that anyone would bother to attack me. With my big mouth..I might be more vulnerable to attack because many people do not always agree with me on lots opf subjects...but I still don't think I need any guns.
>That
> would unleash whatever limits the vicious animals among us have by assuring them that
> their victims will be helpless to resist.
Anyone who can call 911 or have 911 automatically called is not exactly helpless.
>Ask yourself how different things
>would have been
> in Littleton if every adult in that school had been armed (illegal thanks to

the gun free school Oh no...The kid with the auto-matic gun wasn't even afraid to kill himself...Some of the "heros" who would try to stop him with guns, might have not taken cover themself and gotten involved a shoot-out. The likelyhood of more people getting shot ...both those with guns and the kids who might get in the line of fire is ever present...the end result could be more deaths...remember there is a statistical probability that the more bullets fired the more people may be killed or seriously injured. It matters little who fires the guns involved. The bullets from the good guys can be as dangerous as the bullets from the bad guys. It is a sad fact of wars that many soldiers are killed accidently by "friendly" fire.

> zone law). Now look at what they're actually proposing, more security cameras, as if a camera
> is any defense against someone intent on mass murder. A camera might deter a shoplifter,
> but not someone intent on mass murder.

That is true camaras can only help in identifying criminals after the crime is done..No cameras can stop a suicidal killer nor can guns unless they hit him before he has a chance to kill anyone BUT remember it is the killer who has the advantage because he started firing first and has not only the element of surprtise in his favor but the fact that your mind-set is not the

same as his...by the time you realize that you must kill him he might just as well have killed you. If you know there is a gunman in the building better hide because his adrenaline is flowing and it might take yours a while to be competitive.

>Once again, the emphasis is on things rather than
> on dealing immediately and effectively with the people who are intent on doing evil.
You never can be 100% sure of who the evil people are. Parents, teachers and professional people can't predict when and if a person will go on a murder spree.
>
> On another front, are the parents of the vicious kids in Colorado, and Arkansas, and
> Kentucky responsible for what their kids did? YES THEY ARE!

Here I agree with you exactly BUT the communities feel sorry for these parents as I said in another post and they will not even think of punishing them for their negligence. In the Ramsey case where a little girl was killed while her parents were present in the same house..I hold those parents responsible for the safety of that child even if they themselves did not murder her. They should serve some jail time on that count alone as an example to others and we should not feel sorry for them unless they can prove that thir lives were also threatened by their child's alleged but unfound murderer. Parents are responsible for their childrens welfare as well as everyones safety and parents should not deny that responsibility. In cases where parents can not be responsible children may be placed in foster homes.

>But it is unlikely that
> they will be held accountable. If you have a vicious dog, you are liable if that dog attacks
> someone. You can even go to jail for failing to leash or muzzle the animal. But parents
> are allowed to escape the responsibility for their vicious little animals' actions. That's
> not right, and it needs to change, right now. When parents fail to properly supervise
> and control their children, they should be held liable for the actions of those children
> just as if they had pulled the trigger themselves. That might cause parents to take
> their responsibilities more seriously.

I totally agree and I believe that the laws to that effect are stronger in some other industriasl nations...Here again is American culture that tends to make children independent as soon as possible and forgets that before children are mature to be legally responsible parents are rersponsible to a great extent.

> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net

This was a good post Gary...I agree with everything you said EXCEPT for your romance with the popular American gun culture.

Hams need more classes,
I never met a Ham I didn't like,
Bob Wex w2ilp
I make it |Please don't shoot it down.

> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
The dead can't live to collect any warentees. Nor can dead gun owners be conforted by NRA propaganda.
--w2ilp--

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2104. nec pager

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Stodart <gencomm@iinet.net.au>
Message-ID: <3723E01A.621D@iinet.net.au>
Source record: 144746

I am looking for the circuit and test mode details relating to the nec radio pager, model number R3A4-10A.

Can anyone assist?

2105. Re: Want: Hufco TWS-6 Freq. Counter Schmatic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9904252338520.17370-100000@Stratus.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 144747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999, Randy and Cara Randall wrote:

>
> The subject line says it all. A photo copy will do. PLEASE
> NO $20.00 manuals!
> The counter is probably not worth $20.00 when working! (:'>
>
> Thanks for your kind attention.
> Randy KB8ASO Milan, IN.
>
Do you just want a schematic for interest sake, or are you trying to
repair it?

Those date from 1976 and there isn't anything special about the circuitry.
I found an ad for them in the February 1976 issue of 73, but it doesn't
give much detail. There was a review of a Hufco counter some time later
in 73, but mine are not organized well enough to be able to find the
article easily.

It's going to use a chain og 7490's to divide down the timebase, and a
7490 BCD counter/(maybe a latch, a 7475)/decoder per digit. There is
nothing magical about that, and there really is only a set way to connect
them up so you can easily get the details from all kinds of articles zbout
building frequency counters. The only unique circuitry would be the input
circuit and the rewet circuits.

The January 1976 issue of 73 has an article by Jim Huffman titled "A $50
Self-Powered Counter". It's an almost pocket size unit. It has three
digits and a switch to see the rest of the decimal places. It shows the
input circuitry, which is a 40673 MOSFET feeding a 7413 Schmitt trigger.
I'm not looiing it up, but that's what was used in the K2OAW frequency
counter which appeared in a multi-part article in 73 in 1972. I suppose
there might be slight component variations. It gives some more details,
but it's pretty much some stringing together of some module like circuit
boards that the company made.

The February 1976 issue of 73 has another article by Jim Huffman, "What do
You Want to Count?" It sort of goes into the explanation of those
"modules". There's a three digit counting board, and on it each digit has
a 7490 counter, a 7447 decoder and a 7-segment LED readout. It doesn't
bother with a latch. There's another IC at the bottom of the board which
I can't read, but a schematic for the board shows a 7400.

So if nobody comes up with the schematic, the question becomes: "What's inside?". Is it one whole board, or "modules"? What IC's are on the board? Unless the reference frequency comes from the AC line (it's been done!), there will be a crystal oscillator and a chain of 7490's to divide it down, and they will all be wired up the same way, since they are all dividing by ten.

The display units are going to be something like the above and layout itself will show a pattern. If it's a bad readout, you look up the decoder IC and see whether it's meant for common anode or common cathode, and then buy a new one. The pinout may be the same, but you can verify by the wiring on the circuit board, since the decoder is a known absolute.

The input circuitry may require some tracing, but if it's got a MOSFET and a 7413, chances are he used the K2OAW input circuitry, and you jast have to verify the match.

Another popular input circuitry came from a commercial frequency counter and when QST reviewed it, must have been 1972, they showed the circuitry. From there, it showed up in plenty of the frequency counter articles of the time. It was an FET and bipolar transistor buffer capacitor coupled to a 7404 with the first or the first two stages set for linear operation via a feedback resistor. I mention the circuit since it was popular and it might have possibly shown up in the Hufco counter.

If the reference chain is not working (you can check it by figuring out the dividing ratio and hooking an audio amplifier to a low frequency output (the 7490 data sheet will give you the proper pin) for a tone. Try a different crystal (anything in the same range will give you an indication, and if there's still no tone, then inject another oscillator into the input of the first 7490 (such as from one of those crystal oscillators in a metal can that fit a 14pin dip socket). You'll have to figure your other schemes if still nothing comes out; but since they are digital IC's they will either be working or not.

The reset circuitry may be the most difficult since there are all kinds of ways of doing it. On the other hand, if there are no latches the circuit will be even simpler than most that were published.

The counter may look complicated, because of the number of IC's, but most of the wiring is repetitive. Once you've figure out one digit, the rest will be the same.

Of course, if you've got a blank board this may not be too helpful, unless the IC numbers are silk screened on the board. If it's just a blank board, you'd do well to forget it. Not because it's too much trouble to build a frequency counter with such small scale integration IC's, but becuase it used straight 74xx series TTL that used a lot of current and didn't have very high frequency range and you could do it simpler today with better integrated logic, and more likely CMOS or Schottky.

Michael VE2BVW

2106. Ebay: Motorola Radius GM900 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net
Message-ID: <3723df2a.197694535@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 144748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Motorola Radius VHF GM900 Mobile. Model number M01KHK9AN3AN.
136-178MHz, 16 channels, with
5-tone signalling. Cosmetically it is a 10/10. Transmits,
receives, and appears to work just fine, but it is sold as is.
No mounting bracket, power cable or mic included (uses standard
Radius power cable and mic). Will have
programmed before shipping if required. Buyers must prepay with an
Internationally Negotiable money order in
US funds. Buyer pays actual shipping and insurance costs.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=95974160

2107. Ebay: Motorola GP68 Service/Programming Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net
Message-ID: <3724ebd0.200933234@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 144749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual. Includes schematics,
exploded views, and programming
instructions for the GP63, GP68, GP68 Plus, and GP68-8. Original
Motorola, not a photocopy. Buyer prepays
with Internationally Negotiable money order. Buyer prepays actual
shipping charges.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=96070751

2108. New Amateur Radio Web Ring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hotradio@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g0tv6$j0s$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144750

Web page owners - I have started a new web ring, called the Amateur Radio Links Web Ring. For more information, go to <http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/Floor/2632/webring.html> All Amateur radio related web sites are welcome.

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2109. Re: Amateur Radio Misfits Become USENET Abusers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g0ufi$j5f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <19990425204137.22788.00000825@ngol03.aol.com>,
rfenforcer@aol.com (RFEnforcer) wrote:

"Amateur Radio Misfits Become USENET Abusers" What a laugh ! Most residents
from ham radio world don't fit in the real world. Everything most hams do is
by definition odd to the rest of the world:

The wanna be cop with a belt shack at age 50 ?
Men who wear names on their hats ?
People who put up towers professionals don't have and risk life and limb when
wires work fine ?
People who blindly throw 3 grand at a radio company because the company cries
poverty when computer prices have fallen at an infinitely greater ratio ?

> If there was any question as to the effectiveness of Riley Hollingsworth's
> recent campaign to clean up the Amateur Radio Service, \

He hasn't collected a red cent and ARRL's childlike canonization of him is a
sign that they never matured beyond a teenage fascination with the artificial
community of geeks known as ham radio. Besides, it will backfire when he
leaves and the next non ham gets assailed by non dues paying ham whiners....

one has to look no
> further than the recent activity on this Internet newsgroup. Most of the "top
> troublemakers" of 20 and 75 meters have surfaced here, many within the last
> several days.

They've been here for years.

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2110. Silvertone 701??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbuseron31@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990426005750.19397.00001548@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 144752

I am restoring my grandfathers Silvertone 701, I don't have any info on it.
Any info I can get about this antique radio would be greatly appreciated. Thank
You.

2111. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g10pg$kv0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3723189C.2DF758F4@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> > In article <7fspg3$4oo$0@208.207.71.166>,
> > reasonable analysis <observe@nd~report.net> wrote:
> > > Mark Waldron wrote:
> > > Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
> > > since that didn't solve the problem,
> >
> > I admit it didn't totally solve the problem but it went a long way in the
> > right direction because if there were no such bans there would be wholesale
> > murder!
>
> There is not "wholesale murder" in Phoenix where open carry of handguns
> is perfectly legal and anyone except felons and mental incompetents can
> own as many as they like.

Littleton, Colorado was 15 lives lost. It got the nation thinking and talking and the President and Vice President got thinking and speaking about it too. It is easy to be against the killing of children...everyone is. BUT that was not even "retail killing" compared to what would happen in NYC if they had similar gun laws (or lack of gun laws) there. What makes New York so different? A different mix of peoples who can manage to live in peace live in New York. They are not as homogeneous as the people in most parts of the South West and many are suspecious of their neighbors and hateful. In any typical day in NYC some group is picketing for some contriversial cause...or at least controversial in the minds of some other groups. What might be small or age old disagreements could easily evolve into mass riots with people taking sides that are based on uncontrolled panic and revenge rather than logic.

>In Arizona,
> and other states with concealed weapon permits, a criminal never knows but
> what the guy beside him may be armed.

Do you think that suicidal crazy criminals really care?

> Armed robberies have been nipped in
> the bud by such law-abiding citizens. A robber pulled a knife on me one night
> in a bowling alley parking lot in Mesa, AZ while I was waiting to pick up my
> kids. All I had to do was show him my 9mm Detonics and he took flight. Those
> kinds of incidents happen all the time and go unreported.

If he didn't take flight...would you have killed him? What if he wrestled the gun from you and shot you instead of cutting you? What if it all started because he had the gun insteads of a knife because it was easy for him to buy and carry a gun?? I could go on and on with "What if" and neither of us would have proven anything. I was once in a position where a drunk had a loaded gun pointed against my head...I was saved by some others who managed to get the gun out of the drunk's hands without him firing it...A totally risky situation...and you can bet my pants were wet. You never forget how defensless you feel when someone has a loaded gun against your head. In that case even if I had had a gun I couldn't have reached for it without expecting to be shot in the process.

> > In a free society all citizens have a right to life, liberty and the pursuit
> > of happiness and freedom from the fear of unregulated weapons in the hands
of
> > hate mongers.

> I remember the first part but I don't remember that second part.
Well the second part comes from THE FREEDOM FROM FEAR that Americans are all entitled to if they obey the laws themselves...It is paraphrased because hate mongers might carry weapons to make people they hate afraid of them.
>If we outlaw
> guns, the hate mongers with their illegal weapons can rest easy and assured
> that we are completely helpless against their onslaught.

Nah...because if we are efficient the hate mongers will not be able to get guns and if we are not efficient the hate mongers who hate other hate mongers will still be armed. Remember that more organized criminals get killed by other organized criminals than by law enforcers or honest citizens.

>We cannot rely
> on the government to protect us from criminals. We must each shoulder
> some of that responsibility if for no other reasons than we may not be
> able to call for help and help may not arrive quickly enough.

Sometimes we are protected against criminals by other criminals but I agree that government cant always do a complete protection job. I agree that is why I think that guns must be insured by PRIVATE insurance companies...because when private money is involved there is bound to be more investigations of gun crimes and better records kept of registered weapons.

> > Some of us may neecd to let off steam without
> > the ability of reaching for a weapon that can be used to inflict multiple
> > casualties in short order.
>
> Some of us need to gain a little maturity, training, and sense of
responsibility.
AND some of us are so immature that they think that they are cowboys fighting indians or people in trench coats fighting educators and classmates.
> I assume you have no butcher knives in your house?
Yep I can't cut beefstakes with guns. I prefer the proper tools for the job when I can afford to own them. I don't use my hand drill to saw logs with either.

> > But a maniac schitsophrenic may not care about any threat to his life...he
may
> > be suicidal as were two of those high school students!
> > I would suggest that you take a course in abnormal behavior.
>
> I suggest we put all those people who exhibit dangerous abnormal behavior
> behind fences where they belong and eliminate the ones who commit capital
> crimes from the gene pool.

Good idea...BUT that would be quite a task and there are no particular racial
genes for dangerous abnormal behavior...Hitler thought there were...He was
wrong. If we think that any group is dangerous then we would need some very
big prisons and we would drastically cut down the work force and the
tax-payer numbers...That might call for another "Final Solution" and we would
be back to Hitler's policies again. If we put all people who ever exhibit
"dangerous abnormal behavior" in jail we will have to legally define what
exactly constitutes such behavior. Hmmm..I'd hate to have to be the judge.
Even under our present systems sometimes killers are freed from prison while
innocent or truly reformed people may be forced to serve life sentenences.
How would you decide if an eleven year old kid was a danger to society or was
just acting silly to get attention? I sure dunno.

> > If only a few
> > didn't own guns and it saved only a few lives I would be for making guns a
> > lot harder to own.
>
> Statistics indicate that guns are used to prevent crime many, many more
> times than they are used to commit crime. You just don't hear about those
> times on TV or in the newspapers. Disarming the law-abiding public will
> cause more lives to be lost. Are you willing to accept responsibility for
> the deaths of individuals who would still be alive if they had only been
> armed and prepared?

Not so.. There are many ways of interpreting the stats that exist. You can
use the interpretation of the NRA if you want but there is no sure way of
knowing "what if" conditions that can not be tried against proper controls.
If you read the books on accepted experimental research you can understand
that any conclusions drawn from social behavior as a function of response to
laws are hypothetical at best. "What if" fish could talk and pigs could fly?

>
> One of the Northern European countries has the lowest rate of breaking
> and entering. In that country, every able-bodied male is required to own
> a military rifle. Think there's a correlation?

No.. not at all because the culture and conditions in the country you mention
are different than in all other countries. It is an apples and oranges
correlation. I don't know if you are talking about Switzerland...which has
managed to claim neutrality in WW1 and WW2 and be the bank for all sides..and
has all its men armed with weapons that they keep in their homes as all are
in the reserves even though Switzerland is never officially at war.
Nope...all countries are not like Switzerland and all countries won't want to

use BEATNIC Time either. If you are talking about a Scandinavian country you must realize that Denmark, Norway, Sweeden and Finland are each quite homogeneous as well as being the homes of people who are not usually hate mongers because they are generally not fanatic about religions, life styles, etc....You can certainly not compare them with New York, Florida, California...or Yugoslavia!

Please understand Cecil that I do respect your opinions and I certainly don't want to be threatening you in any way...with or without considering that you own guns...and I don't think your opinions are very unique, as I have heard the same exact opinions from others who are also ethical and law abiding people...perhaps that is why I am well prepared to refute them all.

> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

At any rate I appreciate your comments and don't feel threatened by you so please don't feel that an unarmed mugwump like me is a threat to anyone. We are both hams... and I never met a Ham I didn't like, Hams need more classes, 73, Bob Wex w2ilp

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2112. 1999 YOUNG HAM OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS SOUGHT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: newsline@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7g1028$t2n@dfw-ixnews10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144754

1999 YHOTY AWARD - NOMINATIONS CLOSE MAY 30

The nominating period is open only until May 30 for the 1999 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Award. With corporate sponsorship from Yaesu USA

and CQ Magazine, the Young Ham of the Year Award seeks to honor the Amateur Radio related achievements of those hams age 18 or younger.

In addition to a trip to the 1999 Huntsville Hamfest courtesy of Yaesu, this
years winner will also get to spend a week in Spacecamp Huntsville thanks to
CQ.

The full details, rules and a nominating form are available right now on our
website at www.arnewsline.org. Or send a self addressed stamped envelope to
the 1999 Newsline Young Ham of the Year Award, 28197 Robin Avenue, Santa Clarita California 91350.

2113. Re: David Letterman and Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBT1 <ObtuseOne@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7g115b$rh0$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144755

Doesn't David have a license??

<hmnadel@banet.net> wrote in message news:37231C60.F57C635F@banet.net...
> Check out http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo/
>
> For an update of the Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club's " Morning
> Show" crew challenge to David Letterman. on May 3.
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2114. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: a@b.net
Message-ID: <37240852.13048577@news.istep.com>
Source record: 144756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>
>> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
>> become a HAM

What's this bullshit, anyway?

I didn't go through hell. I studied for the exams and passed them.

Speak for yourself.

2115. FS: Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oz38u87j#GA.295@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

2116. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#Hsfu87j#GA.252@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $200.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2117. FS: 2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OspDu87j#GA.258@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

2 Motorola Maxtrac 840 800 Trunking / Conv w/Scan 16 Pin Connector
Asking $200.00ea + Shipping
For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2118. FS: Motorola HT-90 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <evUVv87j#GA.295@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

2119. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <372433ba.530771@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 22:04:40 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>Greetings Billl
>If you check some comments made earlier (in this thread
>I believe) someone suggested eliminating the code but
>beefing up the theory portion of the exam--this raised more
>negative responses.
>
>Regardless what elements of the test that remain, you will
>continually have complainers--whether the subject is code,
>or not seeing the need to learn theory once the code barrier
>is lifted.
>Pete

Sorry Pete, I've only seen the pro-code test side make
ANY suggestion that theory should be eliminated.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2120. Re: KV4FZ's website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rwalter7@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990426060303.18591.00000109@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 144762

>
>I saw his site last week and can't remember the address. Contact him at
>herbs@islands.vi and he'll tell you where to go. That website is so eye
>appealing ,that at first, one tends to forget that the guy is a
>government-hating, anti-Semitic convicted felon whose call is no longer in
>the
>FCC data base ,which sort of tells us something.

http://www.islands.vi/~herbs
Bob
email: rwalter7@aol.com

2121. ��������

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Manos <pelamare@her.forthnet.gr>
Message-ID: <7g1fkf$b9j$1@medousa.forthnet.gr>
Source record: 144763

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ICOM IC-W2 E ������ V/U �� ���� ���� 100 K�.

ICOM IC-2i E ������ Vhf �� ���� ���� 50 K�.

ICOM IC-706 �� ������ SSB,�������� ��������
��� duplexer ��� ���� 300��.

ICOM IC-Q7E �� interface ��� ������������ ���� PC.
���� 70��

������ scanner AOR AR-8000.������ ��� 500kHz-1900Mhz
���� ���� ��� modes: AM, NFM, WFM, USB,LSB & CW.1000 ������.Service manual.
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150 ��� 200 ��.

Callsign : sv9anj--����
E-mail address : pelamare@her.forthnet.gr
��������: 081-762000 094-582172

2122. Re: David Letterman and Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g1j9c$is4$1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 144764

In article <7g115b$rh0$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "OBT1" <Catch22@bitbucket.com>
wrote:
>Doesn't David have a license??
>
><hmnadel@banet.net> wrote in message news:37231C60.F57C635F@banet.net...
>> Check out http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo/
>>
>> For an update of the Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club's " Morning
>> Show" crew challenge to David Letterman. on May 3.

I've found these Lettermans listed for the U.S.:

LETTERMAN JR, DEE H N2QZP MATAWAN, NJ
LETTERMAN, BRYCE L KB6OVH ORANGE, CA
LETTERMAN, DAVID A KE3NJ DANVILLE, PA ****Probably not THE David****
LETTERMAN, JUDY M N6UEV SALINAS, CA
LETTERMAN, MARK A N3SHN HERNDON, PA
LETTERMAN, MARY F KB6RFY ORANGE, CA
LETTERMAN, ROBERT D N6UER SALINAS, CA
LETTERMAN, RONALD G KA6AES FRESNO, CA

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2123. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g1jtg$is4$2@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 144765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3723D89F.47E8@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>Jim Wayda wrote:
>>
>> THERE IS NOTHING NICE ABOUT CW.
>
>Well there is ONE thing, it won't be a requirement to get a Ham license
>much longer. That's nice.

You can get a Technician class license without the code you know. Since
1991, you just get no HF with it. I went for my General upgrade tests
yesterday, passed the written, failed the code. Oh well, just have to practice
a little more on the code and soon I'll pass it.

73,
Tom

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2124. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904261217.OAA30624@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
: Does your newsreader present threads as one coherent listing?
: The relply was made to a April 25 post, that shouldn't be too hard
: to find; providing you are following the thread and not jumping in
: ill-informed?

: You want me to sort through 300 or so eBay ads to
: prove a point? If you have a net browser, you are welcome
: to do so. Be sure to check the thousand or so closed
: auctions as well. Check rec.amateur.radio.boatanchors and other
: related forums for ads seeking unassembled kits --DeJa news will
: aid in you this search. I am not
: here to do homework for you. Especially for someone who
: needs to hide behind an "anonymous" signature.

In half the amount of time you took to type in the above, you could have instead posted a couple examples such as and xxx kit typically sells for yyy. Most readers of the group would rather have seen something like than a screenful of criticism of me and other posters.

A. Mous

2125. Re: 75 Ohm Hard line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <37246575.BF27BF9A@four-way.net>
Source record: 144767
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

I can .. I live in the same town as Paul and YES the Info is correct.. you can
also go to he web site at the following address.

http://www.kuggie.com/rbtip/ZDEngineering.html

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 10:13:58 -0400, "Michael Smith" <mjs@nolnet.net> wrote:
> >I may be getting some 3/4 or7/8 inch hard line that is 75 ohms. I remember
> >reading a article about using 75 ohm line. The author only did test up to 2
> >meters. I want to use this line on 70 cm. Will cotangent transformers work
> >for this band? I have heard if everything else is good you would only get a
> >1.5 to 1 match any how. Also do I have to mess with the antenna? I would
> >like to use this at a 440 repeater site and the antenna is a 4 dipole
> >array. Is there any one that sells matching transformers?
>
> ZD Engineering sells transformers for most types of CATV hardline.
> They work fine, and also serve as substitutes for the often expensive
> hardline connectors. The address I have is 605 Balsley Avenue,
> Findlay Ohio, 45840. The phone number is 419-424-8765. ZD
> Engineering is owned by Paul Darwactor W8ZD. I've used these
> transformers and can recomend them.
>
> (It has been some years since I've bought any. I can't guarantee
> that the address and phone number are still good, but it is the
> best info I have.)
>
> Since the SWR isn't really that high, and excess SWR loss is
> relatively low, the question of why should we care is relevant.
> The reason is that the reactive termination can *detune your
> duplexer*. This leads to desense problems.
>
> You can work around that in a couple of ways (absorb the reactance
> into the tuning of the duplexer, or cut the line to a multiple of a halfwave,
> remembering velocity factor), but it is generally better to match the
> system up as best you can so you can freely interchange parts without
> having to retune the entire system. A pair of these transformers are
> useful for doing that. (You still have to get your antenna tuned correctly,
> or you'll have SWR on the line anyway.)
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net

> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2126. Re: Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woodsman <woodsman@apexmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g1rme$fru@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

IMHO "Reasonable Analysis" hit the nail on the head. Please read
my replies to your disputes with him below:

>> Well, they banned guns in New York -and other places-, and
>> since that didn't solve the problem,
>
>I admit it didn't totally solve the problem but it went a long way in the
>right direction because if there were no such bans there would be wholesale
>murder!

Let's see, when guns are banned only the criminals have guns. Therefore only
those most likely to commit murder are armed while the law abiding citizen
is left unable to defend him/herself. Duh! Protection from atocities and
oppression is why the second amendment was created. Read up a little on
the behavior of British Redcoats who were allowed (by British law) to
commandeer your private home for room/board at any time. Be glad you
didn't live then and have a wife/daughter.

>
>> now the effort is to
>> ban guns nationwide
>>
>> Then, when that doesn't work any better, because it
>> creates a black market and ready source of ca$h for
>> smugglers
>
>Yep...I'm sure the black market, as it may be called, is already in place
as
>well as in operation...but that has nothing to do with laws that can make
for
>punishment in the even rare cases where they might be enforced. Believe it
>or not some other nations who ban guns are asking the USA to be stricter.

I am all for punishing criminals, whether they use a gun in a crime or not,
but
especially hard if they do. What other nations think we should do is
irrelevant
and I think the idea of any nation or the UN "asking" us to change our laws
on guns, or anything else, is laughable.

>> In a "free" society, there is only so much control that
>> can be exercised by any level of government - beyond that
>> point it is no longer free, but subject to the whim and
>> personal viewpoints of those individuals in power -at all
>> levels- at any time.

>
>In a free society all citizens have a right to life, liberty and the
pursuit
>of happiness and freedom from the fear of unregulated weapons in the hands
of
>hate mongers. You are correct in saying that no contrrol can be fully
>efficient BUT we still need some controls. No society is really completely
>"free" because in all societies some people are for some reasons freer than
>others...be it economical, political, or whatever reasons. Why is O.J.
>Simpson free? Why are others in jail who may be innocent but had dumb
>lawyers? No system is perfect.

You were doing fine on the right to life, liberty and the PURSUIT of
happiness
but then you lost it. There is nothing about "freedom from fear" in the
constitution. Also, there is no guaranteee of happiness, just your right to
pursue it.
LIFE-a gun allows me to protect my life from those who would take it.
LIBERTY-the right to own a gun is part of what makes me a free man
and maintains that freedom
PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS-much easier when I am alive and safe (see above)
Also, OJ Simpon is free because because a jury of poorly informed
people let him off. Many other criminals are free on technicalities. While I
think we need laws like Miranda, I do not think they should allow
obviously guilty criminals to go free.
Also, we have plenty of gun laws and other criminal codes. If we built
more
jails and enforced those laws the 2% of the people that commit 98% of
violent crimes would be behind bars.

>
>> Another effect of a nationwide gun ban would be to assure
>> that only the criminal element would posses them.
>
>Are High School students part of your "criminal element"?

Yes, high school students who attack other with bombs and
guns are part of the criminal element. Any attack of that type
should be punishable with the death penalty. For that matter
I think almost any personal attack on another human being above
the level of a simple fight should be punishable by death.
Good examples in no particular order:
first and second degree rape
first and second degree murder
kidnapping
sexual assault of a child
robbery with a gun
robbery with a knife
robbery with threat of harm
carjacking
arson

torture
Also, the defendant should be limited to a single appeal. No person or
group
should be able to file on a defandants behalf, he/she should appeal on their
own with their own lawyer. Execution should be carried out the day after
the lost appeal.
Enact and enforce these laws and crime WOULD go down-and fast!

>> Currently,
>> a criminal never can be sure who might be a gun owner and
>> pose a threat to him.
>
>So a criminal might want to kill anybody who might be able to draw a gun
>faster than he thinks he can...Instead of risking unarmed. Your logic
makes
>no sense and only can lead to living in an armed camp where everyone feels
he
>must be armed because everyone else is...and then at the slightest
>provocation...maybe a family feud...maybe a lover's quarrel...maybe a
>teachers repremand...off go the loaded and waiting weapons...UGH...We don't
>need guns to be ever present. Some of us may neecd to let off steam
without
>the ability of reaching for a weapon that can be used to inflict multiple
>casualties in short order.

If you want to lay down and be a victim feel free-I do not. You are living
in an armed
society-any criminal that wants a gun has one and there is NO WAY to change
that. Not even Hitler had that much control. In all states where carrying a
gun is
legal a)crime has gone down and b)those who legally carry have not gone
around causing problems. These are the facts, sorry you don't like facts.
Anyone
who would do so would/should be prosecuted to the fullest like anyone else
who breaks the law. Also sorry you feel you would feel the need to reach for
a
gun if you had once and needed to let off steam. I agree, YOU should not
own a gun. Personally, I do not feel I have anything to fear from a legally
armed citizen.

>> Such is usually avoided unless the
>> crook is abnormally stupid or under influence of some
>> illicit but ILLEGAL substance, which is common. Under a
>> total gun ban he really wouldn't need to worry much about it
>> since lawabiders wouldn't own guns.
>
>People who kill are neither necessarily stupid nor logical nor drugged. I
>would suggest that you take a course in abnormal behavior. If only a few
>didn't own guns and it saved only a few lives I would be for making guns a
>lot harder to own. There are bootlegger Hams but that does not mean that
we

>should not make people who want to be licensed be licensed without any
>examinations. It must be difficult for minors and previously convicted
>criminals to obtain guns and maybe even a little harder for anyone to
obtain
>guns. Laws are weak...One law said that a person could only buy one gun per
>month...Heck in several years he or she could build an arsenal. Does any
>individual need that many guns?

I disagree. Anyone who takes anothers life in a criminal act (as opposed to
say,
a car accident) has made a very poor decision, and thus IS stupid. Again,
where
law abiding citizens are allowed to carry guns crime goes down and lives are
saved. Your ham example is irrelevant-ham radio is a privaledge, gun
ownership
is a right. It will never be difficult for criminals to obtain guns-WAKE UP.
We need
to prosecute those who use guns in criminal acts. It is not up to you to
determine
how many guns, cars, VCRs, or houses anyone "needs". Besides, I have several
guns for differrent purposes. I can only shoot one at a time so if I have 5
guns
what do you care??

>> It seems to always be the leftwingers who insist on
>> complete control in the name of "freedom, protection and
>> justice". Observe these terms closely, for definitions mean
>> everything. There is a constant Utopian search for a perfect
>> "system" which cannot exist within a human setting. Remember
>> the USSR and "communism"?
>
>Left wingers often are libertarians who want no controls...especially no
>controls from affluent capitalists...

What? Liberals believe in legislating personal freedom and economic
oppression.
They support liberal causes but tax disproportionally higher for those who
make
more money in order to give it to those who did not earn it. Conservatives
believe in legislating morality and economic freedom. Libertarians believe
in
personal freedom with responsibility and economic freedom. Libertarians have
far more in common with conservative and generally support the right to own
guns.

>Right wing capitalists have a right to protection of their
>own lives and propertties in our society (The right to own and protect
>property is certainly a right wing right)

No, in America this a right for all people. You simply choose not to
exercise it
(unless you live in a state that unconstitially denies that right).

> and I for one believe that that is
>an important right that has as much priority as any left wing pinko's
assumed
>rights...No class of people and no individuals should have to fear that
>weapons may be in the hands of anarchists or children or nuts who have no
>political persuasion other than Hate.

Children should not have access to guns. That is a responsibility of the
parents.
In America we cannot deny someones rights because they are an "anarchist"
or due to other "political persuasion". It is illegal in all states for
"nuts" to own
guns right now. If one of the anarchists or hate mongers decide to practice
their beliefs with guns they should be prosecuted and executed.

>The nuts who are blinded by ignorant
>hate are neither to be associated with left or right wings. They are a
threat
>to all wings. There is no entirely perfect Utopia. We need laws and law
>enforcers...

Whoopee, we agree on something.

>but no laws or law enforcers can be entirely efficient nor can
>they avoid taking away some of the assumed rights of the public. Police
have
>a right to search our vehicles without a formal warrent...Airline security
>agents have a right to look in our bags..They can search mine because I
carry
>no drugs..no arms...and no stollen goods. They can finger print me and
take
>my DNA...I have nothing to fear because I am not a criminal...IMHO those
>INDIVIDUALS who fear that their rights may be relinquished may be the
>criminals (but not any mythological "criminal element"). IMHO People who
>fear to identify may always be suspects.

The right is not to protect us from searches, it is from "unreasoomable
search
and seizure". The laws we have are what determine what is "reasonable".
A bad search may be thrown out if it is deemed unconstutional. As long as
these
things occur withing the scope of the constitution and the laws then our
rights
are not violated.

>> If you were a Hitler, Stalin, Saddam Hussein, Milosovich,
>> Mao etc what would YOU support in the way of gun control?
>
>For who? Your own armies? Your enemies? Internal rebels? This has nothing
>to do with gun control internal to a nation at peace. Obedience to
authority
>does mean that you drop your guns when your nation officially surrenders
(as

>all obedient Japanese did when they lost WW2)...This is the only good
>argument against gun control that I saddly admit to....Because if some
nation
>won a war against the USA and we surrendered...I dunno if it would exactly
be
>easy to occupy Texas. (:=))

While we need to be obedient to authority, which is there to protect the
rights
of all people, gun ownership is what keeps those people free. The Japanese
military "dropped it guns" when the government surrendered. While I am not
familiar with civilian disarmament of the Japanese after WW2 they are now
a free democracy and set their own laws. Unfortunately their laws are so
backwards that swords are banned. While a government may surrender, people
may not. Too bad the Albanians aren't better armed.

>
>> In fact what DID all of them dictate within their own
>> spheres of influence?

>Heck I wouldn't mind if Hitler collected all Jewish owned guns. It was the
>Jewish skins that were made into lampshades that enoyed me. Ask yourself
what
>spark started WW1 in Europe? It was one extremest with a gun. Before
>WW2..Another gun nut, who happened to be a Jew, caused Germans to reply
with
>the famous "Crystal Nacht" which destroyed Jewish property and started the
>mass persecution of German Jews.

This whole paragraph is sick.

>>Then consider that Washington,
>> Jefferson, Madison etc. all strongly supported private
>> ownership of weapons, and why they did.
>
>Yep and they "controlled" the Native American Indians and Black slaves who
>were not as well armed and they planted marajawana and used out houses...So
>what has that to do with today's society?

In the context of that time period blacks and indians were not considered
people,
nor protected by the constitution. Thankfully, that has since been rectified
in
America and now all people have the same rights. The suppression of some
races in that time does not negate the correctness of the rights of the
people.

>> It's easy to blame "guns" for debacles such as the school
>> shooting tragedies- as well as less-publicised tragedies,
>> and ignore the REAL problems. You don't see any criticism by
>> the Administration of their Hollywood buddies who propagate
>> the excessively violent "movies" and video games that

>> engender similiar thoughts within malleable, insecure and
>> active but undeveloped young minds, with such disasterous
>> results.
>
>I am not defending the movies, the TV, or the horror video games...BUT IMHO
>they alone do not make criminals any more than pornography makes sex
>offenders. There is a big jump between fantasy and reality in normal
>minds...Sick minds do not need inspiration from media...This has beeen
>accepted fact from studying the case histories of real criminals.

Here we agree again. Personally, I think we should have new umbrella law:
If YOU did it, it's YOUR fault. Personal responsibility for ones actions
could use a big comeback.

>> I'm hearing from relatives in the military that important
>> resources are being pulled worldwide and dedicated to the
>> effort in the Balkans. Today our military has been downsized
>> to alarming proportions,
>
>Yep..This will give business to our military industrial complex. This will
>reduce our monetary surplus...This will further threaten our social
security
>funds and our health care funds...This will prevent a tax cut or in fact
>increase our tax...This may force us to again draft people into military
>service. Hmmm...We can blame it all on Slobodan Milosivic..or can we?
Worst
>of all this may threaten the lives of your family and/or friends in the
>military services because where there is war or conflict, more often than
not
>there is death on all sides. Let us all hope that this Balkan conflict is
>ended soon.

Well, IMHO, I believe Clinton has cut back the military too much. There is
also the question of whether we should be in the Balkans. Another option
would be to send arms to the oppressed and just bomb out the heavy
equipment of the bad guys. I too, hope it ends soon.

Social security is threatened because it is a poorly legislated program
that puts out more than it takes in and is mismanaged. Ignoring the
fact that it began as a "temporary" measure, it would be far better if
each person contributed to their own account, and received only that
money it made back. Also, a choice of not too risky investments
for each person to pick from would be good. Even a straight S&P500
fund would be better than what they do now, which is tax from the current
workers to pay the current retirees.

>Like ignorant hate??? Like the fear of some paranoids which can lead to
>unreasonable hate ...and even the murder of innocent people.
>> - and
>> twisted by personal Agendas. This applies to the Code/No
>> code controversy just as well.
>

PLEASE keep thinking, Collect stamps, collect QSL
>cards, collect telegraph keys...but PLEASE don't collect guns...BUT if you
>must... Lock them up so that nobody else can use them in a fit of anger.
Hams
>need more license classes, I never met a Ham I didn't like, Bob Wex w2ilp
>(Identify Loose Pistols) and check your guns at the door. -- .- -..- ..

Bob, I defend my right to keep guns and only wish that my state also allowed
me to exercise my right to concealed carry, like the 43 other states. The
great
thing about America is the right to our beliefs, and you are certainly
enitiled
to yours. Rest assured, all my guns are locked up sufficient to keep them
away from children and criminals. But to be able to defend oneself, one does
have to be available. A finger activate touch-combination lock safe works
great for this if you ever decide to own a gun. I wish you and your family
well,
and should some thug ever decide to violate your rights, I hope one of my
legally concealed carrying brethern is there to help you out.

2127. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <372472D8.7C76D072@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 144769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Cw might be part of it , but the last HF radio I bought was $1,000 .(ouch)
Hard for me to justify it. The used stuff is chancy at best at the swap mets.
I think the cost of gear is killing it.
Mike AA7QA. I passed all of the test now what

Spot wrote:

> > I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
> > that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
> > for HF that you guys can't pass.
>
> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of requirements
> are very outdated.

2128. New scanner regulations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: HughJanus@juno.COM
Message-ID: <372475F1.4107@juno.com>
Source record: 144770

Barry from Australia scribed:

> I am discusted at the US governments
> plans to regulate radio scanners further.

Barry --- we in the USA don't give a rip how you feel about
what the FCC does. Mind your own damned business.

2129. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woodsman <woodsman@apexmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g1rt4$gfd@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Simple, All free people had access to the same weapons.

Reg Edwards wrote in message <01be8fbf$8fcdb060$2be2abc3@default>...
>The murder rate in North America was even lower before
>1492. How do you account for that ?
>-----
>Reg.
>

2130. Summer holydays in USA and radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: apr_nospamgrazie@dueffe.it
Message-ID: <37246228.443179708@news.plugit.net>
Source record: 144772

Hi,
I'm planning to go to USA this summer for holydays, and wish to carry
my portable transceiver with me (TH78).

I own a 1st class licence, and plan to use only FM (2m and 70cm).

Do I need to fill any form ? Where can I get it and where should I
mail it ?

Thanx in advance for the reply...

'73 de I3APR, Andy

P.S.
Where can I get the ARRL US repeater directory in NYC ??

please remove _nospamgrazie to reply via e-mail

2131. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be9035$a6a12e40$4bebabc3@default>
Source record: 144773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil, the murder rate in NYC in 1492 could not possibly
have exceeded that of the population itself.
--
Yours, Reg.

2132. WTD: Help making an AM radio the 'old fashioned' way!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <37264ee1.8386072@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144474

Can anyone helpe make an AM receiver the 'old-fashioned' way using a
toilet paper tube, copper wire, a 9V battery, and a crystal?? Please
email me or post an URL. My nephews and their summer nights thank you.
bb
huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net

2133. Wanted Keyers & Keys & Morse Tutor (CW Items Needed)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g5ma0$8a$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144475
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Am Looking For The Following Items To Purchase Or Trade For.
I Don't Need All Of This.
These Are Some Of The Models I Will Be Interested In.
If You Have Anything Along These Lines Please E-Mail Me.
73's W5IDX Houston

AEA MM-3 MorseMatic Electronic Keyer

Or

MFJ 493 Menu Driven Memory Keyer
MFJ-1315,
MFJ-551,
MFJ-5409,
MFJ-5425,
MFJ-79,

MFJ462B Multi-Reader

MFJ 452 Morse Keyboard With LCD Display
Or
MFJ 451 Morse Keyboard

MFJ 414 Tutor & Keyer

Only Need One Of The Following

Bencher Or Vibroplex Iambic Paddles
BY-1, By-2 etc.
Also 1 Straight Key

I Have Many Items I Can Trade For Please Let Me Know What You Have & What
You Might Be Interested In.

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
Gregg.E@worldnet.att.net

2134. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <37266576.5CCA2DB7@datasync.com>
Source record: 144476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

ALL IMI ALL REQUIREMENTS (except for the ITU requirement)
and amateur radio were dropped WORLDWIDE on 1 FEB 99.

don
kb5fhx

Barry wrote:

> On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 18:22:42 -0400, "The Conqueror"
> <joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> >I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
> >if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
> >think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
> >in ham radio either.
> >-Dan K3DRQ
> >
> >k3drq@qsl.net
> >
> With your logic, shouldn't you go through basic training before you
> get a ham license?

--
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http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Valley/6430 Darla and Don's Website
http://hattiesburg.net/columns/darnold.shtml My online column

DARLA (dawn) ICQ# 7341931
Don (weathernut) ICQ# 14664294

Right now we are on the threshold of whatever comes next!!!
MAYBE!!

2135. FS: Yaesu FT736R w/6M and 1.2GHz MINT!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7g5pcj$put@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $2000 (original
discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element 1.2 GHz yagi (commercial)
with
purchase!! ($100 original cost).
Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
with serious buyers.

2136. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gord Skiffington <skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <3726986A.950@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Howdy Dan....In all the hoopola about whether anyone should or can't use morse anymore.....a few points never seem to be brought out...or are only mentioned briefly.

Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied verbatim easily (you can come close on voice or often do it if words are standardized but its not easy)......
- Is a mode that is indeed digital but which requires the most rudimentary interfacing and for which our own "processor" causes error correcting and speed compensating depending on the ability of the other "terminal" or "line" conditions.
- Is a mode which transcends language and dialect barriers when suitable signals are used...such as the international "Q" signals...and others. Hard to get most computer systems to do that yet and our ability to merely speak one language (english for example) with a wide variation of accents is hard enough sometimes.
- Is a mode whose "standardization" is unheard of in communications, where for at least a hundred years was not obsolete for the purpose of basic communications (stuff that's GOOD for critical use...such as lifesaving...and cheap commerce).
- Is a mode which, when the equipment is tired....just needs a good dinner and a cup o coffee to revive it.....stuff we have around anyway !
- When send using CW transmission (the 2 are NOT the same!) is extremely effective, using suitable narrow filters at both ends, for solid communications under the worst circuit noise and conditions. It might not be the very best...but when you consider the rudimentary equipment needed it becomes mighty attractive.
- Is a mode which, because it only requires very basic equipment, lends itself well to "field repairability".....a handy thing if you've ever sat in a remote spot and listened to digital signals that couldn't connect to you...telling yourself...."if they'd only just turn 'em on and off...I could get the message! After all...what is slower....a slow sent message or one that never arrives????

There's likely lots of other good and bad reasons why anyone should keep morse alive. Yep its old.....but well made and the fact that it hasn't undergone a million transformations tells us all that it works well. It is slow, but when mere text will suffice, is an adequate method of communication in conjuction with simple equipment. It does require skill to use...but everything we do also does (Tell me that a windows NT system hung up on a satellite link doesn't require skill to figure out what happened!). There is also a thing about operating morse that only

morse operators may truely feel...but its a kindred spirit that transcends whether you were a mere ham or a skilled commercial operator, a struggling boy scout trying it or a pilot who was able to make himself understood when his mic stopped working. To that last end I can only offer that to those who WON'T use it...it will always be a thing despised....to those who do or have, a thing revered.

73 - Gord VE1AJF...(and merchant R/O in recent times :)

2137. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <XXuV2.1587$v3.270530@news21.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Bravo!

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2138. Re: Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spirit of '76 <NOjaa155SPAM@alumni.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <uhJzXmSk#GA.288@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 144480

Sorry for the tardy reply, but I've been travelling.

1. RE IBM PC: Well, let's see: Tandy, Apple, Osborne, PDP, all sorts of homebrews. I used TRS-80s of various flavors.

2. I am sure a lot of hams tinker with gear, and some even build from scratch. But the fact is that very few do so as a percentage of total US ham population. Same thing with CW. Why make it a requirement when it is clearly unpopular? So long as it is not RESTRICTED, no one will be deprived of their pastime.

3. Ham Radio Mag, etc. Great old mag. I subscribed in the 70s/early 80s. Again, nothing wrong with tinkering, but it is hardly a reason to demand potential hams learn a bunch of, well, trivia, that has no bearing on the core of the hobby, PUBLIC SERVICE.

4. I tend to agree that 5wpm will become the sole Morse requirement. Thing is, Morse at 5 wpm is a real pain in the keister. Not likely to win converts on the merits!

5. I did read the May QST article and agree with it whole-heartedly.

The main point of my post was to get the notion out there that the point of ham radio is to COMMUNICATE, not exclude people based on their ability to master irrelevant trivia.

Regards,

Joe Ames W3JY

2139. FS: Tranquil Ham QTH in Central NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joe Giacobello, K2XX" <k2xx@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3726AFE1.1C8B1EB@concentric.net>
Source record: 144481

K2XX and K2XXX are selling their QTH in central (Green Brook) NJ and moving to the wilds of western Virginia. The QTH is located in the first ridge of the Watchung Hills, overlooking the Raritan Valley, with a line-of-sight view into Manhattan (25 miles away as the crow flies), Long Island and thence Europe and Africa. The view to the west isn't bad either, but the Rockies get in the way. Green Brook borders Plainfield, Watchung, Warren, Middlesex, Dunellen and North Plainfield, NJ.

The QTH includes a 72 ft. motorized Triex crank-up, tilt-over tower with a six band quad on top: four elements on 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 and seven elements on six meters, all on a 24 ft. boom. There is also a Wilson TT-45 forty-five foot crank-up (manual), tilt-over tower with a 13 element two meter Yagi, a 24 element 432 MHZ Yagi and a Diamond vertical collinear for two meters. Attached to the chimney are circularly polarized Yagis for Oscar (144/435 MHZ) with azimuthal and elevation rotors. Finally, there is a 102 ft. long center fed Zepp that I use for 30, 40 and 80 meters. This whole package comes along with trained neighbors. I know it's hard to believe, but they actually help me put up and maintain my antennas. I have consistently run 1.5 KW at this QTH for more than 19 years with practically no RFI. What little there has been over all those years, has been easily and amicably resolved. My relationship with my neighbors is excellent.

As if all of the foregoing were not enough, there is also a comfortable, cozy home, a wonderful neighborhood, convenience to shopping and transportation, excellent schools and immediately adjoining neighborhoods where the home values range between $500,000 and $1,000,000.

The house was originally built in the late 30's but has been renovated several times. We made a major renovation in 1987 and followed up with a new kitchen about five years ago. There are three bedrooms, one of which we use as a shack. The accompanying walk-in closet is used as a workshop. All of the bedrooms have walk-in closets. There is a modern kitchen, an office, a living room with stone fireplace, a sun/dining room, a screened front porch, a large front patio, and a large rear deck. There is an oversized, detached, two car garage with a large workbench and additional storage. While the official lot size seems small (75X100'), its effective size is much larger because the adjacent streets do not use up all of their allowed right-of-way. The lot and its surroundings are shielded by an abundance of mature deciduous trees. The property tax is about
$3400 annually.

Rail transportation to Manhattan is five minutes (three miles) away at Dunellen. The trip to Penn Station is about 55 minutes. Route 22 is only two minutes away and I-78 (Exits 36 or 40) is about eight minutes away. I-287 is only 10 minutes away.

High school students from Green Brook Township attend Watchung Hills Regional High School, a highly considered public institution noted for its academic and athletic excellence.

If you have any interest in owning this QTH, please contact Joe at 908-756-3825 or via e-mail. If there is no interest from hamdom by June 1, we intend to offer it, though somewhat sadly, to the general public at that time. The price is firm at $255,000.

73, Joe
K2XX

2140. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37268A1F.2225F737@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

All hams use appliances: some 2m HTs, others HF CW rigs. I see plenty of postings re the new Yaesu FT100 *appliance.* Presumably these postings are not from techs since their not *real* hams with expensive appliances!!
The original posting also went to rra.space/scanner/shortwave. Like those people really care about AR's pissing contests.

2141. Re: Speroni's Morse Academy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37268E3A.663C8529@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144483

This program is somewhat antiquated [like CW ;)] for W95/98. First, it's a DOS program. Second, you have to download 35 pages of handbook in PDF format, so if you don't have Acrobat Reader, your out of luck. Plus, MA made my computer hang up.
Anyway, my 2 cents.

Much better programs are Tony Lacy's Numorse and NuTest, and AA9PW website. These programs work well with Windows, very intuitive, easy to use and you don't have to go go through a lot of DOS commands and troubleshooting before you can use these programs. Tony and Simon did excellent work in designing their programs; the writers for Morse Academy & GTEE Morse Tutor Gold could take lessons from them (and Gordo).

2142. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372690C0.8C31C2EA@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144484

Although my favorite strips are usually green with either corn or
cows near the run up area :)

Then you would love the approach into Douglas, Arizona. Base turn is in
Mexican territory, lots of cattle, dogs, and undocumented aliens running
across the runway. The border is adjacent to the runway. BTW, there is
one car rental in town (and I mean ONE car!).
73, Oscar

2143. antique equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Singley <k5fsp@cblink.com>
Message-ID: <3726928f.0@news.tislink.com>
Source record: 144485

wtb Globe chief 90, or Globe Chief Deluxe transmitter. Also, National ncx-3 transciever. NC-60 receiver.

Thanks,

73,
Phil K5FSP

2144. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372690BC.1C65BF40@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Gord Skiffington wrote:
> Morse - Is a mode ...

Funny, Chapter 8 of "The FCC Rule Book" lists all the modes
available to the Amateur Radio Service and none of those modes
is Morse. I see CW, MCW, Phone, Image, RTTY, Data, Pulse, SS,
and Test, but no Morse.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2145. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <37269801.5E82EB23@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 144487

I hear what you are saying about the Radio Shack books but I really had no other option. I will tell you what i mean. A new HAM radio club just started up at my school. There was a guest speaker who was there to let everyone know that he offers a class to prepare you for the ham radio exams. Well I called him up and the classes were on Thursday evenings. The cost of the class was $30 and plus you had to buy the book to study. Well that was not unreasonable but this semester is coming to a close and that means lots of studying and more due dates to deal with. Well the preparation class was going to take something like 6 weeks to complete and since things at school are so hectic I figured why not go ahead and do the Radio Shack book thing. I had the same thought about the book though. It is more memorizing the questions and answers rather than learning. That was my whole reason for looking into that class that the gentleman offers. Once I figured that it would be best for me to study the book on my own I went ahead and studied for about a week and then I took the Technician exam. My whole point is that I would have rather taken the preparation class. I know the man who holds these classes has been around in the hobby for quite some time. I guess he would be considered an Elmer :) Well fellow hams I am happy that a lot of people have replied to me. I appreciate your time. I was a bit discouraged when i read Joe's post up there. But after I thought about it I said oh well.
Hey Guys thanks a lot again. 73's to you all......joseph

2146. Building your own transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <3726996A.623B9C74@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 144488

I was reading an old Ham book and it mentioned a great number of times that building your own radio was a common thing in the past. It also yielded a few benifits. The satisfaction of knowing that you built your own radio and plus the savings. I thought that since I was new to HAM radio what better way to really learn a lot. So I surfed the internet and I found a great site for a place that sells these types of kits. Has anyone here ever built there own radio fromthis type of kit? If so do you think this is a good idea? Is it really worth it?
The kit does not really cost a whole lot. I am very interested in one particular kit they sell for a 220MHZ Transceiver. The totall cost would be approx. $200. If youd like more details I can get those to you as well:

you can reply here or e-mail me at jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu

Any input will be appreciated.......73's

joseph

2147. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37269EFF.AF80F59F@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144489

>>Hey Joe, Congrats, I just got my license last month. Went to CSULB when Stephen Horn was president.
What brand HT did you buy? Each manufacturer's insturctions are
different for programming their units. I bought the ICOM W32A, nice
unit, poor instructions compared to Kenwood or Yaesu.
>>Go to www.artscipub.com/repeaters for the open repeaters in SoCal. There is one on Catalina Island,
>>There is a group in Orange County called the WA6TWF SuperSystem that holds classes on how to use your radio. 714-680-4499 or wa6twf@juno.com. The class is free and held in Anaheim and WLA. I haven't called to find out how much it costs to join their group but seems worthwhile.
>>ARRL has a repeater directory, costs $8.
>>Downey has a radio club, www.DowneyARC.org; POB 207, Downey 90241. It's only a 20 min. drive from LB.
>>Go to Yahoo, search under hobbies for amateur radio clubs. There might be one close to you.

As for the morons that criticized you. Yeah, the ARRL and Gordo's books
inform you that the usual offset frequencies are .6 units apart for
repeaters in the US. The instructions for the HTs aren't always simple
to understand, especially if you have to flip through 3 pages.

2148. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Shrader <dshrader@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <37264FD5.F110302F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 144490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I believe the International telecommunications Union, the international treaty that authorizes the Amateur Radio SERVICE, requires Morse Code for amateur licenses.

We have been playing with the definitions of how much morse has to be known, copied, skill level, etc. but I believe international law still requires it.

Dave

The Conqueror wrote:

> I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
> if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
> think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
> in ham radio either. And if you want to say it is for security, you are not
> allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.
>
> -Dan K3DRQ
>
> k3drq@qsl.net

2149. Kenwood SW-2100 Calibration:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Harris <kc2bcg@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7gb5ardes1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Looking for the Calibration instructions for Kenwoods model SW-2100
SWR/Power Meter. The adjustment pots are not identified on the board and any
help would be greatly appreciated.
Thanks
73,
kc2bcg
George

2150. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: DanSullivan <sgtpepper@ncounty.net>
Message-ID: <3726135B.1F9E35B4@ncounty.net>
Source record: 144492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I used to like CW back in the 80's when they were first starting out. They put out some good tunes like: "Like a Novice" and "Jammin", but once they got into that "VOR in the USA" phase they have gone down a musical suck trail and I've since tuned out.

Jack Anderson wrote:

> CommQuart wrote:
> >
> > Ha ha ha... Good one! You got me there.
> >
> > Peter
> >
> > Anonymous wrote in message <199904270138.DAA02220@mail.replay.com>...
> > >CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
> > >Well, if it weren't for CB in the 70's we wouldn't have had the song
> > >"Convoy". That alone was worth it.
> > >
> > >
> > >"...so I crashed the gate doing 98
> > >I said let those truckers roll, 10-4"
> > >
> > >
> > >C.W. McCall didn't, perhaps, get his name from CW, did he? (His real
> > >name was Bill Fries).
> > >
> > >
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> --
>
> Well I said, Earl I'm not the type to complain but the time has come for
> me to explain that if you don't apply some brake's real soon their gonna
> have to pick us up with a stick and a spoon.....

2151. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#6QzoNIk#GA.118@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 144524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

As of APR 27,1999
The
HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & 1 hour Desk Top Charger.
is now $300.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2152. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: M <markt103@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <925201932.8112.0.nnrp-06.9e981d99@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Have you noticed any am broadcast interference on 10m

G0GBD@hotmail.com

2153. Re: To my ham friends

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dishdawg1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990427045949.19162.00002982@ng-fp1.aol.com>
Source record: 144526

well well well ,nick how bout this suggestion,open up your eyes..... ok you relative should RUN for the border like the hundreds of thousands that are right now..... hope he doesnt have a wife either cause if the yougoslav military has their way ... she'd be a walking gangbang just waiting to happen

2154. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5OLD Mike not Mic <w5old@sonetcom.com>
Message-ID: <01be9095$b66bd680$590231d1@me>
Source record: 144527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

This is a old say'n I just made up. It seems the more things/extras you
have on a car the more that can go wrong.
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Hello I'm "Mike not Mic"
from Ft. Sill Oklahoma
Home of the Field Artillery
All my radios smell like smoke!!!

2155. Re: Best thing about CW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-2704990609040001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 144528

In article <3724F778.D53208E2@parg.org>, "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org> wrote:

> The CW ops are the most well mannered of any I have run across. I am
> always run off of the fone bands by all the bad attitudes, swearing,
> jamming, frequency battles etc. I see the same attitudes on the news
> groups. I really don't care what they do about the CW tests. Preserve
> the CW subbands for the Gentlemen and Ladys of the Amateur Service and
> all (some) of the Fone op's can continue setting bad examples for the
> new guys like myself to be disgusted by. See you at the bottom of the
> band.

RR!

John D. Seney, WD1V [FN42]
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v

2156. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: REYPAN <jsoriano5148@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7g4a78$j3n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144529

In article <WDqO2.919$qe1.1913@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> On 4 Apr 99 13:15:03 GMT bfomsd@starmedia.com wrote:
> > Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>
> yes.
>
> > Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
>
> no. on account of I already know. I used to be a redneck in north
> georgia, us of a.
>
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Surf Usenet at home, on the road, and by email -- always at Talkway.
> THE ANSWER IS YES!!!!!!!!!!!!

I DO BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION,BUT IT DOES NOT WORK THE WAY REGULAR PEOPLE BELIEVE IN.iT IS NOT THAT COMPLICATED.THIS IS WHERE YOU PAY YOUR SINS,EVERYTIME YOU'RE BORN EITHER YOU MAKE MORE HARM OR MORE GOOD AND YOU'LL EVENTUALLY WILL HAVE TO PAY YOUR SINS.THINK ABOUT IT IT MAKE SENSE.I HAVE READ SEVERAL BOOKS ON THIS SUBJECT AND I THINK THE WHOLE WORLD DO NOT UNDERSTAND.

REGARDS
JOSE

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2157. FS: TEK. HP & misc. Test Equipt.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "David L. Jones" <k4dlj@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3725A979.D3331EFF@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.misc

Hello all!
Have the following items for sale:
1-Tektronix 7A19 - $20.00
1-Tektronix 7D01/DF1 (no probes) - $45.00
1-Tektronix - 4952 - joystick - $10.00
1-Tektronix - P6056/6059 - probe new in factory pack - $15.00
2-TIF model VA105 volume air balancer - both for $20.00
1-Genrad 1269A power supply 300vdc50ma/6.3vac3amps- $10.00
1-General Microwave model N-422-A Power head 1-12ghz
3-Systec model TM107A - temp meter - $10.00each
1-Data I/O model 29A with Unipak 2 - $40.00
1-Data I/O Chipsite- $15.00
1-Elgar model 251 with 400B oscillator - $75.00
1-Macbeth model TD504 Densitometer - Digital - works - $50.00
1-HP 608D Sig. gen. - 10-420mhz - works good tested on all ranges and physically in good condition- $95.00
1-HP 8403A modulator - $25.00
1-HP1630D with pod's 2-10272A, 2-10271A no grabbers but have connectors to make your own. Unit does not self test but in good physical condition and powers up fine. - $70.00
1-HP 1600A Logic state analyzer with (2)-10231C & grabbers, (1)-10230C with grabbers - tests OK - $50.00
1-HP1600A with (2)-10231C and (2)-10230C both with grabbers - $60.00 tests ok.
1-HP428B - NO probe - good condition/new style - $30.00
6-RF Industries UNIDAPT cable assembly kit with rack holder - NEW! - factory packed - $10.00each.
1-HP 1607A Logic State Analyzer - with (1)- 10231C and (1)-10230C both with grabbers- $45.00
1-HP10248C 8 bit probe with grabbers and case - $10.00
Thanks for reading this and best 73 de Dave K4DLJ

2158. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom McDermott <mcdermot@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com>
Message-ID: <3725B1CF.3597AF6D@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com>
Source record: 144531
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Considering the comments on velocity factor, you willl want to measure the
resonant frequencyt of the notch with some type of equipment. The stubs
I've built had to be tuned to frequency.

If you need higher notch-Q (at the expense of slightly less notch depth) you
can use a longer stub (i.e.: 3/4 wavelength, 5/4 wavelength - don't forget the

Vf adjustment).

Another approach to improving the notch filter is to use multiple notch
filters
separated by a 1/4 wave transmission line.

```
<--1/4-->
In ------+--------+------- Out
| |
| |
stub stub
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I've used this techniques to knock down a paging transitter signal located
very, very close (a few feet away). Tuning of the stubs was necessary. Start

with them long, and snip off 1/2" pieces to bring them into resonance. For
longer stubs, RG-213 gives better notch depth than RG-58 (due to lower loss).

Tom, N5EG

Michael Smith wrote:

> Does any one have info on building notch filters to be used as a low power
> notch duplexer. I have heard you can make a notch out of shorted coax
> stubs. Are the stubs 1/4 waves at the notch frequency? Anyone have plans
> for these types of filters.
>
> Mike
>
> mjs@nolnet.net

2159. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7g4dktrml1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Don W6ROY & Mary KC6WYC wrote in message <3724833E.A59@pacbell.net>...
>Spot wrote:

>And, mark my words, that's the day I turn in my ticket and my VE
>certification. And, 'SPOT' (I called one of my dog's Spot once),
>most of the advances in electronics technology came from the ranks
>of the Amateurs, who were experimenting with things beyound your
wildest
>dream when you were but spit on your father's mouth.
>
>Don

Well, Don, sorry to see you go. And you will go.

But it's attitudes like yours that are going to be the death of CW.

CW will go as a requirement, it's only a matter of time. But spoiled
brat attitudes like yours and others will eventually lead to stagnation
of CW, and then the protected sub-bands are going to go.

And you point out that most of the advances in electronics over
the years were from HAMs. That's true. But it sure had NOTHING
to do with CW for years.

Face it, CW is neat, it's fun, but it's not the savior and protector of
HAM radio. That funtion is up to the members, and hopefully
members that are open to new ideas and moving (hopefully
PUSHING) the envelope forward. Not those stuck in the past.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

2160. Re: 75 Ohm Hard line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: K <kwin@execpc.com>
Message-ID: <7g49n2$dd@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144533
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Address didnt work.

Brad Kellison KA8TOK wrote in message <37246575.BF27BF9A@four-way.net>...
>I can .. I live in the same town as Paul and YES the Info is correct.. you
can
>also go to he web site at the following address.
>
> http://www.kuggie.com/rbtip/ZDEngineering.html
>
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>
>> On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 10:13:58 -0400, "Michael Smith" <mjs@nolnet.net>
wrote:
>> >I may be getting some 3/4 or7/8 inch hard line that is 75 ohms. I
remember
>> >reading a article about using 75 ohm line. The author only did test up
to 2
>> >meters. I want to use this line on 70 cm. Will cotangent transformers
work
>> >for this band? I have heard if everything else is good you would only
get a
>> >1.5 to 1 match any how. Also do I have to mess with the antenna? I
would
>> >like to use this at a 440 repeater site and the antenna is a 4 dipole
>> >array. Is there any one that sells matching transformers?
>>
>> ZD Engineering sells transformers for most types of CATV hardline.
>> They work fine, and also serve as substitutes for the often expensive
>> hardline connectors. The address I have is 605 Balsley Avenue,
>> Findlay Ohio, 45840. The phone number is 419-424-8765. ZD
>> Engineering is owned by Paul Darwactor W8ZD. I've used these
>> transformers and can recomend them.
>>
>> (It has been some years since I've bought any. I can't guarantee
>> that the address and phone number are still good, but it is the
>> best info I have.)
>>
>> Since the SWR isn't really that high, and excess SWR loss is
>> relatively low, the question of why should we care is relevant.
>> The reason is that the reactive termination can *detune your
>> duplexer*. This leads to desense problems.
>>
>> You can work around that in a couple of ways (absorb the reactance

>> into the tuning of the duplexer, or cut the line to a multiple of a
halfwave,
>> remembering velocity factor), but it is generally better to match the
>> system up as best you can so you can freely interchange parts without
>> having to retune the entire system. A pair of these transformers are
>> useful for doing that. (You still have to get your antenna tuned
correctly,
>> or you'll have SWR on the line anyway.)
>>
>> Gary
>> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>

2161. Re: More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Smith <w9wi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <37260E16.F5F213F8@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I'm going to regret wading into this mess but...

Did a quick count last night. I have in my possession over 200 PSE QSL cards from German stations worked during contests since 1995. That's over 200 people who got a wanted QSL only because of a contest. And that's only in one country - if you count Japan, the rest of Europe, and North America, I'm sure the figure comes pretty close to 1,000.
--
Doug Smith W9WI
Pleasant View (Nashville), TN EM66
http://personal.bellsouth.net/~w9wi

2162. Re: Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7g4j97had1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 144535

In article <lD7V2.195$X75.499543@news.abs.net>,
"Karina Wright" <karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:
>As I remarked in another message, I've only recently become aware that there
>is now a no-code option for me to pursue.
>
>I have downloaded the app from the FCC, but need to bone up on current
>requirements and technology. Can anyone recommend a good site and/or book
>and/or magazine that I can begin with.
>
>Thanx and ttfn/Karina
>
>
****

Although I and my wife have used the book "Now You're Talking", a friend is presently working towards his first license and finds the study book by Gordon West much better. I find the Now You're Talking book harder to follow than some others and does not give you the explination of the correct answer right there with the question. You can buy the Gordon West books at Amateur Electronic Supply (see their web site - www.aesham.com) or call them at 1-800-558-0411. They are commonly referred to as AES.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

2163. Re: 75 Ohm Hard line?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <3725D4B9.9EF416FB@four-way.net>
Source record: 144536
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

the website may not work but the telephone and house address sure do.

K wrote:

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>
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> >> useful for doing that. (You still have to get your antenna tuned
> correctly,
> >> or you'll have SWR on the line anyway.)
> >>
> >> Gary
> >> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> >> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> >> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
> >

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2164. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3725D406.524F0790@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Why don't you move this to rec.radio.amateur.bitch, where it belongs? I suspect if *you* had a life you'd be too busy to waste everyone's time with this useless drivel.

Marv
AB0IO

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> In article <3724fca0.4655669@news.mindspring.com>,
> unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
> > I must agree that the 'contesters' are the most rude ops on the
> > air.Thank GOD most of them never key a mic except at contest time.
> >
> That's not to say a beam or two is bad.
>
> Talk about needing a life, though- why win a radio contest every time,
> at
> will ? There's fun and variety. Contesters are the people who damn
> near
> flunked out of gym, so they found a niche where they can get trophies
> as
> adults.
>
> And I'd love to be the boss or coworker of one on Monday morning. Can
> you say
> zero productivity ?
>
> Contesters have manners to match; they are actually poor operators who
> need to
> rely on brute force and the toy duck shoot known as a contest.
>
> ------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network
> ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your
> Own

2165. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g4k7tbj1@208.207.71.171>
Source record: 144538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Dave Heil wrote:
>
> Reg Edwards wrote:
> >
> > The murder rate in North America was even lower before
> > 1492. How do you account for that ?
> > -----
> > Reg.
>
> Two factors:
>
> 1. The lack of historical recordkeeping by the North American Indians.
>
> 2. British hooligans had not yet arrived on the scene.

TOO-SHAY!!!
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2166. Re: Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <3725D317.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 144539

Karina Wright wrote:
>
> As I remarked in another message, I've only recently become aware
> that there is now a no-code option for me to pursue.
>
> I have downloaded the app from the FCC, but need to bone up on
> current requirements and technology. Can anyone recommend a good
> site and/or book and/or magazine that I can begin with.
>

Someone else has already recommended "HAM UNIVERSITY" and they
are correct. It is an excellect program. Here are a few other
possible places to look for help.

The ARRL web site, http://www.arrl.org, has downloadable copies
of the question pools for the Novice/Technician tests. There
is a lot of other good information there, for the beginner.
There is also a section where you can find out where the
tests are given and the dates/times.

Gordon West books are usually available at any local Radio Shack.
These are good books, dispite a few minor errors. The books
contain all of the questions, from the question pool, plus
an explanation. Very easy reading.

Another source for the books is Amateur Electronic Supply. They have
them listed on their web site, "http://www.aesham.com/", for $12.95.

There is, of course, the ARRL books, but I can't comment on them
because I have not seen them.

When you think you are ready for one of the written tests, try
this site:

AA9PW's Amateur Radio Exam Practice Page at
http://www.biochem.mcw.edu/Postdocs/Simon/radio/exam.html

You can get a real good idea of whether you are really ready
for one of the tests. It really helped me through the Tech,
General, and Advanced tests. I'll see how it does for the Extra
test in May or June.

Another site would be the following, but I like the first one
the best.

Ham Exam: Amateur Radio Practice Exams
http://w5ac.tamu.edu/ham-exam-v2/ham-exam.html

You need to remember that the No-Code Tech license limits you
to the VHF and UHF band segments. If that what you are interested
in, great. But if you are looking to work the HF bands you will
need to learn the code. If that's of interest to you, you might
try getting a copy of Morse Academy. You can get a copy from:

Ham/Morse Academy - AH0A
http://www.speroni.com/AH0A.html

I used it myself, to get through the 13 WPM code test. I found that
Morse Academy comes as close as you can get to the FCC exam. When
the code test started, it sounded like I was sitting at home,
working at my PC.

There is an option, "G", that generates simulated QSOs, with
all of the prosigns, and contains the kind of information that
will be on the FCC test. These QSOs can then be played back
using the "K" option, at any speed you like.

Morse Academy is written for DOS and sometimes has trouble
with certain hardware configurations, but then they all do.
To avoid any problems, I made a bootable floppy and installed
it there. It works great that way and is portable to any
computer that's handy. I've tried it on 486's and 586's. It
should work on the old 286's and 386's.

Here is another site that might be of interest:

Morse Code Practice Java Applet
http://www.teklasoft.com/java/applets/morse/morse.htm

I haven't tried it yet, but it might be nice.

Well, good luck.

Martin

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Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS martin.e.meserve
Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2167. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@online.no>
Message-ID: <5JkV2.259$ZU2.1629@news1.online.no>
Source record: 144540

Nat skrev i meldingen
<37281cb7.13998807@news.ot.centuryinter.net>...
>>When you are taking the exam, you have to be
able
>>to send and receive code by a certain
>>wpm, and ofcourse some extra theory too. After
say
>>you are become a family-man or busy at work
>>you take up your old hobby and is once again
QRV,
>>but what about your code then.....?
>
>I can tell you what this old ham is doing a bout
the long forgotten code:
>I'm learning it all over again. I couldn't call
my self a ham withut it.
>

and all others ?

>73 Nat NA5NA

2168. FS:14v/28v Power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon Snider <leons@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g4nf7$kn7$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144541

NEW,gov. surplus! 14v/100a,28v/50a. Both taps are adjustable. 163 lbs. Email pic available. $350,FIRM,picked up at 35126,or you pay motor freight.

2169. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be9112$82750ae0$3aeaabc3@default>
Source record: 144542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi Dave,

10 out of 10 for the correct answer.

A very generous admission.
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****
Regards, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp

****

Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote in article
<3724CC89.2385@cats-net.com>...
> Reg Edwards wrote:
> >
> > The murder rate in North America was even lower before
> > 1492. How do you account for that ?
> > -----
> > Reg.
>
> Two factors:
>
> 1. The lack of historical recordkeeping by the North
American Indians.
>
> 2. British hooligans had not yet arrived on the scene.
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN
> --
> For 5H3US photos, go to
> http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/
>

2170. FA: Huge ARRL Handbook Collection 1940s -1969

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce J. Howes KG2IC" <bhowes@buffnet.net>
Message-ID: <3725f167.0@news3.buffnet.net>
Source record: 144543
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,att.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Listed on Ebay -->
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=95964502

Collection of ARRL Handbooks, 25 issues in all. Some duplicates as noted.

Due to the number, and my desire not to pack and ship separately, I have
listed as a group using the following criteria:
Scale: ->
Excellent- Near New ->
Very Good- Slight binding cracks, slight folds, binding in good shape, no
tears or damage ->
Good- Normal wear for age ->
Fair- Showing some wear

1942 Very Good
1945 Fair but cover is loose
1946 Good but small tear on binding cover
1946 Good
1947 Fair
1947 Good
1947 Fair
1950 Good
1952 Very Good
1953 Very Good
1954 Very Good
1955 Very Good
1956 Very Good
1961 Good
1963 Excellent
1964 Excellent
1965 Excellent
1965 Good
1966 Good
1966 Very Good
1967 Excellent
1967 Excellent
1967 Excellent
1968 Good
1969 Good

Payment must be in Postal Money Order or certified funds received prior to
shipment. Buyer pays shipping, your choice, FedEx or UPS.

Tnx!

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73,

Bruce KG2IC

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Bruce J. Howes KG2IC email: kg2ic@arrl.net
East Amherst, NY 14051 web: www.buffnet.net/~bhowes
FISTS #4164 ARMY MARS AAR2AJ
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begin 666 Bruce J. Howes.vcf
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2171. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <372df623.4052976@news.erols.com>
Source record: 144544

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 18:19:06 -0700, "Timothy Hynde"
<ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>Michael Young wrote in message <925158292.396.95@news.remarQ.com>...
>>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
>>news:37249b1a.9078302@news.atl.bellsouth.net...
>>> However, there is a technical solution to the ATC problem.
>>> We could replace the AM radios with cryptographically
>>> secure spread spectrum radios. Then it would be virtually
>>> impossible to effectively jam or spoof them. The technology
>>
>>It also makes it impossible to communicate with older radios in private
>>planes. Murphy had this part about technology right.
>>
>>Michael.
>
>
>Hmm why just equip commercial aircraft and appropriate towers with the SS
>radios and leave everything else alone? Tower transmissions go out on analog
>and digital freqs at the same time, not unlike the analog/digital phone
>quandry.

Because it just ain't that critical. Most folks have a very mistaken
idea of just what an air traffic controller does. If a radio system
appears to be trashed, the pilots will revert to a Lost Communications
mode of operation and take care of themselves. In fact, this is one of
the more substantial issues you learn in an Instrument Rating Ground
School.

Air traffic controllers make flying easier, faster, and safer for
everyone involved. I liken their operations to that of a police
officer directing traffic. You can manage without them, but it's much
safer when they're around.

Don't forget one of the best advantages of a stone simple VHF radio:
It's reliable. The fancier things get in the cockpit, the more there
is to break. How bad is this threat versus the possible loss of sync
in a spread spectrum radio?

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

2172. Completely off topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3725C67D.175A7B90@yahoo.com>
Source record: 144545

Hi

I know this has nothing to do with HAM radio, and therefore is completely off topic, but maybe there is someon who knows and can explain it to me.

Yesterday I saw the movie "PleasantVille", and one thing that really puzzels me is "who do they film in BOTH B/W and color at the same time ?". Of course when you see some kind of special effect or explosion, you know it's most likely computer generated, but do they have to edit the entire movie on the computer to mix the black/white and color, or what ?. Maybe I should write to the "How They Do That" show instead.

Again, I know it off topic.

Thanks.
Jesper W6KTO

2173. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <37260044.63A7DFA3@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 144546

I am located in Long Beach Ca. Thank you for understanding where I am coming from.
I am a student at California State Univ. Long Beach and I am majoring in Electrical Engineering. I am always studying it seems and when I studied for the exam I did it all on my own. I do not know one person who is into ham radio. No friends or family at all. I was simply interested in it so I bought a book and studied on my own. I passed the exam the first time and I am curently learning morse code with a program on my computer. I want to upgrade to at least Tech Plus. I thought that this hobby was a learn as you go type of thing. It actually adds to my fun having to learn all of these things. Like I said I do not know anyone personnaly that I can ask these questions. I thought what better place to ask questions that this Newsgroup. Then people like Joe pop up and belittle newbies like myself. Joe, I do not have the luxury of being surrounded by experienced HAM operators. Please believe me when i say I am brand new to this hobby. I literally woke up one day and said "I would like to get into amateur radio". So I went to radio Shack and I bought the book and began studying. I would like to thank all of the fellow hams that have sent me e-mail with answers to my questions. I appreciate all of you. Even you Joe. To everyone i wish 73's...God bless you all. joseph merfalen...KF6VVQ

Jesper Kristiansen wrote:

> Why not help him instead of scare him !!!!!!!!!!!!, what a HAM fellow.
> To Joseph, where are you located ?.
>
> Jesper
> W6KTO
>
> Joe wrote:
>
> > How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license without learning
> > even this most basic operating procedure?
> >

2174. Phonetic alphabets (Alpha Bravo Charlie Delta) (Apr 99)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bck1@shep.cl.cam.ac.uk
Message-ID: <7g52u6$e3a$1@pegasus.csx.cam.ac.uk>
Source record: 144547
Cross-posted to: sci.lang,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Phonetic Alphabets (Alpha Bravo etc)
April 1999

There is a widely known alphabet Alpha Bravo ... Yankee Zulu.
Such alphabets are variously known as phonetic/radio/
spelling/telephone alphabets, and the term analogy alphabet
is also used. This collection currently includes alphabets
for the following languages:

English, French, German, Dutch, Flemish, Spanish,
Portuguese, Italian, Romansh, Danish, Norwegian,
Swedish, Finnish, Czech, Slovak, Polish, Hungarian,
Croatian, Serbo-Croat, Greek, Romanian, Turkish,
Hebrew, Russian, Ukrainian, Swahili, Kwanyama, Ndonga,
Afrikaans, Chinese and Esperanto.

This posting supersedes the one of 17 August 1998. New
material includes Andriy Bogdan (Ukrainian).

My thanks to the many contributors, not all of whom are
acknowledged below. Particular thanks to Gwillim Law
gwil@mindspring.com for numerous contributions and for
looking after posting for a while.

Please report any errors. I will be glad to receive new
material; further references; anecdotes; whatever.

A Web copy of this article, together with some further
material, can be found at:

<http://www.cl.cam.ac.uk/users/bck1/menu.html>

There is also a copy of the article at:

<http://www.columbia.edu/~fuat/cuarc/phonetic.html>

Also, but not currently up to date:

<ftp://rtfm.mit.edu/pub/usenet/news.answers/radio/phonetic-alph/full>
<ftp://ftp.cs.ruu.nl/pub/NEWS.ANSWERS/radio/phonetic-alph/full>

Editorial comments are in square brackets.

Brian Kelk bck1@cl.cam.ac.uk
27 April 1999

***** ENGLISH *****

The NATO phonetic alphabet:

Alpha Bravo Charlie Delta Echo Foxtrot Golf Hotel India
Juliet Kilo Lima Mike November Oscar Papa Quebec Romeo
Sierra Tango Uniform Victor Whiskey Xray Yankee Zulu

[This alphabet dates from about 1955 and is approved by the
International Civil Aviation Organization, the FAA and the
International Telecommunication Union; note that different
bodies prefer different spellings, so one also sees:
Alfa Juliett Juliette Oskar Viktor]

[The alphabet above is from the Cambridge Encyclopedia of
Language. An alphabet with Alfa X-ray can be found in The
U.S. Department of Defense Dictionary of Military Terms.
Alfa Juliett X-ray, which is the ICAO version, appears in
A Concise Dictionary Of Slang And Unconventional English
and also two Langenscheidt dictionaries]

[UK police use Indigo(???) instead of India.
German army handbook 90/91: Alfa Foxtrott Juliett.
Italian version: Alfa Charly FoxTrot Giuliet Romio Wiskey.
An Indonesian phrase book: Beta Ultra Volvo Whisky X-ray.
A precursor of the present alphabet (1952?) had: Alfa Coca
Metro Nectar Siera Union Whisky Extra]

Phonetics for digits (from an amateur radio FAQ):

zero one two tree fower fife six seven eight niner

From the Cambridge Encyclopedia of Language:

zero wun too tree fower fife six seven ait niner

'Telecom B':

[Note similarity to Apples Butter Charlie]

Alfred Benjamin Charles David Edward Frederick George Harry
Isaac Jack King London Mary Nellie Oliver Peter Queen Robert
Samuel Tommy Uncle Victor William Xray Yellow Zebra

[Found also in Swedish, Dutch, Hungarian telephone
directories. An 'analogy alphabet' in a Kenyan directory
has Charlie and no Y. A Swiss directory: Andrew Charlie
Lussy Queenie Sugar. French/German vocabulary books: Andrew
Charlie Lucy Mike Nelly Sugar Xmas. English phrase books
for Spanish/Italian speakers: Charlie. A 'British English'
alphabet in a Langenscheidt dictionary: Andrew Charlie Lucy
Queenie Sugar Xmas. Norwegian dictionary: Andrew Charlie
Lucy Sugar Victory Xerxes. Collins Polish dictionary:
Andrew Charlie Lucy Sugar Xmas]

[Used as an English alphabet by telephone operators in
Israel]

'British A':

Amsterdam Baltimore Casablanca Denmark Edison Florida
Gallipoli Havana Italia Jerusalem Kilogramme Liverpool
Madagascar New_York Oslo Paris Quebec Roma Santiago Tripoli
Uppsala Valencia Washington Xantippe Yokohama Zurich

[An 'international' alphabet in a Dutch telephone directory
has: Danemark. A 'French' alphabet in a Hungarian directory
has: Cassablanka Danemark Que'bec Upsala Zu"rich.
An 'international' alphabet in a business book for French
has: Italy Kilogram Zu"rich; the corresponding book for
German has: Italy Kilogram Xanthippe Zu"rich.
An 'international' alphabet in a Langenscheidt dictionary:
Danemark Madagaskar Que'bec Upsala Xanthippe Zu"rich.
An 'international' alphabet in a Larousse business book:
Danemark Je'rusalem Que'bec Xanthippe]

[West Berlin telephone directory 1965: Danemark Je'rusalem
Madagaskar Que'bec Upsala Xanthippe Zu"rich.
Santa Fe (Argentina) 1955: Dinamarca Habana Jerusale'n
Kilogramo Nueva_York N~andubay Upsala Wa'shington Xantipo
Yokoama.
Azores 1966: Danemark Ita'lia Jerusale'm New-York Que'bec
Upsala Yokoham]

[Used as a French alphabet by telephone operators in Israel]

Bombay telephone directory 1962 (also a later source):

Army Brother Cinema Doctor English Father Gold Hotel India
Jam King Lady Mother Navy Orange Paper Queen Raja Sister
Table Uncle Victory Water X-ray Yellow Zero

Kenyan and Tanzanian telephone directories 1966:

Africa Bombay Charlie Durban England Freddie George Harry
India Japan Kenya London Mombasa Nairobi Orange Peter Queen
Robert Sugar Tanga Uganda Victory William X-Ray Yellow
Zanzibar

Johannesburg telephone directory 1965:

[Note similarity to Alfred Benjamin]

Arthur Betty Charlie David Edward Frederick George Harry
Isaac Jane Kate Lucy Mary Nellie Olive Peter Queen Robert
Simon Thomas Union Violet William X-Ray York Zero

Malayan telephone directory 1964:

Australia Bombay China Denmark England Fiji Ghana Hongkong
India Japan Kedah London Malacca Norway Osaka Penang
Queensland Russia Singapore Turkey Uganda Victoria Wales
X'Ray Yokohama Zanzibar

Used by police in New York City:

[Note similarity to ARRL and Western Union]

Adam Boy Charlie David Edward Frank George Henry Ida John
King Lincoln Mary Nora Ocean Peter Queen Robert Sam Tom
Union Victor William X-ray Young Zebra

[Variants: Eddie Larry Nancy Thomas Yankee Yellow]

Used by police in Nassau County, Long Island, New York:

Adam Boston Chicago Denver Edward Frank George Henry Ida
John King Lincoln Mary Nancy Ocean Peter Queen Robert Sam
Thomas Union Victor William X-ray Young Zebra

Used by police in San Diego, California:

Adam Boy Charles David Edward Frank George Henry Ida John
King Lincoln Mary Nora Ocean Paul Queen Robert Sam Tom Unit
Victor William Xray Yellow Zebra

Used by police in Hutchinson, Kansas:

Adam Boy Charles David Edward Frank George Henry Ida John
King Lincoln Mary Nora Ocean Paul Q.. Robert Sam Tom Union
Victor William X-ray Yankee Zebra

Alternative phonetics sometimes used unofficially in amateur
radio:

America Boston Canada Denmark England France Germany
Honolulu Japan Kilowatt London Mexico Norway Ontario/Ocean
Pacific Radio Santiago/Spain Tokyo United Victoria
Washington Yokohama Zanzibar

[Also: Amsterdam, Baltimore, Brazil, Chile, Egypt, Finland,
Geneva, Greece, Guatemala, Hawaii, Italy, Kentucky, King,
Luxembourg, Montreal, Nicaragua, Portugal, Romania, Russia,
Sweden, Texas, Uruguay, Venezuela]

The ARRL (American Radio Relay League) alphabet (1948):

[Note similarity to Western Union and Able Baker]

Adam Baker Charlie David Edward Frank George Henry Ida John
king Lewis Mary Nancy Otto Peter queen Robert Susan Thomas
union Victor William x-ray young zebra

[Nowadays the ARRL endorses the NATO/ICAO/ITU alphabet]

Pre-1954 U.S. Navy Radio Alphabet:

(Communications Handbook, 1945)

[Note similarity to Able Buy Cast]

Able Baker Charlie Dog Easy Fox George How Item Jig King
Love Mike Nan Oboe Peter Queen Roger Sugar Tare Uncle Victor
William X-ray Yoke Zebra

[formerly used by IBM engineers for hex digits and pin
positions]

Same alphabet:

- British forces 1952
- "Used by Armed services of USA & GB" (ARRL Handbook, 1945)
- "The Complete Morse Instructor..." (1944)

'Allied Services 1945': Edward Tape

RAF 1943-56: Able-Afirm Item/Interrogatory Jig/Johnny
Nab/Negat Peter/Prep

U.S. Army/Navy 1941: Sail

[In similar alphabets: affirm, cast, hypo, inter, negat,
option, over, prep]

RAF 1942-43:

Apple Beer Charlie Dog Edward Freddy George Harry In
Jug/Johnny King Love Mother Nuts Orange Peter Queen
Roger/Robert Suga Tommy Uncle Vic William X-ray Yoke/Yorker
Zebra

[cf. aircraft in Dambusters raid: A-Apple B-Baker C-Charlie
E-Easy F-Freddie G-George H-Harry J-Johnny K-King L-Leather
(officially L-London) M-Mother N-Nuts O-Orange P-Popsie
S-Sugar T-Tommy W-Willie Y-York Z-Zebra]

U.S. Navy 1940:

Affirmative Baker Cast Dog Easy Fox George Hypo
Interrogatory Jig King Love Mike Negative Option Preparatory
Queen Roger Sail Tare Unit Victor William Xray Yoke Zed

Western Union:

Adams Boston Chicago Denver Easy Frank George Henry Ida John
King Lincoln Mary New_York Ocean Peter Queen Roger Sugar
Thomas Union Victor William X-ray Young Zero

British Army 1927:

Ack Beer Charlie Don Edward Freddy George Harry Ink Johnnie
King London Monkey Nuts Orange Pip Queen Robert Sugar Toc
Uncle Vic William X-ray Yorker Zebra

RAF 1924-42:

Ac Beer Charlie Don Edward Freddie George Harry Ink Johnnie
King London Monkey Nuts Orange Pip Queen Robert Sugar Toc

Uncle Vic William X-ray Yorker Zebra

Royal Navy 1917:

Apples Butter Charlie Duff Edward Freddy George Harry Ink
Johnnie King London Monkey Nuts Orange Pudding Queenie
Robert Sugar Tommy Uncle Vinegar Willie Xerxes Yellow Zebra

[Wrens at Bletchley Park: Apple James Kenneth(?) Oliver
Peter Quagger(??) Unicorn William Xray]

U.S. Army 1916:

Able Buy Cast Dock Easy Fox George Have Item Jig King Love
Mike Nap Opal Pup Quack Rush Sail Tape Unit Vice Watch X-ray
Yoke Zed

British forces 1904:

Ack Beer C D E F G H I J K L Emma N O Pip Q R Esses Toc U
Vic W X Y Z

[The OED has a reference for Beer and Emma dated 1891]

***** FRENCH *****

[style: A comme Anatole]

Contributor: Erik Tjong Kim Sang <erikt@let.rug.nl>

anatole bernard c'ecile denise 'emile fran5cois g'erard
henri isidore jean kl'eber louis marcel nicole oscar pierre
quital robert suzanne th'er`ese ursule victor wagon xavier
yvonne zo'e

Contributor: Rudolf Lais <chibm5hp@ibmmail.com>

(Swiss telephone directory 1993)

Anna Berthe Ce'cile Daniel Emile Franc,ois Gustave Henri Ida
Jeanne Kilo Louise Marie Nicolas Olga Paul Quittance Robert
Suzanne The're`se Ulysse Victor William Xavier Yvonne Zurich

[also Geneva directory 1966]
[Larousse business book: Anne E'mile]

(OUP vocabulary book)

Anatole Berthe Ce'sar De'sire' Euge`ne E'mile Franc,ois
Gaston Henri Irma Joseph Kle'ber Louis Marcel Nicolas Oscar
Pierre Que'bec Robert Suzanne The're`se Ursule Victor
William Xavier Yvonne Zoe'

(Langenscheidt phrase book)

Anatole Berthe Ce'sar De'sire' Emile Franc,ois Gaston Henri
Isidore Jean Kle'ber Louis Marie Nicolas Oscar Paul Que'bec
Robert Suzanne The'odore Ursule Victor Wagon Xavier Yvonne
Zoe'

(Larousse business book)

Arthur Bruxelles Caroline De'sire' E'mile Fre'de'ric Gustave
Henri Isidore Joseph Kilogramme Le'opold Marie Napole'on
Oscar Piano Quie'vrain Robert Suzanne Te'le'phone Ursule
Victor Waterloo Xavier Yvonne Ze'ro

(Berlitz and AA phrase books; Larousse business book)

Anatole Berthe Ce'lestin De'sire' Euge`ne Franc,ois Gaston
Henri Irma Joseph Kle'ber Louis Marcel Nicolas Oscar Pierre
Quintal Raoul Suzanne The're`se Ursule Victor William Xavier
Yvonne Zoe'

[with the addition of E'mile for e-acute this is the
official Post Office alphabet]

Similar alphabets:

Collins vocabulary book
and dictionary: Bertha
business book: E'mile
Cassel business book: Zoe"
BBC business book: Emile (for e-acute) Nicholas
telephone French book: Rene'
Collins phrase books: Victor/Viktor
Pitman business book: E'mile (for e-acute)
(also Langenscheidt dictionary, Longman business
book and Loire-Atlantique telephone directory 1966)

***** GERMAN *****

[style: A wie Anton]
[some alphabets have phonetics for umlauts, ch, sch, ss]

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(official alphabet for emergency services,
from "KatS-Dv 810 - Sprechfunkdienst", 1977)

Anton Berta C"asar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Samuel Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanthippe
Ypsilon Zacharias

"Arger Charlotte "Okonom Schule "Ubermut

[also Langenscheidt Standard German Dictionary 1993,
AA phrase book and West Berlin telephone directory 1965]
[Collins dictionary and grammar: similar but Bertha
Peter/Paula]

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Anton Berta Caesar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Karl Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle Richard
Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanthippe Ypsilon
Zeppelin

A"rger O"dipus U"bel

More recent replacements: Konrad Zacharias

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anton bertha c"asar dora emil friederich gustav heinrich ida
julius kaufmann ludwig martha nordpol otto paula quelle
richard samuel theodor ulrich viktor wilhelm xanthippe
ypsilon zacharias

"arger charlotte "okonom schule "ubermut

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(Swiss telephone directory 1993)

Anna Bertha Ca"sar Daniel Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Jakob Kaiser Leopold Marie Niklaus Otto Peter Quelle Rosa
Sophie Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xaver Yverdon Zu"rich

[also Geneva directory 1966]

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(issued by Deutsche Bundespost)

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Zeppelin

Schule

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Johann Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula quer
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xaver
Ypsilon Zeppelin

Eszett

(OUP vocabulary book)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Konrad Ludwig Martin Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanten
Ypsilon Zeppelin

A"rger O"konom U"bel

(Collins vocabulary book)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Jerusalem Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Samuel Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanthippe
Ypsilon Zacharias

(Cassel business book)

Anton Berta Caesar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanthippe
Ypsilon Zacharias

A"rger O"konom Schule U"bel

(BBC business book) "standard phone alphabet"

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried/Samuel Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm
Xanthippe Ypsilon Zeppelin/Zacharias

A"rger Charlotte O"konom Schule U"bermut

(BBC business book)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanthippe
Ypsilon Zeppelin

A"rger O"konom scharfes_s Schule U"bermut

(Berlitz phrase book)

Anton Berta Caesar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Samuel Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xanthippe
Ypsilon Zacharias

A"rger Charlotte O"konom Schule U"bel

(Austrian telephone directory)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Konrad Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xaver
Ypsilon Zu"rich

A"rger O"sterreich scharfes_S Schule U"bel

(Collins phrase book)

Anton Berta Caesar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Konrad Ludwig Martin Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Victor Wilhelm Xanten
Zeppelin

Eszett

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(Vienna telephone directory)

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Julius Konrad Ludwig Martha Norbert Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xaver
Ypsilon Zacharias

A"rger Christine O"sterreich U"bel

(BBC language book)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Siegfried Theodor Ulrich Victor Wilhelm Xanthippe
Ypsilon Zeppelin

(Hugo business book)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Gustav Heinrich Ida
Julius Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paris Quelle
Richard Samuel Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xantippe
Ypsilon Zacharias

A"rger Charlotte O"konom U"bermut

(Langenscheidt phrase book)

Anton Berta Ca"sar Dora Emil Friedrich Georg Heinrich Ida
Johann Kaufmann Ludwig Martha Nordpol Otto Paula Quelle
Richard Samuel Theodor Ulrich Viktor Wilhelm Xaver Ypsilon
Zeppelin

A"rger O"konom U"bermut

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Arno Borvaselin Coburg-Gotha Doria Ernst Friedrichsroda
Gomorrha Herrenzimmer Ida Jawohl_Odol Kolberg_Ost Leonidas
Motor Nora Oekonom Per_Motorrad Quohnsdorf_bei_Forst
Revolver Sabine Tod Uniform Verbrennungstod Weltnordpol
Xolabaphon York_Yellowstone Zoroaster

oe Oekonomie
ue Ueberkonto

[This alphabet provides mnemonics for Morse code: a syllable
corresponds to a dash if it contains 'o', a dot otherwise.]

For another alphabet of this nature see
<http://scoutnet.ch/archives/books/morse.htm>

***** DUTCH *****

[style: A van Anna]

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anna bernhard cornelis dirk eduard ferdinand gerard hendrik
izaak jan karel lodewijk marie nico otto pieter quotient
rudolf simon teunis utrecht victor willem xantippe
ij: ijmuiden ypsilon zaandam

[Berlitz phrase book: bernard quadraat]

(Collins phrase book)

Amsterdam Bravo Charlie Dirk Edam Freddie goed help Isaac
Jaap kilo lasso moeder Nico Otto paard Quaker Rudolf suiker
tafel uur vogel wind xylofoon Yankee zout

There used to be a Morse code mnemonic alphabet at
<http://inter.scout.net/morse/morse-nl.html>

***** FLEMISH *****

[the N.O.D.E. defines Flemish as the Dutch language
as spoken in Flanders]

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arthur brussel carolina desire emiel frederik gustaaf
hendrik isidoor jozef kilogram leopold maria napoleon oscar
piano qualite robert sofie telefoon ursula victor waterloo
xavier yvonne zola

***** SPANISH *****

[style: A de Antonio]
[some alphabets have phonetics for ch, ll, n~, rr]

(BBC business book, Collins and Berlitz phrase books)

Antonio Barcelona Carmen Chocolate Dolores Enrique Francia
Gerona Historia Ine's Jose' Kilo Lorenzo Llobregat Madrid
Navarra N~on~o Oviedo Pari's Querido Ramo'n Sa'bado
Tarragona Ulises Valencia Washington Xiquena Yegua Zaragoza

[An AA phrase book has "i griega" for Y]
[Collins dictionary and grammar: similar but Ine's/Israel
Querido/Quebec Ulises/Uruguay]

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(used in ministries in Madrid in the 1960s)

Alicante Bilbao Ca'diz Dinamarca Espan~a Francia Girona
Huelva Italia Jae'n Kilo Lugo LLamar Madrid Navarra Oviedo
Portugal Queso Roma EreDoble Sevilla Toledo U'nico Valencia
UveDoble equis Yugoslavia Zaragoza

(business book) "The telephonist's alphabet"

Antonio Barcelona Carmen Domingo Espan~a/Enrique Francia
Gerona Historia Italia/i_latina Jose'/Jaen Kilo Le'rida
Llave Madrid Navarra N~ando Oviedo Portugal/Pari's Queso
Ramo'n/Roma Sevilla Tarragona/Toledo Ursula/Ubeda Valencia
Washington Xilofo'n Yegua Zaragoza

(Langenscheidt phrase book)

Antonio Bogota' Carmen Chocolate Dora Enrique Francisco
Gibraltar Historia Ine's Jose' Kilo Lorenzo Llobregat
Me'xico Nicaragua N~on~o Oce'ano Paraguay Querido Ramo'n
Sa'bado Toma's Ulises Venezuela Washington Xiquena Yegua
Zaragoza

(Berlitz phrase book) [Latin American]

Amalia Beatriz Carmen Domingo Enrique Federico Guatemala
Honduras Ida Jose' Kilo Lima Llave Me'xico Nicaragua N~on~o
Olimpo Pablo Quito Rafael Santiago Teresa Uruguay Venezuela
Washington Xilo'fono Yucata'n Zorro

(AA phrase book) [Latin American]

Ana bueno Carlos chocolate dedo Eduardo Francia gato
historia Ine's Jose' Kilo Luis Llanes Madrid Norma n~on~o
Omar Pedro querido Ramo'n sa'bado Teresa Ulises Victor
Washington Xiquena i_griega Zaragoza

***** PORTUGUESE *****

[style: A de/como Aviero]

(Berlitz phrase book)

Aveiro Braga Coimbra Dafundo E'vora Faro Guarda Horta
Ita'lia Jose' Kodak Lisboa Maria Nazare' Ovar Porto Queluz
Rossio Setu'bal Tavira Unidade Vidago Waldemar Xavier York
Zulmira

[Azores telephone directory 1966: Braganc,a Kilograma
Wilson]

(Collins phrase books)

Alexandre Banana/Bastos Carlos Daniel Eduardo Franc,a
Gabriel Holanda Ita'lia Jose' Lisboa Maria Nicolau O'scar
Paris Quarto Ricardo Susana Teresa Ulisses Venezuela Xangai
Zebra

(AA phrase book)

Ame'rica Bernardo Colo'nia Dinamarca Espanha Franc,a Gre'cia
Holanda Irlanda Japa~o Kremlin Londres Madrid Na'poles Oslo
Portugal Quilo Ru'ssia Sue'cia Turquia Uruguai Vito'ria
Washington Xangai Zurique

(Collins dictionary)

Anto^nio Beatriz Carlos dado Eliane Francisco Gomes Henrique
Irene Jose' Ka'tia Lu'cia Maria Nair Osvaldo Pedro
Quintela/Quinteta Roberto Sandra Tereza U'rsula Vera William
Xavier Yolanda Zebra

***** ITALIAN *****

[style: A come Ancona]

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Ancona, Bologna, Como, Domodossola, Empoli, Firenze, Genova,
Hacca, Imola, Jolly, Kappa, Livorno, Milano, Napoli,
Otranto, Pisa/Palermo, Quartomiglio, Roma, Savona/Siena,
Torino, Udine, Venezia, Wagner, Xilofono, York, Zara

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(Swiss telephone directory 1993)

Anna Battista Carlo Davide Ernesto Federico Giovanni acca
Isidoro i_lungo cappa Luigi Maria Nicola Olga Pietro
Quintino Rodolfo Susanna Teresa Umberto Vittorio vu_doppia
ics ipsilon Zurigo

[also Geneva directory 1966]

(Cassel language book)

Ancona Bologna Cagliari Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova
Hotel Imola Jolly Kappa Londra Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo
Quarto Roma Sondrio Torino Udine Vicenza Vdoppio X
Yugoslavia Zagabria

(Cassel business book)

Ancona Bologna Como Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Hotel
Imola I_lunga Kursaal Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Padova
Quarto Roma Savona Torino Udine Venezia Washington Ics
York/yacht Zara

[AA phrase book: Jersey Xeres]
[Collins dictionary: hotel Jersey Taranto Xeres Yacht]

(BBC language book)

Ancona Bologna Como Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Hotel Imola Jersey Kilo Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo Quaderno Roma Savona Torino Udine Venezia Washington ics York Zurigo

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Ancona Bari Como Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Acca Imola Jolly Cappa Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo Quartomiglio Roma Siena Torino Udine Venezia Walter Ics York Zurigo

(Berlitz phrase book)

Ancona Bari Catania Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Hotel Imperia i_lunga kappa Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo cu Roma Sassari Torino Udine Venezia v_doppia ix i_greca zeta

(Collins phrase book)

Ancona Bari Catania Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Hotel Imperia Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo quarto Roma Savona Torino Udine Venezia

(Collins phrase book)

Ancona Bari Como Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Hotel Imola Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo Quarto Roma Savona Torino Udine Venezia Zara

(Pitman business book)

Ancona Bologna Como Domodossola Empoli Firenze/Forli` Genova (acca) Imola (i_lunga) (cappa) Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo (cu) Roma Savona Torino Udine Venezia Washington (ics) (ipsilon) Zara

(Berlitz business book)

Ancona Bari Catania Domodossola Empoli Firenze Genova Hotel Imola Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Palermo Quarto Roma Sassari Torino Udine Venezia

(Langenscheidt phrase book)

Ancona Bologna Como Domodossola Empoli Forli` Genova Hotel Imola Jolanda cappa Livorno Milano Napoli Otranto Pisa Quattro Roma Salerno Torino Udine Venezia Washington ics ypsilon zeta

***** ROMANSH *****

[also spelt Rumansh]

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(Swiss telephone directory)

Anna Berta Carla Dora Emil Flurin Guido Hugo Ida Judit Kilo
Luisa Maria Nesa Otto Paula Quirin Rita Silvia Toni Ursin
Victor Willi Xaver Yvonne Zita

***** DANISH *****

(Berlitz phrase book)

Anna Bernhard Cecilia David Erik Frederik Georg Hans Ida
Johan Karen Ludvig Marie Nikolaj Odin Peter Quintus Rasmus
Soeren Theodor Ulla Viggo William Xerxes Yrsa Zacharias
ae: Aegir o-slash: Oeresund a-circle: Aase

[Copenhagen telephone directory: Cecilie Nikolai]

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The Danish military use the following additions to the NATO
alphabet:

Aegir Oedis Aase

but air traffic uses Oeresund.

***** NORWEGIAN *****

[style: A for Anna]

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(telephone directory)

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Johan Karin Ludvig Martin Nils Olivia Petter Quintus Rikard
Sigrid Teodor Ulrik Enkel-V Dobbelt-V Xerxes Ynling Zakarias
ae: Aerleg o-slash: Oern a-circle: Aase

[Berlitz phrase book: enkelt-V dobbelt-V Yngling Aerlig]
[Oslo directory 1965: enkelt-v Yngling Aerlig Oesten]
[Dictionaries: similar but with Sigurd]

[the forms Ynling and Aerleg are considered incorrect]

***** SWEDISH *****

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Adam, Bertil, Cesar, David, Erik, Filip, Gustav, Helge,
Ivar, Johan, Kalle, Ludvig, Martin, Niklas, Olof, Petter,
Quintus, Rudolf, Sigurd, Tore, Urban, Viktor, Wilhelm,
Xerxes, Yngve, Z{ta,]ke, [rlig, \sten

where { is a with dots
] A with ring
[A with dots
\ O with dots

[Berlitz phrase book: Qvintus]
[telephone directory: Qvintus Willhelm]

Sometimes used: Fredrik, Olle, Rikard

Stockholm police use Kryss (meaning cross) for X.

***** FINNISH *****

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Iivari Jussi Kalle Lauri Matti Niilo Otto Paavo Kuu Risto
Sakari Tyyne Urho Vihtori Viski [ks{ Yrj| Tseta]ke [iti
\ljy

Uppercase Lowercase
] } a with circle (Swedish)
[{ a with dots
\ | o with dots

(Berlitz phrase book)

Anna Bertta Cecilia Daavid Erkki Faarao Gabriel Heikki
Iivari Jaakko Kalle Lauri Mikko Niilo Otto Pekka Quintus
Risto Sakari Tauno Urho Va"ino" kaksin/kertainen_v Xeres
Yrjo" Zeppelin ruotsalainen_o a"iti o"ljy

Morse code:

.-.- a-umlaut
.- -.- a-circle
- - -. o-umlaut

***** CZECH *****

(Berlitz phrase book)

Adam Boz~ena Cyril David 'Dumbier Emil Frantis~ek Gustav
Helena Ivan Josef Karel Ludvi'k L'ubochn~a Marie Norbert Oto
Petr Quido Rudolf R~ehor~ Svatopluk S~imon Toma's~ T'epla'
Urban Va'clav dvojite'_ve' Xaver ypsilon Zuzana Z~ofie

***** SLOVAK *****

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(telephone directory)

Adam, Boz~ena, Cyril, C~adca, Da'vid, D~umbier, Emil,
Frantis~ek, Gusta'v, Helena, CHrudim, Ivan, Karol, Ludvi'k,

L~ubochn~a, Ma'ria, Norbert, N~ - Nitra, Oto, Peter, Quido,
Rudolf, Sva"topluk, S~imon, Toma's~, T~ - Tepla', Urban,
Va'clav, W - dvojite' ve', Xaver, Ypsilon, Zuzana, Z~ofia

***** POLISH *****

[style: A jak Adam]

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(Warsaw telephone directory)

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Irena Jadwiga Karol Leon L/ukasz Maria Natalia Olga Pawel/
Roman Stanisl/aw Tadeusz Urszula Wl/adysl/aw Xantypa Ygrek
Zygmunt

[Collins dictionary: Cecylia/Celina Dorota Quebec S'wiatowid
Violetta Wacl/aw Ypsylon]

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(used in amateur radio)

Adam, Bozena, Celina, Dawid, Ewa, Franek, Grazyna, Henryk,
Irena, Janusz, Kilo, Ludwik, Maria, Natalia, Olga, Pawel/,
Quido, Roman, Stefan, Tomasz, Urban, Violeta, Wanda, Xawer,
Y-grek, Zygmunt

(Berlitz phrase book)

Adam Barbara Celina Dorota Ewa Franciszek Grazyna Henryk
Iwona Jan Karol Leon L/ukasz Maria Natalia Olga Piotr Quiz
Roman Stanisl/aw Tadeusz Urszula Violeta Wacl/aw Xymena
Ypsylon Zenon

***** HUNGARIAN *****

(telephone directory)

Andra's Be'la Cecil Do'ra Eleme'r Ferenc Gizella Hajnalka
Istva'n Ja'nos Katalin Luca Ma'tya's Na'ndor Olga Piroska
Queen Ro'bert Sarolta Ti'mea Ubul Vilmos Walter Xe'nia
Ypsilon Zolta'n

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(used in amateur radio)

Antal, Be'la, Cecil (Ce'za'r), De'nes, Eleme'r, Ferenc,
Ge'za, Hele'n, Ibolya (Imre), Ja'nos, Ka'roly, La'szlo',
Ma'ria, Nelli, Olga, Pe'ter, Kvelle, Ro'bert, Sa'ndor,
Tama's, Ubul, Viktor (Vilmos), dupla-ve' (dupla-Vilmos,
"viszki"), "x-es", "ipszilon" (jenki), Zolta'n

(Berlitz phrase book)

Alada'r A'gota Bala'zs Ceci'lia De'nes Erzse'bet E'va Ferenc
Ga'bor Hele'n Ilona Jo'zsef Ka'roly La'szlo' Mo'nika Na'ndor
Olga O:do:n Pe'ter Ku' Ro'bert Sa'ndor Tivadar Ubul U:ro:m
Vilma duplave' iksz ipszilon Zora'n

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Adria, Biokovo, Cavtat, Dubrovnik, Europa, Frankopan,
Gospic', Hrvatska, Istra, Jadran, Karlovac, Lika, Mostar,
Novska, Osijek, Pula, Q, Rijeka, Split, Trogir, Uc~ka,
Vukovar, W, X, Y, Zagreb

***** SERBO-CROAT *****

(Berlitz phrase book)

Avala Beograd Cetinje C~ac~ak C'uprija Dubrovnik Djakovo
Dz~amija Evropa Foc~a Gorica Hercegovina Istra Jadran Kosovo
Lika Ljubljana Mostar Nis~ Njegos~ Osijek Pirot Rijeka
Skopje S~ibenik Titograd Uros~evac Valjevo Zagreb Z~irovnica
Kvadrat Duplo_V Ipsilon Iks

***** GREEK *****

(AA phrase book)

Ale'xandros Vasi'lios Geo'rgios Deme'trios Ele'ne Zoe'
Erakle's Theo'doros Ioa'nnes Konstanti'nos Leoni'das
Mene'laos Niko'laos Xenofo'n Odusse'as Perikle's Ro'dos
Sote'rios Timole'on Upsela'ntes Fo'tios Chre'stos Psa'ltes
Ome'ga

***** ROMANIAN *****

(Berlitz phrase book)

Ana Barbu Constantin Dumitru Elena Florea Gheorghe
Haralambie Ion Jiu kilogram Laza~r Maria Nicolae Olga Petre
qu Radu Sandoo Tudor T,ara~ Udrea Vasile dublu_V Xenia
I_grec zaha~r

***** TURKISH *****

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ankara bursa ceyhan CankIrI denizli edirne fatsa giresun
hopa Isparta izmir jale kayseri lUleburgaz manisa nazilli
ordu OdemiS pazar rize samsun SarkOy trabzon urfa Unye van
yalova zonguldak

(Berlitz phrase book)

adana balIkesir ceyhan Corum diyarbakIr edirne fatsa giresun
hatay Irmak istanbul jandarma kastamonu lUleburgaz manisa
nazilli ordu OdemiS pazar quebek rize samsun trabzon urla

Unye van dubel_v xavier yozgat zonguldak

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(1982 diary) "standard" for telephone

ankara bursa ceyhan Canakkale denizli edirne fatih giresun
hakkAri Ilgaz izmir japonya kayseri lUleburgaz malatya
nevSehir ordu OdemiS polatlI rize sivas Sile trabzon uSak
Unye van yozgat zonguldak

(AA phrase book)

adana bursa cide Canakkale denizli edirne fethiye giresun
hatay Isparta izmir lUleburgaz malatya nevSehir ordu Oren
pamukkale rize sinop Sirvan tokat urfa UskUp van yozgat
zonguldak

***** HEBREW *****

(Berlitz phrase book)
(phonetics for Roman alphabet)

Affula Binyamina Carmel Dalia Eretz France Gedera Haifa
Israel Jaffa Karkur Lod Moledet Naan Ogen Pardes Queen
Rishon Sefer Tveria Urim Vered Wingate Express Yavniel
Zikhron

[used by telephone operators in Israel]

Later edition:

afula binyamina karmel dalya eretz frans gedera h.eyfa
yisrael jafa karkur lod moledet naan ogen pardes kvin rishon
sefer tverya urim vered vingeyt ekspres yavniel zikhron

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Aleph Boaz Gimel David Hagar Vav Ze'ev Hava Tiach Yona
Carmel Lea Moshe Nesher Samekh A'in Pesel Tsipor Korakh Ruth
Shamir Telem

Contributor: kiezer@aquanet.co.il

Osnat Bela Gila Dalia Hagar Vered Ziva Hava Tova Yona Carmel
Leytal Miri Nurit Smadar Einat Fani Tzila Korina Ruth Sarah
Tami

***** RUSSIAN *****

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Ivan Ivan_Kratkij Kilowatt Leonid Maria Nikolai Olga Pavel
Roman Sergej Tatjana Uljana Fjodor Hariton Zaplja Chelovek
Shura Schuka Tviordiy_Znak Igrek Miagkiy_Znak Emilija Yuri

Jakow

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(used in amateur radio)

Anna Boris Vasiliy Galina Dmitriy Yelena Yozh Zhuk Zinaida
Ivan Ivan_Kratkiy Konstantin Leonid Maria Nikolay Olga Pavel
Roman Sergey Tamara Ul'yana Fyodor Hariton Tsentr Chelovek
Shura Shchyuka Tvyordy_Znak Yery Myagkiy_Znak Ekho Yuliana
Yakov

Variants: Anton Grigoriy Yolka Zhenya Zoya Irina/Igor Yot
Kilowatt Lyubov Mikhail Nadezhda/Nina Oleg Polina Radio
Semyon Tatyana Tsaplya Znak/Iks Igrek Znak/Iks

Used informally: Borya Vasya Grisha Galya Dima Zina Kostya
Kolya Lyonya Lyuba Misha Masha Nadya Pasha Roma Sasha Tanya
Fedya Yulya Yasha

Morse code is as follows:

A B W G D E E V Z I J K L M N O P R S T
U F H C /- - -./- - - -/ Q X Y X /..-../..- -/.-.-

and the same mapping provides a system of phonetics for
Roman letters (used in parallel with Alpha Bravo). [The
mapping is similar to KOI-7 but not identical]

(AA phrase book)

Anna Boris Viktor Grigoriy Dmitriy Elena Yolka Zhenya Zoya
Irina Yod Konstantin Liza Mariya Natasha Ol'ga Pyotr Ruslan
Semyon Tat'yana Ukraina Fyodor Khar'kov Tsaritsa Chekhov
Shura Shchuka Erik Yuriy Yana

***** UKRAINIAN *****

Contributor: Valery Kharchenko RA6YR

(used in amateur radio)

Andriy Bogdan Vasil'(W) Grigory Dmitro Yenei(E) Zhuk(V)
Zenoviy(Z) Igrek(Y) Ivan(I) Izhak(I) Yosip(J) Kilovat Levko
Mariya Natalka Olga Pavlo Roman Stepan Taras Ukraina Fedir
Khristina(H) Tsentr(C) Cholovik Shura Shchuka(Q) Znak(X)
Yuri Yakiv

[also used for Roman alphabet, as the above tries to
indicate]

***** SWAHILI *****

(Berlitz phrase book)

Aali Bibi Cyprus Daniel Elfu Fiwi Gombe Henry Ida Jinja
Kenya Leso Mtu Nairobi Olga Paul Quebec Robert Sana Tanga
Unga Victor William Xavier Yatima Zanzibar

Later edition:

Ali Banda Chakechake Dodoma Entebe Fumba Gogo Homa Imba
Jambo Kenya Lala Mama Nakuru Ona Punda Kyela Rangi Simu Tatu
Uganda Vitu Wali Eksrei Yai Zanzibar

***** KWANYAMA *****

[South-western Bantu; northern Namibia]

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(school book)

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Johanna Kayosho Lamek Maria Nande Otto Pauli Quini Rauha
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***** AFRIKAANS *****

Contributor: Gwillim Law <gwil@mindspring.com>

(Johannesburg telephone directory 1965)

Andries Boetie Christo Dawid Eva Fanie Gert Hendrik Isak Jan
Karel Lena Marie Nellie Oom Pieter Queenie Roos Sannie Tom
Unie Venter Willem X-straal Yster Zoeloe

***** CHINESE *****

The Chinese armed forces use the following in connection
with Romanised Mandarin:

Aiya Boli Ciqi Desheng Egu Fuzhuang Geming Heping I: Yifu
J.. Keren Leguan Mofan Nali Ouyang Polang Q.. Riguang
Sixiang Tebie U: Weida V: Wudao W: Wuzhuang X.. Yisheng
Zidian

***** ESPERANTO *****

Contributors: Edmund.Grimley-Evans@cl.cam.ac.uk
David Lane <DLane@ContactPt.com>

(Yearbook of Universala Esperanto-Asocio 1995)

Asfalto Barbaro Centimetro \^Cefo Doktoro Elemento Fabriko
Gumo \^Girafo Hotelo \^Haoso Insekto Jubileo \^Jurnalo
Kilogramo Legendo Ma\^sino Naturo Oktobro Papero Rekordo
Salato \^Silingo Triumfo Universo Universo-hoko Vulkano
Zinko

[An earlier version had Omnibuso instead of Oktobro]

Non-Esperanto letters:

q = kuo
w = \^germana vo
x = ikso
y = ipsilono

Morse code (approved by UAE and FCC in 1963):

^c -.-.. ^g - -.-. ^h -.- -.
^j .- - -. ^s ...-. ~u ..- -

***** END *****

Brian Kelk
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U.K.
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2175. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g5563$t8i$1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 144548

Welcome to the hobby Joe! Keep at it and don't mind the very few morons that you may run into. I went for my General tests Sunday, passed the written but failed the code. Back to practicing!

73!
Tom

In article <37260044.63A7DFA3@engr.csulb.edu>, Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu> wrote:
>I am located in Long Beach Ca. Thank you for understanding where I am coming from.
>I am a student at California State Univ. Long Beach and I am majoring in Electrical Engineering. I am always studying it seems and when I studied for the exam I did it all on my own. I do not know one person who is into ham radio. No friends or family at all. I was simply interested in it so I bought a book and studied on my own. I passed the exam the first time and I am curently learning morse code with a program on my computer. I want to upgrade to at least Tech Plus. I thought that this hobby was a learn as you go type of thing. It actually adds to my fun having to learn all of these things. Like I said I do not know anyone personnaly that I can ask these questions. I thought what better place to ask questions that this Newsgroup. Then people like Joe pop up and belittle newbies like myself. Joe, I do not have the luxury of being surrounded by experienced HAM operators. Please believe me when i say I am brand new to this hobby. I literally woke up one day and said "I would like to get into amateur radio". So I went to radio Shack and I bought the book and began studying. I would like to thank all of the fellow hams that have sent me e-mail with answers to my questions. I appreciate all of you. Even you Joe. To everyone i wish 73's...God bless you all. joseph merfalen...KF6VVQ
>
>Jesper Kristiansen wrote:
>
>> Why not help him instead of scare him !!!!!!!!!!!!, what a HAM fellow.
>> To Joseph, where are you located ?.
>>
>> Jesper
>> W6KTO
>>
>> Joe wrote:
>>
>> > How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license without learning
>> > even this most basic operating procedure?
>> >
>
>

>

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tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2176. unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alurk50@aol.COM
Message-ID: <d046f2a4.245771ea@aol.com>
Source record: 144549

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unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com
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2177. Re: Farnsworth method

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g55eb$t8i$2@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 144550

In article <372611f3.10380496@news.ot.centuryinter.net>, nhoop@centuryinter.net (Nat) wrote:
>Hi;
>
>What's the best software for learning CW via the Farnsworth method?
>
>73 Nat NA5NA

Try Supermorse. Just do a web search for it. GREAT program!

73,
Tom

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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2178. Re: Completely off topic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990427161650.19006.00000130@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 144551

<<"who do they film in BOTH B/W and color at the same time?". >>

I think you mean "HOW do they film...". They shoot only ONE type of film, usually color. Any scene in a movie can be color corrected in the lab. Some or all color can be removed to make a scene look like t was shot in B&W. In addition, selective color effects (like in "Pleasantville") can be achieved by computer processing.

<<do they have to edit the entire movie on the computer to mix the black/white and color>>

Many movies are edited using a computer these days. The film ends up as a number of large digital computer files that are later conformed to the original film. I think what you are asking, though, is if "Pleasantville" was mostly computer processed. And the answer is yes. That particular movie had the highest number of "effects shots" of any movie made to date.

Hope this helps, 73, Joe W1GFH

2179. Washington State Ham Convention, May 22 &23

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <37261c29.5358783@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 144552

Yakima Amateur Radio Club W7AQ
Is proud to announce the Washington State Ham Convention
and Yakima Hamfest May 22 & 23 1999

Doors open 9:00-4:00 Saturday, Breakfast starts at 7:00
Doors open 9:00-1:00 Sunday, Breakfast starts at 7:00

Prize Drawing Sunday at 12:00
!!!!!!! Grand Prize - Icom IC-706MKII !!!!!!!

New Location!! We are back in Yakima!! This Year we will be holding
the
event at the Masonic Center, 510 North Naches Ave. Easy access off
I-82

ARRL Guests

Greg Milnes W7OZ--ARRL NW Division Director
James Fenstermaker K9JF--ARRL NW Division Vice Director
Dean Straw N6BV--ARRL Senior Assistant Technical Editor
Kyle Pugh KA7CSP--Eastern Washington Section Manager
Jack Babbitt WA5ZAY--Eastern Washington Emergancy Coordinator

Saturday Night Banquet Dinner
Dinner will be catered on site. $12.50 per plate
Dinner Program by Dean Straw N6BV "Logistics and Planning for the
6Y2A DXpedition"

ARRL VE Testing Walk-ins
Welcome, Don't forget a copy of your licence.
Saturday at 12:30 on site Contact Sean
Byrne AC7AJ (509) 966-9838 for more information

For more information or to register
for the convention, please send E-Mail to
KB7HDX@ARRL.NET

Please include your mailing address
or call (Eve. after 6:00 Pacific) Area code 509-965-3379
Mark J. Tharp KB7HDX
C. Jo Whitney KA7LJQ

2180. Ham Radio & Electronics Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7g5asb$ie6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144553

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
Check out my Web Page that has stuff on:

Satellites, Satellite Tracking, HF/VHF/UHF,
Yaesu, FT-847 & FT-50R Page, Classifieds,
HF Rig Reviews, and tons of Ham Radio
& Electronics Resource Links.

Here is the URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Webmasters: Please add me to your links section, I will
return the favor.

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2181. TM 11-2715, Installation of Radio Sets in Military Jeeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ben Azari <bijan@armyradio.com>
Message-ID: <925245194.20661.16.nnrp-03.9e98f6bb@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144554

The Complete TM 11-2715, Technical Manual, Installation of Radio Sets in Military Jeeps.
http://www.armyradio.com/publish/TM_11-2715/TM_11-2715.htm

Articles on:
Model AQST East German 'HRO' Receiver.
Communication Equipment of The North Vietnamese Army and the Viet Cong.
Collection of Japanese W.W.II Military Radios.
Russian Military Radios.
The Iraqi Radios of Desert Storm.
http://www.armyradio.com/publish/Articles/Your_Articles.htm

Other useful information on Military Radios and Vehicles.
http://www.armyradio.com/publish/Information.htm

Army Radio Sales Co. Specialise in Military Communications Equipment.
website at www.armyradio.com

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Ben Azari
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E-Mail: sales@armyradio.com

2182. Re: Farnsworth method

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <37261D90.1CFBAE39@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 144555

Nat wrote:
>
> Hi;
>
> What's the best software for learning CW via the Farnsworth method?
>
> 73 Nat NA5NA

Just about all of them have a Farnsworth option these days.
Personally I like Morse Academy. You can get a copy from:

Ham/Morse Academy - AH0A
http://www.speroni.com/AH0A.html

I used it myself, to get through the 13 WPM code test. I found that
Morse Academy comes as close as you can get to the FCC exam. When
the code test started, it sounded like I was sitting at home,
working at my PC. I'm still using it to help me get through the
20 WPM test.

There is also HAM UNIVERSITY, SuperMorse, MorseCat, NuMorse, etc.

Many can be had by doing a search on "morse code" at
"http://www.zdnet.com/swlib/". Some are free, some are shareware,
and others cost money.

Martin

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Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS martin.e.meserve
Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

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2183. Re: Farnsworth method

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <372622B6.3262AEB0@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144556

You might also want to check the Morse trainer links page at www.ac6v.com.

73

Marv
AB0IO

2184. Yaesu FT-50R Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7g5b8p$is4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144557

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
I have a Yaesu FT-50R Web Page.
It has technical specs., features list, and
accessory list.
Check it out:

http://kq6mu.8m.com/ft-50r.html

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

DM04 Palmdale, CA

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2185. CCD Cameras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: IROBOT <irobot98@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g58c3mnj1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144558

Please visit our Web site
http://www.angelfire.com/pa/videoandrobots/index.html
for an excellent source of low cost video components :

1) SONY Color CCD Video Cameras $30 Ea.
2) 4" SHARP Color LCD Video Displays $40 Ea.
3) Package Deal of 1 Camera, 1 LCD and a power supply $65.

Free data sheets and application notes are available for download in adobe acrobat format. We also have other surplus Electronics items as well, such as power supplies, fans and speakers, char LCD's. We have pictures of our 6 leggedwalking robot, for which we will be posting free plans and source code.

--
irobot@worldnet.att.net

2186. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g592ahbh1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144559

Jake Brodsky wrote in message <372df623.4052976@news.erols.com>...

>Because it just ain't that critical. Most folks have a very mistaken
>idea of just what an air traffic controller does. If a radio system
>appears to be trashed, the pilots will revert to a Lost Communications
>mode of operation and take care of themselves. In fact, this is one of
>the more substantial issues you learn in an Instrument Rating Ground
>School.

Well it's an interesting point, I'd certainly keep heading for the landing strip if the last thing I heard was the outer marker and my radio failed, however were deviating just a bit, the original post wasn't if you lost radio communications but rather that someone had given instructions to "Divert Divert Divert" of course I'd question a command like that to begin with but someone who had an understanding of the real lingo could potentially cause harm.

>Air traffic controllers make flying easier, faster, and safer for
>everyone involved. I liken their operations to that of a police
>officer directing traffic. You can manage without them, but it's much
>safer when they're around.

I think they are a bit more than a police officer directing traffic, it would be next to suicide to fly into O'hare under IFR condx without a controller, your chances of seeing rivots outside the window would go way up me thinks. Although my favorite strips are usually green with either corn or cows near the run up area :)

>Don't forget one of the best advantages of a stone simple VHF radio:
>It's reliable. The fancier things get in the cockpit, the more there
>is to break. How bad is this threat versus the possible loss of sync
>in a spread spectrum radio? !"

I agree that the odds are in your favor with simple radios, however the number of easily modified all mode radios is on the rise, thus the potential for some idiot to get his hands on one goes up.

Good flying,

Tim ka8ddz

2187. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net>
Message-ID: <34qV2.5890$%L2.257019@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Morse Code has its uses and should be encouraged, but not worry too much about those who don't know the code. I think the opportunity to pump signals out on a narrow band to distant parts of the world has its own charms.

The US Marines still use Morse code, and a few of us keep our keys handy just in case.

Greg Baker
WB3EBO.
Old Rusty Fist.

The Conqueror wrote in message <3726276f.0@news.gulliver.fr>...
>I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
>if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
>think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
>in ham radio either.

2188. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g5bk9$rb4$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jim Shaffer, Jr. wrote in message <37237fe5.169403227@news.csrlink.net>...
>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 18:35:09 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:
>
>>Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
>>why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
>>primary operating mode? You might be surprised to learn
>>that many amateurs enjoy using cw.
>
>But nobody is proposing stopping them. They're only proposing that people
who
>have no intention of using it shouldn't have to learn it.

But where does it end? The no code tech license asks questions about telecommand for radio control airplanes, the ionoshpere, how to use a voltmeter, signal generator, SWR meter whadda ya gotta learn all that for all I wanna do is yak on the 2m repeater with my appliance operator friends? Why should we require such knowlege when the applicant has no intention of using it?

Tim ka8ddz

2189. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g5bs9sav1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>
> You can get a Technician class license without the code you know. Since
>1991, you just get no HF with it. I went for my General upgrade tests
>yesterday, passed the written, failed the code. Oh well, just have to
practice
>a little more on the code and soon I'll pass it.
>
>73,
>Tom

Go for it Tom!

2190. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7g5cfigjr1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Ruther wrote in message <372472D8.7C76D072@alliedsignal.com>...
>Cw might be part of it , but the last HF radio I bought was $1,000 .(ouch)
>Hard for me to justify it. The used stuff is chancy at best at the swap
mets.
>I think the cost of gear is killing it.
>Mike AA7QA. I passed all of the test now what

Mike, don't be afraid to run with gear from a swap, Invest $20 in a dummy load and piece of coax. Tell the guy you'll take it if it works then go plug it in and test it! I just bought an Alinco DX70T and a 25 amp supply out the door from AES for $787, but I can honestly say I had just as much fun running an old Heath HW-101 that I paid $75 at Dayton a few years ago and put another $30 into it for tubes. Also QRP kits are selling for $50, you need not spend a kilo buck to have fun. It is about fun isn't it? :)

Tim ka8ddz

2191. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <372635c7.2884220@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144564

EXACTLY!!!!

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 12:52:55 GMT, nhoop@centuryinter.net (Nat) wrote:

>>If Morse proficiency demonstrates only personal
>>commitment, then maybe that's all it needs to mean.
>
>Perhaps, but I see another point to it. It's not hard to use ham equipment
>in a manner that reduces the use and enjoyment of others. I believe in the
>old adage that we value a posession pretty much in accordance with how much
>we paid for it, so it follows that a ham who has had to work hard for the
>privilege of getting on the air is less likely to do so abusively.
>
>73 Nat NA5NA

2192. Used Radio Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KEVINB <kevin@umcautomation.com>
Message-ID: <KIqV2.453$vY2.5489@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 144565

I am looking for a used Yaesu FT-847 transceiver. Anyone have any
comments of where this item might be found.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

2193. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37263717.3220250@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Typical,ass-holistic-reply from a contester.

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 09:13:10 -0600, Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
wrote:

>Why don't you move this to rec.radio.amateur.bitch, where it belongs? I
>suspect if *you* had a life you'd be too busy to waste everyone's time
>with this useless drivel.
>
>Marv
>AB0IO
>
>hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>> In article <3724fca0.4655669@news.mindspring.com>,
>> unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>> > I must agree that the 'contesters' are the most rude ops on the
>> > air.Thank GOD most of them never key a mic except at contest time.
>> >
>> That's not to say a beam or two is bad.
>>
>> Talk about needing a life, though- why win a radio contest every time,
>> at
>> will ? There's fun and variety. Contesters are the people who damn
>> near
>> flunked out of gym, so they found a niche where they can get trophies
>> as
>> adults.
>>
>> And I'd love to be the boss or coworker of one on Monday morning. Can
>> you say
>> zero productivity ?
>>
>> Contesters have manners to match; they are actually poor operators who
>> need to
>> rely on brute force and the toy duck shoot known as a contest.
>>
>> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network
>> ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your
>> Own
>
>
>

2194. Re: Ham Radio & Electronics Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37263928.3749207@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144567

Great site Mike!!!!

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 21:40:28 GMT, mikrounit@hughes.net wrote:

>Hello All,
>
>This is Mike, KQ6MU.
>Check out my Web Page that has stuff on:
>
>Satellites, Satellite Tracking, HF/VHF/UHF,
>Yaesu, FT-847 & FT-50R Page, Classifieds,
>HF Rig Reviews, and tons of Ham Radio
>& Electronics Resource Links.
>
>Here is the URL:
>
>http://kq6mu.8m.com
>
>Webmasters: Please add me to your links section, I will
>return the favor.
>
>Thanks & 73,
>
>Mike Green
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2195. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7g5egh$qm1$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 144568

In article <3726276f.0@news.gulliver.fr>,
"The Conqueror" <joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:
>I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing
requirements
>if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that
common. I
>think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in
using it
>in ham radio either. And if you want to say it is for security, you
are not
>allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.
>
>-Dan K3DRQ
>
>k3drq@qsl.net

****
Code is required by international treaty. That may change in the future but it exists now. The need for higher speed code for higher class lisence is another matter.

Whether or not the Marines use it is not relevant as that is the military and we are a hobby/separate radio service. You may have been thinking of the Merchant Marines which is different from the military. The Merchant Marines recently abandoned code - but again this has nothing to do with ham radio as it is in a different radio service.

As far as your statement that codes are forbidden to be used it is a very inaccurate statement as the standard Morse/American/International codes are recognized and permitted and treatied to be used. US FCC rules forbid the use of secret codes.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

2196. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2upX@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37264024.9804835@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 18:22:42 -0400, "The Conqueror"
<joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
>if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
>think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
>in ham radio either.
>-Dan K3DRQ
>
>k3drq@qsl.net
>
With your logic, shouldn't you go through basic training before you
get a ham license?

2197. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g5flp$qui@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144570

Whiner <whiner@crybaby.com> wrote:
>Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the
>first place as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.

But can you build the radio that's attached to that microphone? I can
surely build the radio that's attached to my key (and did do so).
72.5, Jeff KH6O

2198. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g5g5h$r7f@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey M. Swiger <"N8NOE(NoSpam)"@Ameritech.Net> wrote:
>Jeff, Your first statement is not correct. Japan and others have already
>DROPPED
>there Code requirements. I'm not a fan of CW, but I also don't think is n
>ecessary
>as a mode of High-Speed communications.. Jeff N8NOE

Japan's no-code HF Fourth Class license only permits the holder 10 watts
on phone, with no 30, 20, or 17 meter privileges. (Our CB operators get
to legally use 12 watts on SSB!)

Jeff KH6O

P.S. Please list for me the "others" that you mention, and the privileges
granted to operators holding such licenses.

2199. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37264765.AF51F99B@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Well, Joe, I guess you know what you can do with your microphone.

Joe wrote:

> Typical,ass-holistic-reply from a contester.
>
> On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 09:13:10 -0600, Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Why don't you move this to rec.radio.amateur.bitch, where it belongs? I
> >suspect if *you* had a life you'd be too busy to waste everyone's time
> >with this useless drivel.
> >
> >Marv
> >AB0IO
> >
> >hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> >> In article <3724fca0.4655669@news.mindspring.com>,
> >> unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
> >> > I must agree that the 'contesters' are the most rude ops on the
> >> > air.Thank GOD most of them never key a mic except at contest time.
> >> >
> >> That's not to say a beam or two is bad.
> >>
> >> Talk about needing a life, though- why win a radio contest every time,
> >> at
> >> will ? There's fun and variety. Contesters are the people who damn
> >> near
> >> flunked out of gym, so they found a niche where they can get trophies
> >> as
> >> adults.
> >>
> >> And I'd love to be the boss or coworker of one on Monday morning. Can
> >> you say
> >> zero productivity ?
> >>
> >> Contesters have manners to match; they are actually poor operators who
> >> need to
> >> rely on brute force and the toy duck shoot known as a contest.
> >>
> >> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network
> >> ==----------
> >> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your

> >> Own
> >
> >
> >

2200. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <199903271841.PNR03413@scott.net>
Source record: 144573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Timothy Hynde writes:

> Also QRP kits are selling for $50, you
> need not spend a kilo buck to have fun.

I love my little SW40+ QRP rig and had fun building it. The only HF rigs I own are the SW40+ and a HTX-100 and I _do_ have plenty of fun!

73 Jeff W4JEF

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27	Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept
200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA

2201. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g3049$7tq$1@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 144655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi Michael,
I use Supermorse in Farnsworth mode. I'll have to jack up the send speed a few wpm and keep at it. It's just frustrating that I do well here at home but the test screwed me up doing it their way. I'm sure you understand my original point so I won't repeat it. Back to the salt mines for now.

73,
Tom

In article <7g2gku$sc9$1@remarQ.com>, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>Tom,
>
>The Farnsworth method holds the character speed at 18 per minute, but
>varies the spacing to whatever the wpm rate is. The transition from 5 to
>13 to 18 wpm is easier, as the sounds are the same. I can't tell by ear
>much difference between 18 and 20 cpm, so the transition then should be
>quite easy also. Since you can already copy 13 wpm, you only need to get
>used to the character sounds at the faster speed. You have the same
>amount of time to "decode" the tones to letters. If it helps, many of
>the learn-morse-code software support Farnsworth.
>
>ARRL tests use ARRL tapes, which have the same character rate as word
>speed. You might find this easier, but they use fill-in tests, not
>multiple choice.
>
>Michael.
>
><Tom@astro.net> wrote in message
>news:7g29ub$q3b$1@east43.supernews.com...
>> The CW written was fill in, which makes it harder if you don't copy
>enough.
>> I didn't copy enough info to pass it. My MAIN problem was that they
>sent the
>> code at about 17-18wpm but the spaceing was a bit wider than I
>practiced.
>> Now if I was copying fine at 13 home and they send at 16-18, that's a
>problem
>> to me. If people are practiceing at 13 home and they go for this test
>and hear
>> it sent FASTER most will probably fail, unless they can copy 18-20wpm
>home
>> first. I agree about your comment on it shouldn't stop me from
>> upgrading but that's the way it is right now so.....I'll keep at it.
>I'm not

>> waiting for the restructureing, who knows when that will take place.
>>
>> 73,
>> Tom
>>
>>
>> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>>
>> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
>> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
>> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>>
>> My Astronomy/Ham radio site:
>http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>>
>

2202. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g30kb$bt2$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3724f606.2965275@news.mindspring.com>, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
> Speed up the character rate and compensate by lowering the WPM
>speed.This will result in a faster word but with more space between
>the words.It worked for me.Good luck.

Will definately try that, already thought of it actually. Thanks for the
good luck.

73,
Tom - KB2SMS

>On Mon, 26 Apr 99 01:49:11 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:
>
>>In article <y_OU2.1238$B55.83430@dfiatx1-snr1>, "Dan K Nelson"
> <kf6knb@usa.net> wrote:
>>>CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>>>> << SNIP >>
>>>>"Hurdles" are necessary to seperate Ham Radio from other unlicensed
>>>>services such as CB. Note that the technical portion of the test
>>>>is revalent to ham radio since hams are permitted to build, design, align
>>>>and adjust their own transmitters--something that is not permitted in any
>>>other
>>>>class of radio service. Operating a ham radio transmitter implies some
>>>>knowledge of the theory behind its operation.
>>>>
>>>>Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>>>>for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>>>>exists on 27 MHz.
>>>>
>>>> Regards
>>>>
>>>>Pete
>>>
>>>
>>>And once all the smoke clears from the issue, the bottom line is just as you
>>>have stated.
>>>
>>>I am a "no-code tech" at the moment, but will be upgrading soon. I am
>>>working hard to get it done BEFORE the change takes place (if it does). I
>>>hope that if the changes do take place, that a person be allowed to request
>>>to take his exams under the old requirements, and that there be some
>>>differentiation in call signs between those who earned their licenses and
>>>those who got them in a box of Cracker Jacks.
>>>

>>>73 de KF6KNB
>>
>> I'm a tech Plus and went for my General exams today. Passed the written,
>>but not the code. I've been busting my butt on the code, did fine home but I
>>guess nervousness and the fact that they sent the 13wpm at about 17 made me
>>miss a lot of characters. Well, I'm halfway there now so more practicing for
>>me on the code. I think the code tests should be lowered in speed but since
>>it's not yet I'll just have to really practice a lot more.
>>
>>Back to practice!
>>
>>73,
>>Tom
>>
>>
>>
>> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>>
>> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
>> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
>> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>>
>> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>>
>

2203. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g31m5$2g0@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Follow-ups set to just .policy:

In article <37239998.25099186@news>, Shiva Nataraja <Newsgroup> wrote:
>If knowing Morse code is actually USEFUL for something these days,
>then by all means keep the requirement. But if nobody uses it, why
>bother? Somehow, I don't see extracting a pound of flesh from new
>recruits as a worthwhile reason.

Oh boy. Here's someone else who doesn't have an antenna connected to
his receiver. If he did, he'd find that roughly 50% of the QSOs on
the HF hams bands are conducted using CW.

>Why are such "hurdles" necessary?

You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the
international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view
while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

(Daily worldwide comms don't normally take place above 50 MHz, so a common
mode in that region can be chosen on a national level; for us it's of
course FM phone.)

73, Jeff KH6O

2204. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g32eh$2vn@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Follows-ups directed to just .policy:

>Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net> wrote in message
> Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you
>other 'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you
>cannot even make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.

Did you enter that self-written algorithm in your home-built computer?
Want to have a race to see who can get on the air faster - you with
your home-brewed digital station versus me with a home-brewed CW
station?

(Let's try to delete the .space NG from any further fol-ups; I placed
only .policy in the fol-up line.)

73, Jeff KH6O

2205. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g32gu$30l@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jim Shaffer, Jr. <jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net> wrote:
>But nobody is proposing stopping them. They're only proposing that people who
>have no intention of using it shouldn't have to learn it.

You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
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mode in that region can be chosen on a national level; for us it's of
course FM phone.)

73, Jeff KH6O

2206. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g330u$oh5$0@208.207.71.155>
Source record: 144660
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>
> Spot wrote:
>
> > > I see no need to know CW.

That's largely because you've never learned it. What have
we been saying - if you don't learn it to get the license
you never know what it amounts to, or what you're missing.

> I think all the old coders are just scared
> that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
> for HF that you guys can't pass.
>

How's that again? 'A more difficult test that you guys
can't pass'???
Well, the tests now don't seem too hard to memorize the word
associations to pass, no learning is needed, you know. That
doesn't seem likely to change soon.

> > The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
> > become a HAM, so should everyone else".

This is one area where you no-coders really stumble. It
was NOT "hell", but rather a most interesting learning
process culminating in a feeling of solid satisfaction when
all the tests were successfully completed. Gee, so sorry
that you'll never experience all that. Your loss. But, I'm
sure you, like the rest of the no-coders, will be able to
live with it, once your cheap-'n-easy HF license is in hand,
no learning needed and little or no code. That's a very
visible characteric of the code bashers.

Dick W0EX

> > This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of requirements
> > are very outdated.

2207. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g3303$3cu@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3723D836.6FD1@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>The no-code people are not the cry babies. They don't have a problem
>with people learning code or using it. It is the Code fanatics that cry
>when people don't want to learn or use code.

<Scratch scratch> Huh?

Which side do you think began the debate in the first place?

Jeff KH6O

2208. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g3347$3e6@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3723DA09.3C67@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>Anonymous wrote:

>> Did the Titanic send SOS or CQD MGY as its distress call?

>The question should be, what would a ship use TODAY, not in 1912.

Or on 1/1/00.

2209. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g33h0$oh5$1@208.207.71.155>
Source record: 144663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp wrote:
>
> > You never forget how
> > defensless you feel when someone has a loaded gun against your head. In that
> > case even if I had had a gun I couldn't have reached for it without expecting
> > to be shot in the process.
>

Did you see to it that the drunk was prosecuted and sent
to prison for this stupid criminal act??? If not, you are
part of the problem....
It's "forgiving" people for stunts like this that eventually
leads to murders-by them. Person capable of such actions are
the people who MUST be locked up - for they are the vast
majority of thevery people who ARE violent crime.

2210. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904270138.DAA02220@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
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: Secondly, William, please explain to me how increasing the
: number of hams is going to do anything to save the bands
: from commercial interests? What good was served by
: the millions entering the CB ranks during the 70s? Did that
: form a more disciplined and thriving service based on
: shear numbers?

Well, if it weren't for CB in the 70's we wouldn't have had the song
"Convoy". That alone was worth it.

"...so I crashed the gate doing 98
I said let those truckers roll, 10-4"

C.W. McCall didn't, perhaps, get his name from CW, did he? (His real
name was Bill Fries).

2211. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g38pj$n6c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <7g2pqs$nt2$1@brokaw.wa.com>,
kh2d@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> >You know those big mouth contesting hams who tout what great ops they are,
> >right ?
>
> You know those Anony-Mouse hams who hide behind a phony Deja News
> email address and plaster their unsigned opinions all over the place, right ?

Another dork with a callsign badge, no doubt.

> >If they're such great ops, why do they need absurd towers and the rest of us
> >do it with wires ?
>
> Same reason people drive Mercedes and you drive a Ford Pinto. They can
> afford to have what they want.

No, they would shoot themselves if they tried wires. Their poor brute force
operating is compensated for by their arrays. Funny, they still can't buy a
LIFE though, which they sorely need.

Besides Jim, you drive a Good Humor truck for quick access for you and your
(taste) buds.

>
> Obviously there is only one thing worse than being an Anony-Mouse NumbNuts.
> That's being a broke Anony-Mouse NumbNuts..... Get a job at McDonalds,
> save your money, and you can buy a beam too.

I could spend 25 grand on an antenna array, but then I'd need to add on
expensive therapy and medication like you and Bill. Besides, I let you
jackasses spend the dough, I get half the benefits for free. Morons.

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2212. Re: Ham Radio Snob W4ZV and Free Speech or the Lack Thereof

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g39imnri1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <3724fca0.4655669@news.mindspring.com>,
unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
> I must agree that the 'contesters' are the most rude ops on the
> air.Thank GOD most of them never key a mic except at contest time.
>
That's not to say a beam or two is bad.

Talk about needing a life, though- why win a radio contest every time, at will ? There's fun and variety. Contesters are the people who damn near flunked out of gym, so they found a niche where they can get trophies as adults.

And I'd love to be the boss or coworker of one on Monday morning. Can you say zero productivity ?

Contesters have manners to match; they are actually poor operators who need to rely on brute force and the toy duck shoot known as a contest.

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2213. DoNKbOy99 is a looser and a PORKBUTT SUCKBOY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: DoNKboY98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7g39oq$o4d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144667

Boy this guy is a real PORKBUTT SUCKBOY! What a imagination, What a looser! I have found in my experiance that if you are a PORKBUTT SUCKBOY you are a looser. So I thought that I would let you know that you are a looser. Oh you seem to have the imagination of a looser.

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2214. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <372529b3.1333778@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144668
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 16:31:53 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>Hello again Bill
>As I indicated it was a post in a similar thread on the
>RecRadioShortwave forum. Here is the item the I was
>referring to:
>
>>No, there should be no "beefing up" of tests either.
>>I'm having a hard enough time passing the General Test right
>>now, I don't need your help in screwing my over and
>>making my odds less of getting my General License.

Fair enough. That's one person and I have no idea who it is.
In any case, you know that Carl, others and I have made
suggestions on how to improve theory testing.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2215. Re: Rogue Cancellation Summary for rec.radio.amateur.misc - 4/19/99 thru 4/23/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990426233645.19793.00002034@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 144669
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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Interesting that someone canceled 22 posts by radiosigs. I believe that
radisigs is AF2Y.
Bellsouth - the origination of the cancels
Hmmmm.
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>Subject: Rogue Cancellation Summary for rec.radio.amateur.misc - 4/19/99 thru
>4/23/99
>From: Cancel Watch
>Message-ID: <315842ED4.4CF4@cancel.watch>
>Date: Sun, 25 Apr 1999 02:53:00 GMT
>Organization: Usenet Rogue Cancel Monitor
>X-Newsreader: Forte Agent 1.5/32.452
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc,microsoft.test
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 1Cust27.tnt31.sfo3.da.uu.net 208.255.86.27
>Path:
>lobby!newstf02.news.aol.com!portc02.blue.aol.com!bignews.mediaways.net!ne
wsfeed.germany.net!newsfeed.tli.de!news-feed.inet.tele.dk!bofh.vszbr.cz!cp
pssbbsa01.microsoft.com!cppssbbsa02.microsoft.com!nntp.earthlink.net!poste
d-from-earthlink!not-for-ma
>il
>Lines: 562
>Xref: lobby microsoft.test:76331 rec.radio.amateur.misc:139092
>
>
>
>The following is a summary of Rogue Cancellations of Usenet posts in
>the rec.radio.amateur.misc newsgroup from 04/19/99 thru 04/23/99
>
>All of the Rogue Cancels are originating from Bellsouth Internet
>Services. If one of your articles was Cancelled by this Rogue
>Canceller, then I suggest you send a complaint to the Abuse Dept at
>Bellsouth at abuse@bellsouth.net along with the headers to one of
>the Rogue Cancels listed below.
>
>This is the break down of the articles that were cancelled:
>
> cschwartzbard@my-dejanews.com 1 Article Cancelled
> NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com 2 Articles Cancelled
> radiosigs@aol.com 22 Articles Cancelled
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> w4nti@my-dejanews.com 1 Article Cancelled
>
>===
>
>Path:
>
>newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.a
tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: cschwartzbard@my-dejanews.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <7fn98odvm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>References: <7fn98odvm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>Control: cancel <7fn98odvm1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 1
>Message-ID: <1sKT2.5115$qE6.694@news1.atl>
>Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:07:32 -0400
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.92
>X-Trace: news1.atl 924808061 209.214.75.92 (Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:07:41
>EDT)
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:07:41 EDT
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>newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.a
tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>
>References: <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>
>Control: cancel <371a5496.287666592@news.mindspring.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 1
>Message-ID:
>Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:17:27 -0400
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.75.220
>X-Trace: news1.atl 924542255 209.214.75.220 (Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:17:35
>EDT)
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999 13:17:35 EDT
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!169.207.30.10.MISMATCH!newspump.sol.net!news.execpc.com!
newspeer.sol.net!howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn.net.MISMATCH!feed1.ne
ws.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: CRT
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>
>References: <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>
>Control: cancel <371b6ddc.228591028@news.mindspring.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 1
>Message-ID:
>Date: Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:04:31 -0400
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.67.169
>X-Trace: news1.atl 924447878 209.214.67.169 (Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:04:38
>EDT)
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:04:38 EDT
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>This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!wn3feed!worldnet.att.net!4.1.16.34!cpk-news-hub1.bbnplan
et.com!news.gtei.net!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>
>References: <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990422154346.26327.00000232@ng-fs1.aol.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 2
>Message-ID:
>Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 01:47:32 GMT
>NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-67-15.atl.bellsouth.net
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 21:47:32 EST
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>This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!wn3feed!worldnet.att.net!207.97.14.174!europa.clark.net!
europa.netcrusader.net!207.172.3.37!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!up
stream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>
>References: <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990422164955.26326.00000165@ng125.aol.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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>Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 01:49:29 GMT
>NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-67-15.atl.bellsouth.net
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 21:49:29 EST
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.a
tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423082831.14435.00001962@ng-co1.aol.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 2
>Message-ID:
>Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 14:35:54 GMT
>NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-68-67.atl.bellsouth.net
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 10:35:54 EST
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl
.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com

>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423082217.14435.00001956@ng-co1.aol.com>
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stream.atl!news2.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
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>Subject: cancel <19990423143405.14336.00001930@ng-cl1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423143405.14336.00001930@ng-cl1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423143405.14336.00001930@ng-cl1.aol.com>
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>X-Trace: news2.atl 924897979 209.214.66.56 (Fri, 23 Apr 1999 16:06:19
>EDT)
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.a
tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

>Subject: cancel <19990423161622.25858.00000646@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423161622.25858.00000646@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423161622.25858.00000646@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
>Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>Lines: 2
>Message-ID:
>Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 21:05:18 GMT
>NNTP-Posting-Host: host-209-214-74-190.atl.bellsouth.net
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 17:05:18 EST
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>Path:
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newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
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>Subject: cancel <19990423162021.25858.00000649@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423162021.25858.00000649@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423162021.25858.00000649@ng-fq1.aol.com>
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>NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 23 Apr 1999 17:05:43 EST
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!portc02.blue.aol.com!howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn
.net.MISMATCH!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.P
OSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
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>Subject: cancel <19990423165131.25860.00000631@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423165131.25860.00000631@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423165131.25860.00000631@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
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>EDT)
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.a
tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Subject: cancel <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>References: <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990423162957.25858.00000656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
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>Path:
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OSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
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com!newspeer.monmouth.com!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news1.atl.POSTED!not-f
or-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
>Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
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>Control: cancel <19990422123559.14436.00000402@ng-co1.aol.com>
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>Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:03:01 -0400
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tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
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>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
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>References: <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>
>Control: cancel <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>
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>Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:05:15 -0400
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>newstank.sol.net!portc02.blue.aol.com!howland.erols.net!outgoing.news.rcn
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OSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
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>MIME-Version: 1.0
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>Control: cancel <19990422123154.14436.00000396@ng-co1.aol.com>
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>Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:10:40 -0400
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>EDT)
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Thu, 22 Apr 1999 15:10:50 EDT
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>Path:
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tl.POSTED!not-for-mail
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>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
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>Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 14:43:06 -0400

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>EDT)
>NNTP-Posting-Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 14:43:19 EDT
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>Path:
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>newstank.sol.net!news.maxwell.syr.edu!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news2.atl
.POSTED!not-for-mail
>From: radiosigs@aol.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
>MIME-Version: 1.0
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>Subject: cancel <19990421153644.18315.00000062@ng127.aol.com>
>References: <19990421153644.18315.00000062@ng127.aol.com>
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>Date: Wed, 21 Apr 1999 18:30:16 -0400
>NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.78.36
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>From: w4nti@my-dejanews.com
>X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

2216. Re: DO YOU BELIEVE IN REINCARNATION? 7422

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g3j4ivlu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144670

In article <WDqO2.919$qe1.1913@c01read04.service.talkway.com>,
"numbnuts62" <rosiebabe@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> On 4 Apr 99 13:15:03 GMT bfomsd@starmedia.com wrote:
> > Do you believe in REINCARNATION?
>
> yes.
>
> > Do you want to know who you were and where you lived in your past life?
>
> no. on account of I already know. I used to be a redneck in north
> georgia, us of a.
>
> --

Even worse than that.. I drempt that I was Woody Allen in a former life.
When I woke up I realized that that would be impossible as we are both alive
at the same time...Maybe we were both the same person in a former life and
that accounts for it. Can I ever find out if Woody Allen would even dream
that he shared a former life with me? No...That is why I'm not so sure about
reincarnation even though I understand Zelig. Bob Wex w2ilp (I Lived
Previously???) -- .- -..- .. --

Reincarnation might be a catch 22 if Yossarian lives and breathes!
--w2ilp--

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2217. Re: wtb inexpensive 2 meter all mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <"N8NOE(NoSpam)"@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <37255774.6E1BFB4E@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 144671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jack, A store close to me has a Kenwood TS-700A All-Mode $200.00.....
2Meter, AM/SSB/FM/CW This one in particular has a added Pre-Amp also...
The Store is " Michigan Radio" The phone number is (1-800-TRU-HAMM)
I owned one of these rigs, and had a blast with it... They got it on the
used rack,
Call and ask.... Good luck, You'll love this rig... Jeff Swiger-N8NOE

jack wrote:

> looking for a inexpensive 2 meter ssb rig.older is fine,in good working
> order.
> thanks jack n9iif

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

2218. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <"N8NOE(NoSpam)"@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <3725563B.65946CD5@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 144672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeff, Your first statement is not correct. Japan and others have already DROPPED there Code requirements. I'm not a fan of CW, but I also don't think is necessary as a mode of High-Speed communications.. Jeff N8NOE

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Jim Shaffer, Jr. <jshaffer@mail.csrlink.net> wrote:
> >But nobody is proposing stopping them. They're only proposing that people who
> >have no intention of using it shouldn't have to learn it.
>
> You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
> ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
> communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
> least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
> world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
> use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
> him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
> modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
> but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
> extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the
> international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
> equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
> equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view
> while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
> personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.
>
> (Daily worldwide comms don't normally take place above 50 MHz, so a common
> mode in that region can be chosen on a national level; for us it's of
> course FM phone.)
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

2219. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack Anderson <jander@home.com>
Message-ID: <37255D9B.20B1FA4E@home.com>
Source record: 144673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart wrote:
>
> Ha ha ha... Good one! You got me there.
>
> Peter
>
> Anonymous wrote in message <199904270138.DAA02220@mail.replay.com>...
> >CommQuart (commquart@erols.com) wrote:
> >Well, if it weren't for CB in the 70's we wouldn't have had the song
> >"Convoy". That alone was worth it.
> >
> >
> >"...so I crashed the gate doing 98
> >I said let those truckers roll, 10-4"
> >
> >
> >C.W. McCall didn't, perhaps, get his name from CW, did he? (His real
> >name was Bill Fries).
> >
> >

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Well I said, Earl I'm not the type to complain but the time has come for me to explain that if you don't apply some brake's real soon their gonna have to pick us up with a stick and a spoon.....

2220. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37279BB4.52C6@sir.com>
Source record: 144424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Michael Ruther wrote:
>
> Friend of mine's son is a radio op in the coast guard. He was taught code, and
> can do about 15 wpm.

I know a lot of obsolete skills too. Tape editing with razor blades and
tape come to mind. Perhaps that will save my life in some emergency
when my digital audio workstation breaks, or will allow me to edit in
bad weather conditions.

2221. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <0WMV2.7934$B55.463077@dfiatx1-snr1>
Source record: 144425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Joe wrote in message <37278f5f.6034546@news.mindspring.com>...

>WHO GIVES A SHIT????I see all this crap I want on the NEWS!!!!
>

No you don't. What you see on the "news" is the misleading, inaccurate, self serving political views of the liberal media.

When it comes to guns, what the media reports and what the truth is are two different things...

73 de KF6KNB

2222. Re: Kenwood TS-140...Wierd problem on 20 Meters (Only)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: tom <tsokol@injersey.com>
Message-ID: <7g85o8nvg1@nw003t.infi.net>
Source record: 144426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Tedd,
Substitute a dummy load and see if it does the same thing. If tx into a dummy load is OK, you have an RF feedback problem. Try creating a balun by coiling up your coax (10 turns around a 6" form) at the rear of the rig. Also, try beefing up your entire station's ground system. Oh, and try substituting a different mic. These steps should narrow it down.
Tom, N2LDE

Tedd Doda wrote in message <37274aa7.0@flint.sentex.net>...
>
>I have a Kenwood TS-140 HF rig that has a wierd problem.
>When I got the rig, TX audio was garbled on all bands.
>I found and repaired the bias circuit for the finals.
>
>Now when I try and transmit on 20 meters, the power is
>fine for the first 2 or 3 sylables, then drops off to
>about 10 to 15 watts. As I was trying to fine the problem,
>I noticed that if I remove the PA section from the main
>rig far enough that the chassis don't touch, the problem
>goes away and TX on all bands is fine?
>
>Does anyone have a clue what could be happening?
>
>Tedd Doda, CET
>
>packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
>e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
>[Team OS/2 in Canada]
>
>If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.
>

2223. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <8AB0282B8C2DF507.FF6E0126FA615662.32D0DD944C35E163@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going around between old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.

2224. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3727A3FA.4348@sir.com>
Source record: 144428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> First of all learn to quote, *I* wrote the above NOT Timothy.

I never mentioned WHO wrote it! Whatever name was there, came from the
post I replied to, I never use names as they have nothing to do with the
discussion.

> I do not wish to WAIT to get my General privileges so I'm continuing to
> work on my code.

OK. Good luck.

It could be another year or more before any restructuring
> takes place. Why wait?

You don't have to. But I did for the technician class, and didn't have
to learn a part of Ham radio I have no intention of using because I
waited. I also wait for Ham radios to go on sale, you may say why wait
and pay the extra $$$ because you want the radio now. To each his own.

Will I USE code? Probably not, it doesn't interest me.
> But to get my General I HAVE to pass the 13. I passed the General written this
> pass Sunday but failed the 13, my practicing continues...

Good luck.

2225. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3727A5A1.67A0@sir.com>
Source record: 144429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BungHole wrote:
>
> I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going around between
> old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.

Yes, even when morse code is not a requirement for any license, the
attitude will still remain because of the different "classes" of
licenses. Extra class will look down upon General class even though
they both have privileges on the exact same bands. There is no reason
NOW to have General, Advanced & Extra other than to promote the cliquish
elitist attitude you mentioned and divide Hams into different groups.

If there were just ONE Ham license, you wouldn't have all this BS.

2226. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7g6udfmnv1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

This is EXACTLY the attitude that is causing the all the problems with
this code/no-code debate, and I really want to grab everyone who
thinks like this by the throat and slap them silly while yelling at them
"ARE YOU THAT F***ING STUPID????"

It's this attitude that anyone without CW skills, or with 'lower' CW
skills
than the person doing the evaluation as 'less' of a HAM. The BULLSHIT
attitude that some people have that the license was a final exam that
granted rights and privlidges.

In my mind, and remember, my opinion is more important to me than
your opinion, is that ANY AND ALL licenses are ENTRY EXAMS, to
get you into the hobby (it's a hobby, not a lifestyle as some people
that
appear to have no life seem to forget) so that you can learn and grow,
not stagnate.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

Hamish Moffatt wrote in message
<7g6h5eecq1@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>...
>That's an interesting question; should we consider a no-code license
>to be a valid end-point for those who aren't interested in the extra
>priviledges, or only a stepping stone to a "full call"?

>--
>Hamish Moffatt Mobile: +61 412 011 176 hamish@rising.com.au
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>Internet: http://www.rising.com.au/

2227. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: LH <ny6zmd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7g821qjfq1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144431
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

So they say, yet in all the years I've owned cars, I've always enjoyed the ones with "full power" the most and regretted owning those without it.
LH
PS Same with radios!

W5OLD Mike not Mic <w5old@sonetcom.com> wrote in message news:01be9095$b66bd680$590231d1@me...
> This is a old say'n I just made up. It seems the more things/extras you
> have on a car the more that can go wrong.
> --
> Hello I'm "Mike not Mic"
> from Ft. Sill Oklahoma
> Home of the Field Artillery
> All my radios smell like smoke!!!
>

2228. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <3727AA1D.9F4B2D76@datasync.com>
Source record: 144432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

ALL the below are VERY CORRECT and TRUE, BUT,
is that ANY reason to use it on a TEST for getting your ticket
keep the subbands..if you want, EXPAND them if you like
IF we use this MODE to test people should we not have a test to see if you
can talk correctly for phone, type correctly for packet,
and expand that by building your own computer for digital modes.
THAT'S ALL I AM AGAINST IS FOR A TEST
keep the mode if it makes you happy but don't use it for TESTING.
NUFF SAID
DON
KB5FHX
NCI-1070
MARS AREA COORDINATOR
ARES RACES OPERATOR
SKYWARN FOUNDER
21 YEARS IN NAVAL COMMUNICATIONS

Gord Skiffington wrote:

> Howdy Dan....In all the hoopola about whether anyone should or can't use
> morse anymore.....a few points never seem to be brought out...or are
> only mentioned briefly.
>
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DARLA (dawn) ICQ# 7341931
Don (weathernut) ICQ# 14664294

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MAYBE!!

2229. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g8bnrnrq1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:

>attitude that some people have that the license was a final exam that
>granted rights and privlidges.

Since the inception of incentive licensing, the exam does grant
privledges. As far as being 'final', in my case yes, in your case,
no.....

>(it's a hobby, not a lifestyle as some people that appear to have no
>life seem to forget) so that you can learn and grow,
>not stagnate.

Did you figure all this out in the last couple months by reading
newsgroups ?

73, Jim KH2D

2230. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <3727C53A.E682BA2F@netdoor.com>
Source record: 144434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Skywarn founder?

magee KF5DE

Don or Darla Arnold wrote:

> ALL the below are VERY CORRECT and TRUE, BUT,
> is that ANY reason to use it on a TEST for getting your ticket
> keep the subbands..if you want, EXPAND them if you like
> IF we use this MODE to test people should we not have a test to see if
> you can talk correctly for phone, type correctly for packet,
> and expand that by building your own computer for digital modes.
> THAT'S ALL I AM AGAINST IS FOR A TEST
> keep the mode if it makes you happy but don't use it for TESTING.
> NUFF SAID
> DON
> KB5FHX
> NCI-1070
> MARS AREA COORDINATOR
> ARES RACES OPERATOR
> SKYWARN FOUNDER
> 21 YEARS IN NAVAL COMMUNICATIONS
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> Gord Skiffington wrote:
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2231. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7g8fdi$f3g$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144435

you have the option to use either...(looking at a reorder form that lists
both types).

Marv Luse wrote in message <37210B81.216FBE26@dimensional.com>...
>MailfrmPA wrote:
>
>> In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in
the
>> blank type on the ARRL tests.
>>
>> From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also
appears
>> that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the
answers,
>> falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take
the W5YI
>> test.
>
>The ARRL tests are multiple choice, not fill in the blank.
>
>73,
>
>Marv
>KC0EGB
>

2232. Re: Collins VHF-251 wiring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7g8ghk$74a$1@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 144436

Just a fine point -- S-Tec has the Micro Line series of products, including the only Micro Line II radio to make it out - the VHF-253.

Collins announced a new set of "sensors" (radios) in the last week or two (see news archives at http://www.rockwell.com), had the press in, etc. etc., so it should be showing up in the aircraft mags in the near future.

Gary Hoff wrote in message <37274392.807B1FAF@livingston.com>...
>You might try S-Tec Corporation. They now own the old Collins
>Aircraft line (called their TEC-LINE). They still sell a VHF-251A
>radio which more than likely has the same pin-out as the VHF-251.
>http://www.s-tec.com
>
>Phone 940-325-9406
>
>Municipal Airport, Mineral Wells, Texas 76067-9236
>
>wojb@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>
>> Can anyone help with the wiring for a Collins VHF-251 air-band radio please?
>>
>> The radio is at least 10 years old and I cannot find any documentation.
>>
>> It has a 25-pin male plug on the back (looks just like a computer serial plug)
>> and I would like to know how to connect it up.
>>
>> Thanks very much,
>> Bill.
>>
>> wbrown@nospam.ucar.edu
>> (please remove the nospam to reply)
>>
>> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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>--
>Gary N. Hoff - k7ney

2233. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7g8ha7$g1c$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144437

Jake Brodsky wrote in message <372d5793.3400703@news.erols.com>...
>know what to do. If worse comes to worst, one can always talk
>air-to-air with other aircraft.
>

>Jake Brodsky, mailto:frussle@erols.com
>PP ASEL IA, Cessna Cardinal N30946, Based @ MD24

>Amateur Radio Station AB3A

Yeah, we're lucky that the representations given to the public (such as "Die Hard") are so wrong. (It was always funny that the aircraft just couldn't go to one of the other airports...after all the bad guys only had control of one...)

2234. Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ken Osmond <kenos23@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <3727CBE0.D2E0B1FF@nospam.com>
Source record: 144438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I'm about to buy one of these high end receivers and
don't want to make a mistake. Please help me to
avoid being disappointed. Both receivers are used,
but appear to be in good condition. I'm not able to
see either of them, as they are being sold on-line.

The Racal 6790GM is surplus, but appears to be in
good shape with five original crystal filters: .4, 1.6,
3.2, 6.8 and 18 KHz.

The Watkins Johnson HF1000 Is in mint condition,
with all the original equipment. (box, manuals, etc.)

If you have experience with either (or both) of these fine
receivers, Please reply here. Thanks ever so much.

2235. FS: Tranquil Ham QTH in Central NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Joe Giacobello, K2XX" <k2xx@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <3727F61C.30086DD2@concentric.net>
Source record: 144439

K2XX and K2XXX are selling their QTH in central (Green Brook) NJ and moving to the wilds of western Virginia. The QTH is located in the first ridge of the Watchung Hills, overlooking the Raritan Valley, with a line-of-sight view into Manhattan (25 miles away as the crow flies), Long Island and thence Europe and Africa. The view to the west isn't bad either, but the Rockies get in the way. Green Brook borders Plainfield, Watchung, Warren, Middlesex, Dunellen and North Plainfield, NJ.

The QTH includes a 72 ft. motorized Triex crank-up, tilt-over tower with a six band quad on top: four elements on 10, 12, 15, 17 and 20 and seven elements on six meters, all on a 24 ft. boom. There is also a Wilson TT-45 forty-five foot crank-up (manual), tilt-over tower with a 13 element two meter Yagi, a 24 element 432 MHZ Yagi and a Diamond vertical collinear for two meters. Attached to the chimney are circularly polarized Yagis for Oscar (144/435 MHZ) with azimuthal and elevation rotors. Finally, there is a 102 ft. long center fed Zepp that I use for 30, 40 and 80 meters. This whole package comes along with trained neighbors. I know it's hard to believe, but they actually help me put up and maintain my antennas. I have consistently run 1.5 KW at this QTH for more than 19 years with practically no RFI. What little there has been over all those years, has been easily and amicably resolved. My relationship with my neighbors is excellent.

As if all of the foregoing were not enough, there is also a comfortable, cozy home, a wonderful neighborhood, convenience to shopping and transportation, excellent schools and immediately adjoining neighborhoods where the home values range between $500,000 and $1,000,000.

The house was originally built in the late 30's but has been renovated several times. We made a major renovation in 1987 and followed up with a new kitchen about five years ago. There are three bedrooms, one of which we use as a shack. The accompanying walk-in closet is used as a workshop. All of the bedrooms have walk-in closets. There is a modern kitchen, an office, a living room with stone fireplace, a sun/dining room, a screened front porch, a large front patio, and a large rear deck. There is an oversized, detached, two car garage with a large workbench and additional storage. While the official lot size seems small (75X100'), its effective size is much larger because the adjacent streets do not use up all of their allowed right-of-way. The lot and its surroundings are shielded by an abundance of mature deciduous trees. The property tax is about $3400 annually.

Rail transportation to Manhattan is five minutes (three miles) away at Dunellen. The trip to Penn Station is about 55 minutes. Route 22 is only two minutes away and I-78 (Exits 36 or 40) is about eight minutes away. I-287 is only 10 minutes away.

High school students from Green Brook Township attend Watchung Hills Regional High School, a highly considered public institution noted for its academic and athletic excellence.

If you have any interest in owning this QTH, please contact Joe at 908-756-3825 or via e-mail. If there is no interest from hamdom by June 1, we intend to offer it, though somewhat sadly, to the general public at that time. The price is firm at $255,000.

73, Joe
K2XX

2236. FS Dentron Clipperton L HF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3727CF57.18AA@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,dfw.forsale

Hello all,
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new
572b's, new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes
have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired
for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters.
The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500bucs
plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line. You
can see a picture of the amp as well as my station by clicking
here. http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 and thanks for reading
Oris N3CND,
Email:
oris@dirtball.com

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http://www.dirtball.com

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SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2237. Re: W.T.B. 2 meter ssb rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <"N8NOE(NoSpam)"@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <3727D001.E34E07BC@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 144441
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Michigan Radio, Warren , Michigan (1-800-TRU-HAMM) has a Kenwood
TS-700A 2 Meter ALL-MODE for sale on there Used rack for $200.00.....
Good rig!... 73 Jeff-N8NOE

jack wrote:

> Looking for an inexpensive 2 meter ssb rig.
> in good working and looking shape.
> thanks jack n9iif

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

2238. FS Heathkit SB 104, VFO, and Power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3727D0F3.72FF@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment.,dfw.forsale

Hello All
I have a heathkit SB 104 with matching VFO and powersupply. The rig needs some work. It needs finals 10 ohm bias transistor and the control IC for the last digit in the display. Cosmeticly its in good shape. I'm asking 250 bucs for all of it. I will break it up though. I'll take 75 for the VFO 100 bucs for the rig and 100 bucs for the power supply. Shipping not included. If you are interested drop me a email
oris@dirtball.com
73 from Oris and thanks for reading
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http://www.dirtball.com

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2239. The W8MMQ/RSCM Wire-4/30/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <w8mmq@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <7g8jqn$qf1@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,uk.radio.amateur

April 30, 1999
Target: undisclosed.recipients

Welcome to the W8MMQ Wire for April 23, 1999! This newsletter is distributed weekly by W8MMQ and the Radio Society of Central Michigan, and is available free to all radio amateurs.

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Stories in this week's newsletter:
o What Happened to the Beatnik?;
o Hollingsworth Makes Surprise NAB Appearance;
o Retests and Short Term Renewals;
o Upcoming Amateur Radio Contests;
o And much more!

WHAT HAPPENED TO THE BEATNIK?
Last week we reported that the Swatch Watch Corporation had cancelled the controversial "Beatnik" mission. The company agreed not to launch the satellite.

But now hams want to know what happened to the little satellite, called Sputnik 19. If it wasn't launched, then were did it go? There have been mixed reports regarding the satellite; some hams have listened, and said that the Sputnik 19 is not transmitting, at least in our ham bands, while other commericial media sources say that the satellite is indeed operational, and transmitting.

Although the media is saying that the satellite is transmitting, no amateur radio reports can confirm that. We will have more on this story should it develop.

--- W8MMQ/KC8KFZ

HOLLINGSWORTH MAKES SURPRISE NAB APPEARANCE
Amateur Radio rules enforcer Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, got thunderous applause from those attending an Amateur Radio reception April 21 at the National Association of Broadcasters convention in Las Vegas. The annual get-together for hams drew upwards of 1000 people.

Hollingsworth's boss, FCC Compliance and Information Bureau Chief Richard D. Lee, was introduced by Ed Williams, W8APE, after Lee said he wanted to talk to the group. He, in turn, introduced FCC Compliance Division Chief Pamera Hairston and two staffers from the FCC's Los

Angeles Field Office.

Lee then sprang the surprise. Last year, Lee said, he'd promised the FCC would do Amateur Radio enforcement. This year, the FCC had Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, doing a great job.

"When I turned Riley loose, I said, 'look, you're going to be going all over the place. How can I get in touch with you?'" Lee recalled. "And he said, 'Boss, I'm like Batman, it's real simple. All you have to do is call out K4ZDH, Riley, are you around. and I'll show up, I'll be there.'"

So Lee gave it a try. "K4ZDH, Riley, are you around?" After a pause, from the back of the room Hollingsworth piped up, "Here I am," and came forward to address the gathering.

And the crowd, as they say, went wild.

Hollingsworth credited both Lee and Hairston for setting the events in motion to secure better Amateur Radio enforcement. "Pam and Rich went to the chairman [William Kennard] last October and asked for amateur enforcement," he said. "At the time they went and asked for it, they were totally loaded up with pirate broadcaster cases, and the last thing they needed was more work."

But Hollingsworth said Lee, a former Marine, was serious about enforcement and, like the Marines, wants it done right. "They not only want all fronts covered, but they want them at the same time," he said.

As Hollingsworth prepared to leave the podium, Lee got the last laugh by quipping, "So, are we going to take this opportunity to retest everybody?"

--- Taken from the ARRL Letter, April 23, 1999

RETESTS AND SHORT TERM RENEWALS
The FCC is now using a pair of old enforcement tools in a new way. If you seriously break the rules you may wind up being called in for a retest and you may wind up with a short time license. Rick Lindquist of the ARRL Audio News has more:

The FCC's top amateur enforcer, Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, says he plans to make judicious use of both the short-term renewal and retesting to boost amateur compliance.

Hollingsworth employed a short-term renewal as a sanction in a recent amateur case where a newly licensed teenaged ham was found to be transmitting music on a police frequency using a modified hand held. On April 14, Hollingsworth reinstated the ham's Technician license, which had been suspended, but imposed a one-year renewal. Local police in New Jersey had reported to the FCC that Mike Mustachio, now KC2EUT, had transmitted music on a police frequency for about 12 minutes on March 16, just days before his ham ticket was granted.

Hollingsworth said he spoke with the 14 year old licensee and his parents before making a judgment call in the case to go with a short-term renewal.

He expects the sanction might come in handy in other pending enforcement cases as well, but he still expects to use it only "in rare cases where there are mitigating circumstances and a good likelihood of compliance."

He said short-termed licensees may appeal, but then the case goes to a hearing, and the process can get much more formalized and complicated.

Retesting is another administrative prerogative that Hollingsworth has been taking advantage of. The FCC has the authority to request that any amateur who obtained a license through the Volunteer Examiner program retest either at an FCC office or using another Volunteer Examiner Coordinator.

Earlier this year, Hollingsworth notified a Delaware ham that she had to retake her Extra class examination or lose her ticket. More recently, the FCC asked a Michigan ham to retake his General and Advanced class examinations. Hollingsworth said this week that other retesting requests will be going out soon in several cases where licensees either have not responded to a written Warning Notice or where something about the licensee's actions or responses might have raised questions about the individual's qualifications.

He said the FCC also might decide to investigate or ask for a retest when it received "substantiated or well-founded complaints".

Hollingsworth says recent testing "recalls" should not give rise to speculation that the Commission intends to institute routine retesting.

"We're going to use this very carefully," Hollingsworth said. "We don't want to scare everybody into thinking that they could get a recall in the mail."

I'm Rick Lindquist, N1RL.

Hollingsworth says that the recent spate of retests should not give rise to speculation that the FCC intends to institute wholesale retesting. He indicates that those retest letters are being reserved for those who have done the very worst.

--- Taken from Amateur Radio Newsline, April 23, 1999

UPCOMING CONTESTS AND EVENTS
For the latest amateur radio contest information, visit the ARRL's Contest Calendar, at http://www.arrl.org/contests/. Also, for the latest information on upcoming events and hamfests, visit the ARRL's Hamfest Calendar, at http://www.arrl.org/hamfests.html.

The North American High Speed Meteor Scatter Contest, sponsored by the Western States Weak Signal Society, will run from 0000-Z May 1 to 2400-Z on May 9. Operate high speed CW only (99 WPM or higher). Operate on amateur bands above 50-MHz, and operate up to 48 hours during the

contest. Visit http://www.qsl.net/n7stu/hscw.html for more contest information.

The Ten-Ten International Net Spring CW QSO Party, sponsored by Ten-Ten International, will run from 0000-Z May 1 until 2400-Z on May 2. Operate CW only, 10 meters only.

And, the US IPA Contest, sponsored by the International Police Association Radio Club, will run from 0000-Z May 1 to 2359-Z May 1 (for CW) and 0000-Z May 2 to 2359-Z May 2 (for phone).

DX REPORT
From Senegal, 6W1PZ, 6W1EX, 6W1RD and 6W1QP will be active from zero hundred UTC on the 1st of May until 1700 UTC on the 2nd. This counts as AF-045 for the RSGB Islands on the Air Award Programme.

From West Malaysia, 9M2TO/P will be operational from the 1st to the 4th of May on six to 40 metres. This counts as AS-073 for IOTA.

From Gaudeloupe, FG/JA1WPX is on the air from today, the 25th of April, until the 2nd of May on 10 to 40 metres, using CW and SSB. This counts as NA-102 for IOTA.

And from Tromelin Island, FR5ZU/T is active until the 4th of May on 10 to 40 metres, SSB. This counts as AF-031 for IOTA.

Information contained in the weekly DX Report is taken from the Radio Society of Great Britain. Visit the RSGB web site, http://www.rsgb.org/, for more information.

AND ... IN CLOSING
Thank you for reading this issue of the W8MMQ Wire. We hope that you have enjoyed it, and please, feel free to pass it along to others.

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73 de,
Dan, W8MMQ
w8mmq@voyager.net

Alton Wilson
alton@excite.co.uk

2240. FS: Yaesu FT-736R w/6M and 1.2GHz MINT !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7g8kng$ppd@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $2000 (original
discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element 1.2 GHz yagi (commercial)
with
purchase!! ($100 original cost). Have original 736 box and packing for
shipment!!!
Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
with serious buyers.

2241. web page w/links

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ed biedricki <n2qjn@webspan.net>
Message-ID: <3727D7AB.BD4A88C3@webspan.net>
Source record: 144445

http://www.angelfire.com/nj/n2qjn/index.html

2242. Re: A new ham that needs help from a CBer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <3727D19B.96FF8770@parg.org>
Source record: 144446

Yes Joseph don't let someone who makes 4 times as many posts to a CB newsgroup as he does to Ham newsgroups discourage your HAM career.

Joe wrote:

> PLEASE!!!Dont let my post discourage you.
> >

2243. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <372784B2.5908@imt.net>
Source record: 144447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

The Conqueror wrote:
>
> I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements

To weed out the serious from the lazy and stupid.

> if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
> think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
> in ham radio either.

What the heck do any of these points have to do with Morse code in the
amateur service?

And if you want to say it is for security, you are not
> allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.

Somehow you managed to obscure the meaning of your entire post.
_ _... ..._ _ Tracy

>
> -Dan K3DRQ
>
> k3drq@qsl.net

2244. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3727855D.4989@imt.net>
Source record: 144448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Edward L. Dowdy wrote:
>
> Bravo!
>
> Gord Skiffington wrote in message <3726986A.950@nbnet.nb.ca>...
> >Howdy Dan....In all the hoopola about whether anyone should or can't use
> >morse anymore.....a few points never seem to be brought out...or are
> >only mentioned briefly.
> >
> > Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied verbatim

Morse is not a mode,but a language that is the common one used on the
mode continuous wave.Tracy

2245. Re: Farnsworth method

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <372785FF.7EDD@imt.net>
Source record: 144449

Nat wrote:
>
> Hi;
>
> What's the best software for learning CW via the Farnsworth method?
>
> 73 Nat NA5NA

Jerry Ziliaks(KB6MT)high speed code course.Tracy

2246. Icom IC-V68

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <nlozada@lj.net>
Message-ID: <_ZSV2.127$fO5.7046@news14.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Looking for a manual and schematics for an ICOM IC-V68. I will pay for cost
of photo copying and mailing. Thanks for your help!

--
Noel Lozada N6JFO
http://pinoyham.org
n6jfo@pinoyham.org
n6jfo@lj.net
nlozada@lj.net

2247. FS: Realistic Pro-41 10 Channel Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ufzcV3ek#GA.222@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 144451
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Realistic Pro-41 10 Channel Scanner

Asking $50.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

2248. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <37273D33.79F4EFB2@tfn.net>
Source record: 144452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Because many people who take the same exam you take will be using them,and a tube-type rig is
probably the easiest way to get yourself fried.

Spot wrote:

> They should completely drop vacuum tubes from the tests if they have not already also.
> I'm going to be running completely solid state anyhow so why would I or anyone else care.

2249. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <372734BF.223B47C3@tfn.net>
Source record: 144453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Is this besides the fact that knowledge of CW is required by international treaty for access to certain frequencies? Or are you suggesting that the government simply ignore the treaties and make it's own rules?

Spot wrote:

> > I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
> > that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
> > for HF that you guys can't pass.
>
> The problem is, is the old HAMS think "Well, we had to go through hell to
> become a HAM, so should everyone else".
> This sums up why alot of people aren't becoming HAMS as indeed alot of requirements
> are very outdated.

2250. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <37273DC4.8D7C7ED5@tfn.net>
Source record: 144454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

That's a big 10-4 good buddy!

Dick Carroll wrote:

> Jim Shaffer, Jr. wrote:
> >
> > On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 12:25:44 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> >
> > >"I want it now. I don't want to pay.. I don't want to work for it.."
> > >Just more of the welfare-mentality of this current-day world.
> >
> > Humans shouldn't need to adapt to unreasonable environments -- it is one of the
> > characteristics of our species that we can create our own environment. The
> > amateur radio laws are human-created and can be human-modified.
> >
> >
>
> In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
> want to".

2251. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <372737C3.2C10EB91@tfn.net>
Source record: 144455
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Even the world of no-coding is very enjoyable, As a custodial single parent, I do not have the time to spend on code practice, and neither the time nor money to buy HF equipment with. I primarily operate VHF mobile, although when I do find a little time I like to play with antennas in my backyard (see http://www.tfn.net/~gfloyd7/antenna/) and have found that 2 meters is ideal for this as the antenna is small enough to be easily built. Although I do not have my code out of the way, I would hate to see them eliminate it altogether. It is a very proud tradition of amateur radio, can be heard even when voice cannot, requires no real special equipment (keying your mike on AM or FM would work), and is required by international law. So who are we to tell the government to ignore that law?

Karina Wright wrote:

> CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>
> >Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
> >for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
> >exists on 27 MHz.
>
> I am on my way towards getting my no-code license because, I'm afraid,
> that's as far as I will ever progress. I have tried for years to lear
> Morse, but some glitch in my hearing or noggin or something will not let me
> get the knack of it.
>
> When I was little (30-something years ago), I used to be glued to my
> step-dad's shortwave, sending postcards (I must have spent a forturne
> sending cards around the world).... I desperately wanted to be part of that
> world, I had a telegraph key to practice with, I specifically tuned into the
> morse broadcasts so I could try to develop an ear for it...to no avail...it
> just wouldn't happen. I dropped away from shortwave for years and have only
> recently become aware that I now have an entry(albeit a limited one) into
> the world of my youth.
>
> I have nothing but admiration for those who can pick up morse code. I wish
> I could.
>
> ttfn/Karina

2252. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <37273E9D.57B2ED74@tfn.net>
Source record: 144456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

No one is forcing anyone to join the ranks of amateur radio, or to stay. It's a free world.

Spot wrote:

> From the old fashioned attitudes I see in this thread, I can see why people don't renew their licenses
> or even get their license.

2253. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
Message-ID: <3727411A.B3E9109A@tfn.net>
Source record: 144457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> >> You are implying that you have a right to set a standard value over all
> HAM wannabees
> >> and then have a right to deem a certain amount of work to meet that
> value.
>

These rules were not set by us..they were around a long time before a lot of us
were even born

> >> As you know, the FCC is the only one who has a right to set these values
> and the amount of work
> >> needed, not you.

Not even the FCC. Ever hear of the ITU? Or is looking that up too much work for
you?

>
> >> Sit there and get upset all you want, resent us for things being easy,
> but the fact is, FCC will be dropping
>

I don't resent you for anything. I'm a no-coder myself. But I don't whine like a
baby because I don't have HF priviledges either. I haven't earned them, so why
should I deserve them? As a single parent with no time for study or HF
ragchewing, VHF mobile operation suits me just fine. If at some point in the
future, I have more time to devote to the hobby, then I would use some of that
time to brush up on my code at least to the standards required not only by the
FCC, but by international law.

> >> code from the requirements in less than 3 years and will also be updating
> its tests to reflect modern times instead
> >> of their current tests which are geared more for those who wanted to
> became HAMS in the 1950's - 1970's.
> >>

2254. Re: Getting license

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sanford1@sprynet.com
Message-ID: <3728587a.115246660@nntp.sprynet.com>
Source record: 144493

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 20:33:39 -0400, "Karina Wright"
<karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:

>As I remarked in another message, I've only recently become aware that there
>is now a no-code option for me to pursue.
>
>I have downloaded the app from the FCC, but need to bone up on current
>requirements and technology. Can anyone recommend a good site and/or book
>and/or magazine that I can begin with.
>
>Thanx and ttfn/Karina

Try http://w5ac.tamu.edu/ham-exam-v2/ham-exam.html for
computer generated exams and the current question pools.

It worked for me!

~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Gary Sanford
sanford1@ibm.net
~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

2255. Re: Yaesu FT100 Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Warner <jpwarner@gte.net>
Message-ID: <01be9114$e5323980$c5defed0@jpwarner>
Source record: 144494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Need to check the steering diodes in the BC BPF for leakage. Quite often
the case with sets that have
had an open antenna attached while exposed to wind static, nearby
lightning, or transmitting into the
receiver, inadvertantly, of course. The latter usually takes the shunt and
some of the attenuator with it though. I think the other dude was trying
to say "things that do many things, can't do one thing well."
While there may be some truth to that statement, I find it hard to beleive
that the R&D team would
overlook any image, conversion mixing, or overload products that would
land(at least) in the amateur bands.
Jim WA9Z

M <markt103@hotmail.com> wrote in article
<925201932.8112.0.nnrp-06.9e981d99@news.demon.co.uk>...
> Have you noticed any am broadcast interference on 10m
>
> G0GBD@hotmail.com
>
>
>
>
>

2256. Re: More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g5q36$vv3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <7g2q48$nt2$2@brokaw.wa.com>,
kh2d@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Somebody needs to educate you, so you can get a job and buy an
> antenna too.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
>
>

You tell'em TOUGH GUY!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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2257. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a LOOSER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g5q8v$81$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144496

In article <7g4t7q$5d8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
> Oris you a no gud mud her fud her jus like rich say. you call me suck boy an
> all that shit. Hear an now I call in you a trader to yo cunt tree an a
enema
> me spy. I proofs it wit all you see crate sin bulls an yo rite in a fore hand
> land witch. i show in you ginst the jewdish an all that shit. you a posed
> rich wb2otk that be meen you hate the jewd an all that shit. an furter more
> i cans proof yo in wit the BARF an Herpie Show in bomb an that boo lee gan
> frankie Tott. you sends out SPAM to me an all that shit. you in wit frankie
> up to your eye balls in shit wit him. yo ben help in him an all the boo
> leggers in Pent stat U. were frankie live an all that shit. yo one a them. I
> all sews can proofs you in wit the stumpfers an now in there in her circus a
> evol plot hers. you now a big cheez whiz in the BARF an the stumpfers an all
> that shit. from now on I be on yo likes chinks on sticks. you bet belive that
> an all that shit. I no you a spy for the Chin man an Herpie Show in bomb. I
> mite rite a song bout yo like I did on Herpie. How you like them
appels???
> Huh Huh Huh????????? you stink an yo got no persons hole high gene what so
> never jus like rich say. he say yo pole lute in lake hard well an made it
> stinks. the pea poles there run from yo smile. you smile terror able like
> shit an all that shit. you ever take in a bat????? HUh HUh HUh?????? yo got
> a wiff who smile worst than you do. She a hoe an all that shit jus like rich
> say. I aint no fool calls I bin to skool. I on my way to astro not train in
> in Hews ton Texs 4 NASA. I go in to the fuk in moon. i has my appel
> occasion turnt in all reddy. Plenty soon i be in spays. Were you gone be
> HUH HUH HUH???? yo still be in yor smiley traylor park with the rest the WTIA
> jus like rich say. I be in spays wammin and jammin on 14313. I bein spays
> wammin an jammin on 3901. i jam you fud in ass off this plan net an back to
> Jew pit her were you bee longs you fud in ale lee on an all that shit.
Wat
> you gone do when a astro not be wammin an jammin you from out her spays an
> all that shit?????? HuH Huh Huh??????/
>
> Pilot J.
>

Looks like you need to see the business end of my baseball bat!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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2258. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11902b2eb60aec259896d1@news>
Source record: 144497

In article <37260044.63A7DFA3@engr.csulb.edu>, jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu says...

> I literally woke up one day and said "I would like to get into amateur
> radio". So I went to radio Shack and I bought the book and began studying.
> I would like to thank all of the fellow hams that have sent me e-mail with
> answers to my questions. I appreciate all of you. Even you Joe. To everyone
> i wish 73's...God bless you all. joseph merfalen...KF6VVQ

This isn't a slam against the Gordon West books you find at Radio Shack but I find they're more rote memorization than actually learning the theory.

I'll shamefully admit that right up through 3B I used the West books. For my 4A I bought the ARRL book and it really walks you through the theory. I won't even say how I did 4B... I'd be too ashamed. :)

Tony

2259. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11902bb8cc4b27f9896d2@news>
Source record: 144498

In article <7g5flp$qui@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
> Whiner <whiner@crybaby.com> wrote:
> >Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the
> >first place as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.
>
> But can you build the radio that's attached to that microphone? I can
> surely build the radio that's attached to my key (and did do so).
> 72.5, Jeff KH6O

Hey, with a relay, small audio transformer and a nine volt battery I can make a pretty awful spark gap. As a kid I built this little device out of curiosity - one of these days I should build it again and measure the current and voltage coming out of that thing.. I used it as a shock box but now realize the RF spikes must have been phenomenal.

Tony

2260. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g5qid$e9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144499

In article <372628ae.4030275@news.primenet.com>,
mfuller@primenet.com wrote:
>
> Besides Andy Cogswell's (KF4KHC) site
>
> http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555
>
> another ham "freebander" site has been brought to my attention:
>
> http://www.angelfire.com/ky/bradh/radio.html
>
> This is KQ4RG and claims "Freeband Operations -- Too many callisigns
> to list!" Has link to FCC and various so-called "Freeband" sites.
>
> Mark
>

EXCELLANT FREEBAND SITES!!! LONG LIVE 27.555!!!!
--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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2261. Let's give the Freeband to the No-Coders!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g5qomid1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144500

In article <37249BF6.DE0A9580@hotmail.com>,
The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote:

> I think we should give the people what they want and incorporate CB with
> ham radio and turn the freebanders into legal operators
> >
> We did that with the no-code Technician class license.
> -----

I never knew that? Gave the "Freeband" to the No-coders? What a novel Idea!

> YAWN!!! It's time for all "true hams" who despise techs and no-code
> people to leave the hobby. Go solder a transistor somewhere.
>

Ham Radio is dying! We need to "leagalize" the Freeband! Give it to the No-coders! Heck, they already use it!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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2262. Re: Amateur Radio Misfits Become USENET Abusers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g5quuqg1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144501

In article <19990425204137.22788.00000825@ngol03.aol.com>,
rfenforcer@aol.com (RFEnforcer) wrote:
> If there was any question as to the effectiveness of Riley Hollingsworth's
> recent campaign to clean up the Amateur Radio Service, one has to look no
> further than the recent activity on this Internet newsgroup. Most of the "top
> troublemakers" of 20 and 75 meters have surfaced here, many within the last
> several days. I need not mention any names or callsigns; it's plainly obvious
> as to whom I'm making reference to.
>

Really? It's the ZOO of USENET, What did you expect?

> Look around. The prime violators, many of whom have been specific targets of
> recent FCC investigation and/or enforcement efforts, are now carrying on their
> personal vendettas via the Internet. Coincidence? Hardly. Expect more of
> these familiar "problem children" of the airwaves to surface here in the
coming
> weeks as Mr. Hollingsworth's noose tightens around their collective necks and
> puts a long-overdue end to their illegal activities on amateur radio.
>

And we will have you to bitch about them being here too...

> Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all
> discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.
>
>
Get a life!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
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2263. Re: Amateur Radio & David Letterman

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Travis <churchpt@hotmail.NOSPAM.com>
Message-ID: <KwtV2.44920$BZ6.19706658@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 144502

As an Okie living here on "The Island" for about 9 months, my observations would lead me to answer your question in the affirmative.

It's not quite the same arrogance as that of, say...a Californian. No, left coast people would be better described as 'smug,' a subtle form of arrogance. It's based mostly on the opinion that the rest of the country isn't as pretty as California.

East coast arrogance is based more on the fact that people here are oblivious the fact that there is anything west of the Hudson river. They like their chaotic, miserable lifestyle, for it's all they've ever known.

But we know better, don't we?

Donning my fire-retardant jumpsuit.

Travis

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:371C923B.A278C16C@ix.netcom.com...
> What in the heck are you talking about???
>
> This isn't a local newsletter ya know.
> If you're going to post something like this to world-wide readership,
> put in some background. You think all the world lives on Long Island??

2264. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373cf77e.2024866@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144503
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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http://www.qsl.net/wd4gdb
wd4gdb@qsl.net
http://web-cycat.com/hart/hamad

2265. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <372674ac.9860749@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144504

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 02:08:15 GMT, Radio-Rambo
<Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com> (in <7g5qid$e9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>) wrote:

>In article <372628ae.4030275@news.primenet.com>,
> mfuller@primenet.com wrote:
>>
>> Besides Andy Cogswell's (KF4KHC) site
>>
>> http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555
>>
>> another ham "freebander" site has been brought to my attention:
>>
>> http://www.angelfire.com/ky/bradh/radio.html
>>
>> This is KQ4RG and claims "Freeband Operations -- Too many callisigns
>> to list!" Has link to FCC and various so-called "Freeband" sites.
>>
>> Mark
>>
>
>EXCELLANT FREEBAND SITES!!! LONG LIVE 27.555!!!!

Based on FCC enforcement against a 3-4 hams (not CBers) I'm
increasingly believing 27.555 will live long -- right along with the
wide variety of non-type accepted radios and linears available from
just about every CB radio retailer on the web.

Mark

Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

2266. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: maddog@io.com
Message-ID: <37268047.138363848@news.io.com>
Source record: 144505
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 07:47:11 -0500, Tom McDermott
<mcdermot@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com> wrote:

>Another approach to improving the notch filter is to use multiple notch
>filters
>separated by a 1/4 wave transmission line.
>
> <--1/4-->
> In ------+--------+------- Out
> | |
> | |
> stub stub
>
>I've used this techniques to knock down a paging transitter signal located
>very, very close (a few feet away). Tuning of the stubs was necessary. Start
>
>with them long, and snip off 1/2" pieces to bring them into resonance. For
>longer stubs, RG-213 gives better notch depth than RG-58 (due to lower loss).

Well if you have to tune the stubs, would it also follow that you
would have to tune the section between the stubs? If so, how would
you do that?

73,
monty N5FC

2267. Kill Your Keyer, Spare You Ears

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g626u$70r$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144506

CW vs. PSK31. PSK31 works with weaker signals, lower power, 31 Hz bandwidth- what more do you need ?

Now if they would ask tougher written questions on MODERN topics like DSP and ditch those triode tube questions from 1977, I'd support an eventually codeless HF, but the buttcheeks at FCC and ARRL HQ don't have minds that work that way.

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2268. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: maddog@io.com
Message-ID: <372681c6.138746816@news.io.com>
Source record: 144507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 22:11:06 -0700, Gord Skiffington
<skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:

>[snip] There is also a thing about operating morse that only
>morse operators may truely feel...but its a kindred spirit that
>transcends whether you were a mere ham or a skilled commercial operator,
>a struggling boy scout trying it or a pilot who was able to make himself
>understood when his mic stopped working. To that last end I can only
>offer that to those who WON'T use it...it will always be a thing
>despised....to those who do or have, a thing revered.
>
>73 - Gord VE1AJF...(and merchant R/O in recent times :)

Here, here!

I've been trying to explain to wife/family/friends for over 30 years, and haven't ever come up with a "reason" for using CW that satisfies those that don't have the experience. To those who have conquered their demons, learned to communicate via CW, and discovered the reward of it, no explanation is necessary.

If the code requirement is dropped (as it may well be), the incentives that lead one past the hurdles of learning the code, to the most rewarding experiences offered by CW, will be removed, and perhaps the ranks of CW ops will diminish. Some will be happy if this should be the case.

I think it's interesting to observe, that since the proliferation of digital modes in the last ten years or so, CW activity on the ham bands seems to have grown, not diminished, both here in the States and internationally. Considering that many countries don't have a code requirement anymore, I wonder why that would be, if it truly is a dead mode?

Saying CW is dead is kind of like saying pianos are useless because PCs with sound cards can make more sounds, and never need tuning. Those who play or listen to fine pianos can instantly perceive the difference, and those whose minds are made up won't be listening for pianos in the first place.

When I got started 33 years ago, I struggled for a year to get my code speed to 13 WPM so I could get my "general" ticket and move on to fone and rtty operation. But 99% of my operation since then has been CW. Go figure, huh?

73,
monty N5FC

2269. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <37269DA0.3B4F205F@rconnect.com>
Source record: 144508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Here we go again, please take this off of
rec.radio.amateur.equipment and rec.radio.swap & take it
back to policy where it belongs. I could care less if you
want to learn the code or not. Don't learn it & miss some of
the best dx, learn it & work it but don't clutter up groups
where it doesn't belong.
Mark

BD wrote:
>
> Doesn't sound funny to me.. "Better keep your day job..."
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote in message
> news:372690BC.1C65BF40@IEEE.org...
> > Gord Skiffington wrote:
> > > Morse - Is a mode ...
> >
> > Funny, Chapter 8 of "The FCC Rule Book" lists all the modes
> > available to the Amateur Radio Service and none of those modes
> > is Morse. I see CW, MCW, Phone, Image, RTTY, Data, Pulse, SS,
> > and Test, but no Morse.
> > --
> > 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2270. FS: Compaq Elite 5100, notebook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <computer2@pop.mpls.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <37269FFE.EC02C25A@pop.mpls.uswest.net>
Source record: 144509

Refurb. Compaq notebook computer with a Pentium 90
processor, 16 megs RAM, 810 meg HDD, 2x cd-rom drive, active
color matrix screen, and a nice cordura carrying case. All
this for $485, plus shipping.

Thanks,

Ed, KB0UKG

2271. Re: WTD: Help making an AM radio the 'old fashioned' way!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: zeno@magicnet.net
Message-ID: <zeno-2804990104220001@pm53-14.magicnet.net>
Source record: 144510

In article <37264ee1.8386072@netnews.worldnet.att.net>,
huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net (BB) wrote:

> Can anyone helpe make an AM receiver the 'old-fashioned' way using a
> toilet paper tube, copper wire, a 9V battery, and a crystal?? Please
> email me or post an URL. My nephews and their summer nights thank you.
> bb
> huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net

You do not need any battery. The very long outside wire gets enough "pressure" that a battery is not needed. I mae one when I was in Junior High School. Only bought the headphones and the germanium crystal. I made everything else. I picked up the local station KDKA the night before the Science Fair. I had a long antenna wire in the back yard. No batery needed. (I had my parants listen to prove to them it worked..I could not set up the antenna at the fair. so it did not work there. Just the night before at home.) I got the plans from the 1966 Comptons Encyclopedia we had.

2272. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <372664BB.B811839C@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 144511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Yeah, but. . .what other communications methods are achieved via CW? You are correct, strictly speaking, CW * Morse code. The misnomer is as old as the vacuum tube, though the FCC can be forgiven a bit of idiom and tradition, can't it?

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> Gord Skiffington wrote:
> > Morse - Is a mode ...
>
> Funny, Chapter 8 of "The FCC Rule Book" lists all the modes
> available to the Amateur Radio Service and none of those modes
> is Morse. I see CW, MCW, Phone, Image, RTTY, Data, Pulse, SS,
> and Test, but no Morse.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

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Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

2273. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hamish Moffatt <hamish@rising.com.au>
Message-ID: <7g6h5eecq1@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>
Source record: 144512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

In rec.radio.amateur.space Christopher Cox <cobox@netexp.net> wrote:
> I have NASA types who routinely ridicule:

> A) Morse Code
> B) Narrow Band Communications

> I can assure, they have no desire for H.F. access. Nor are they lazy.

That's an interesting question; should we consider a no-code license
to be a valid end-point for those who aren't interested in the extra
priviledges, or only a stepping stone to a "full call"?

I imagine that there are probably a lot of people around who are more
interested in VHF, UHF and microwave than they are in HF, so a no-code
license suits them just fine. The Australian "limited" licenses allows
all-mode, full power only all bands above 50MHz.

Hamish, who took the code exams 4.5 weeks ago and STILL does not have
his results. Unimpressed.
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2274. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gord Skiffington <skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <37270961.1247@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 144513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Howdy Cecil.....Interesting point - often confused.....CW, MCW etc are modes of operation for a signal source.....morse is a mode (method) of communicating information, like voice etc. I know you know the difference of course....what I see is when green hams (we were all one eh!) start to confuse all this not understanding that you can send morse over an FM circuit by keying a tone or by calling that CW. Then they're scratching their heads the first time we show 'em a signal generator heheh.
I think we all ought to make our "tech" talk a little more accurate by times...maybe.

73 - Gord

2275. Re: Help making an AM radio the 'old fashioned' way!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <94DV2.17$D3.1950@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144514

Check out this URL:

http://www.clarityconnect.com/webpages2/arcsandsparks/crystalradiopage.html

There are two types of crystals that can be used.

The original crystal set design used a "cat's whisker." It was a piece of galena crystal fixed into a base of some kind with a very thin wire mounted on a movable arm over the crystal. The thin wire was about the size of a cat's whisker. The point where the wire touched the crystal formed a dissimilar junction that served as a half-wave rectifier to "detect" the radio signals and make them audio signals that were fed to the earphones.

I have built crystal radios using a 1N34 or 1N34A diode, available from Radio Shack. The difference between the 1N34 and the cat's whisker crystal arrangement is that, with the old arrangement, you had to move the wire around the crystal to find a sensitive spot. With the 1N34, nothing is movable.

The URL that I cited above is devoted to crystal sets.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
BD wrote in message <7g6gqmkrn1@newnews.startext.net>...
>Where do you find those crystals nowdays?
>
>BB <huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
>news:37264ee1.8386072@netnews.worldnet.att.net...
>> Can anyone helpe make an AM receiver the 'old-fashioned' way using a
>> toilet paper tube, copper wire, a 9V battery, and a crystal?? Please
>> email me or post an URL. My nephews and their summer nights thank you.
>> bb
>> huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net
>
>

2276. Re: Building your own transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <bfDV2.17$I3.1917@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144515

Building from kits can be a fulfilling experience or an exasperating experience.

Back in the good old days -- back when men were men and radios had tubes -- there was a grand company named Heath, they produced Heathkits. Their instruction manuals were VERY detailed, step by step. I built several Heathkits and never had a problem with any of them. Every one that I built fired up the first time and I still use some of the Heath gear. Sorry to say but they went out of business a few years ago. Could not compete with the rice boxes that are standard now.

There are lots of kits out there. Some are top quality, others are a few steps above junk. And, the real question is: instructions. If you have a decent background in reading a schematic, winding toroids, placing parts, soldering, and the like, then you can build a kit with a pile of parts and a schematic. If you do not have that sort of experience, and the kit consists of a bag of parts and a schematic, then you could be in trouble.

You might try a couple of things.

Go to the newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.equipment. Also, see if you can find a newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, or something like that. Those NGs have a lot of guys who build equipment. Post a message on those groups and give them the name and manufacturer of the kit you propose; ask if anyone has built that kit or has experience with that manufacturer.

Check through back issues of QST magazine for their product reviews. Occasionally they review a kit.

You could write the manufacturer, tell them that this is your first venture into kit building and you would like to see a copy of their instructions. That will tell you a lot about them.

I have built kits by Heathkit, Ramsey, VHF Engineering (now out of business), Oak Hills Research, and S$S Engineering. Heath was far and away the best -- top-quality parts, excellent instructions. S&S Engineering is top notch, also. They make only HF CW rigs; the parts are MILSPEC, instructions are detailed enough, and equipment is solid. Ramsey is average -- I wonder about the quality of some of their parts. Oak Hills Research was the company of Doug DeMaw, now SK, W1FB; had a line of fine QRP rigs. VHF Engineering had a line of top-quality VHF kits, but their instructions were a little light.

Building you own is gratifying like nothing else you have ever done.

Good luck and let me know how it works out.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Joseph Merfalen wrote in message <3726996A.623B9C74@engr.csulb.edu>...
>I was reading an old Ham book and it mentioned a great number of times
>that building your own radio was a common thing in the past. It also
>yielded a few benifits. The satisfaction of knowing that you built your
>own radio and plus the savings. I thought that since I was new to HAM
>radio what better way to really learn a lot. So I surfed the internet
>and I found a great site for a place that sells these types of kits. Has
>anyone here ever built there own radio fromthis type of kit? If so do
>you think this is a good idea? Is it really worth it?
>The kit does not really cost a whole lot. I am very interested in one
>particular kit they sell for a 220MHZ Transceiver. The totall cost would
>be approx. $200. If youd like more details I can get those to you as
>well:
>
>you can reply here or e-mail me at jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu
>
>Any input will be appreciated.......73's
>
>joseph
>

2277. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom McDermott <mcdermot@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com>
Message-ID: <3727022C.55A8A84B@NOSPAM.aud.alcatel.com>
Source record: 144516
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well, sorry that the fonts messed up the drawing. It's
pretty easy to tune the series section. Use 'T' connectors
for connecitng the stubs, the input line, the output line,
and the series 1/4 wve section.

Build the 1/4 wave series section by soldering a connector on
one end only, then temporarily configure it as a stub in a simple
test setup. Then tune it for a notch on the desired frequency
by snipping off little bits of the non-connectorized end. Snip off
just a little bit more to compensate for the connector that you will
then be putting on the open end. Install the connector, and you
now have the series line section.

-- Tom, N5EG

Monty Northrup wrote:

> Well if you have to tune the stubs, would it also follow that you
> would have to tune the section between the stubs? If so, how would
> you do that?
>
> 73,
> monty N5FC

2278. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <0qDV2.18$I3.1929@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144517

Joe:

Disregard the nonsense in this thread slamming the way you got your license, your Radio Shack rig, and the rest of the naysayers. Most of those folks are sad old dingbats who have no life beyond degrading others. Sorry to say that amateur radio has its share of assholes -- and I sometimes feel that, if assholes could fly, this newsgroup would be an airport.

Here are some tips.

1. Check out the ARRL (American Radio Relay League) web site.
http://www.arrl.com
Contact them for the names of ham clubs in your area and contact some folks at a local club.

2. Go to this URL: http://www.qrz.com This company maintains an updated list of call signs, names, and addresses. On their page, you can search for hams by call, name, or location. Search for hams in San Diego; look at the list or search results, find someone who lives close to you, and telephone him/her and ask for some help. More than likely, you will find a helpful ham.

3. Listen then talk. On 2 meters (144 - 148 mhz), most repeaters freqs are offset by 600khz. That is, you transmit on 146.34 mhz, the repeater receives on 146.34, then retransmits your signal on 146.94 (600 khz up). If you listen on 146.94, the radio should automatically set itself to transmit on 146.34. So, listen on the common repeater output freqs: 146.61, 146.64, 146.67, and so on up to 146.97. Listen to operating procedures, courtesy, etc. Then, get up the nerve to press the push to talk button. Announce your call sign and stand by. Someone will come back to you -- tell them that you are new, this is your first contact, and take it from there.

When you get a ration of crap from someone about your no-code license, your new-guy status, or any other irrelevant foolishness, kindly thank him for his help, and leave. Most hams are nice people, it's just that the big pieces float to the top.

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Regards,
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Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Joseph Merfalen wrote in message <37226D7F.3D7B1B9C@engr.csulb.edu>...
>Hello Fellow ham's. I just recently bought a new hand held and since I

>am a new HAM I was wondering if anyone out there would be willing to
>help me out? I am in the southern California area and I need a really
>quick lesson in using repeaters. I understand that input and output are
>located on 2 different freqs? If you are in the same area would you be
>willing to e-mail me with steps for locating and using an open repeater?
>Or if you live some where else i would also appreciate a general step by
>step process for accessing and transmitting on a repeater. I just
>recently received my license and I have not transmitted once yet. I need
>a little help here. I would appreciate anything. Thank you and 73's to
>all...
>you can e-mail me at jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu
>joseph merfalen KF6VVQ
>

2279. Re: UHF 450-520 Radios.... (Help)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barbara Cunningham <cbe@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <372703B1.92DDA80B@mediaone.net>
Source record: 144518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Marc. There are a lot of different types . Johnson,Uniden, Yeasu, Vertex, Kenwood, Relm, Standard,TEKK, Maxon, Icom, We sell all types give us a call maybe we can help you. Also there is
Ritron, Jobcom. Ed. or call us 1-603-432-9214

"Marc B. Schauber" wrote:

> I am interested in knowing what radios (2-way mobile/portable) there are
> out there besided Motorola for UHF 450-520.
>
> Also, if anyone has these units for sale please send me the details..
>
> Thank you
> Marc

2280. Re: Help making an AM radio the 'old fashioned' way!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <uwDV2.18$D3.2105@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144519

Check out these URLs:

http://www.midnightscience.com/catalog5.html

http://www.cool.mb.ca/~gnome/radio.html

http://home.earthlink.net/~drduggee/xtal.htm

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2281. Re: Help making an AM radio the 'old fashioned' way!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <mzDV2.19$D3.2162@news3.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144520

Here is another URL you may find interesting:

http://www.datasync.com/~ignatz/electro.htm

Go to AltaVista or Yahoo and search for "crystal radio"

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
BB wrote in message <37264ee1.8386072@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...
>Can anyone helpe make an AM receiver the 'old-fashioned' way using a
>toilet paper tube, copper wire, a 9V battery, and a crystal?? Please
>email me or post an URL. My nephews and their summer nights thank you.
>bb
>huntingtonbears@worldnet.att.net

2282. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3727132C.7527@ibm.net>
Source record: 144521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Hamish Moffatt wrote:
> That's an interesting question; should we consider a no-code license
> to be a valid end-point for those who aren't interested in the extra
> priviledges, or only a stepping stone to a "full call"?

It doesn't matter what "we" consider it to be or not to be. The
authorities consider it a valid end-point. If they didn't, they
would have made it non-renewable like the 50s novice license in
the US.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2283. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37271CCF.680D@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144522

Mark A. Fuller wrote:
>
> On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 02:08:15 GMT, Radio-Rambo
> <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com> (in <7g5qid$e9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>) wrote:
>
> >In article <372628ae.4030275@news.primenet.com>,
> > mfuller@primenet.com wrote:
> >>
> >> Besides Andy Cogswell's (KF4KHC) site
> >>
> >> http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555
> >>
> >> another ham "freebander" site has been brought to my attention:
> >>
> >> http://www.angelfire.com/ky/bradh/radio.html
> >>
> >> This is KQ4RG and claims "Freeband Operations -- Too many callisigns
> >> to list!" Has link to FCC and various so-called "Freeband" sites.
> >>
> >> Mark
> >>
> >
> >EXCELLANT FREEBAND SITES!!! LONG LIVE 27.555!!!!
>
> Based on FCC enforcement against a 3-4 hams (not CBers) I'm
> increasingly believing 27.555 will live long -- right along with the
> wide variety of non-type accepted radios and linears available from
> just about every CB radio retailer on the web.
>
> Mark
>
> Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
> http://www.2ndlawlib.org/
I say give the people what they want and make the CBer another form of
nocode tech and leagalize that part of the spectrum. I think that fact
that it isn't leagal is the fact that government wants to have a
powerplay on the people.
for the people and by the people not
foe the government by the government
for more on how we could make this work check out
http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2284. Re: Speroni's Morse Academy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <37271CC5.3F54BC7E@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 144523

The Captain wrote:
>
> This program is somewhat antiquated [like CW ;)] for W95/98. First,
> it's a DOS program. Second, you have to download 35 pages of
> handbook in PDF format, so if you don't have Acrobat Reader, your
> out of luck. Plus, MA made my computer hang up.
> Anyway, my 2 cents.
> -----
> Much better programs are Tony Lacy's Numorse and NuTest, and AA9PW
> website. These programs work well with Windows, very intuitive,
> easy to use and you don't have to go go through a lot of DOS
> commands and troubleshooting before you can use these programs.
> Tony and Simon did excellent work in designing their programs;
> the writers for Morse Academy & GTEE Morse Tutor Gold could take
> lessons from them (and Gordo).

You are absolutly correct, that it is written for DOS and is a little antiquated, however, I have found that 80% of the programs written for Amateur Radio, are written for DOS. You really don't have to use the PDF format handbook. There is a full text version available and all the help you need is built into the program.

You are also correct, that it can hang computers. They tell you this up front that some hardware/software configurations may give you trouble. Trying to get around these may cause you a lot of grief. But, there is a very simple way around all of this. Morse Academy fits very nicely on a 1.4 MBytes floppy. If you create a bootable floppy, which can be done from any operating system, W95/98, Windows, or DOS, and then install it there, everything works great. You can add a auto execute startup file so that all you need to do is insert your floppy and boot the computer. Morse Academy will start automatically and not have any problem with the hardware/software configuration of the computer. A minimum of DOS commands and troubleshooting. The floppy is then usable on any computer, because, like it or not, they all still run DOS.

I can't say much about the learning portion of Morse Academy, because I didn't need it and didn't use it, but I particularly like the automatic test generation and playback for the different test classes. Easy to use and fairly intuitive, at least for me.

Everyone is going to find one that they like better than others. I tried about 10 others before I settled on Morse Academy.

Well, just my $0.02

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2285. Re: Help making an AM radio the 'old fashioned' way!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37272799.5DAC4442@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144574

Ouch, cheapest set is $150. I don't think that's what the original poster wants. Nice units though.

2286. W.T.B. 2 meter ssb rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jack <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <zDFV2.828$Sc5.3248@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 144575
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Looking for an inexpensive 2 meter ssb rig.
in good working and looking shape.
thanks jack n9iif

2287. Re: Building your own transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372728DB.7CAAFB45@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144576

Joe S., don't forget TenTec. BTW, Joe M. is a tech so QRP rigs for the HF bands won't help him get on the air, yet.

2288. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: m4bz@garlic.SPAMNO.com
Message-ID: <37272e32.5658915@news.garlic.com>
Source record: 144577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

If I might add one more...

-- It's fun!

Mark, KC9C

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 22:11:06 -0700, Gord Skiffington
<skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:

>Howdy Dan....In all the hoopola about whether anyone should or can't use
>morse anymore.....a few points never seem to be brought out...or are
>only mentioned briefly.
>

2289. Collins VHF-251 wiring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: wojb@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g7eb0$df5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144578

Can anyone help with the wiring for a Collins VHF-251 air-band radio please?

The radio is at least 10 years old and I cannot find any documentation.

It has a 25-pin male plug on the back (looks just like a computer serial plug)
and I would like to know how to connect it up.

Thanks very much,
Bill.

wbrown@nospam.ucar.edu
(please remove the nospam to reply)

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2290. Alinco HF rig to repel codeless HAMS next ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g7i18har1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Does it work on close-talking hams at flea markets ?

The perfect H-T for Field Day? Just when you thought modern
H-Ts had included just about every feature conceivable, along comes
Alinco with its new DJ-195T that includes--get this--an experimental
"mosquito repel" feature. Alinco USA Branch Manager Katsumi Nakata,
KE6RD, says the unit emits an electronic tone to keep the annoying
insects away from the vicinity of the radio. "It's a feature we added just
for fun," Nakata said. "The mosquito repel feature could make the
DJ-195T the first radio capable of de-bugging a Field Day operating
position," he added with a smile. (Hmmm. Was that announcement dated
April 1?) Other unusual DJ-195T features include a theft alarm that can be
set to sound when the unit is removed from an external power source,
such as in a vehicle. Alinco Sales Manager Doug Wynn, KB6YZD, said
the new features reflect input gathered directly from hams. The company
also has just announced its new DJ-V5T dualband compact, 5-W H-T.

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2291. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37273C51.485EF3FB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Arnie Macy wrote:

> Cecil,
>
> The weapon in question was a Tec-9, which is a 9mm semi-automatic pistol
> made to look like a sub machine gun. (Dan is not a trained investigator, so
> an honest mistake maybe)This by-the-way is one of the all time favorites of
> the street gangs. I've noticed this a lot in the media (Dan Rather
> included), a pattern of calling semi-automatic pistols and rifles automatic
> because they have the "look" of automatic weapons. It is also common to
> call anything akin to a rifle an "assault weapon".
>

Look at any news story you read or see that has anything to do with a subject that you are knowledgeable on and you will quickly see how erroneous the reporters are on details. At times this is done on purpose to promote any personal goal of the reporter but in general it is because the reporter really does not have a clue about what they are reporting and are much more concerned about having a story that sounds good and gets a lot of sensational response than is accurate.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

2292. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <372b30d1.151478814@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144581
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 18:22:24 GMT, mzenier@netcom.com (Mark Zenier) wrote:
>4. What is the resolution of a regular 19" colour
>>TV vs a CGA monitor with composite input or a VGA monitor with an adapter?
>
>NTSC is a compression scheme. Frankly, it sucks. You can't get more than
>100 to 200 discrete color changes in any one scan line. S-Video would be
>higher, but not that much.

Actually, NTSC is *not* a compression scheme. Resolution is limited by the bandwidth allocated for the signal, and by the scan rates chosen. Typically, horizontal resolution is about 225 lines, but because it is interlaced, the effective resolution is actually about 450 lines. Vertically the resolution is limited by the scan rate to 262.5 lines per field, doubled to 525 lines by interlace. (Because of the way the lines of a test chart fall on the interlace, the vertical resolution is actually only 262 lines, IE to resolve a line requires a transition, and that requires two vertical scan lines to reproduce.)

If this doesn't quite make sense, picture a test chart with vertical and horizontal lines drawn on it. The vertical lines are resolved by the horizontal bandwidth of the TV, and the horizontal lines are resolution limited by the number of scan lines in a field. So NTSC should yield a resolution of about 450x262. It usually doesn't quite do that well horizontally because most receivers aren't adjusted to recover the full transmission bandwidth. 320x200 is closer to what you see on the typical home receiver with an off the air picture.

But that's not nearly as bad as it may sound to computer types used to talking in terms of pixels. NTSC is analog, a transition can occur *anywhere* on the screen. Transitions aren't limited to discrete locations as they are in computer displays. This yields an *apparent* resolution which is much better than can be achieved with a CGA computer display. For example, there are no jaggies on slanted lines with NTSC, but there are with computer generated graphics. This analog nature also shows up benefically for objects in motion. The movements are all smooth.

Hue is also analog, and can vary in infinitesimal steps. You aren't limited to a preset number of colors as you are with a computer display. This turns out to be very important because the human visual system is more sensitive to differences in hue than it is to differences in spatial resolution. That's why TV pictures look lifelike while higher resolution computer displays still look like a cartoon. The *apparent* resolution of NTSC is a close match for 16mm film (that was chosen deliberately when the standard was formulated).

Of course, from the way the poster you're answering spells color as colour, we can assume he's in a PAL country. The bandwidths and scan rates are slightly different for PAL than for NTSC, with the advantage going to PAL. So he should see somewhat better resolution than we would.

To approach the apparent resolution of NTSC requires a computer display running 800x600 with 16 million colors. It will still have visible artifacts that will identify it as pixelated compared to an analog TV signal with moving pictures, but it will be close to the same visually if you sit back from it the standard 9 feet used for TV viewing.

Now HDTV *is* compressed for transmission. That's a different kettle of fish entirely. Channel bandwidth would have to be over 100 MHz to transmit HDTV without compression. HDTV uses MPEG 2 compression to reduce the bandwidth to fit in a 6 MHz RF channel. MPEG 2 is a lossy compression, so there are artifacts, and the HDTV picture is wider than NTSC, so it *needs* more horizontal resolution to equal the apparent sharpness of NTSC.

The end result is that HDTV at 1080i has about twice the apparent resolution of NTSC. It looks really good, about equal to 35mm movie film (again that was a deliberate choice). But because it is digitized, and because of the lossy nature of the compression, there are some artifacts. You'll notice some strobing on areas of solid color. Jay Leno's desk is a good example. In the two shot with the guest, you can see a bit of strobing of the desk. Still, the amount of detail you can see is really breathtaking. The closeups during Jewel's number Monday night had you believing she was in the room with you. (The 5 channel surround sound doesn't hurt the realism either.) When Jay goes into the audience, you feel like you are there in the audience too. There's none of the fuzziness and loss of depth of field that you get with NTSC. (The latter is partially due to the way the show is lit, of course, but it is mostly due to the inherently higher resolution of 1080i.)

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2293. LIMARC: "a chance to show hams as 'normal' people."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g7ins$i1p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Ortiz says the trek to Manhattan and the Letterman show will provide "a social
>occasion for our members and a chance to show hams as 'normal' people." But
>just to make sure on the second count, she gave strict instructions to those
>attending: "No weird beanies with propellers or antennas mounted on hardhats,
>please!" The plan does call for everyone to wear LIMARC name
>badges.

Another SERIOUS ham. It is a comedy show, lady. Besides, how normal are the
badges ? How many marching band members have worn name badges on Letterman ?
The last time Gillian Anderson was on, did she wear a badge ?

>Ortiz says the "Late Show" producers found LIMARC through its Web site,
>http://www.limarc.org, and thought they would make a "fun-filled" addition to
>their audience.

Err, they said "fat-filled addition to the audience."

>"It is sure to be a show the Letterman producers and LIMARC members will never
>forget!" she said. "Stay tuned!

A veritable ratings bonanza I'm sure.

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2294. Re: Collins VHF-251 wiring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary Hoff <gary@livingston.com>
Message-ID: <37274392.807B1FAF@livingston.com>
Source record: 144583

You might try S-Tec Corporation. They now own the old Collins
Aircraft line (called their TEC-LINE). They still sell a VHF-251A
radio which more than likely has the same pin-out as the VHF-251.
http://www.s-tec.com

Phone 940-325-9406

Municipal Airport, Mineral Wells, Texas 76067-9236

wojb@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Can anyone help with the wiring for a Collins VHF-251 air-band radio please?
>
> The radio is at least 10 years old and I cannot find any documentation.
>
> It has a 25-pin male plug on the back (looks just like a computer serial plug)
> and I would like to know how to connect it up.
>
> Thanks very much,
> Bill.
>
> wbrown@nospam.ucar.edu
> (please remove the nospam to reply)
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Gary N. Hoff - k7ney

2295. Kenwood TS-140...Wierd problem on 20 Meters (Only)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam
Message-ID: <37274aa7.0@flint.sentex.net>
Source record: 144584
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I have a Kenwood TS-140 HF rig that has a wierd problem.
When I got the rig, TX audio was garbled on all bands.
I found and repaired the bias circuit for the finals.

Now when I try and transmit on 20 meters, the power is
fine for the first 2 or 3 sylables, then drops off to
about 10 to 15 watts. As I was trying to fine the problem,
I noticed that if I remove the PA section from the main
rig far enough that the chassis don't touch, the problem
goes away and TX on all bands is fine?

Does anyone have a clue what could be happening?

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

2296. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925322019.829.26@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144585

Joe,

There are options other than the West books and preparation courses. As you might already have noticed, the tests are setup so almost anyone can pass them with a minimum of effort. The ARRL prints many titles, quite a few aimed at the new ham upgrading his license. I am preparing for the general, so I bought their study guide. I found that the same information can be found in many other places, but it is very helpful having it all in one place, in the amount needed to pass the test. I highly recommend their license study guides. The ARRL Handbook contains the same material in deeper depth, but it's not as appropriate for focused study.

The Morse code elements, I think, are best studied on your own using software, at a pace you set for yourself. A local club here offers a free nine week course. I attended the first class, listened to their tapes, and followed the class syllabus while studying on my own. Morse Academy, among others, were all ready to go with ARRL's character progression. It doesn't matter which one "method" you choose; just stay with it to the end. I passed my Tech Plus test two weeks later, but set your pace to allow time for your other studies.

Michael.

2297. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <37294ebc.1137845@news.erols.com>
Source record: 144586

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 22:11:06 -0700, Gord Skiffington
<skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca> wrote:

>Howdy Dan....In all the hoopola about whether anyone should or can't use
>morse anymore.....a few points never seem to be brought out...or are
>only mentioned briefly.
>
> Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied verbatim
>easily (you can come close on voice or often do it if words are
>standardized but its not easy)......

Ask them to use phonetics properly and you'll get the same thing.

> - Is a mode that is indeed digital but which requires the
>most rudimentary interfacing and for which our own "processor" causes
>error correcting and speed compensating depending on the ability of the
>other "terminal" or "line" conditions.

IOW, it's intended to be human readable directly. Yes, that's an
interesting feature.

> - Is a mode which transcends language and dialect barriers
>when suitable signals are used...such as the international "Q"
>signals...and others. Hard to get most computer systems to do that yet
>and our ability to merely speak one language (english for example) with
>a wide variation of accents is hard enough sometimes.

That's not part of the code. Those are Q signals. You can use them
on RTTY, packet, and any other digital mode of communication you like.
What's the point?

> - Is a mode whose "standardization" is unheard of in
>communications, where for at least a hundred years was not obsolete for
>the purpose of basic communications (stuff that's GOOD for critical
>use...such as lifesaving...and cheap commerce).

Ummmm, No, it's not nearly as standard as you make it appear. Ever
heard of Continental Morse? How about all those other alphabets in
"morse"? How about punctuation?

> - Is a mode which, when the equipment is tired....just
>needs a good dinner and a cup o coffee to revive it.....stuff we have
>around anyway !

Many other digital modes don't get Tired. They can even copy when
you're not there...

> - When send using CW transmission (the 2 are NOT the same!)
>is extremely effective, using suitable narrow filters at both ends, for
>solid communications under the worst circuit noise and conditions. It
>might not be the very best...but when you consider the rudimentary
>equipment needed it becomes mighty attractive.

Rudimentary equipment? What about the "suitable narrow filters"?

> - Is a mode which, because it only requires very basic
>equipment, lends itself well to "field repairability".....a handy thing
>if you've ever sat in a remote spot and listened to digital signals that
>couldn't connect to you...telling yourself...."if they'd only just turn
>'em on and off...I could get the message! After all...what is
>slower....a slow sent message or one that never arrives????

Little if anything in today's appliance world is "field repairable."
The point of this statement is lost on me. Considering that an entire
SSB modulator can take place inside a DSP chip these days, and
considering how simple it has all become, one can reason that anything
home built is "field repairable." Morse has nothing to do with it.

>There's likely lots of other good and bad reasons why anyone should keep
>morse alive. Yep its old.....but well made and the fact that it hasn't
>undergone a million transformations tells us all that it works well. It
>is slow, but when mere text will suffice, is an adequate method of
>communication in conjuction with simple equipment. It does require
>skill to use...but everything we do also does (Tell me that a windows NT
>system hung up on a satellite link doesn't require skill to figure out
>what happened!). There is also a thing about operating morse that only
>morse operators may truely feel...but its a kindred spirit that
>transcends whether you were a mere ham or a skilled commercial operator,
>a struggling boy scout trying it or a pilot who was able to make himself
>understood when his mic stopped working. To that last end I can only

I'm a pilot too. When my aircraft has an electrical failure, I reach
for a battery powered hand held radio. Radio failures aren't as
common as they were in the days of king Tube. The solution used by
most pilots is to carry a battery powered back-up radio. Good luck
finding an air traffic controller who recognizes that someone is
sending morse code.

>offer that to those who WON'T use it...it will always be a thing
>despised....to those who do or have, a thing revered.

Yes, it's old. Yes I like to use it. No, I don't think it should be
kept around as an entrance requirement to this hobby. Get real.

Morse code is like horseback riding. It's nice to see folks still do
it. One can even argue that there are situations where that's the
best way to get around. However, those situations are very much in
the minority these days and getting more so every day. Do we really
need to prove that we can ride horses just to get a driver's license?

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

2298. Re: unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.1191239f2cffa779989685@news.vais.net>
Source record: 144587
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <d046f2a4.245771ea@aol.com>, Alurk50@aol.COM mumbled...
--> unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com

Please delete me from your unsubscribe list.
TIA

2299. Re: ARRL/Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: heknowsall@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7g7offnrj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

ARRL and Yaesu do not utilize the same legal firm.

Chris Imlay has represented both ARRL and Kenwood.
It would appear that some regrettable misinformation
in this regard has recently been distributed.

YAESU U.S.A.
C. H. Margelli

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2300. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <372d5793.3400703@news.erols.com>
Source record: 144589

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 17:06:59 -0700, "Timothy Hynde"
<ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>Jake Brodsky wrote in message <372df623.4052976@news.erols.com>...
>
>>Because it just ain't that critical. Most folks have a very mistaken
>>idea of just what an air traffic controller does. If a radio system
>>appears to be trashed, the pilots will revert to a Lost Communications
>>mode of operation and take care of themselves. In fact, this is one of
>>the more substantial issues you learn in an Instrument Rating Ground
>>School.
>
>Well it's an interesting point, I'd certainly keep heading for the landing
>strip if the last thing I heard was the outer marker and my radio failed,
>however were deviating just a bit, the original post wasn't if you lost
>radio communications but rather that someone had given instructions to
>"Divert Divert Divert" of course I'd question a command like that to begin
>with but someone who had an understanding of the real lingo could
>potentially cause harm.

The read-back will save you every time. I figure that if you
read-back and you hear two controllers, you'll know something's up.

>>Air traffic controllers make flying easier, faster, and safer for
>>everyone involved. I liken their operations to that of a police
>>officer directing traffic. You can manage without them, but it's much
>>safer when they're around.
>
>I think they are a bit more than a police officer directing traffic, it
>would be next to suicide to fly into O'hare under IFR condx without a
>controller, your chances of seeing rivots outside the window would go way up
>me thinks. Although my favorite strips are usually green with either corn or
>cows near the run up area :)

I fly out of a grass airfield too. And I also fly in and under the
Baltimore-Washington Class B airspace. I agree, interference on a
frequency would rattle a few, but on the whole, any decent pilot would
know what to do. If worse comes to worst, one can always talk
air-to-air with other aircraft.

>>Don't forget one of the best advantages of a stone simple VHF radio:
>>It's reliable. The fancier things get in the cockpit, the more there
>>is to break. How bad is this threat versus the possible loss of sync
>>in a spread spectrum radio? !"
>

>I agree that the odds are in your favor with simple radios, however the
>number of easily modified all mode radios is on the rise, thus the potential
>for some idiot to get his hands on one goes up.

Yeah, sadly that's true. But in the old days it was pretty easy too,
what with military surplus radios and the like. The difference is
that today's sociopaths are more technically capable. I don't know
why this is, but it sure seems that way.

>Good flying,

You too!

Jake Brodsky, mailto:frussle@erols.com
PP ASEL IA, Cessna Cardinal N30946, Based @ MD24
Amateur Radio Station AB3A

2301. UHF/Microwave books for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mellob@alumni.rpi.edu
Message-ID: <7g7mi6$1d6q@alumni.rpi.edu>
Source record: 144590

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=96254981

2302. Re: New scanner regulations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <3727601D.E6BCF5DB@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 144591

I care about more laws in general, mostly the half bake one. It , at one time , fair game to listen as long as you kept the information to yourself. now everyone wants their own piece of the air waves secure from prying ears. Sounds like big brother will protect me.
Mike AA7QA in phoenix.

Hugh wrote:

> Barry from Australia scribed:
>
> > I am discusted at the US governments
> > plans to regulate radio scanners further.
>
> Barry --- we in the USA don't give a rip how you feel about
> what the FCC does. Mind your own damned business.

2303. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <372761DC.12D21180@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 144592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Friend of mine's son is a radio op in the coast guard. He was taught code, and can do about 15 wpm.
AA7QA

The Conqueror wrote:

> I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
> if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
> think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
> in ham radio either. And if you want to say it is for security, you are not
> allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.
>
> -Dan K3DRQ
>
> k3drq@qsl.net

2304. Re: Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g7sfhrfi1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7g7offnrj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
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>
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> in this regard has recently been distributed.
>
> YAESU U.S.A.
> C. H. Margelli

My second hand info stands corrected, although who really cares ? So from your words it's regrettable that Kenwood and ARRL use Imlay, but you were so unphased by the notion that Yaesu and ARRL did, that you rushed a retort out ?

Another perfect contester who thinks he runs the spectrum and the internet.

While you're at it, why don't you address the quality control problems there and never mind quality control and spin of USENET posts ?

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2305. Re: Yaesu rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g7t8qsbo1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144594
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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heknowsall@hotmail.com wrote:
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I have owned Yaesu rigs in the 70's and 80's. Yaesu DOES have some innovative designs- the 847 concept is long overdue. They just need more work on quality control these days.

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2306. - FS: 23 Ch. CB Base -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gas-Mart <wayne@psln.com>
Message-ID: <372770BB.16DA@psln.com>
Source record: 144595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> SBE Trinidad 23 Chanel Base Unit.
>
> 5 Watt
>
> Built in SWR
>
> ANL on/off swich
>
> SWR SENS
>
> Delt Tune
>
> AC/DC
>
> Mic included.
>
> Asking $25.00, you pay shipping. Will accept MC, Visa, Discover,
> cashiers' check, or money order.
>
> Contact: Wayne
> Lowry Oil Company
> P.O. Box 268
> Greenville, CA 95947
>
> (530) 284-7016
>
> http://www.psln.com/wayne/hp3.htm

2307. Re: New scanner regulations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Magne J�rgensen <ma-joerg@online.no>
Message-ID: <8vKV2.607$dO6.3831@news1.online.no>
Source record: 144596

Hugh!!

Dont talk like this! Not acxepted!

Hugh skrev i meldingen <372475F1.4107@juno.com>...
>Barry from Australia scribed:
>
>> I am discusted at the US governments
>> plans to regulate radio scanners further.
>
>Barry --- we in the USA don't give a rip how you feel about
>what the FCC does. Mind your own damned business.

2308. Radio Communications Surplus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: normfczi@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g7visuho1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144597

Visit our Website http://www.spantek.on.ca for good Used Surplus Equipment by Motorola, GE, Uniden, Marconi, etc. Check out the ON-LINE INVENTORY Section...Updated twice a week! Email your requests, We have a Warehouse of Stuff, Only HE/SHE knows what is there. I have lots of Motorola & GE Experience, and have been an Amateur Radio Operator and builder for more years than I care to remember. Can I help you solve your problem?

Norm F <normf@bigwave.ca>

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2309. Alinco DJ-C4?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: TXer <senorpurpl@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g7uft$81s$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Are there any modifications for this radio?

Thanks!

2310. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <37277b3a.1186148@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 21:42:42 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> wrote:

>Bob,
>
>They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47
>wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol with approximately 100 rounds
>stored in additional pre-loaded magazines. (10 rounds divided into a
>hundred means about 10 extra magazines) They also had numerous homemade
>pipe bombs. Sounds like a lot, but we have to divide the weaponry by at
>least two persons. A typical drive-by shooting involves (less the bombs)
>more firepower than this.
>
>Now, no argument here that these weapons were *more* than enough to cause
>*more* than enough heartache and destruction and I'm definitely not
>defending these two [enter your own descriptive adjective here], But I've
>seen it reported in a few other places (media) that they were heavily armed
>with automatic weapons. (just not accurate).
>

most people have no idea what an automatic weapon really is.most do
not know that you can legally purchase a full auto gun if you pay the
$200 federal fee. Clinton's crime bill did not do anything to stop
this crime either. It just meant that they [the shooters] had to carry
more 10 round magazines than if they had 14-18 round magazines. 10
magazines is just 5 apiece, not much really. In reality they were
lightly armed and it was the police and SWAT teams who were the
cowards and the main reason so many died.

2311. Re: Gun "Control"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <37287c69.1489440@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 13:59:57 -0500, Kevin Alfred Strom
<kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:

>To agree, as ILP seems to do, that it is a good thing for the
>government to have a monopoly on effective deadly force, one must be
>assuming that the government is 1) overwhelmingly benevolent, and 2)
>likely to remain so forever.
>
>In my view, neither assumption is warranted by the facts.

That is why GOD gave us the Bill of Rights thru our Founding Fathers,
to protect us from a future evil government. NOT so we could go sport
or game shooting like Clinton tries to make it out to be.

2312. Re: Gun "Control"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <37297cd1.1593284@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>assuming that the government is 1) overwhelmingly benevolent, and 2)
>likely to remain so forever.
>
>In my view, neither assumption is warranted by the facts.

PLUS it looks like Clinton is getting ready to send ALL the troops out of the country to fight in his Balkin War. In which case we will be defenseless in Y2K and need to take care of ourselves. The police in Colorado showed us that if you are in danger of being killed and call 911 it might take 4 hours for the police to get to you ... so you are on your own and better be able and prepared to defend yourself, your family and your property until they get there.

2313. GEM QUAD info help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Victor Tait <victor.tait@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <7g7v8f$3sp$1@nclient5-gui.server.virgin.net>
Source record: 144602

Can u help a friend who needs help to yune a GEM Quad up...he needs wire lenghts etc etc or indeed any information on this antenna.

Thanks de Victor

gi4lkg@qsl.net
or
victor.tait@virgin.net

nnnn

2314. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <WsLV2.11629$aG.1744325@news4.mia>
Source record: 144603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

So true ...

sco@sco-inc.com wrote in message <37277b3a.1186148@news.mindspring.com>...
>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 21:42:42 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> wrote:
>
>>Bob,
>>
>>They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic
AK-47
>>wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol with approximately 100
rounds
>>stored in additional pre-loaded magazines. (10 rounds divided into a
>>hundred means about 10 extra magazines) They also had numerous homemade
>>pipe bombs. Sounds like a lot, but we have to divide the weaponry by at
>>least two persons. A typical drive-by shooting involves (less the bombs)
>>more firepower than this.
>>
>>Now, no argument here that these weapons were *more* than enough to cause
>>*more* than enough heartache and destruction and I'm definitely not
>>defending these two [enter your own descriptive adjective here], But
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>more 10 round magazines than if they had 14-18 round magazines. 10
>magazines is just 5 apiece, not much really. In reality they were
>lightly armed and it was the police and SWAT teams who were the
>cowards and the main reason so many died.

2315. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <372783c3.3062828@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144604

On 27 Apr 1999 23:02:17 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Whiner <whiner@crybaby.com> wrote:
>>Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the
>>first place as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.
>
Typical 'something for nothing' Chicken Band mindset.

2316. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <37277B84.42A3@wt.net>
Source record: 144605

Larry B wrote:
>
> If we , as hams, are supposed to police ourselves, someone has to do the
> dirty job and they are the OOs.

No, not really anymore. The OO's came from years ago when signals were unstable, people drifted out of band, spurious emmisions were quite common, and people commonly used a different receive frequency from the one they transmitted on. In other words, compared to today, out of band and harmonics were quite common. This is not the case today. I know of not a single ham that is not certain the frequency that he transmits. And harmonics are much less common now. So really, a OO doesn't have to much to fill his time with. I guess having OO's can be a good thing, but I'm dubious of the level of expertise needed to be a OO by what I've seen over the last few years. I propose really, ALL hams are OO's in effect if they notice a problem with a station. Why a OO status? It's rather silly I think. I think EVERY ham is an OO as far as problems noticed. I know if I hear Joe Ham chirping on 7.050, I don't need a OO ticket to let him know about it. I just do it. Right there on the air, real time. No OO'ing required. MK

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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

2317. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <372778AE.451@wt.net>
Source record: 144606

K5pf wrote:
>
> >>Bill Sohl wrote:
> >>>
> >>> >You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO just
> >>> >last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
> >>> >how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?
>
> We get it okay, Bill. Whenever you get backed into a corner, you throw the
> "inexperience" spear. Frankly, I think you're stretching the point pretty
> thin. Can I throw the "You're usually more on target than this" spear?
>
> K5PF
Don't blame it on Bill. That was me that said that. You have to be
carefull on the threads. That was a post to Noimd or whatever his call
is. And I know for a fact he is fairly inexperienced on HF. But being a
tech plus or whatever he is , thats to be expected. The example I posted
about was no stretch of the imagination. The OO that sent that notice
was close to the ham he sent it to, if I understand correctly. He should
have expected that from a very strong signal. I've never had an OO
report but I know quite a few over the years that have gotten them. 70%
should have never been sent of the ones I know about. Some of these were
downright silly. For a person to be a OO and send notices about, he
should be very carefull, and use proper test gear in cases where it's
needed. Most don't have this gear. I'm not saying all OO's are bad or
are not carefull, but I've seen many that were nothing but a nuisance to
all involved. Those really wanted to play radio police more than
anything. Like the case of the OO sending non-id notices to a pack of
hams using automatic cw id devices. That in itself makes me wonder about
the level of experience needed to be a OO. :/ MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

2318. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37278478.3243606@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If you are being sarcastic...I agree.If you are being serious,you have
absolutely no idea what Amateur Radio is all about and you will NEVER
feel at home talking with 'true Hams'.

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 17:50:45 -0700, "Timothy Hynde"
<ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>

>But where does it end? The no code tech license asks questions about
>telecommand for radio control airplanes, the ionoshpere, how to use a
>voltmeter, signal generator, SWR meter whadda ya gotta learn all that for
>all I wanna do is yak on the 2m repeater with my appliance operator friends?
>Why should we require such knowlege when the applicant has no intention of
>using it?
>
>Tim ka8ddz
>
>

2319. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3727856e.3489833@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144608
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I know of CBers who have spent 2-3 times the money I have invested in
my equipment.They can talk to their neighbors via the TV...I talk
around the world on a piece of wire....:>)

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 18:05:17 -0700, "Timothy Hynde"
<ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>Michael Ruther wrote in message <372472D8.7C76D072@alliedsignal.com>...
>>Cw might be part of it , but the last HF radio I bought was $1,000 .(ouch)
>>Hard for me to justify it. The used stuff is chancy at best at the swap
>mets.
>>I think the cost of gear is killing it.
>>Mike AA7QA. I passed all of the test now what
>
>Mike, don't be afraid to run with gear from a swap, Invest $20 in a dummy
>load and piece of coax. Tell the guy you'll take it if it works then go plug
>it in and test it! I just bought an Alinco DX70T and a 25 amp supply out the
>door from AES for $787, but I can honestly say I had just as much fun
>running an old Heath HW-101 that I paid $75 at Dayton a few years ago and
>put another $30 into it for tubes. Also QRP kits are selling for $50, you
>need not spend a kilo buck to have fun. It is about fun isn't it? :)
>
>Tim ka8ddz
>
>

2320. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <372785fd.3632745@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I have an HTX-100 that was given to me by a friend who wasnt using
it.These are great little rigs.I have worked the world with it...from
Japan to the former Soviet Union...from Iceland to
Australia....hmmm...maybe I need a 'leeneer'....naw!!!!

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 23:42:52 GMT, Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote:

>Timothy Hynde writes:
>
>> Also QRP kits are selling for $50, you
>> need not spend a kilo buck to have fun.
>
>I love my little SW40+ QRP rig and had fun building it. The only HF rigs I
>own are the SW40+ and a HTX-100 and I _do_ have plenty of fun!
>
>73 Jeff W4JEF
>
>
> *--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
> |jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
> | Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
> |200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
> *---*

2321. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37278777.4010429@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144610

PLEASE!!!Dont let my post discourage you.You seem as if you will be a welcome addition to the ranks of 'Amateur Operator'.Also,dont let the lack of classes discourage you.Back in '91' I went from Novice in May to Advanced in December,with a 2 month 'break' (from that damned CW) in between.I did it and am a better op for it.I know Hams who attended classes and had their license 'handed' to them....many are 'stuck' at the Tech + level....Do it on your own.

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 22:09:21 -0700, Joseph Merfalen
<jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu> wrote:

>I hear what you are saying about the Radio Shack books but I really had no other
>option. I will tell you what i mean. A new HAM radio club just started up at my
>school. There was a guest speaker who was there to let everyone know that he
>offers a class to prepare you for the ham radio exams. Well I called him up and
>the classes were on Thursday evenings. The cost of the class was $30 and plus you
>had to buy the book to study. Well that was not unreasonable but this semester is
>coming to a close and that means lots of studying and more due dates to deal
>with. Well the preparation class was going to take something like 6 weeks to
>complete and since things at school are so hectic I figured why not go ahead and
>do the Radio Shack book thing. I had the same thought about the book though. It
>is more memorizing the questions and answers rather than learning. That was my
>whole reason for looking into that class that the gentleman offers. Once I
>figured that it would be best for me to study the book on my own I went ahead and
>studied for about a week and then I took the Technician exam. My whole point is
>that I would have rather taken the preparation class. I know the man who holds
>these classes has been around in the hobby for quite some time. I guess he would
>be considered an Elmer :) Well fellow hams I am happy that a lot of people have
>replied to me. I appreciate your time. I was a bit discouraged when i read Joe's
>post up there. But after I thought about it I said oh well.
>Hey Guys thanks a lot again. 73's to you all......joseph
>

2322. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <372788aa.7070005@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144611
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
www.web-cycat/hart
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O'Hearte Desktop Services
622 Meadowvale drive
Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

2323. Re: Shorted coax stubs-notch filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Leikhim <jleikhim@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <37278CEA.6E1E7528@nettally.com>
Source record: 144612
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am considering an open circuit coaxial notch filter for Mode-J (FO-20/FO-29 satellite) interference rejection. Reason I am considering an open circuit is to permit DC continuity (for preamplifier).I would use RG213 double shielded equivalent cable.

What 1/4 wave multiple would be best to trap third harmonic of 145.950 uplink without degrading loss or match at 2 meters??

--
Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

2324. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37278b15.4937214@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144613

OH MY GOD!!!!You have to look thru THREE PAGES????How does anyone survive such tremendous effort and personal sacrifice????

On Tue, 27 Apr 1999 22:39:11 -0700, The Captain <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote:

>>>Hey Joe, Congrats, I just got my license last month. Went to CSULB when Stephen Horn was president.
>What brand HT did you buy? Each manufacturer's insturctions are
>different for programming their units. I bought the ICOM W32A, nice
>unit, poor instructions compared to Kenwood or Yaesu.
>>>Go to www.artscipub.com/repeaters for the open repeaters in SoCal. There is one on Catalina Island,
>>>There is a group in Orange County called the WA6TWF SuperSystem that holds classes on how to use your radio. 714-680-4499 or wa6twf@juno.com. The class is free and held in Anaheim and WLA. I haven't called to find out how much it costs to join their group but seems worthwhile.
>>>ARRL has a repeater directory, costs $8.
>>>Downey has a radio club, www.DowneyARC.org; POB 207, Downey 90241. It's only a 20 min. drive from LB.
>>>Go to Yahoo, search under hobbies for amateur radio clubs. There might be one close to you.
>
>As for the morons that criticized you. Yeah, the ARRL and Gordo's books
>inform you that the usual offset frequencies are .6 units apart for
>repeaters in the US. The instructions for the HTs aren't always simple
>to understand, especially if you have to flip through 3 pages.

2325. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37278d05.5432593@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144614

Give the people what they want?...NO taxes....0 day work week(which
many CBers already enjoy...AKA UnEmployed).....unlimited credit,and
0% interest.....YOU ARE A FOOL!!!!!

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 10:35:59 -0400, Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:

>Mark A. Fuller wrote:
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>> On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 02:08:15 GMT, Radio-Rambo
>> <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com> (in <7g5qid$e9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>) wrote:
>>
>> >In article <372628ae.4030275@news.primenet.com>,
>> > mfuller@primenet.com wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Besides Andy Cogswell's (KF4KHC) site
>> >>
>> >> http://members.tripod.com/Freeband27555
>> >>
>> >> another ham "freebander" site has been brought to my attention:
>> >>
>> >> http://www.angelfire.com/ky/bradh/radio.html
>> >>
>> >> This is KQ4RG and claims "Freeband Operations -- Too many callisigns
>> >> to list!" Has link to FCC and various so-called "Freeband" sites.
>> >>
>> >> Mark
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>> >
>> >EXCELLANT FREEBAND SITES!!! LONG LIVE 27.555!!!!
>>
>> Based on FCC enforcement against a 3-4 hams (not CBers) I'm
>> increasingly believing 27.555 will live long -- right along with the
>> wide variety of non-type accepted radios and linears available from
>> just about every CB radio retailer on the web.
>>
>> Mark
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>> Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
>> http://www.2ndlawlib.org/
>I say give the people what they want and make the CBer another form of
>nocode tech and leagalize that part of the spectrum. I think that fact
>that it isn't leagal is the fact that government wants to have a
>powerplay on the people.
> for the people and by the people not
> foe the government by the government

>for more on how we could make this work check out
> http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
> 73 from Oris
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> http://www.dirtball.com
>
>97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2326. Re: unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37279093.6343189@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144615
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,rec.radio.amateur.misc

PLEASE LEARN HOW TO DELETE/UN-SUBSCRIBE FROM NEWS GROUPS!!!!!

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 14:55:15 -0400, ljutefisk@yahoo.com (Pidgin
Homing) wrote:

>In article <d046f2a4.245771ea@aol.com>, Alurk50@aol.COM mumbled...
>--> unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com
>
>Please delete me from your unsubscribe list.
>TIA
>

2327. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37278f5f.6034546@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

WHO GIVES A SHIT????I see all this crap I want on the NEWS!!!!

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 10:50:25 -0600, Mark Johnson
<silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

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>about having a story that sounds good and gets a lot of sensational response
>than is accurate.
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2328. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37279286.C7D@sir.com>
Source record: 144617
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Timothy Hynde wrote:
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> >
> > You can get a Technician class license without the code you know. Since
> >1991, you just get no HF with it. I went for my General upgrade tests
> >yesterday, passed the written, failed the code. Oh well, just have to
> practice
> >a little more on the code and soon I'll pass it.

My friend had to take the code test to get his Technician license. A few weeks later, the code requirement was dropped. Boy was he MAD!

Don't make the same mistake, code will be dropped on all classes at that next world conference. Unless you actually WANT to learn code because you will actually USE it, then by all means keep practicing.

2329. Re: LIMARC: "a chance to show hams as 'normal' people."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37279002.6198251@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I hope Daves next show features CBers!!!! After they make them take
baths and brush their TOOTH,they should be good for many
laughs.Especially when asked about their EDUCATION...:>)

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 18:06:56 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

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>>Ortiz says the trek to Manhattan and the Letterman show will provide "a social
>>occasion for our members and a chance to show hams as 'normal' people." But
>>just to make sure on the second count, she gave strict instructions to those
>>attending: "No weird beanies with propellers or antennas mounted on hardhats,
>>please!" The plan does call for everyone to wear LIMARC name
>>badges.
>
>
>Another SERIOUS ham. It is a comedy show, lady. Besides, how normal are the
>badges ? How many marching band members have worn name badges on Letterman ?
>The last time Gillian Anderson was on, did she wear a badge ?
>
>>Ortiz says the "Late Show" producers found LIMARC through its Web site,
>>http://www.limarc.org, and thought they would make a "fun-filled" addition to
>>their audience.
>
>Err, they said "fat-filled addition to the audience."
>
>>"It is sure to be a show the Letterman producers and LIMARC members will never
>>forget!" she said. "Stay tuned!
>
>A veritable ratings bonanza I'm sure.
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2330. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug Smith <nospam@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <lwMV2.16020$95.486927@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 144619
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman wrote in message <372b30d1.151478814@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>Actually, NTSC is *not* a compression scheme. Resolution is limited by the

Dunno, isn't it reasonable to say that NTSC *is* in part a compression scheme? (of course, there's a lot more to it!)

Without any type of compression, the transmission of color of the same resolution as the pre-NTSC B&W TV would require about 15mHz of bandwidth. Both lossless compression (interleaving the color subcarrier components between the sidebands of the B&W signal) and lossy compression (limiting the bandwidth of the color difference signals) are used to fit the whole thing into the pre-color 6mHz channel.

73 Doug

2331. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <%rMV2.6785$Pk.1865845@news1.mia>
Source record: 144620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Wash your mouth out with soap young man ...

Joe wrote in message <37278f5f.6034546@news.mindspring.com>...
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2332. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372799FF.2FBF@sir.com>
Source record: 144621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied verbatim
> easily (you can come close on voice or often do it if words are
> standardized but its not easy)......

It is much easier to copy something from English to English, It is much harder to copy something from a code back to English and thus more chance for error.

> - Is a mode that is indeed digital but which requires the
> most rudimentary interfacing and for which our own "processor" causes
> error correcting and speed compensating depending on the ability of the
> other "terminal" or "line" conditions.

Speech is compatible to 99% of the population's "processor", morse code only to a much smaller percent.

> - Is a mode which transcends language and dialect barriers
> when suitable signals are used...

What?! Neither my English or other foreign language speaking friends can understand morse code. This is a ridiculous statement.

> and our ability to merely speak one language (english for example) with
> a wide variation of accents is hard enough sometimes.

Yes, accents are hard enough, why make it MORE difficult?! If people can't understand a store check-out clerk in some weird accent, how many customers are going to understand him if he emits beeping noises from his mouth?

> - Is a mode whose "standardization" is unheard of in
> communications, where for at least a hundred years was not obsolete for
> the purpose of basic communications (stuff that's GOOD for critical
> use...such as lifesaving...and cheap commerce).

Yeah, that's why Police, Fire and Ambulance don't use it.

> is extremely effective, using suitable narrow filters at both ends, for
> solid communications under the worst circuit noise and conditions.
Completely worthless if the person on the other end doesn't understand code! (which is about 99% of the population)

> - Is a mode which, because it only requires very basic
> equipment, lends itself well to "field repairability"

A washboard is easier to repair than a washing machine too, but not a good reason to mandate people learning to use it before they are allowed to buy a washing machine.

.....a handy thing
> if you've ever sat in a remote spot and listened to digital signals that
> couldn't connect to you...telling yourself...."if they'd only just turn
> 'em on and off...I could get the message! After all...what is
> slower....a slow sent message or one that never arrives????

If no one on the other end understands code, it will never arrive.

Why don't advertisers make all their commercials on radio and TV in morse code so the message could reach more of an audience in bad conditions? Because MORE people would get the message EVEN IN BAD CONDITIONS if it is in voice, than in a secret code that they don't understand.

> There's likely lots of other good and bad reasons why anyone should keep
> morse alive.

There is only ONE. Because it is nostalgic and fun for many people. Don't take the fun away by forcing it on people that don't want to use it.

I bet if morse code was not a requirement (for certain classes of license) more people might take it up. No one wants to learn something that is forced opon them. People choose hobbies because they have an interest in them, not because someone hands them a fishing pole and orders them to fish!

> understood when his mic stopped working.

You people with your mic stopped working BS. Or stranded at the north pole with nothing for miles but a payphone with a broken microphone. Always have to try and make up some unrealistic situation to show how morse code could actually be usefull, and then THAT doesn't even fly!

I don't know of anyone ever going to be in the above situation, but even IF... would the operator on the phone or the police understand the code you are punching in on the touch tone pad, or would they think it is a prank call and hang up? Doesn't really matter, as this situation will never occur to either of us. They don't have payphones in the middle of the north pole. Especially with non-working microphones and working touch tone pads.

To that last end I can only
> offer that to those who WON'T use it...it will always be a thing
> despised....to those who do or have, a thing revered.

Think about what you just said! Think about WHY it would EVER be DESPISED! NO ONE would ever depise it if it wasn't shoved down anyones's throat!

People don't DESPISE model airplane kits. They might if people were
FORCED to build them in order to take up some other hobby!

2333. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37279AC2.3104@sir.com>
Source record: 144622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Mark wrote:
>
> If I might add one more...
>
> -- It's fun!

To YOU and many others it is fun, to others it is boring and slow.

To some people restoring old cars is fun, to others it is boring and slow.

At least car restorer's don't want that hobby to be a requirement in order to enjoy some other hobby.

2334. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <372797a6.8154499@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144623
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Eat shit you old fart!!!If you want to discuss current events,go to an
appropriate list or take it to direct E-mail!!!!THIS is NOT the forum
for discussing Child MURDER!!!

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 23:02:19 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> wrote:

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2335. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3728F3DE.3D0F@sir.com>
Source record: 144274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?

What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?

Some people want to get into the hobby of radio to talk on the radio. They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license to go ahead and use voice.

Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

2336. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: George <gwagner9@idt.net>
Message-ID: <7galc4$hk2@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 144275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Another receiver that seems to be in this same class is the Rockwell/Collins HF-2050. These are showing up F.S. on this NG, and are priced between the RF-590 and the HF-1000. Does anyone know how this unit compares to the Harris and W-J?
George

Stanley L. Flegler wrote in message <7ga60g$lh2$1@msunews.cl.msu.edu>...
>Ken:
> I would suggest that you at least consider a Harris RF-590, RF-590A, or the military version
>R-2368. The Navy is in the process of converting the entire fleet to the R-2368. Check
>www.mindspring.com/~longwave/msg0997.htm and note the article by John Reed. He traded a Watkins
>Johnson HF-1000 for a Harris RF-590 and an RF-550. He thinks the RF-590 is a better radio. You
>can buy an RF-590 for less that what you see in QST and possibly slightly less than an HF-1000.
>The Racal should be one-half to one-third the cost of the HF-1000 or an RF-590.
>Stan K8RPA
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2337. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728dae7.1176437@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144276
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Just what did I say about what I saw on TV?I made absolutely no
comment upon the content of what is broadcast on TV.....I simply
meant to imply that your posts, in no way,shape or form pertain to
AMATEUR RADIO.Go to a group that is intended for this type
discussion,start a thread about Ham radio and see how long it is
ignored.

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 00:17:07 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> wrote:

>Joe,
>
>What you have seen on television is incorrect. I guess you think that
>cussing at me will stop me, or anyone else for that matter, from expressing
>our views in this or any other forum. Trust me, I've been called much
>worse. BTW, does 42 count as being an *old fart* (:-] I'll let the group
>decide.
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2338. Re: A new ham that needs help from a CBer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728dd40.1776950@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144277

And why are you concerned as to where I post?I dont believe it is any
of your business.

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 20:27:23 -0700, "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org> wrote:

>Yes Joseph don't let someone who makes 4 times as many posts to a CB newsgroup as he
>does to Ham newsgroups discourage your HAM career.
>
>Joe wrote:
>
>> PLEASE!!!Dont let my post discourage you.
>> >
>

2339. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Rudolph M. Marcelletti" <rudym@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <7gaclg$qjs@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I thought the code requirement was for INCENTIVE purposes for a HOBBY that obviously needs to be regulated by the government so it won't turn into a fiasco like the mistake that happened with CB. You don't need to learn CW to be a ham and if all you want to do is rag chew on local 2 meters or other VHF/UHF freqs that's fine. They did away with CW in most military services because there are more effective ways to communicate reliably in war time. War is not a hobby (to most) and the military has a hard enough time teaching people with a 6th grade level education how to fire a million dollor rocket by "pushing the RED button" that they don't have time to spend teaching a HOBBY to 6th graders, most of who did not want the job to begin with! Ham radio is not a "way of life" it is a fun way to enjoy life. A code requirement provides incentive to upgrade. Our society (meaning the United States) over the last 10 years or so have become a bunch of whiners and get really irritated when told "no--you can't have it all right now!" If prospective hams spent as much time focussing on learning the code as they have whining about the requirement--there would be a lot more general class and higher I am sure. I don't like stop signs. Sometimes I like to drive fast. I think gas should be as free as water and I should not have to buy insurance and pay taxes. Learning the code shows you are somewhat dedicated to your hobby and perhaps worthy of increased frequency priviledges thereby allowing you to communicate with others who enjoy the hobby in other parts of the world. You are in effect an ambassador of the US! We could use more good ambassadors, that't for sure. Look at all the lids (former or current CB'ers) who took the time to learn the code then abuse it on 20 and 75. Perhaps the FFC is finally getting around to some long needed enforcement and are taking away the privilege. Just like driving--it is a privledge--not a right. So you don't need to learn much to ride a bike (scanners) but need more to drive a car (vhf/uhf no-code) but you need more road tests for cycle endorsements, big rigs, hazardous materials, flying an airplane, jets etc., pass 5 wpm you get some limited HF. Pass 13, you get to play with big rigs and big amps. Pass 20, you can do it all. I'd like to do it all and fly a jet but don't have the time to learn it all and get my 20 just yet! And I still shy away from the CB-like chatter on the ham bands, but still love to chat on 2 meters and give out my 1010# to all the KC***** call signs I hear on 10 meters. I always try to tune into a CW rag chew just to see how many characters I can copy at 20+wpm from the oldtimers who don't need to write anything down! A friend of mine has over the last year spent close to $50,000.00 on antennas including a 3 element rotatable full size yagi at 180 feet. 12 monoband antennas in all, and ALL are cut for the CW portions of the ham bands. CW is alive. Just because the military did away with it does not mean hams should also. After all, I want a college educated officer to get a VERY clear error free packet transmission before he tells the 6th grader to "push the RED button!" Kwitchyerbitchen and learn the code--or don't drive the big rigs!
Rudy, K8SWD, Advanced Class
Don or Darla Arnold wrote in message <3727AA1D.9F4B2D76@datasync.com>...
ALL the below are VERY CORRECT and TRUE, BUT,
is that ANY reason to use it on a TEST for getting your ticket
keep the subbands..if you want, EXPAND them if you like

IF we use this MODE to test people should we not have a test to see if you can talk correctly for phone, type correctly for packet,
and expand that by building your own computer for digital modes.
THAT'S ALL I AM AGAINST IS FOR A TEST
keepe the mode if it makes you happy but don't use it for TESTING.
NUFF SAID
DON
KB5FHX
NCI-1070
MARS AREA COORDINATOR
ARES RACES OPERATOR
SKYWARN FOUNDER
21 YEARS IN NAVAL COMMUNICATIONS

Gord Skiffington wrote:

Howdy Dan....In all the hoopola about whether anyone should or can't use morse anymore.....a few points never seem to be brought out...or are only mentioned briefly.
Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied verbatim easily (you can come close on voice or often do it if words are standardized but its not easy)......
- Is a mode that is indeed digital but which requires the most rudimentary interfacing and for which our own "processor" causes error correcting and speed compensating depending on the ability of the other "terminal" or "line" conditions.
- Is a mode which transcends language and dialect barriers when suitable signals are used...such as the international "Q" signals...and others. Hard to get most computer systems to do that yet and our ability to merely speak one language (english for example) with a wide variation of accents is hard enough sometimes.
- Is a mode whose "standardization" is unheard of in communications, where for at least a hundred years was not obsolete for the purpose of basic communications (stuff that's GOOD for critical use...such as lifesaving...and cheap commerce).
- Is a mode which, when the equipment is tired....just needs a good dinner and a cup o coffee to revive it.....stuff we have around anyway !
- When send using CW transmission (the 2 are NOT the same!) is extremely effective, using suitable narrow filters at both ends, for solid communications under the worst circuit noise and conditions. It might not be the very best...but when you consider the rudimentary equipment needed it becomes mighty attractive.
- Is a mode which, because it only requires very basic equipment, lends itself well to "field repairability".....a handy thing if you've ever sat in a remote spot and listened to digital signals that couldn't connect to you...telling yourself...."if they'd only just turn 'em on and off...I could get the message! After all...what is slower....a slow sent message or one that never arrives????

There's likely lots of other good and bad reasons why anyone should keep morse alive. Yep its old.....but well made and the fact that it hasn't undergone a million transformations tells us all that it works well. It is slow, but when mere text will suffice, is an adequate method of communication in conjuction with simple equipment. It does require skill to use...but everything we do also does (Tell me that a windows NT system hung up on a satellite link doesn't require skill to figure out what happened!). There is also a thing about operating morse that only morse operators may truely feel...but its a kindred spirit that transcends whether you were a mere ham or a skilled commercial operator, a struggling boy scout trying it or a pilot who was able to make himself understood when his mic stopped working. To that last end I can only offer that to those who WON'T use it...it will always be a thing despised....to those who do or have, a thing revered.

73 - Gord VE1AJF...(and merchant R/O in recent times :)

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http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Valley/6430 Darla and Don's Website
http://hattiesburg.net/columns/darnold.shtml My online column

DARLA (dawn) ICQ# 7341931
Don (weathernut) ICQ# 14664294

Right now we are on the threshold of whatever comes next!!!
MAYBE!!

2340. FS: Yaesu FT-736R w/6M & 1.2GHz ** PRICE REDUCED **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7gak82$op3@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

**** PRICE REDUCED ****
I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $1800 FIRM
(original
discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element 1.2 GHz yagi (commercial)
with
purchase!! ($100 original cost). Have original 736 box and packing for
shipment!!! --- SHIPMENT COST INCLUDED!!!
Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
with serious buyers.

2341. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728df6c.2332991@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144280

Are you joking or just stupid?I dont enjoy paying taxes but if not for taxes,where would the money come from fo public education,road construction etc....JEEZ,what an idiotic statement!!!!

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 08:22:10 -0700, Oscar <oscarrben@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>I see nothing wrong with wanting No Taxes. If by chance that were to
>happen and you felt compelled to continue paying taxes, go for it.
>
>O day work week sounds good too.
>
>Right now I could use unlimited credit with no interest.
>
>Joe, if you are against no taxes, etc. you are truly unamerican.

2342. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard R. Plourde (Dick)" <rplourde@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ganke$f2j$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

CW is like rap... only much faster. ;-)

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73 de Dick, N1SJM
http://home.att.net/~rplourde/
http://www.qsl.net/n1sjm/

DanSullivan wrote in message <3728B3BF.D6FECEAB@ncounty.net>...
:I used to like CW back in the 80's when they were first starting out. They
:put out some good tunes like: "Like a Novice" and "Jammin", but once they
:got into that "VOR in the USA" phase they have gone down a musical suck
:trail and I've since tuned out.
:

2343. Announcing: Know Code International

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ejune@intuitive-data.com
Message-ID: <09990329162624.OUI42.ejune@intuitive-data.com>
Source record: 144282

A few of us on the KnowCode side of the code testing debate have established a new organization called Know Code International (KCI). You can visit our web site at http://www.knowcode.org

The Know Code International goal is to present a reasoned and rational look at the code testing debate that rages in Amateur Radio. We'll begin by taking a critical look at No Code International (NCI) which champions the NoCode cause. By using their own articles and data, we'll show that this organization is not what it appears to be. We'll back up our conclusions with findings from a carefully planned and executed investigative process that is presented in an easy to follow narrative format.

We'll present several other articles which look at issues such as hurdles (barriers to entry), our basis and purpose as a radio service (e.g. advancing the radio art) and other topics. Our articles will rely on common sense and logic. We won't try to confuse you with wild statistical manipulations or "smoke and mirrors". We'll shoot straight, and in exchange we hope that you will give our point of view a fair consideration.

If you find the material on our site to be worthwhile, please sign up as a member and help us to spread the word. We're the other "no" code guys, but we spell our "no" as "know". Our easy to remember URL is http://www.KnowCode.org. Please tell your friends.

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Regards,

Eric June, KU6J
Director of Know Code International
CodedOne@knowcode.org

For a reasoned and rational look at the code test debate, please visit our web site at http://www.knowcode.org
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2344. FS: Motorola Radius M120 & Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3728ecdd.175480395@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144283

For Sale:

* Motorola Radius M120 mobile VHF transciever (40 watt),
crystals for 151.625 and 151.950 itenerant frequencies

* Motorola Spectrum Series base loaded mag mount mobile
antenna, P/N 4010A, 136-174 Mhz, 3db gain, spring loaded

* Motorola power supply and cable (for base operation of mobile
unit) P/N HPN4001B

* Motorola base statio tray (to hold mobile unit in place for base
station use) P/N HLN5292-R

The above equipment was purchased by a non-profit organization
to communicate with hand held units at special events. It was used
three times for a total of aproximately 30 hours. Condition is
excellent, with all manuals and associated documentation. This
equipment cost over $600. Will consider offers in excess of $300.

Thanks,
Stan
(speed-racer@mindspring.com)

2345. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3728EF5B.603F@sir.com>
Source record: 144284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

> CW is like rap...

How true.

2346. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3728D3C8.C56A0642@uswest.net>
Source record: 144285

There are laws.. However, the enforcement capability is only just
starting to catch up to the technology.. give it a little time.

Hawke

Reg Edwards wrote:

> Your report does not allow much confidence to be placed in
> the security of communication links between airport
> controllers and aircraft pilots.
>
> A radio transmitter in irresponsible hands is like a gun.
> There should be laws.
> -----
> Reg.

2347. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3728D35C.E4762BC4@jump.net>
Source record: 144286

Been a few decades since I was that good, but it's like talking. You don't decode into letters and form words, you just hear the words directly. I should get back on and get it back. CW at that level can be very satisfying.
H.
73 de WA5IGW

Allan Kaplan wrote:

> If you do not think Morse code has at least some of the aspects of a
> language, then you are either not proficient, or just nit-picking, or
> both! Almost anybody who has attained real proficiency in Morse (>25
> wpm) is well-acquainted with my claim; anyone who has not cannot be
> expected to believe this! I mean this as a simple statement of my
> experience and that of others I know.
> 73 de W1AEL

2348. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728de0f.1983872@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Apparantly I missed part of this thread.All I am curious about
is...what is TOP BAND refering to?I have been in Amateur Radio for 9
years and have never heard of a TOP BAND.

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 04:07:13 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Why is it even called TOP BAND ? There are much lower bands today that are a
>CHALLENGE, like 136 and 170 kHz. A KW is no CHALLENGE. Guess these toadies
>still say "the wok bands" when they mean 17 meters. Oh, that's right, then
>these old guys would need to spend money on a new rig, this way they're safe
>by declaring what is no longer the top, the top......
>
>
>I was very shocked and sad to hear of the passing of my friend Peter.
>We first worked on 160 about 25 years ago. I had the honor of meeting Peter
>and and his family when he visited me in the late 1970's. Over the years we
>had many enjoyable QSO's on Top Band.
>
> Peter was a very friendly and kind gentleman! He had a true love for
>160 and it's many challenges! Through his good deeds, he did much to promote
>Top Band over the years to the level we enjoy today!
>
> I will miss you Dear Friend, Peter
>
>
><Did you cry, phoney ? God sakes how many times will these dorks post the
>same euology ?? What a friend, you met him in person ONCE 25 years ago. Why
>not more often if you liked him so much ? Need to go meet other "friends" for
>their one time, so you were busy ?>
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>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2349. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3728F9EC.6BAF@sir.com>
Source record: 144288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> > In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
> > want to".

Better yet, "I shouldn't have to take the time to learn something I will never use."

Let's force everyone to learn how to play the harp before they are allowed to drive a car. Those who do not like harp music we will call lazy.

2350. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3728FA7D.3C73@sir.com>
Source record: 144289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe wrote:
>
> If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.

But why waste those 10-15 minutes a day to learn something you will
never use and only forget?

It may take only 10-15 minutes a day to learn how to play the harp, why
don't you do that? Perhaps because you don't WANT to play the harp?
Then I will call you LAZY.

2351. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3728FC7F.48C3@sir.com>
Source record: 144290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> I'm a no-coder myself. But I don't whine like a
> baby because I don't have HF priviledges either. I haven't earned them, so why
> should I deserve them?

How ridiculous. What if it was VHF that required code and not HF? It
has nothing to do with EARNING, but silly laws.

What if we make it a requirement to learn Russian before one can drink
water? Will you not whine then also because you didn't EARN the right
to drink water?

When people don't whine or complain, they get get walked on by the
government. If I beat you, would you whine then? Or would you have to
EARN the right to whine?

2352. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <3729158C.E341D0AC@rconnect.com>
Source record: 144291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Please please please take this off of
rec.radio.amateur.equipment and rec.radio.swap. This
argument has bben going on forever (years!) & will not end
until the fcc changes the rules one way or the other.

Joe wrote:
>
> What a lame analogy.....what if dont mean SHIT in the real
> world!!!!WHAT IF your mama gave your dad a blow job on a particular
> night.....where would you be?
>
> On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 19:05:50 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>
> >What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
> >how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
> >
> >What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
> >other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
> >learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
> >
> >Some people want to get into the hobby of radio to talk on the radio.
> >They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
> >the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
> >to go ahead and use voice.
> >
> >Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

2353. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gavuc$kc9$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

So, tell me. How many subjects or material did you cover in
school that you felt were something you would never use and only forget?
You may consider learning the code a waste of time (yours) BUT, if it
is required to obtain the license you still need it, like it or not.
You may never parallel park a car in your lifetime (in 35 years of driving
I never have), soooo, should it be eliminated from the driving test?

Most of your frivilous analogies fail to hold any water.

Pete

Sir wrote in message <3728FA7D.3C73@sir.com>...
>Joe wrote:
>>
>> If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>
>But why waste those 10-15 minutes a day to learn something you will
>never use and only forget?
>
>It may take only 10-15 minutes a day to learn how to play the harp, why
>don't you do that? Perhaps because you don't WANT to play the harp?
>Then I will call you LAZY.

2354. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7gb07h$l5u$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir wrote in message <3728F9EC.6BAF@sir.com>...
>> > In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
>> > want to".
>
>Better yet, "I shouldn't have to take the time to learn something I will
>never use."

Your right, I shouldn't have had to answer questions about RTTY, Packet, SSTV, VHF, UHF, Voice modes, modulation techniques, questions about 20m, 15m, 10m, questions about EME or any of these things since all I wanted to do was operate my homebrew 40m cw rig on 7040KHz.

Why was I subjected to this unessesary testing, I have no intentions of doing any of those things, It just wasn't fair that I had to answer questions on things I'm never going to use. Sheeesh....

Tim ka8ddz

2355. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gb08e$mp6$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
>Spot wrote:
>
>> > I see no need to know CW. I think all the old coders are just scared
>> > that if they drop the code the will come out with a more diffcult exam
>> > for HF that you guys can't pass.
>>

Yeah right. With an Amateur Extra and FCC First Class Telephone ticket
I am really trembling in my boots over a more difficult exam.....
Damn! If wasn't for that nasty CW code I might have gotten the
RadioTelegraph
license too. Shame on the FCC for screwing me!

Pete
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2356. need info on VALOR Base ANT.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: AD4ZK <d.bigio@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7gb0cb$2ps$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144295

I got a VALOR antenna the other day and cant find any info on it. I think it is 2M/440 Base. From ground plain to tip is 57 inches fiberglass, 3 ground plains are 8 inches, the base is an so239.
Thanks
Dan
E-Mail d.bigio@att.net
http://www.qsl.net/nares

2357. MT-2000 Programming Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc B. Schauber" <waffull@skibuff.com>
Message-ID: <3729087D.5B3713EB@skibuff.com>
Source record: 144296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi, I have two MTS-2000 radios that have slightly different Model #'s..
Therefore I can not clone the radios. I do, however, want to copy all
the information from one radio's codeplug to another.. Does anyone know
any easy way to do this without having to input all 160 modes again?
Thank You in advance for your help!!!

Marc

PLS reply directly to waffull@skibuff.com

2358. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37291234.3385ACA1@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Gene Floyd wrote:
>
> Is this besides the fact that knowledge of CW is required by international treaty for
> access to certain frequencies? Or are you suggesting that the government simply ignore
> the treaties and make it's own rules?

The treaty itself has provisions specifying exactly how certain sections
can be ignored. Japan has taken advantage of those provisions.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2359. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <2259AE1BC9E4FEA0.1AE0C0D9B590792A.CCB6EF8007BEB6F0@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

No, I want to be on HAM but I've already decided not to kiss these people's asses
and I've also decided that I can't wait for these old trailer trash farts who think they
are radio's
gift to the universe to die of old age.

: No one is forcing anyone to join the ranks of amateur radio, or to stay. It's a free
world.

2360. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <6D21526BCE00A63F.83898A70000FB28D.7D02C7E880298C88@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: So, tell me. How many subjects or material did you cover in
: school that you felt were something you would never use and only forget?

All of them to be exact, except for basics.

: You may never parallel park a car in your lifetime (in 35 years of driving
: I never have), soooo, should it be eliminated from the driving test?

Yes :)

2361. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <73FC67EF6120F5F0.B9C0504BD569B12C.FB6EEEF3EE956382@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

These guys just don't get it do they?
Hello!
No Speaka de english?
Do you comprende?Understand!
Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some useless
outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little hobby.
We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to make
the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.

:If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.

2362. Re: Ebay: Motorola GP68 Service/Programming Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barbara Cunningham <cbe@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <37290406.9C9C9172@mediaone.net>
Source record: 144301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

How much are they . Can they be sent directly to us.

VE7FET wrote:

> Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual. Includes schematics,
> exploded views, and programming
> instructions for the GP63, GP68, GP68 Plus, and GP68-8. Original
> Motorola, not a photocopy. Buyer prepays
> with Internationally Negotiable money order. Buyer prepays actual
> shipping charges.
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=96070751

2363. Re: A new ham that needs help from a CBer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <37291155.1C954743@parg.org>
Source record: 144302

Your attitude has betrayed you sir. My curiosity was aroused so I decided to do a little checking to confirm my suspicions. Your comments to Joseph were not in the Amateur spirit and I see others have taken offense as I have. Please seek more suitable pastures to unleash your hostilities in the future. Thank you.

Joe wrote:

> And why are you concerned as to where I post?I dont believe it is any
> of your business.

2364. STANDARD VR-500 ICOM R2 YAESU VX5 YAESU FT100 YAESU VX1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: james coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <7gbb39$av9$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 144303
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/VR-500
Is a list devoted to the new Standard/Yaesu VR-500 Scanner!!
go see it at:
http://www.yaesu.co.jp/news/index2000.htm

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/Ft90
Is a new list devoted to the new Micro micro mobile radio from Yaesu the
FT-90. So far 19 users.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/ft2600
Is a new List devoted to the new Mystery radio from Yaesu the FT-2600.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YAESUVX5
Has over 475 users so far. Come join us if you are interested in the VX5 a
super cool little radio!!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YaesuVX1
Has about 106 users If you have a VX1 this is the place to be!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/icomr2
Is the nerve center of everything that has to do with the ICOM R2.
If you have a R2 Come on and join us we need you !!! This is a great radio
with a great following of over 194 vsers on this mail list!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/FT100
So Far we only have 240 users! Not to bad. If you are even thinking about
one of these units come join us. Join Us and get the MOD!!
we may all learn somthing!!!

2365. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <37292DEF.38814338@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 144304

Great news guys I attend Cal State Univ Long Beach and at school they have a HAM radio club. I am probably the youngest in the club but I attended my first meeting with the group today and I had a great time. First I am around fellow hams that enjoy the same hobby that I enjoy and second I am now in touch with fellas who know a butt load about HAM radio. I am very excited about this. I appreciate all of your comments with advice and help. I am truly thankful to be involved in such a great hobby such as this. Yeah i know there are a few ding dongs out there but there attitudes will betray them. This is proven by a certain individual in this string of posts. But guys and gals it is no big deal.

Viva Amateur Radio.....73' to all and again I would like to thank you all, each and every one of you for your help. I am truly grateful.

sincerely, joseph merfalen

2366. Re: A new ham that needs help from a CBer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joseph Merfalen <jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu>
Message-ID: <37292E15.27C52622@engr.csulb.edu>
Source record: 144305

CB hahahahahahahaa

2367. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill & Lisa McCrory <wmccrory@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <37293474.4371@postoffice.pacbell.net>
Source record: 144306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Amen! I remember the first time I made myself part of the discharge
path of something like a 100 ufd 450 VDC electrolytic in a HV power
supply. Talk about an enlightening experience... My hair smelled funny
for weeks after that.

Bill
WD4HSE

Gene Floyd wrote:
>
> Because many people who take the same exam you take will be using them,and a tube-type
rig is
> probably the easiest way to get yourself fried.

2368. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gbp6o$3kl$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144307
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>It may take only 10-15 minutes a day to learn how to play the harp, why
>don't you do that? Perhaps because you don't WANT to play the harp?
>Then I will call you LAZY.

You don't have to waste 15 minutes a day learning CW either if you
don't want to. Then I call will call you no code tech.

On another note, could you guys take a glance at all unrelated
newsgoups you are posting this crap to and maybe cut it down
to POLICY and MISC ?

73, Jim KH2D

2369. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925364220.753.16@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144374

Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com> wrote in message
news:372df623.4052976@news.erols.com...
> Because it just ain't that critical. Most folks have a very mistaken
> idea of just what an air traffic controller does. If a radio system
> appears to be trashed, the pilots will revert to a Lost Communications
> mode of operation and take care of themselves. In fact, this is one of
> the more substantial issues you learn in an Instrument Rating Ground
> School.

The specific context was a hoaxed emergency divert order, not ineffective communications. Airband transmitters are as common as airplanes at the airport. Anyone could have yelled divert, perhaps even with legitimate reason. The safest course of action was for the pilot to assume there was real emergency.

I agree secure communications would have made this incident more difficult. However, hacking it then would make it all the more meaningful.

Michael.

2370. Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.96.990429014632.10302B-100000@hoflink.com>
Source record: 144375

Over the last few days, I've read the messages entitled
"Code vs. No Code", "Abolish the no-code license", and other similar
sentiments between the various license classes of hams.

Recently, I passed my Technician level exam (This past Sunday).
I studied hard and I earned the privilege.
I intend to observe the responsibilities that a Tech license affords me.

Am I going to work my way toward upgrading? Yes.
Does the thought of decoding morse in my head intimidate me? Yes.
I believe it may prove difficult but, in the end, well worth the effort.

Would I want to see the no-code license abolished?
Of course I wouldn't ... but I also WOULDN'T want the tests simplified
just to make it easier. People tend to appreciate something more if they
have to EARN it.

The Tech lisc. affords me the ability to communicate with other licensed
hams. Additionally, I accepted the responsibility to operate according to
FCC law & accepted Ham Operating practices the second I signed the FCC
610 form.

Someone stated that a no-code lisc. ought to be called a beginner's lic.
That's exactly how I feel ... like a beginner.

I look upon the "Novice" lisc. holders as if they were the "Technicians"
and I were the Novice. They are, after all, more technically advanced than
I am ... and I am the one lacking experience in this field.

As for why I believe the FCC SHOULD keep the standards UP ...
One doesn't have to be lisc. to post on the net or to the usenet groups.
There are too many flame wars on the net and disgraceful cross-posting
to unrelated areas. Unregulated & unliscensed by the FCC, the amateur
radio bands would be a sewer.

Hopefully, I'll see some of you soon on the nets :)
Scott Verity

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2371. Why is it spelled KN...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925366600.523.38@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144376

.... when it's more easily sent as YE? Or DN, when it's really TF?

Michael.

2372. You have been asked to join H.S.C.H.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KE4JCD <ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7g946s$th6$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144377

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The list owner of: "H.S.C.H."
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I'm inviting you to join my new H.S.C.H. list. this is a list to chat
about Crummy Amateurs on both HF, VHF, and UHF. plus our local Crummy
and his friends that he lets jam him and then who knows...

Plus chat about other topics facing us like CODE and more. Mr
Hollingsworth's work and how you feel he's doing now that he and the
FCC is back on the job!

Please Join in,

Bob - KE4JCD
Lakeland, FL.
Webmaster Of the Jammer Information Center Of Amateur Radio
http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html

Just stop by our home page and find the Join mailing list area, and then just
in on our chats about crummy hams on both HF and VHF, UHF. or Visit this list
home page at: http://ke4jcd.listbot.com

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------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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2373. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7g91me$4o3@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 144378
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) writes:

>Actually, NTSC is *not* a compression scheme. Resolution is limited by
>the bandwidth allocated for the signal, and by the scan rates chosen.
>Typically, horizontal resolution is about 225 lines, but because it is
>interlaced, the effective resolution is actually about 450 lines.

No, that's not correct. The ratio between the bandwidth and the
horizontal sweep gives the number of cycles that can be resolved
horizontally. Interlace has nothing to do with horizontal resolution.
The ratio between the 4.2 Mhz broadcast bandwidth and the 15734 Hz
horizontal sweep is about 267. However, about 15% of the horizontal
period is non-picture information, so you'd expect to be able to
resolve about 225 cycles per picture width. Now, TV resolution is
measured in "lines", not "line pairs" like photography, and you can
resolve 2 "lines" in one cycle (the Nyquist limit popping up again).
So you'd expect to be able to resolve an absolute maximum of about 450
(vertical) lines across the width of a broadcast TV image.

However, TV horizontal resolution is quoted in "lines per picture height"
(to make it comparable to vertical resolution), not lines per picture
width, so you have to multiply by the 3/4 aspect ratio to get the
official figure. As a result, broadcast television is limited to a
horizontal resolution of about 340 lines per picture height.

VHS is worse, about 250. SVHS is better, and analog videodisc is
better yet - about 550 lines.

>Vertically the resolution is limited by the scan rate to 262.5 lines
>per field, doubled to 525 lines by interlace. (Because of the way the
>lines of a test chart fall on the interlace, the vertical resolution is
>actually only 262 lines, IE to resolve a line requires a transition,
>and that requires two vertical scan lines to reproduce.)

Again, not quite. The number of active lines per field is somewhere
around 240-243 - the rest are used up by non-image information. Due
to interlace, the lines from even fields are drawn between the lines
from odd fields, so a properly operating TV (with no overscan) will
show about 480-486 actual scan lines.

According to the Nyquist limit, this many scan lines allows you to
display about 240 cycles or 240 line pairs or 480 lines per picture
height. But if you tried to approach this, you'd find that either the
pattern would go grey, or it would flicker madly since all the white
lines are in one field and all the black lines are in another field -

either way it's not pleasant.

Because of interlace, and because the scanlines overlap somewhat, the actual useful vertical resolution is about 70% of the theoretical limit - about 335-340 lines per picture height. (This 70% factor is called the "Kell factor" in video literature). Note that for broadcast television, the horizontal and vertical resolution is about the same - this is not an accident.

>If this doesn't quite make sense, picture a test chart with vertical
>and horizontal lines drawn on it. The vertical lines are resolved by
>the horizontal bandwidth of the TV, and the horizontal lines are
>resolution limited by the number of scan lines in a field. So NTSC
>should yield a resolution of about 450x262. It usually doesn't quite do
>that well horizontally because most receivers aren't adjusted to
>recover the full transmission bandwidth. 320x200 is closer to what you
>see on the typical home receiver with an off the air picture.

Well, a *good* NTSC monitor should be able to display about 340 lines (counting both black and white ones) vertically and about 440 lines horizontally. Typical TVs may well be less.

>But that's not nearly as bad as it may sound to computer types used to
>talking in terms of pixels. NTSC is analog, a transition can occur
>*anywhere* on the screen. Transitions aren't limited to discrete
>locations as they are in computer displays. This yields an *apparent*
>resolution which is much better than can be achieved with a CGA
>computer display. For example, there are no jaggies on slanted lines
>with NTSC, but there are with computer generated graphics. This analog
>nature also shows up benefically for objects in motion. The movements
>are all smooth.

It's not that simple. NTSC is analog horizontally only - it's just as discrete as any frame buffer vertically. You don't see discrete locations vertically in video because the signal is adequately low-pass filtered during sampling. But that can be done equally well in computer-generated images - and often is in high-quality pictorial images. This low-pass filtering is not usually applied to window edges or to text on computer displays, because the apparent sharpness of the unfiltered version is preferred.

Jaggies are also caused by a failure to low-pass filter the image before sampling - they are aliasing artifacts in the spatial domain (instead of time). They can be reduced or eliminated by "anti-aliasing" techniques, which are just low-pass filtering. Well-filtered computer-generated images do *not* show jaggies.

The appearance of smooth motion in video is because of the 60 Hz sampling rate in time, combined with motion blur. Both of these are possible, if not yet common, in computer-generated imagery.

>Hue is also analog, and can vary in infinitesimal steps. You aren't
>limited to a preset number of colors as you are with a computer

>display. This turns out to be very important because the human visual
>system is more sensitive to differences in hue than it is to
>differences in spatial resolution. That's why TV pictures look lifelike
>while higher resolution computer displays still look like a cartoon.

Uh, have you looked at any good computer displays lately? Say, with
24 bits or more per pixel? Displays with only 8 or 16 bits per pixel
have to quantize the colour to a small set of available hue/saturation/
intensity values, and this creates areas of solid colour with "jumps"
between areas. With 24-bit colour (or more), the steps between adjacent
representable colours are so small that you can't see them, and the
appearance is indistinguishable from continuous colour.

In fact, most video broadcast these days is *also* quantized to 24 bits
since that's all the digital video recorders record. There are fewer
possible colours than in computer graphics, because video uses up some
of the 256 values for sync and blanking, and fewer are left for actual
image information.

>The *apparent* resolution of NTSC is a close match for 16mm film (that
>was chosen deliberately when the standard was formulated).

Well, for 16 mm film 50 years ago. These days, good fine-grain 16 mm
film has far more resolution than NTSC, and in fact is a pretty good
match for HDTV. (It also depends on whether you're talking about
negative resolution or on-screen projected resolution - see below).

>Of course, from the way the poster you're answering spells color as
>colour, we can assume he's in a PAL country. The bandwidths and scan
>rates are slightly different for PAL than for NTSC, with the advantage
>going to PAL. So he should see somewhat better resolution than we
>would.

Not necessarily. I spell colour the conventional (British) way, yet
I watch NTSC television identical to what the USA sees.

>To approach the apparent resolution of NTSC requires a computer display
>running 800x600 with 16 million colors. It will still have visible
>artifacts that will identify it as pixelated compared to an analog TV
>signal with moving pictures, but it will be close to the same visually
>if you sit back from it the standard 9 feet used for TV viewing.

No, a 640x48 display is sharper than NTSC, because its limiting resolution
really is 640x480 lines, not 440x340. And it can do that for all three
colours, not just luminance. The chrominance resolution of NTSC, as
decoded by most TVs, is about 50 lines across the picture width - one
eight the resolution of luminance (because the bandwidth is only 0.5 Mhz).

In addition, if the image being displayed is properly filtered, you
will not be able to see individual pixels or scanlines, nor more
motion artifacts than NTSC.

For a demonstration of this, take the highest quality digital *picture*
you can find, preferably from a Photo-CD or a good film scanner.
Reduce it to 640x480 using something like Photoshop. Then record the
same image in NTSC, using the highest-quality video output system you
can get your hands on. Compare it to the 640x480 image on a computer
monitor. The NTSC version is just not as sharp, though it's often
surprisingly good for most natural scenes.

>The end result is that HDTV at 1080i has about twice the apparent
>resolution of NTSC. It looks really good, about equal to 35mm movie
>film (again that was a deliberate choice).

It depends on how you measure 35mm resolution. HDTV is comparable to
or better than a 35mm print shown on a standard 35mm projector, at least
in resolution. But a 35mm negative scanned on a good scanner has at least
twice the resolution as HDTV. The difference between negative and
projected release print is partly due to the multiple generations in
between, but mostly due to poor stability in the projectors.

So HDTV is equivalent to 35mm film for projection, but not equivalent
for original image capture. It depends on what you're talking about
using them for.

Dave

2374. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <37280F8F.B81BB8E7@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 144379
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Morse is neither a mode nor a language, it's a *code*! Ta-dah! Or should I write it: dididih dahdidah!

AB7RS wrote:
>
> Edward L. Dowdy wrote:
> > >
> > > Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied verbatim
>
> Morse is not a mode,but a language that is the common one used on the
> mode continuous wave.Tracy

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

2375. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hamish Moffatt <hamish@rising.com.au>
Message-ID: <7g95bq$3jo$2@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>
Source record: 144380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

In rec.radio.amateur.space W6RCecilA <w6rca@ibm.net> wrote:
> Hamish Moffatt wrote:
>> That's an interesting question; should we consider a no-code license
>> to be a valid end-point for those who aren't interested in the extra
>> priviledges, or only a stepping stone to a "full call"?

> It doesn't matter what "we" consider it to be or not to be. The
> authorities consider it a valid end-point. If they didn't, they
> would have made it non-renewable like the 50s novice license in
> the US.

It obviously does matter to some -- if not, they'd stop bagging people
who are "no codes."

Hamish (no code licencee, still waiting for his exam results.)
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2376. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <37280FA9.662E@wt.net>
Source record: 144381

MailfrmPA wrote:
>
> All of your cited "evidence" here is no more than anecdotal.

Maybe to you, not to me.
>
> > Those really wanted to play radio police more than
> >anything.
>
> And this is an opinion, based upon the earlier, unsubstantiated heresay.

Yep, And I don't have to substantiate anything. I doubt the people involved want to be bothered about it anyway. Or at least not to prove anything to you. This happened about 10 years ago in the case of the OO with the code copy problem.
>
> Do you have deep seated fears of authority?

OO's are not authority. Why would I fear them? MK

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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

2377. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7g9asgisg1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 144382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Morse code is a language. A digital langauge but still its a langauge.
Unless you use the Clinton logic of words and what they realy mean .....
then it could be anything .... or nothing.

William Lee

Will White wrote in message <37280F8F.B81BB8E7@asu.uswest.net>...
>Morse is neither a mode nor a language, it's a *code*! Ta-dah! Or should I
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>
>--
>Will White, KD7BFX
>
>to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

2378. Re: Kenwood TS-140...Wierd problem on 20 Meters (Only)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam
Message-ID: <372832d9.0@flint.sentex.net>
Source record: 144383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Hi Tom:

In message <7g85o8nvg1@nw003t.infi.net> - "tom" <tsokol@injersey.com>Wed, 28 Apr 1999 19:35:55 -0400 writes:

:>>Substitute a dummy load and see if it does the same thing. If tx into a
:>>dummy load is OK, you have an RF feedback problem. Try creating a balun by
:>>coiling up your coax (10 turns around a 6" form) at the rear of the rig.
:>>Also, try beefing up your entire station's ground system. Oh, and try
:>>substituting a different mic. These steps should narrow it down.

I should have mentioned that all this happens when it's
hooked to my IFR-1500. I may try and isolate the PA board
and keep running it until something else fail (not very
technical but....).

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

2379. Icom 725 Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: WB2HNP <robbl@n-jcenter.com>
Message-ID: <DJWV2.74$F_.155@news.flash.net>
Source record: 144384

Could someone please help me find a copy of the Icom IC-725 Owner's (instruction)Manual? Would gladly pay for copies--Adobe PDF file via email preferred if possible.

Thanks in advance,

Robb -- robbl@n-jcenter.com
WB2HNP

2380. Re: unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.119207464144c7d9989687@news.vais.net>
Source record: 144385
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <37279093.6343189@news.mindspring.com>, unit77@mynet.net
mumbled...
--> PLEASE LEARN HOW TO DELETE/UN-SUBSCRIBE FROM NEWS GROUPS!!!!!
-->
--> On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 14:55:15 -0400, ljutefisk@yahoo.com (Pidgin
--> Homing) wrote:
-->
--> >In article <d046f2a4.245771ea@aol.com>, Alurk50@aol.COM mumbled...
--> >--> unsubscribe alurk50@aol.com
--> >
--> >Please delete me from your unsubscribe list.
--> >TIA
--> >

What's a newsfroup? Is that the same thing as a chatroom?
Why are you shouting at me?

--
http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm

2381. Re: Alinco HF rig to repel codeless HAMS next ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: macw2389@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g9od9$e7h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The radio probably has serious parasitic oscillations and
audible noise when plugged out of the charger.
Creative reasons to cover a defective "new" DJ-195T.
Good try, Alinco, but thank you for letting me know before
I considered buying one.

Marc

In article <7g7i18har1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Does it work on close-talking hams at flea markets ?
>
> The perfect H-T for Field Day? Just when you thought modern
> H-Ts had included just about every feature conceivable, along comes
> Alinco with its new DJ-195T that includes--get this--an experimental
> "mosquito repel" feature. Alinco USA Branch Manager Katsumi Nakata,
> KE6RD, says the unit emits an electronic tone to keep the annoying
> insects away from the vicinity of the radio. "It's a feature we added just
> for fun," Nakata said. "The mosquito repel feature could make the
> DJ-195T the first radio capable of de-bugging a Field Day operating
> position," he added with a smile. (Hmmm. Was that announcement dated
> April 1?) Other unusual DJ-195T features include a theft alarm that can be
> set to sound when the unit is removed from an external power source,
> such as in a vehicle. Alinco Sales Manager Doug Wynn, KB6YZD, said
> the new features reflect input gathered directly from hams. The company
> also has just announced its new DJ-V5T dualband compact, 5-W H-T.
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> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

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2382. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Kaplan <akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com>
Message-ID: <3728580C.4FDF02CF@fallschurch.esys.com>
Source record: 144387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Very well said, Monty! Your post marks you as a gentleman and a
scholar. It is very difficult to convey to the no-code types what an
aesthetic experience proficiency in morse provides, but even this
long-time CW op has come to realize that using the code test as a
barrier to amateur radio is unproductive. To the others: Welcome to
ham radio -- be tolerant, and 73.
deW1AEL, Allan.

2383. Schematics needed HTX-100 & RCI-2950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darrel Scott <dgsc@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7g9n5nvtd1@news.powerisp.com>
Source record: 144388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I am working on a HTX-100 that has no output on sideband. CW works fine. I believe the problem is with IC-3 but not sure.

Also working on a RCI-2950 that transmits but does not receive on sideband. The receiver goes totally silent when either USB or LSB is selected. Anyone had any experience with this problem?

2384. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Kaplan <akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com>
Message-ID: <37285D20.AB574B2A@fallschurch.esys.com>
Source record: 144389

If you do not think Morse code has at least some of the aspects of a language, then you are either not proficient, or just nit-picking, or both! Almost anybody who has attained real proficiency in Morse (>25 wpm) is well-acquainted with my claim; anyone who has not cannot be expected to believe this! I mean this as a simple statement of my experience and that of others I know.
73 de W1AEL

2385. FA: ICOM AT-4 Automatic Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wpeloqui@ismi.net
Message-ID: <7g9qg9$g37$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144390

Hello,

Title says it all.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=97570592

73,

Willie
N8MDY
--

Willie Peloquin
Senior Software Engineer - Contract
http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui

"It is unwise to

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2386. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hkelle@rhi.hi.is
Message-ID: <7g9no0$sh3@eldborg.rhi.hi.is>
Source record: 144391
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Svo mi¿½lti AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>:
* > I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
*
* To weed out the serious from the lazy and stupid.

Well all the "lazy and stupid" go use the Internet today for satisfying
their need for playing with technical stuff and communicating with
people. Those who are not "lazy and stupid" go through learning all
the electronics and regulations that you have to learn to get a ham licence.

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//-----------------------//---
// Hrafnkell Eiriksson // Student of Computer- and Electrical engineering
// hkelle@rhi.hi.is // at the Univeristy of Iceland
// // "Blessed are they who go around in circles,
// Finger for PGP key // for they shall be known as Wheels"

2387. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <3728653D.B68822F7@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 144392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

You missed the point. the comment was the military doesn't use it , not true in the case of the coast gaurd. The guy was taught code as part off the m.o.s. to be a radio operator.
I think as far as the coast gaurd the military still thinks it is important to have coded operators.
Mike AA7QA

Sir wrote:

> Michael Ruther wrote:
> >
> > Friend of mine's son is a radio op in the coast guard. He was taught code, and
> > can do about 15 wpm.
>
> I know a lot of obsolete skills too. Tape editing with razor blades and
> tape come to mind. Perhaps that will save my life in some emergency
> when my digital audio workstation breaks, or will allow me to edit in
> bad weather conditions.

2388. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: dber@tiac.net
Message-ID: <37286087.62965332@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 144393

(crossposting newsgroups eliminated - posted only to
rec.radio.amateur.misc)

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 18:30:07 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
> [Snip - TMUI]
>There is only ONE. Because it is nostalgic and fun for many people.
>Don't take the fun away by forcing it on people that don't want to use
>it.

Only one reason? Awww - come on. Lots of reasons. But one of the
best reasons for CW (at least for me) is the ability to build low cost
equipment for that mode. I've built a 40M CW kit (and repaired it
after having it on the air for a bit) and more recently a 15M CW
transmitter using a high-speed octal buffer as both amplifier and
crystal ocilator. I can build a 1/2 watt transmitter and send a
singal across the country - amazing. I doubt I could do the same work
using the Phone mode.

Still, I agree you don't need to learn Morse Code to push a button
(PTT). I would like to see the voice portions of the HF bands opened
for those who pass up to and including the general theory test. It
would at least calm the whining of some. But of course keep the
CW/Data portions of the band for those of us who like to work and
experiment with homebrew equipment in those modes (and for those who
simply like the code). Also (as a QRPer) those who enjoy the hunt
with low power tend to get a lot of bang for their buck on CW.

Oh yes, and it is fun.

>I bet if morse code was not a requirement (for certain classes of
>license) more people might take it up. No one wants to learn something
>that is forced opon them. People choose hobbies because they have an

It's not a requirement anymore here in the US (I thought it wasn't a
requirement in much of the rest of the world as well for entry level
licence). No-Code tech is a great entry licence but I'm not sure how
much it is helping the radio op numbers?!? It may have helped when
first introduced but it seems like things are slowing down again -
just my opinion of course ;)

Anyway, CW is a great mode and Morse Code is a fun language - for me
anyway. You can argue about it forever but many of us who use it like
it. Of course, I'm rather fond of using my homebuilt abacus rather
than a calculator - not very efficient (at least in my hands anyway)
and reasonably outdated but still fun and there is something about the
acquired skill which is satisfying.

Regards,

Dave Bernazzani
dber@tiac.net
http://www.tiac.net/users/dber

2389. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7g9tpkjec1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144394

In article <Pine.BSI.3.96.990429014632.10302B-100000@hoflink.com>,
Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
> Over the last few days, I've read the messages entitled
> "Code vs. No Code", "Abolish the no-code license", and other similar
> sentiments between the various license classes of hams.
>
> Recently, I passed my Technician level exam (This past Sunday).
> I studied hard and I earned the privilege.
> I intend to observe the responsibilities that a Tech license affords me.
>
> Am I going to work my way toward upgrading? Yes.
> Does the thought of decoding morse in my head intimidate me? Yes.
> I believe it may prove difficult but, in the end, well worth the effort.
>
> Would I want to see the no-code license abolished?
> Of course I wouldn't ... but I also WOULDN'T want the tests simplified
> just to make it easier. People tend to appreciate something more if they
> have to EARN it.
>
> The Tech lisc. affords me the ability to communicate with other licensed
> hams. Additionally, I accepted the responsibility to operate according to
> FCC law & accepted Ham Operating practices the second I signed the FCC
> 610 form.
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> Someone stated that a no-code lisc. ought to be called a beginner's lic.
> That's exactly how I feel ... like a beginner.
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> I look upon the "Novice" lisc. holders as if they were the "Technicians"
> and I were the Novice. They are, after all, more technically advanced than
> I am ... and I am the one lacking experience in this field.
>
> As for why I believe the FCC SHOULD keep the standards UP ...
> One doesn't have to be lisc. to post on the net or to the usenet groups.
> There are too many flame wars on the net and disgraceful cross-posting
> to unrelated areas. Unregulated & unliscensed by the FCC, the amateur
> radio bands would be a sewer.
>
> Hopefully, I'll see some of you soon on the nets :)
> Scott Verity
>
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> Writer/SWL/Netizen http://hoflink.com/~sverity
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>

>
Scott,

May I be one of the first to congratulate you on your accomplishment, and welcome you to the amateur fraternity. We need more like you in this service. I look forward to working you on the bands. It's time for the six meter "E" skip season. See you there?

Dan/W4NTI (Extra, 38yrs licensed)

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2390. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <37287915.D80A82B2@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144395

I see nothing wrong with wanting No Taxes. If by chance that were to happen and you felt compelled to continue paying taxes, go for it.

O day work week sounds good too.

Right now I could use unlimited credit with no interest.

Joe, if you are against no taxes, etc. you are truly unamerican.

2391. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <oscarrben@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <37287922.B9EF580D@hotmail.com>
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2392. Re: SF Bay Area Swap Meet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R. Sherry" <RSherry@metricom.com>
Message-ID: <37287AC8.6E58@metricom.com>
Source record: 144397

Joe wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> Can anyone tell me where the swap meet will be this coming weekend? I
> recalled it's eityer Livermore or Foothill, but I could never tell
> which one comes up first.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>
> Joe
Livermore.
Russ

2393. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37287BF2.588569BD@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144398

OH MY GOD!!!!You have to look thru THREE PAGES????How does anyone
> survive such tremendous effort and personal sacrifice????

No, certainly no great sacrifice nor great effort, but then again a
multimillion dollar company, i.e. ICOM, could write better instructions.
Perhaps you wrote the manual???

Pay attention DUMMY, the point was that you can pass a written test in
any field and it doesn't prepare you for the real world. I wonder how
many of you stumbled on your first or second QSO despite being able to
recite Ohm's law.

Thank you for the sarcastic comments and lack of help for someone who
had legitimate concerns.

2394. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7ga13flmv2@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 144399

Congratulations Scott, welcome!

73!
Tom

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Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2395. FA: T-195 Transmitter Package of 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bruce J. Howes KG2IC" <bhowes@buffnet.net>
Message-ID: <37285b38.0@news3.buffnet.net>
Source record: 144400
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

On Ebay: Click here for more info -->
http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=97558259

T-195 Military Transmitters, Package of 2
Designed by Collins Radio, the T-195 is often found paired with the R392 receiver. An exceptionally heavy-duty transmitter, the T-195 is both waterproof and shockproof. By using two car batteries in series, the transmitter is perfect for vehicle use, or as a field day transmitter.

This package includes 2 of these transmitters. Both are in very good condition. As per most "de-milled" equipment, the meters have been removed. They have been replaced in one of the units. One unit makes full RF output; the other seems to have a problem with the Auto-Tune mech. I understand from Electric Radio that often these problems are a result of poor connections on the modules.

This heavy-duty transmitter covers 1.5-20MHz continuous. RF Power output is a solid 80-100W with nice sounding plate modulated AM. Emission modes are AM and CW.

Frequency coverage is in 4 bands using a Collins PTO. The unit features antenna Auto-Tuning, with two choices of antenna connections depending on feedpoint impedance.

Final tube uses a 4X150D, and 2-4X150D are used as modulators.

Dimensions are 11.5h X 22w X 14.25d. Weight is 135 lbs. Power requirement is 28VDC 42amps.

Due to the weight, the buyer must pick up in the Buffalo, NY area, or arrange pickup, crating and shipping at his/her cost.

Payment must be received in Postal Money Order, or Bank Check prior to shipping.

As always if you have any questions just email.

Tnx

73,

Bruce KG2IC

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Bruce J. Howes KG2IC email: kg2ic@arrl.net

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2396. UK Hams please read. PME info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wombat <nick@g0udx.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <t4$35CAhvIK3EwTm@g0udx.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144401

Hi, thanks for reading this. I live in a block of masonettes with a
Protective multiple earthing system installed. I have no means of using
a conventional earthing system. What do I need to do to use this sytem
for an earth? Thanks for your time...
--
G0UDX

2397. Re: 10 meter mobile radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: john stafford <johns1@ccipost.net>
Message-ID: <372898b5@news.eiu.edu>
Source record: 144402

"Reg Edwards" <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com> wrote:
>Hi Stan,>
>The difference between 12 and 25 watts amounts to 3
>decibels or approximately one half of an S-unit when on SSB
>or AM. Which is not very noticeable in a moving vehicle
>where the S-meter is up and down like a yo-yo anyway.
>
>In slightly more technical terms, a 25-watt transmitter
>will lay down the same signal strength at a distance of 10
>miles across town, as a 12-watt transmitter will lay down
>at about 7 miles. This roughly doubles the service area
>and, if a uniform geographical distribution of radio
>amateurs is assumed, will double the chances of having a
>local QSO.
>
>If the chance of a local QSO after calling CQ is only 1 in
>10 then doubling it will not amount to very much. It might
>takes months of operating to notice such a difference.
>
>DX-wise, 2000 mile and 1400 mile distances will have
>roughly the same 3 dB or half S-unit difference in signal
>strength. You would probably not detect any significant
>difference in the number of successful QSO's between 1
>month operating on 12 watts and the next month operating on
>25 watts. The doubling of service area does not apply
>because of skip distance. There will be no QSO's at
>distances less than skip distance because the radio waves
>on 10 meters will not come back down to earth till then.
>A 1500-mile skip is not unusual. At greater distances
>signal strengths often vary by several S-units over a
>period of minutes.
>
>In my opinion you should buy the 12-watt transmitter. With
>the money you save either spend some of it on a much higher
>antenna or put it in the savings-bank until you have enough
>to buy a 100-watt job. THEN you will notice the difference
>!
>--
>******************************
>Reg, G4FGQ For free software go to:-
>http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
>
>******************************
>

>w5yrz@worldnet.att.net wrote in article
><3723c248.28660845@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...
>> I am considering buying a 10 meter mobile radio. I have
>found one that
>> puts out 12 watts on ssb and another one for twice the
>cost that puts
>> out 25 watts on ssb. I would like someone elses opinion
>on whether or
>> not 12 watts would get me contacts or should I spend the
>extra money
>> for 25 watts? Any comments would be appreciated.
>>
>> Thanks,
>> Stan Garrett
>> w5yrz@worldnet.att.net
>>
Stan you will find 12-25 watts plenty on 10 meter
i have been on 10 for 15 years and when the band is open
youll need very little power.
i have never run more than a few watts and have made contacts all
over the world,i find it more exciting to tell the other operator
that you are only running in QRPP mode and listen to his response
most of the time the other operator will drop to QRPP mode as well
and we can still communicate with no problem.
i use a fiberglass verticle for the base ant. and a converted cb moble ant.
in the car with a uniden 2510 with no amp.
so dont let the low power rigs frighten you away you will still
enjoy one of the best bands.
john stafford (kb9gig)

2398. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: flegler@pilot.msu.edu
Message-ID: <7ga60g$lh2$1@msunews.cl.msu.edu>
Source record: 144403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Ken:
I would suggest that you at least consider a Harris RF-590, RF-590A, or the military version
R-2368. The Navy is in the process of converting the entire fleet to the R-2368. Check www.mindspring.com/~longwave/msg0997.htm and note the article by John Reed. He traded a Watkins
Johnson HF-1000 for a Harris RF-590 and an RF-550. He thinks the RF-590 is a better radio. You
can buy an RF-590 for less that what you see in QST and possibly slightly less than an HF-1000.
The Racal should be one-half to one-third the cost of the HF-1000 or an RF-590.
Stan K8RPA

In article <3727CBE0.D2E0B1FF@nospam.com>, kenos23@nospam.com says...
>
>I'm about to buy one of these high end receivers and
>don't want to make a mistake. Please help me to
>avoid being disappointed. Both receivers are used,
>but appear to be in good condition. I'm not able to
>see either of them, as they are being sold on-line.
>
>The Racal 6790GM is surplus, but appears to be in
>good shape with five original crystal filters: .4, 1.6,
>3.2, 6.8 and 18 KHz.
>
>The Watkins Johnson HF1000 Is in mint condition,
>with all the original equipment. (box, manuals, etc.)
>
>If you have experience with either (or both) of these fine
>receivers, Please reply here. Thanks ever so much.
>
>
>

2399. Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16273-3728940A-5@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144404

Funniest damn thing I've EVER seen on this newsgroup!!!!!!!!!

Thanks for the laugh!!!!!

Jr.

2400. Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gac7v$13n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144405

In article <16273-3728940A-5@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone) wrote:
> Funniest damn thing I've EVER seen on this newsgroup!!!!!!!!!
>
> Thanks for the laugh!!!!!
>
> Jr.
>
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HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
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2401. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@rst-engr.com
Message-ID: <37289476.7922839@news.gv.net>
Source record: 144406

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
shared these priceless pearls of wisdom:

->However, there is a technical solution to the ATC problem.
->We could replace the AM radios with cryptographically
->secure spread spectrum radios. Then it would be virtually
->impossible to effectively jam or spoof them. The technology
->to do this has been available for over two decades, and has
->become a consumer item in this decade. But people would
->rather pass a feel good law than to implement a real solution.

Gary --

Technically you are absolutely correct, and "some day" what you propose will come to pass. However, I think you are very aware of the political issues involved, which rarely lend themselves to decent solutions. The prime political problem is how to have everybody, everywhere switch to the new system at the same stroke of the clock. This isn't one of those "phase it in at different locations slowly" tricks. The airplane at JFK this morning will be in Paris late this afternoon. If you don't change the whole world at once, you wind up causing more trouble than you cure. And, there are some third world countries that are still using WWII surplus stuff as their front line ATC comm equipment.

One answer is to take the soon-obsolete 108-118 NAV band and create a whole new subset of COM frequencies in that band as a transition method. Continue to use the current 118-137 COM band, AM mode for ten or twenty years, but with a phase-in to the new system. Put the new system on 10 kHz. spacing and you will have easily as many channels as you have now. Simulcast your transmissions on both systems for ten or twenty years to give the world a chance to catch up and there you have it.

Of course, that would require a HELL of a lot of good sense in the Puzzle Palace on the Potomac and I don't see that sort of bright bulbism at this time.

Jim
Jim Weir, VP Eng. RST
A&P, CFI, and other good alphabet soup

2402. Re: Yaesu, Alinco HF rig to repel codeless HAMS next ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gack7$1jp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7g9od9$e7h$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
macw2389@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>
> The radio probably has serious parasitic oscillations and
> audible noise when plugged out of the charger.
> Creative reasons to cover a defective "new" DJ-195T.
> Good try, Alinco, but thank you for letting me know before
> I considered buying one.
>
> Marc
>

Some regrettable disinformation has just been posted by this individual about Alinco products. Alinco and Yaesu do not, in fact, share the same product inspection / lavatory waste management team.

C.H. Machiavelli

cc:counsel
Mommy
Fthr. O'Connor

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2403. Re: LIMARC: "a chance to show hams as 'normal' people."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gacp7$1la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7g7ins$i1p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
No replies, just as I suspected. Not even Letterman fans care about ham radio.

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2404. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <372fa5ab.246940041@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 05:10:06 -0500, "William Lee" <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:
>Morse code is a language. A digital langauge but still its a langauge.
>Unless you use the Clinton logic of words and what they realy mean .....
>then it could be anything .... or nothing.
>
>William Lee

Nonsense. Morse is an encoding of the Roman alphabet. It has no words, grammar, or syntax to call its own. The words of some actual language (usually English) may be spelled out using the Morse alphabetic encoding, just as they might be spelled out using ASCII encoding or Baudot encoding, but the words remain words of the language from which they come. These words may be combined according to the syntax and gramatical rules of the language of which they are a part to form sentences, but the sentences remain sentences of the actual language, not sentences of some mythical Morse "language". What I'm sending here is text in the English language which just happens to be spelled using an ASCII encoding of the alphabet. Were I to send the text using Morse encodings of the alphabet, it would still be English language text.

Gary

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2405. Trade McElroy Teardrop Bug for Leica M6 in good condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmesser@wyoarea.k12.pa.us
Message-ID: <7gadeq$29i$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144410

I have a McElroy chrome teardrop bug which I would like to trade for a Leica M6 in nice condition. Thanks Hal

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2406. Re: 5 wpm ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7gaben$8qt$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 144411

In article <37176613.1B89B961@sgi.com>, Jim Lynch <jwl@sgi.com> wrote:
>
>
>Michael Young wrote:
>>
>> Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@online.no> wrote in message
>> news:1K8R2.596$y75.4360@news1.online.no...
>> > Does this make you able to use voice on HF ?
>> > What power/frequencies ?
>>
>> No.
>Wait a minute. Can't Tech Plus ops run phone on a subband of 10 meters?
>>
>> >
>> > 5wpm = 25 chars / minute ?
>>
>> Yes.
****

You can use voice on 10 meters between 28.3 and 28.5

For power limits I suggest you review the test material you studied.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

2407. Radiotron Handbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: C0510@VM.SC.EDU
Message-ID: <1832FCC86S85.C0510@VM.SC.EDU>
Source record: 144412

Hi,
I am trying to learn about tube electronics and I have a book: 1933 Radio Physics Course that I am trying to learn from, but one of my fathers friends said that my book is too old. He said that I should try to find the Radiotron Handbook. Does anyone know of this book?
Thank you,
Dan
Please reply to c0510@vm.sc.edu

2408. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: DanSullivan <sgtpepper@ncounty.net>
Message-ID: <3728B3BF.D6FECEAB@ncounty.net>
Source record: 144413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

I used to like CW back in the 80's when they were first starting out. They put out some good tunes like: "Like a Novice" and "Jammin", but once they got into that "VOR in the USA" phase they have gone down a musical suck trail and I've since tuned out.

2409. Loop HF antenna recomendation...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dima Shleimovich <dshleimo@ort.org.il>
Message-ID: <3728BC55.AE6AB367@ort.org.il>
Source record: 144414
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,alt.2600.hackerz,alt.2600,alt.hamradio,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: Loop.GIF

Hello,
I got make something big...
I had neede for some small antenna and
i am tryed to make one without calculating...
And here is what i got...
some small HF loop antenna that works fine on 120, 90, 75, 60, 49, 41,
31, 25, 19, 16 meters bands
It works beter than some dipole for 16 meter band i mean that works
beter on that frequency
ok
Look for a gif file in your attachments and E-Mail me if that antenna it
works good with you!
"I got it like the best and smallest antenna for my last 1.6 years.
I am completely recomend that antenna if you live in the sity and dont
have some place to make
something beter!!! "I am not saying that antenna is BAd!"

Enjoy!

And please if dicided to make that antenna please tell me about how it
work's with you!

Look for some gif file in the attachments!

Thanx!

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2410. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3728b900.2854144@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 144415

Tom@astro.net wrote:

> Congratulations Scott, welcome!
>
>73!
>Tom
>
>
>In article <Pine.BSI.3.96.990429014632.10302B-100000@hoflink.com>, Scott
>Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
>>Over the last few days, I've read the messages entitled

I have a questions. Is a coded ham a pig that has a 'do not
recessitate order' in case he has a heart attack? Just wonderin :)

2411. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <3729a9d5.3894626@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144416
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
www.web-cycat/hart
==========
O'Hearte Desktop Services
622 Meadowvale drive
Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

2412. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gar0sesq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144417

In article <372778AE.451@wt.net>,
nm5k@wt.net wrote:
> K5pf wrote:
> >
> > >>Bill Sohl wrote:
> > >>>
> > >>> >You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO
just
> > >>> >last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
> > >>> >how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?
> >
> > We get it okay, Bill. Whenever you get backed into a corner, you throw the
> > "inexperience" spear. Frankly, I think you're stretching the point pretty
> > thin. Can I throw the "You're usually more on target than this" spear?
> >
> > K5PF
> Don't blame it on Bill. That was me that said that. You have to be
> carefull on the threads. That was a post to Noimd or whatever his call
> is. And I know for a fact he is fairly inexperienced on HF. But being a
> tech plus or whatever he is , thats to be expected. The example I posted
> about was no stretch of the imagination. The OO that sent that notice
> was close to the ham he sent it to, if I understand correctly. He should
> have expected that from a very strong signal. I've never had an OO
> report but I know quite a few over the years that have gotten them. 70%
> should have never been sent of the ones I know about. Some of these were
> downright silly. For a person to be a OO and send notices about, he
> should be very carefull, and use proper test gear in cases where it's
> needed. Most don't have this gear. I'm not saying all OO's are bad or
> are not carefull, but I've seen many that were nothing but a nuisance to
> all involved. Those really wanted to play radio police more than
> anything. Like the case of the OO sending non-id notices to a pack of
> hams using automatic cw id devices. That in itself makes me wonder about
> the level of experience needed to be a OO. :/ MK
> --
> http://web.wt.net/~nm5k
>

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2413. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Bob Parnass, AJ9S" <parnass@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <3728E922.332FB920@megsinet.net>
Source record: 144418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

You will find interesting reading at the
Premium Receiver web site:

http://kahuna.sdsu.edu/~premium/

Ken Osmond wrote:
>
> I'm about to buy one of these high end receivers and
> don't want to make a mistake. ...
--
Bob Parnass, AJ9S parnass@megsinet.net

Locate transmitter sites in your area with a color RadioMapTM.
see http://www.megsinet.com/parnass

2414. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728ed88.5945311@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 12:31:00 -0400, Gene Floyd <gfloyd7@tfn.net>
wrote:

>Even the world of no-coding is very enjoyable, As a custodial single parent, I
>do not have the time to spend on code practice, and neither the time nor money
>to buy HF equipment with. I primarily operate VHF mobile, although when I do
>find a little time I like to play with antennas in my backyard (see
>http://www.tfn.net/~gfloyd7/antenna/) and have found that 2 meters is ideal for
>this as the antenna is small enough to be easily built. Although I do not have
>my code out of the way, I would hate to see them eliminate it altogether. It is
>a very proud tradition of amateur radio, can be heard even when voice cannot,
>requires no real special equipment (keying your mike on AM or FM would work),
>and is required by international law. So who are we to tell the government to
>ignore that law?
>
>Karina Wright wrote:
>
>> CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>>
>> >Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
>> >for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
>> >exists on 27 MHz.
>>
>> I am on my way towards getting my no-code license because, I'm afraid,
>> that's as far as I will ever progress. I have tried for years to lear
>> Morse, but some glitch in my hearing or noggin or something will not let me
>> get the knack of it.
>>
>> When I was little (30-something years ago), I used to be glued to my
>> step-dad's shortwave, sending postcards (I must have spent a forturne
>> sending cards around the world).... I desperately wanted to be part of that
>> world, I had a telegraph key to practice with, I specifically tuned into the
>> morse broadcasts so I could try to develop an ear for it...to no avail...it
>> just wouldn't happen. I dropped away from shortwave for years and have only
>> recently become aware that I now have an entry(albeit a limited one) into
>> the world of my youth.
>>
>> I have nothing but admiration for those who can pick up morse code. I wish
>> I could.
>>
>> ttfn/Karina
>

2415. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-2904991817030001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 144420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <372fa5ab.246940041@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

> On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 05:10:06 -0500, "William Lee"
<n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:
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> >Unless you use the Clinton logic of words and what they realy mean .....
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> >William Lee
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> grammar, or syntax to call its own. The words of some actual language
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> just as they might be spelled out using ASCII encoding or Baudot encoding,
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> words may be combined according to the syntax and gramatical rules of the
> language of which they are a part to form sentences, but the sentences remain
> sentences of the actual language, not sentences of some mythical Morse
> "language". What I'm sending here is text in the English language which
> just happens to be spelled using an ASCII encoding of the alphabet. Were
> I to send the text using Morse encodings of the alphabet, it would still be
> English language text.
>
> Gary

While Morse is a CODE that can express a LANGUAGE, it transcends
ASCII characters and many other encoding methods because it has rhythm,
tone, style, and can be expressed uniquely, yet be commonly decoded
and understood. Degrees of appreciation vary from simple RR to
near opera like emotional involvement and appreciations. Perhaps
the links to music are where the bridge to a LANGUAGE like description
occur.

Morse also seems to use a special area of a person's mind that many
find stimulating in an unusual way. If you use Morse regularly, you
may find that you do other unrelated things and sense the stimulated
by Morse part of your mind participating.

John D. Seney, WD1V [FN42]
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v

2416. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Shrader <dshrader@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3728ED83.824422B4@earthlink.net>
Source record: 144421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Come on!! CW and MCW are modes that carry the understanding that the
method will be international Morse code.

W6RCecilA wrote:

> Gord Skiffington wrote:
> > Morse - Is a mode ...
>
> Funny, Chapter 8 of "The FCC Rule Book" lists all the modes
> available to the Amateur Radio Service and none of those modes
> is Morse. I see CW, MCW, Phone, Image, RTTY, Data, Pulse, SS,
> and Test, but no Morse.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2417. Re: New scanner regulations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3728D2EC.5FB84B6D@uswest.net>
Source record: 144422

Well,
I LIVE IN THE U.S. and I DO CARE!!!!!

Further regulation of the scanners and other radio equipment here can cause even those with the legal privileges of licensing some big problems....

Besides, unless they start encrypting the data, I figure that any radio signals easily demodulated are public domain.

Hawke

Hugh wrote:

> Barry from Australia scribed:
>
> > I am discusted at the US governments
> > plans to regulate radio scanners further.
>
> Barry --- we in the USA don't give a rip how you feel about
> what the FCC does. Mind your own damned business.

2418. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728d9fc.941099@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144423
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

And how do you determine whether or not I see all I want to see?I
believe that is MY decision to make.Who appointed you as 'Governor'
over what amount of anything someone should see?You either mis-read my
original post or are a damned fool...which is it?

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 23:34:20 GMT, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net>
wrote:

>Joe wrote in message <37278f5f.6034546@news.mindspring.com>...
>
>>WHO GIVES A SHIT????I see all this crap I want on the NEWS!!!!
>>
>
>
>No you don't. What you see on the "news" is the misleading, inaccurate, self
>serving political views of the liberal media.
>
>When it comes to guns, what the media reports and what the truth is are two
>different things...
>
>73 de KF6KNB
>
>
>
>

2419. Radio for Kosovo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kwp@rai.ping.at
Message-ID: <7Foma4pV-jB@rai.ping.at>
Source record: 144458

Austrian Radio has started a special programme in Serbian, Albanian, English, and German, targeted towards Southeast-Europe, trying to provide comprehensive and unbiased information and information of a humanitarian kind - provided by Red Cross a.o. (Austria is an independent, neutral democratic country, partner of neither NATO nor the /former/ communist bloc - forgive me, but not everybody is aware of our background).
Daily transmissions are 1800-2300 UTC on medium wave 1.476 and short wave 5.945
Should anybody in the target area read this information: please send a recetion report to: roi.intermedia@orf.at. If you feel that the programe output is biased, not based on proven facts etc.: please let us know. Our only purpose is to be an impartial and helpful source of information in a propaganda war wedged on both sides.

73 de Wolf OE1WHC

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2420. Re: Alinco HF rig to repel codeless HAMS next ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g88gg$6dg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7g7i18har1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Does it work on close-talking hams at flea markets ?
>
> The perfect H-T for Field Day? Just when you thought modern
> H-Ts had included just about every feature conceivable, along comes
> Alinco with its new DJ-195T that includes--get this--an experimental
> "mosquito repel" feature. Alinco USA Branch Manager Katsumi Nakata,
> KE6RD, says the unit emits an electronic tone to keep the annoying
> insects away from the vicinity of the radio. "It's a feature we added just
> for fun," Nakata said. "The mosquito repel feature could make the
> DJ-195T the first radio capable of de-bugging a Field Day operating
> position," he added with a smile. (Hmmm. Was that announcement dated
> April 1?) Other unusual DJ-195T features include a theft alarm that can be
> set to sound when the unit is removed from an external power source,
> such as in a vehicle. Alinco Sales Manager Doug Wynn, KB6YZD, said
> the new features reflect input gathered directly from hams. The company
> also has just announced its new DJ-V5T dualband compact, 5-W H-T.
>

Hmmm..An HT that repels insects....Hmmm...BUT will they make one that kills dandelions and poison ivy? AND What will happen when the surviving bugs evolve to be tone deaf? There are already lots of bugs who can't carry a tune. BTW seriously what frequency(s) are the bug tones? Although above the range of human hearing, those tones might call dogs that bite worse than the mosquitos. Do you know that some bugs can emit tones to attract mates by rubbing their feet? People who omit smells by rubbing their feet, on the other hand, can repel people. You can try this on Field Day if your HT gets blocked by another HT that is within too close a range. It works even without an Alinco HT! PLEASE keep thinking, Hams need more classes...perhaps maybe Exterminator class? I never met a ham I didn't like, Bob Wex w2ilp (Insects Love Picnics) -- .- -..- .. --
---

Big fleas have little fleas on their backs to bite 'em,
And little fleas have littler fleas and so on ad infanitum!
--?--

There they go using Hams as guinea pigs. If the mosquito chasing tones are a success for Hams, they will add them to laptop computers for sure and the Hams won't get any royalties.
--w2ilp--

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2421. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g87et$bl5$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144460
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <37279286.C7D@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>Timothy Hynde wrote:
>>
>> >
>> > You can get a Technician class license without the code you know. Since
>> >1991, you just get no HF with it. I went for my General upgrade tests
>> >yesterday, passed the written, failed the code. Oh well, just have to
>> practice
>> >a little more on the code and soon I'll pass it.

First of all learn to quote, *I* wrote the above NOT Timothy.

>My friend had to take the code test to get his Technician license. A few
>weeks later, the code requirement was dropped. Boy was he MAD!
>
>Don't make the same mistake, code will be dropped on all classes at that
>next world conference. Unless you actually WANT to learn code because
>you will actually USE it, then by all means keep practicing.

I do not wish to WAIT to get my General privileges so I'm continuing to
work on my code. It could be another year or more before any restructuring
takes place. Why wait? Will I USE code? Probably not, it doesn't interest me.
But to get my General I HAVE to pass the 13. I passed the General written this
pass Sunday but failed the 13, my practicing continues...

73,
Tom

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tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2422. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7g87id$bl5$2@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <8AB0282B8C2DF507.FF6E0126FA615662.32D0DD944C35E163@library-proxy.airnews.net>,
"BungHole" <bung@hole.org> wrote:
>I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going around =
>between
>old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.

Don't let a few "elitist" types ruin your interest. There's a few "loads" in
every hobby. There are LOTS of friendly hams out there from ALL over the
world. Go for it and see for yourself.

Tom

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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2423. Re: David Letterman and Amateur Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n8blk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990428201142.02373.00000017@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 144462

In article <7g115b$rh0$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, "OBT1"
<ObtuseOne@yahoo.com> writes:

>Doesn't David have a license??

The David Letterman on Telivision isn't a ham.
-art clemons-

2424. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <7yNV2.3060$NG2.559324@news2.mia>
Source record: 144463
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Joe,

What you have seen on television is incorrect. I guess you think that cussing at me will stop me, or anyone else for that matter, from expressing our views in this or any other forum. Trust me, I've been called much worse. BTW, does 42 count as being an *old fart* (:-] I'll let the group decide.

Regards,

Arnie-
KT4ST

Joe wrote in message <372797a6.8154499@news.mindspring.com>...
Eat shit you old fart!!!If you want to discuss current events,go to an appropriate list or take it to direct E-mail!!!!THIS is NOT the forum for discussing Child MURDER!!!

2425. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990428203939.17892.00000062@ng68.aol.com>
Source record: 144464

>The OO that sent that notice
>was close to the ham he sent it to, if I understand correctly.

>I've never had an OO
>report but I know quite a few over the years that have gotten them. 70%
>should have never been sent of the ones I know about.

>but I've seen many that were nothing but a nuisance to
>all involved.

>Like the case of the OO sending non-id notices to a pack of
>hams using automatic cw id devices. That in itself makes me wonder about
>the level of experience needed to be a OO. :/ MK

All of your cited "evidence" here is no more than anecdotal.

> Those really wanted to play radio police more than
>anything.

And this is an opinion, based upon the earlier, unsubstantiated heresay.

Do you have deep seated fears of authority?

2426. SF Bay Area Swap Meet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtien@aracnet.com
Message-ID: <7g8a43$dg6$1@spitting-spider.aracnet.com>
Source record: 144465

Hi,

Can anyone tell me where the swap meet will be this coming weekend? I recalled it's eityer Livermore or Foothill, but I could never tell which one comes up first.

Thanks in advance.

Joe

2427. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7g8bc7$a8v$0@208.207.71.154>
Source record: 144466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BungHole wrote:
>
> I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going around between
> old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.

Probably just as well. Your "handle" works much better on 27
mHz...

2428. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g8dof$4uh@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144467

Tony Pelliccio <nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>> Whiner <whiner@crybaby.com> wrote:

>> >Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the
>> >first place as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.

>> But can you build the radio that's attached to that microphone? I can
>> surely build the radio that's attached to my key (and did do so).

>Hey, with a relay, small audio transformer and a nine volt battery I can
>make a pretty awful spark gap. As a kid I built this little device out of
>curiosity - one of these days I should build it again and measure the
>current and voltage coming out of that thing.. I used it as a shock box
>but now realize the RF spikes must have been phenomenal.

Cute idea, using the relay as an "interrupter" to get pulsed DC to
the primary of the transformer! 73, Jeff KH6O

2429. Re: Eliminate Geek Theory as Well as Morse Code; Focus on Operations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g8er4$5t2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144468

Spirit of '76 <nospam@anytime.com> wrote:

>2. I am sure a lot of hams tinker with gear, and some even build from
>scratch. But the fact is that very few do so as a percentage of total US
>ham population. Same thing with CW. Why make it a requirement when it is
>clearly unpopular?

"Clearly unpopular"? Tune across the HF bands -- do a rough count of the
QSO that you hear, both phone and CW. You'll find that about 50% of the
QSOs are done using CW.

>3. Ham Radio Mag, etc. Great old mag. I subscribed in the 70s/early 80s.
>Again, nothing wrong with tinkering, but it is hardly a reason to demand
>potential hams learn a bunch of, well, trivia, that has no bearing on the
>core of the hobby, PUBLIC SERVICE.

See below.

>The main point of my post was to get the notion out there that the point of
>ham radio is to COMMUNICATE, not exclude people based on their ability to
>master irrelevant trivia.

It's not up to you, Joe, to determine what's necessary and what's not
in regards to the requirements. The purpose of the Amateur Radio
Service is clearly spelled out in our charter:

97.1 Basis and purpose.
The rules and regulations in this Part are designed to provide an amateur
radio service having a fundamental purpose as expressed in the following
principles:
(a) Recognition and enhancement of the value of the amateur service to the
public as a voluntary noncommercial communication service, particularly with
respect to providing emergency communications.
(b) Continuation and extension of the amateur's proven ability to contribute
to the advancement of the radio art.
(c) Encouragement and improvement of the amateur service through rules which
provide for advancing skills in both the communications and technical phases
of the art.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio service of
trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
(e) Continuation and extension of the amateur's unique ability to enhance
international goodwill.

That ain't Chinese take-out, where you get to pick and choose those
principles above which you like, and disregard those you don't. Being

communicators is only one of several aspects of the Service that the FCC desires we participate in.

(One wonders how a Tech satisfies 91.1(e)...)

73, Joe.
Jeff KH6O

2430. Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7g8ltfhbd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Why is it even called TOP BAND ? There are much lower bands today that are a CHALLENGE, like 136 and 170 kHz. A KW is no CHALLENGE. Guess these toadies still say "the wok bands" when they mean 17 meters. Oh, that's right, then these old guys would need to spend money on a new rig, this way they're safe by declaring what is no longer the top, the top......

I was very shocked and sad to hear of the passing of my friend Peter.
We first worked on 160 about 25 years ago. I had the honor of meeting Peter and and his family when he visited me in the late 1970's. Over the years we had many enjoyable QSO's on Top Band.

Peter was a very friendly and kind gentleman! He had a true love for 160 and it's many challenges! Through his good deeds, he did much to promote Top Band over the years to the level we enjoy today!

I will miss you Dear Friend, Peter

<Did you cry, phoney ? God sakes how many times will these dorks post the same euology ?? What a friend, you met him in person ONCE 25 years ago. Why not more often if you liked him so much ? Need to go meet other "friends" for their one time, so you were busy ?>

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2431. New FCC email address for ham complaints

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7g8kna$a6h@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144470
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
April 28, 1999
Report No. 99-16
COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION ACTION -- FCC ANNOUNCES IMPROVED PROCEDURES FOR COMPLAINTS ABOUT AMATEUR RADIO
The FCC today announced that it has adopted new, improved procedures for persons to use the internet to file amateur radio service complaints with the FCC. Effective immediately, amateur radio service complaints should be sent by electronic mail to the following internet address:
fccham@fcc.gov
Alternatively, complaints can also be mailed to:
Compliance & Information Bureau
ATTN: Amateur Radio Complaints
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania 17325
At the same time, the FCC said that effective immediately, it is discontinuing the telephone number designated for amateur radio complaints, 202-418-1184, and will rely exclusively on the internet system, with the mail back-up. Complaints that have already been made by telephone prior to this notice will be acted upon, and persons who have left messages on the Amateur Complaint line number will receive return calls by Commission staff. However, in the future, that number will not be available for complaints.
- FCC -

2432. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: maddog@io.com
Message-ID: <3727d3f9.225339138@news.io.com>
Source record: 144471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 18:22:42 -0400, "The Conqueror"
<joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
>if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
>think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
>in ham radio either. And if you want to say it is for security, you are not
>allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.

Hi ,Dan!

Well, in just a few short days, you've managed to create quite a stir
with your question (wink) ... 19 replies so far, and I bet it ain't
over yet. I've noticed in the past, that nothing gets things stirred
up quite so much as code and licensing issues. Anyway, well done!

I'd like to make an observation about human nature. [Now, please
understand, I'm not talking about you. Heck, you asked a question,
and you seem to be the best example of an open mind I've seen in this
thread so far.] Anyway, I've noticed that when my mind is made up
ahead of time, it tends to adopt as its purpose to support that
decision in any and every way it can. And once that purpose is
established, it will endeavor to interpret everything I hear and see
as evidence I am "right". It doesn't make me right, mind you, but
it's a mighty temptation to judge everything and everybody as either
threatening or supportive, with no gray area between.

So whenever I encounter myself feeling defensive (or offensive) about
a subject, I suspect I've pre-determined how I want things to be, or
how I want things to come out. And that's a warning signal to me that
my mind is pretty much closed. For me, the warning flags went up when
I though somebody might threaten my beloved CW.

But on re-examination, I think both "sides" can find common ground.
We don't necessarily need code proficiency tests for everyone to prove
they can do it ahead of time. Nobody's going to get on the air
sending morse when they only know 12 letters of the alphabet. So,
maybe just a sampling of questions on the written tests, concerning
the use of the mode, would be in order - to show an understanding of
the mode and its operating procedures, for those who have the
potential for using CW. Same would apply to voice, digital modes,
repeaters, satellites, anything that has significant usage on the ham
bands.

After that, it's up to us avid CW fans to promote and expose the positive and rewarding aspects of the mode (and there are many). We haven't done a good job of that thus far, maybe as a result of being so defensive.

As for actually learning CW, when I think about it (at least for me), the fastest part of the learning curve was when I was practicing it "on-the-air", without the pressure of "having to pass a test". It also happened to be the time that I really learned to love it.

Come on, folks - both pro and con - let's look for new viewpoints, consider them with an open mind, and see if we can't make the amateur service even more fun and more friendly than it already is.

73,
monty N5FC

2433. wtb rohn 25 in TX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5swi@flash.net
Message-ID: <3727e75e.95354277@news>
Source record: 144472

I need 5 10' sections of used but decent condition Rohn 25 tower
sections. I will consider removing the tower or units on the ground.
Please email quality and price to kc5swi@home.com
73
Thankyou
kc5swi <Cole>

2434. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <6A8397CA9E3CDDC0.CD65040DC56D2FBF.9C2A6A0EA1809A69@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hehe :)

: Probably just as well. Your "handle" works much better on 27
: mHz...

2435. Re: Gun "Control"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gbdc9tlb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3724B7AD.6BBD6FFA@innocent.com>,
Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:
> To agree, as ILP seems to do, that it is a good thing for the
> government to have a monopoly on effective deadly force, one must be
> assuming that the government is 1) overwhelmingly benevolent, and 2)
> likely to remain so forever.

Nah.. The government can never have a monopoly...because, as Cecil says, I still have butcher knives. Besides my idea for mandatory gun insurance would take a lot of the enforcement of gun control out of the government's hands and place it in the hands of competetive private insurance companies. AND any government that has command of an Army to defend itself will always be potentially more deadly than all civilian citizens even if the civilians have guns, because civilians will never have as many tanks and war planes. The more modern a nation becomes the harder it becomes to rebel against it and take over by force.

> In my view, neither assumption is warranted by the facts.

Nor are your assumptions warrented by anything but paranoia IMHO. No offense taken...but I myself would rather trust the government of the USA than a lunatic with a gun. I would risk the concept of calling 911 and expecting to get help from a benevolent policeman. Noone can live forever so I can't worry about any governments of the future being any less benevolent to law abiding citizens. I am optimistic that future governments will be more benevolent than present ones anyway. That is because our present government is IMHO more benovelent than some of our past governments.

I dunno for sure what the best solution would be but the facts are that there are more gun related killings and accidents in the USA than in all other industrial nations combined.

> Happy Interneting,

Enjoy!

> Kevin, WB4AIO.
> --
Bob, W2ILP (Intelligent Laws Protect)

Where law ends...Tyranny begins.
---William Pitt--

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2436. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gba1l$37j$1@208.207.71.160>
Source record: 144225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:
>

> The treaty itself has provisions specifying exactly how certain sections
> can be ignored. Japan has taken advantage of those provisions.

Yep. Itty bitty HF band segments where nocoders can
transmit a whopping 10 watts ERP. WHOOPIE!!!

I might even go along with that here.

2437. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gbagk$37j$2@208.207.71.160>
Source record: 144226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BungHole wrote:
>
> No, I want to be on HAM but I've already decided not to kiss these people's asses
> and I've also decided that I can't wait for these old trailer trash farts who think they are radio's
> gift to the universe to die of old age.
>
> : No one is forcing anyone to join the ranks of amateur radio, or to stay. It's a free world.

No, you don't want to be a ham, or you WOULD be one, or
working on it. You want to be a nocode whiner who thinks you
can talk the FCC into giving you all the bennies without any
of the work Just like so many more here on this useless NG.
Can you spell Cracker Jacks boxes?

2438. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gbaq4$37j$3@208.207.71.160>
Source record: 144227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BungHole wrote:
>
> These guys just don't get it do they?
> Hello!
> No Speaka de english?
> Do you comprende?Understand!
> Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world

You COULD try spending your time properly-like NOT posting
here and doing your study instead. DUH!

to learn some useless
> outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little hobby.

Now WHY in the world would you ever want to waste all your
$valuable time on some "useless litle hobby" anyway, busy
fella that you are?

> We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs

Nope. You never hear me bitching about losing hams. Got too
many like you already

but you are unwilling to make
> the changes to get more HAMs,

Yeah we sure to need more non-ham hams. Right!!

>so either shut up or learn to bend.

So shut up and learn to send - and receive. dit dit.
>
> :If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.

2439. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <37293597.677C@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir wrote:
>
> > > In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
> > > want to".
>
> Better yet, "I shouldn't have to take the time to learn something I will
> never use."
>
> Let's force everyone to learn how to play the harp before they are
> allowed to drive a car. Those who do not like harp music we will call
> lazy.

Let's force everyone to learn math skills before graduating from high
schools. Those who do not like math, we will call "dropouts".

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2440. solar report in Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7gbd49qov1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 144229
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,fido.belg.ham,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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The latest solar and geomagnetic activity report as Morse code audio
files can be accessed / downloaded in MIDI-format at the DTC web site:

at 12 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/wx290499.mid
at 30 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/swx29499.mid

For the full text version look at http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html
clicking on the line with ONDREJOV in the left frame.

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |
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2441. my TS 850 transmits elsewhere :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: turner@rome.ics.uci.edu
Message-ID: <9904292308.aa14483@paris.ics.uci.edu>
Source record: 144230

Thanks again to all who gave me hints and info about my
TS 850 problem. I have decided to ship it out for service,
just don't have a lot of time to diagnose and fix lately.
Anyone else who wants to follow along should email me and
I will let you know when the service is complete and find
what the problem was!

Clark
WA3JPG

2442. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <L0cW2.12711$B55.628760@dfiatx1-snr1>
Source record: 144231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Joe wrote in message <3728d9fc.941099@news.mindspring.com>...

>And how do you determine whether or not I see all I want to see?

Easy. I would imagine that you, like most people, would wish to know the whole truth. However, if you are seeing only what is presented on the news, then you are seeing only a small, carefully manipulated piece of the issue.

>I believe that is MY decision to make.Who appointed you as 'Governor'
>over what amount of anything someone should see?

I never attempted that role. If that is how you interpreted my comments, I would suggest your reaction is most likely a result of your personal defense mechanisms. My comment was simply pointing out that by relying on the news for all your information, you were not receiving the whole story regarding the issue.

(Therefore, your opinion on the issue would have to be greatly discounted due to your lack of access to all of the facts necessary to form a valid opinion.)

>You either mis-read my original post or are a damned fool...which is it?

I guess I must be a "damned fool" for thinking you might wish to enlighten yourself to the whole truth of the matter, rather than limit yourself to the mis-information presented by the media... I apologize for my mistake.

73,

<<< Dan >>>

>On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 23:34:20 GMT, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@usa.net>
>wrote:
>
>>Joe wrote in message <37278f5f.6034546@news.mindspring.com>...
>>
>>>WHO GIVES A SHIT????I see all this crap I want on the NEWS!!!!
>>>
>>
>>
>>No you don't. What you see on the "news" is the misleading, inaccurate,
self
>>serving political views of the liberal media.
>>
>>When it comes to guns, what the media reports and what the truth is are
two

>>different things...
>>
>>73 de KF6KNB

2443. Re: KNOW code versus NO code (Was: No Coders Get Started Now)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markj <markj@got.net>
Message-ID: <37295790.3CAD2B2A@got.net>
Source record: 144232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

W6RCecilA wrote:

> Dave Heil wrote:
> > The batter swings and misses. Yer out!
>
> How about simply explaining how a person can generate International
> Morse Code without any commercial spark-gap equipment. The argument
> was about this statement: "... the generation of a signal in times
> of dire circumstances requires no more than creating an arc and some
> type of antenna system." Nobody has convinced me that a copyable
> signal can be generated by shorting out a storage battery.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Sorry...I just did it.
I took a car battery and hooked the +lead to the antenna.....
I then held the antenna in one hand and my code chart in the other....
My sister DID hear my screams and smelled my burning tounge...
She called my mom....
Mom called the police.

The doctor says I will be able to speak in about a month.

But seee...It worked...I got help.

2444. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3732594f.292929445@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Apr 99 18:09:40 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:
> The CW written was fill in, which makes it harder if you don't copy enough.
>I didn't copy enough info to pass it. My MAIN problem was that they sent the
>code at about 17-18wpm but the spaceing was a bit wider than I practiced.
>Now if I was copying fine at 13 home and they send at 16-18, that's a problem
>to me. If people are practiceing at 13 home and they go for this test and hear
>it sent FASTER most will probably fail, unless they can copy 18-20wpm home
>first. I agree about your comment on it shouldn't stop me from
>upgrading but that's the way it is right now so.....I'll keep at it. I'm not
>waiting for the restructureing, who knows when that will take place.

You might want to check with different VE teams in your area. It
seems that most W5YI teams use the actual Morse Code on their
exams while ARRL teams use the Farnsworth Code. Sounds like
you got one of the latter. One of my co-workers ran into this problem
too. He was flawless at 5 WPM Morse Code copy during practice
sessions, but when he sat the exam they were using Farnsworth Code
and he couldn't copy that at all. He was very upset by that, and was
considering giving up. I pointed him to a VE group which uses the
actual Morse Code and he passed with a perfect score.

If we're going to have a Morse Code test, we should actually use
Morse Code and not some bastard code with different parameters.
(Morse is a timing code with five symbols, alter the timing ratios
of some of the symbols and you have a different code.)

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2445. Re: Idiot could have crashed plane. Most likely a ham.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37336059.294732170@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144234

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 18:36:30 GMT, jim@rst-engr.com (Jim Weir) wrote:
>ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>shared these priceless pearls of wisdom:
>
>->However, there is a technical solution to the ATC problem.
>->We could replace the AM radios with cryptographically
>->secure spread spectrum radios. Then it would be virtually
>->impossible to effectively jam or spoof them. The technology
>->to do this has been available for over two decades, and has
>->become a consumer item in this decade. But people would
>->rather pass a feel good law than to implement a real solution.
>
>Gary --
>
>Technically you are absolutely correct, and "some day" what you propose
>will come to pass. However, I think you are very aware of the political
>issues involved, which rarely lend themselves to decent solutions. The
>prime political problem is how to have everybody, everywhere switch to the
>new system at the same stroke of the clock. This isn't one of those "phase
>it in at different locations slowly" tricks. The airplane at JFK this
>morning will be in Paris late this afternoon. If you don't change the
>whole world at once, you wind up causing more trouble than you cure. And,
>there are some third world countries that are still using WWII surplus
>stuff as their front line ATC comm equipment.
>
>One answer is to take the soon-obsolete 108-118 NAV band and create a whole
>new subset of COM frequencies in that band as a transition method.
>Continue to use the current 118-137 COM band, AM mode for ten or twenty
>years, but with a phase-in to the new system. Put the new system on 10
>kHz. spacing and you will have easily as many channels as you have now.
>Simulcast your transmissions on both systems for ten or twenty years to
>give the world a chance to catch up and there you have it.

Yep, it *is* a phase it in at different locations situation. With SS, a separate band isn't necessary, however. The two sorts can overlay each other. I'd also suggest that for *commerical* airlines and major airports, the speed with which things could be changed could be much more rapid. It wouldn't require that Pedro flying a DC-3 out of some grass strip buy a new radio right away, but the airlines flying in and out of major airports can afford to buy new radios capable of both sorts of modulation (a similiar situation to cellphones where digital phones have to be able to fall back to analog because not all areas support digital yet). Those who don't have secure radios would be restricted from flying into airspace that requires them. That's no different than restricting aircraft without encoding transponders from flying into air space requiring one.

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2446. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925461143.001.20@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote in message news:3728F3DE.3D0F@sir.com...
> Some people want to get into the hobby of radio to talk on the radio.
> They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
> the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the
license
> to go ahead and use voice.
>
> Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

That's why there's a no-code tech license. What's the beef?

It appears we've gone completely full circle again.

Michael.

2447. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925461530.392.65@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144236

160m. I think it got its name from the old radios where the freq. was inscribed in the top band of numbers. I could be wrong; this is the fiction I made up for myself to explain why the bottom would be called the top.

Michael.

Joe <unit77@mynet.net> wrote in message news:3728de0f.1983872@news.mindspring.com...
> Apparantly I missed part of this thread.All I am curious about
> is...what is TOP BAND refering to?I have been in Amateur Radio for 9
> years and have never heard of a TOP BAND.

2448. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <37298565.596D@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

BungHole wrote:
>
> These guys just don't get it do they?
> Hello!
> No Speaka de english?
> Do you comprende?Understand!
> Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some useless
> outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little hobby.
> We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to make
> the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.
>
> :If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.

I guess you don't plan to partake in the fun of this "stupid little
hobby" then. Either shut up or learn to SEND (and receive).

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2449. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37346565.296024710@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144238

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 22:40:21 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>Are you joking or just stupid?I dont enjoy paying taxes but if not for
>taxes,where would the money come from fo public education,road
>construction etc....JEEZ,what an idiotic statement!!!!

User fees. Ever hear of toll roads and private schools? Pay for
what you use, and don't expect a subsidy from those who don't.
There are a few things which don't fit the user fee model, defense
for example, but most things government has usurped can be
done on the fee for service model.

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2450. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3735680e.296705477@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 21:22:43 GMT, sco@sco-inc.com wrote:
>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 21:42:42 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> wrote:
>
>>Bob,
>>
>>They were in possession of two pistol grip shotguns, a semi-automatic AK-47
>>wannabe rifle, and a 9mm semi automatic pistol with approximately 100 rounds
>>stored in additional pre-loaded magazines. (10 rounds divided into a
>>hundred means about 10 extra magazines) They also had numerous homemade
>>pipe bombs. Sounds like a lot, but we have to divide the weaponry by at
>>least two persons. A typical drive-by shooting involves (less the bombs)
>>more firepower than this.
>>
>>Now, no argument here that these weapons were *more* than enough to cause
>>*more* than enough heartache and destruction and I'm definitely not
>>defending these two [enter your own descriptive adjective here], But I've
>>seen it reported in a few other places (media) that they were heavily armed
>>with automatic weapons. (just not accurate).
>>
>
>most people have no idea what an automatic weapon really is.most do
>not know that you can legally purchase a full auto gun if you pay the
>$200 federal fee. Clinton's crime bill did not do anything to stop
>this crime either. It just meant that they [the shooters] had to carry
>more 10 round magazines than if they had 14-18 round magazines. 10
>magazines is just 5 apiece, not much really. In reality they were
>lightly armed and it was the police and SWAT teams who were the
>cowards and the main reason so many died.

I don't think the latter statement is accurate. Hadn't most of the
killing already occurred by the time SWAT arrived? In general,
by the time the police arrive, the damage has already been done.
That's why you can't depend on the police to protect you. Their
job is to clean up afterward.

You need to be able to defend yourself at the moment of attack.
What the police do later is of little consequence if you're already
a victim. They can draw a chalk outline of your body, but that's
little comfort to you. It's better if it is the attacker's body that
they're drawing the chalk outline around. It is unpleasant to look
down at the body of someone whose life you have taken, but it
is infinitely better than the alternative.

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2451. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <37298a92.14338495@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 10:26:45 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>
>> :If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>
>I guess you don't plan to partake in the fun of this "stupid little
>hobby" then. Either shut up or learn to SEND (and receive).

Are you really that dumb Dave? Do you really think that your
stupid code requirement is going to last more than a few more years?
Wake up and smell the coffee (or tea if you prefer).

Or is it that you think dispite the fact according to hams
themselves 73% percent of them choose to say that CW is rarely or
never used by them, that CW is the Be all and end all of fun in Ham
radio? If you really think so, then I suspect you demented. I ahve a
good time without Morse Code in ham radio. yeah I'd have an even
better time if the dumber requirements in the ARS were consigend to
the ash heap of history, but I and others are working on that
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2452. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11935bac336884ca98968d@news.vais.net>
Source record: 144241
Cross-posted to: alt.fan.karl-malden.nose,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3728de0f.1983872@news.mindspring.com>, unit77@mynet.net
mumbled...
--> Apparantly I missed part of this thread.All I am curious about
--> is...what is TOP BAND refering to?I have been in Amateur Radio for 9
--> years and have never heard of a TOP BAND.

Frank Zappa had a TOP BAND, especially the era when George Duke was a
member.

-->
-->
-->
--> On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 04:07:13 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
-->
--> >Why is it even called TOP BAND ? There are much lower bands today that are a
--> >CHALLENGE, like 136 and 170 kHz. A KW is no CHALLENGE. Guess these toadies
--> >still say "the wok bands" when they mean 17 meters. Oh, that's right, then
--> >these old guys would need to spend money on a new rig, this way they're safe
--> >by declaring what is no longer the top, the top......
--> >
--> >
--> >I was very shocked and sad to hear of the passing of my friend Peter.
--> >We first worked on 160 about 25 years ago. I had the honor of meeting Peter
--> >and and his family when he visited me in the late 1970's. Over the years we
--> >had many enjoyable QSO's on Top Band.
--> >
--> > Peter was a very friendly and kind gentleman! He had a true love for
--> >160 and it's many challenges! Through his good deeds, he did much to promote
--> >Top Band over the years to the level we enjoy today!
--> >
--> > I will miss you Dear Friend, Peter
--> >
--> >
--> ><Did you cry, phoney ? God sakes how many times will these dorks post the
--> >same euology ?? What a friend, you met him in person ONCE 25 years ago. Why
--> >not more often if you liked him so much ? Need to go meet other "friends" for
--> >their one time, so you were busy ?>
--> >
--> >-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
--> >http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm

2453. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@geocities.kb9rqz.com
Message-ID: <372991df.16207406@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 03:08:01 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <7g8ltfhbd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> Why is it even called TOP BAND ? There are much lower bands today that are a
>> CHALLENGE, like 136 and 170 kHz. A KW is no CHALLENGE. Guess these toadies
>> still say "the wok bands" when they mean 17 meters. Oh, that's right, then
>> these old guys would need to spend money on a new rig, this way they're safe
>> by declaring what is no longer the top, the top......
>
>
>Holy cow, you mean there are still hams who don't contest ? Are there more of
>you ??

Indeed there are still hams that don't contest. I don't, except for
feild day because I do support when my friends even when I think they
are being silly
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2454. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5065-37298DFF-3@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144243

N A Z I !!!!!!!!

Time to end this damn thread.....

2455. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <7gc67h$q5p@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 144244
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1999 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
last updated April 28, 1999 |

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

MAY 1999

May 1 (Sat), Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee Radio Club Swapfest, Info: Joe Holly, AA9HR, 1702 Holly Ln., Grafton, WI 53024, 414-377-2137

May 2 (Sun), Sandwich, IL - Kishwaukee Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Sandwich Fairgrounds. Admission $?. Ends at 2 PM. Talk-in 146.73 MHz. Info: Bob Yurs W9ICU, phone 815-895-3219, email: w9icu@tbcnet.com. (Nice mid-sized hamfest out in country. Lots of tailgating. Few commercial exhibitors. Always a good time. Fairly good restroom facilities - AJ9S).

May 14, 15, 16 (Fri - Sun) - Dayton, OH. Dayton HamVention. See http://www.hamvention.org

May 15 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). | Dupage County Fairgrounds. |

May 16 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale | (see below). orland Park Civic Center. |

JUNE 1999

Jun 6 (Sun), Princeton, IL - Starved Rock RC. info: Frank Carraro, KF9NZ, PO Box 198, Leonore, IL 61332/ 815-856-3773. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/ E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 13 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Dupage County Fairgrounds. Six Meter Club of Chicago. Gates open 7 AM, buildings 8 AM. | Tickets $6 at the gate. No booze. Recorded InfoLine: 312- | 442-4961. VE testing 9 - 11 AM only. Call InfoLine to | preregister for testing. info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109

Blackburn Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. tel. 630- | 963-4922.

Jun 13 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale | (see below). orland Park Civic Center.

JULY 1999

Jul 11 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Kankakee Area Radio Society. Will County fairgrounds. Admission $5 at the gate. Take I-57 to Peotone Exit 327 (east). 146.94 MHz (-600) talk-in. info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. tel. 815-939-7548, E-mail: k9nr@juno.com. http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/5711 For Reserved Tables and Advanced Tickets, send check (payable to KARS) and S.A.S.E. to: CHIP MOORE, K9IOC, 289 S. Euclid Ave. Bradley, IL 60915, E-Mail: chipm@megsinet.net or to BILL DESALVO, W9OQW, 403 Birch Dr., Shorewood, IL 60431. 815-744-5099.

Jul 18 (Sun), Sugar Grove, IL. Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. For tables, tickets, and information: contact N9UZC James E. Von Olnhausen, n9uzc@amsat.org, (630)-879-3042, FRRL, Box 673, Batavia, IL 60510-0673. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html (good, small to midsized hamfest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 1999

Aug 7 (Sat) - Quincy, IL. Western Illinois Amateur Radio Club Ham Radio and Computer SWAPFEST 1999. 8:00AM to 2:00PM. The Eagles Alps Grounds (3737 North 5th Street) 4.5 miles north of downtown Quincy with easy access from US Highway 24. Admission $3.00 at the Gate ($2.50 in advance) per person, under 12 - Free. ARRL VEC testing for all license classes at 12:30PM. Indoor Flea Market space available for $5.00 which includes one 5' table. Outdoor tailgating space - Free. Talk-in on 147.63/147.03 MHz. Plenty of convenient parking available. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Children's playground area. For additional information contact N9JF, jfunk@adams.net

Aug 8 (Sun), Peotone, IL - Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. E-mail: nf9n@aol.com. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 14 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). | Dupage County Fairgrounds. |

Aug 29 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. Talk-in: 146.52 Simplex. info:

Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/. Tickets: Advance With Double Stub $4.00 - At Gate $5.00 Single Stub - $6.00 With Double Stub . Exhibit Building: 8:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. Table Rental: $14.00 For 8' Table. Flea Market: 6:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. No Additional Charge For Flea Market Space Info (708) 944-0500. Fax (847) 658-1678. (fairly good, small to mid sized ham-fest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1999

Sept 25, 26 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

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2456. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37299d3b.1757971@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Are you saying EVERY minute of EVERY day you are busy learning/doing
something that is of the utmost importance to your future?You dont
watch TV?Do you have any hobbies?How much time do you spend on the
internet trying,in vain,to justify your incorrect feelings about the
CW requirements? CW is part of it and if you have a problem with
that,learn to play another musical instrument and leave the ARS to
those who choose to follow the rules.I dont agree with all the rules
but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 19:34:05 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>Joe wrote:
>>
>> If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>
>But why waste those 10-15 minutes a day to learn something you will
>never use and only forget?
>
>It may take only 10-15 minutes a day to learn how to play the harp, why
>don't you do that? Perhaps because you don't WANT to play the harp?
>Then I will call you LAZY.

2457. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <37299f77.2330086@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I dont know who placed a gun to your head and forced you to persue the
Amateur Radio hobby,but you should,when he isnt paying attention,run
like hell!!!YOU arent needed or wanted in Amateur Radio!!!You are ,by
far,a much too busy man to have another hobby..:>)

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 21:31:30 -0500, "BungHole" <bung@hole.org> wrote:

>These guys just don't get it do they?
>Hello!
>No Speaka de english?
>Do you comprende?Understand!
>Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some =
>useless
>outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little =
>hobby.
>We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to =
>make
>the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.
>
>:If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>
>

2458. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3729a0d4.2678378@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 10:53:02 GMT, konstans@one-eleven.net (Mark
Morgan) wrote:

>On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 10:26:45 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
>wrote:
>
>>
>>> :If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>>
>>I guess you don't plan to partake in the fun of this "stupid little
>>hobby" then. Either shut up or learn to SEND (and receive).
>
> Are you really that dumb Dave? Do you really think that your
>stupid code requirement is going to last more than a few more years?
There is the solution!!!Come back in a few years when that
happens.Until then,quit crying like the spoiled little boy you
obviously are.

2459. Re: A new ham that needs help from a CBer?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3729a1fb.2973675@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144248

Eat shit and die!!!Who the hell appointed you 'group policeman'?If you
dont want to read my posts...duh!!!!...dont read them!!!

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 19:11:33 -0700, "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org> wrote:

>Your attitude has betrayed you sir. My curiosity was aroused so I decided to do a little
>checking to confirm my suspicions. Your comments to Joseph were not in the Amateur spirit
>and I see others have taken offense as I have. Please seek more suitable pastures to
>unleash your hostilities in the future. Thank you.
>
>Joe wrote:
>
>> And why are you concerned as to where I post?I dont believe it is any
>> of your business.
>

2460. Re: LIMARC: "a chance to show hams as 'normal' people."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3729a26e.3088330@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Letterman is an idiot!!! Leno RULES!!!!!

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 02:25:51 GMT, w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>In article <7gacp7$1la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> In article <7g7ins$i1p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
>> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> >
>> No replies, just as I suspected. Not even Letterman fans care about ham radio.
>>
>> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>That is what happens when you post to too many NGs. Please read my reply in
>to message 1 on your thread in r.r.a.p.
>73,
>Bob Wex w2ilp (Ignore Letterman Policy?)
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2461. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3729a3a7.3401403@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144250

Oh yes.VERY practicle.Take a gallon of quarters when you go for a
Sunday drive...This is the most idiotic idea ever!!!...Thanks for the
laugh!!!

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 08:16:37 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 22:40:21 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>>Are you joking or just stupid?I dont enjoy paying taxes but if not for
>>taxes,where would the money come from fo public education,road
>>construction etc....JEEZ,what an idiotic statement!!!!
>
>User fees. Ever hear of toll roads and private schools? Pay for
>what you use, and don't expect a subsidy from those who don't.
>There are a few things which don't fit the user fee model, defense
>for example, but most things government has usurped can be
>done on the fee for service model.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2462. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gcarr$5ld$0@208.207.71.144>
Source record: 144251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Bill & Lisa McCrory wrote:
>
> Amen! I remember the first time I made myself part of the discharge
> path of something like a 100 ufd 450 VDC electrolytic in a HV power
> supply. Talk about an enlightening experience... My hair smelled funny
> for weeks after that.

EVERYTHING smells funny for weeks after that!

2463. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3729AFE2.45DE4050@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe wrote:
> I dont agree with all the rules
> but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!

But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy
to try to change the rules?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2464. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gcar0$h4h$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jim wrote in message <7g8bnrnrq1@brokaw.wa.com>...
>"Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
>
>>attitude that some people have that the license was a final exam that
>>granted rights and privlidges.
>
>Since the inception of incentive licensing, the exam does grant
>privledges. As far as being 'final', in my case yes, in your case,
>no.....

And maybe thats exactly what's wrong, that some people feel that
their privlidge is 'earned' and damn to everybody else. Just like
CBers that 'claim' a channel. I hear the same thing on HF. "My
Frequecy' kind of BS. They're just CBers with another license.

>>(it's a hobby, not a lifestyle as some people that appear to have no
>>life seem to forget) so that you can learn and grow,
>>not stagnate.
>
>Did you figure all this out in the last couple months by reading
>newsgroups ?
>
>73, Jim KH2D

You bet! That and seeing the lids that make a slight advancement
and then sit on their ass being 'experts' without knowing what the hell
is going on. Extras (and one a 'tech rep') who are surprised when they
learn that an alkaline battery last longer than a nicad. Or who tell
people to 'cut the lock line' in a PLL circuit.

Don't judge me because I don't spout CW. I used to like it. In fact,
I still do, but I don't operate CW anymore, and the skills have long
been lost. I still have my old Swan downstairs. It has NEVER seen
a mic in it. In fact, it has NEVER seen anything but a straight key.
Period. In the entire time I've owned it since 1981. (I even have
a mobile chopper for it.) One of these days I'll get that fire back
to operate CW again. But I'll do it because I WANT to, not because
I have to.

Mike

2465. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gcavq$h91$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Why can't you get it through your head the difference between
forced to learn and tested on knowledge and being forced
to learn a skill.

Opps, sorry, do you think the skill is more important than the
knowledge?

Mike Yetsko

Dave Heil wrote in message <37293597.677C@cats-net.com>...
>Sir wrote:
>>
>> > > In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
>> > > want to".
>>
>> Better yet, "I shouldn't have to take the time to learn something I
will
>> never use."
>>
>> Let's force everyone to learn how to play the harp before they are
>> allowed to drive a car. Those who do not like harp music we will
call
>> lazy.
>
>
>Let's force everyone to learn math skills before graduating from high
>schools. Those who do not like math, we will call "dropouts".
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2466. Keesler AFB ARC Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <ad4xx@kfcu.org>
Message-ID: <BDiW2.15$Qp.1816@news.ntr.net>
Source record: 144255

Visit the Keesler AFB ARC webpage if you've ever been assigned to Keesler...especially if you're a past club member. We are soliciting (and posting) photos of the club/members/activities sent in from past members.

http://web.intelispan.com/~ad4xx/k5typ.html

Jim, AD4XX

2467. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: K4SWB@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11938231dde06484989ab2@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

In article <7gb6qfoju1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com says...
> Holy cow, you mean there are still hams who don't contest ? Are there more of
> you ??

Yes!

--
Charles
K4SWB
<>

2468. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3729BD9C.C4466C83@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:

> On Mon, 26 Apr 99 18:09:40 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:
> > The CW written was fill in, which makes it harder if you don't copy enough.
> >I didn't copy enough info to pass it. My MAIN problem was that they sent the
> >code at about 17-18wpm but the spaceing was a bit wider than I practiced.
> >Now if I was copying fine at 13 home and they send at 16-18, that's a problem
> >to me. If people are practiceing at 13 home and they go for this test and hear
> >it sent FASTER most will probably fail, unless they can copy 18-20wpm home
> >first. I agree about your comment on it shouldn't stop me from
> >upgrading but that's the way it is right now so.....I'll keep at it. I'm not
> >waiting for the restructureing, who knows when that will take place.
>
> You might want to check with different VE teams in your area. It
> seems that most W5YI teams use the actual Morse Code on their
> exams while ARRL teams use the Farnsworth Code. Sounds like
> you got one of the latter. One of my co-workers ran into this problem
> too. He was flawless at 5 WPM Morse Code copy during practice
> sessions, but when he sat the exam they were using Farnsworth Code
> and he couldn't copy that at all. He was very upset by that, and was
> considering giving up. I pointed him to a VE group which uses the
> actual Morse Code and he passed with a perfect score.
>
> If we're going to have a Morse Code test, we should actually use
> Morse Code and not some bastard code with different parameters.
> (Morse is a timing code with five symbols, alter the timing ratios
> of some of the symbols and you have a different code.)
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

If everyone practiced for the Morse exam by actually listening to on-the-air QSOs, then this Farnsworth issue would never come up, and they would be much better prepared. While you may define Morse any way you wish, you'll hear literally hundreds of different timings on the air, some of them hard to copy at any speed. Personally, I think this is a better approach than listening to the same piece of software drone on endlessly with exactly the same timings everytime.

Just my $0.02 worth

73,

Marv
AB0IO

2469. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904301454.QAA17265@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir (sir@sir.com) wrote:

: What if we make it a requirement to learn Russian before one can drink
: water? Will you not whine then also because you didn't EARN the right
: to drink water?

Isn't "vodka" the russian word for "water".

2470. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gcgol$c3g$1@208.207.71.144>
Source record: 144259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Mike Yetsko wrote:
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> Jim wrote in message <7g8bnrnrq1@brokaw.wa.com>...
> >"Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
> >
> >>attitude that some people have that the license was a final exam that
> >>granted rights and privlidges.
> >
> >Since the inception of incentive licensing, the exam does grant
> >privledges. As far as being 'final', in my case yes, in your case,
> >no.....
>
> And maybe thats exactly what's wrong, that some people feel that
> their privlidge is 'earned' and damn to everybody else. Just like
> CBers that 'claim' a channel. I hear the same thing on HF. "My
> Frequecy' kind of BS. They're just CBers with another license.
>
> >>(it's a hobby, not a lifestyle as some people that appear to have no
> >>life seem to forget) so that you can learn and grow,
> >>not stagnate.
> >
> >Did you figure all this out in the last couple months by reading
> >newsgroups ?
> >
> >73, Jim KH2D

> You bet!

Way to go Joe! Learn all about ham radio in a couple months
reading RRAP. You must be about ready to take your No Code
tech exam.
Don't forget to memorize the word associations so you can
recognize the answers to the test questions. Fortunately
learning is not necessary.

That and seeing the lids that make a slight advancement
> and then sit on their ass being 'experts' without knowing what the hell
> is going on. Extras (and one a 'tech rep') who are surprised when they
> learn that an alkaline battery last longer than a nicad. Or who tell
> people to 'cut the lock line' in a PLL circuit.

Yeah, man! Ask me how to "open up" the ham rig you just
bought so you can put it on CB/Freebie...I'll tell you to
'cut the lock line', too.

It's called 'feeding misinformation to the enema'.

> Don't judge me because I don't spout CW. I used to like it. In fact,
> I still do, but I don't operate CW anymore, and the skills have long
> been lost. I still have my old Swan downstairs. It has NEVER seen
> a mic in it.

Oh, I'll bet! Never had a model 80 VFO attached either,
right? Doesn't even have the name Siltronics on the panel
either, does it???

In fact, it has NEVER seen anything but a straight key.
> Period. In the entire time I've owned it since 1981. (I even have
> a mobile chopper for it.) One of these days I'll get that fire back
> to operate CW again. But I'll do it because I WANT to, not because
> I have to.

A "mobile chopper", huh? Tell us, whats the purpose of that
thingy, huh? Would you happen to know the REAL term for it,
note just the CB/Freebie term?

You are hereby exposed as just one more CB/Freebander troll
cruising RRAP. Every indication shows it clearly, to anyone
who has been paying attention.

Don't bother playing again.

2471. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3729c74d.12529243@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I have worked and studied hard in the past and maybe I do tend to
relax more than I used to,but I can afford it and that is one of the
reasons I worked hard.
As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....
When will you crybabies realize that no one is forcing you to become
an Amateur Operator!!!If you dont like it the way it IS,LEAVE!!!

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 13:28:06 GMT, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
wrote:

>Joe wrote:
>> I dont agree with all the rules
>> but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!
>
>But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy
>to try to change the rules?
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2472. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Klase <skywaves@bw.webex.net>
Message-ID: <7gcmm6$1iq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <3727CBE0.D2E0B1FF@nospam.com>,
Ken Osmond <kenos23@nospam.com> wrote:
> I'm about to buy one of these high end receivers and
> don't want to make a mistake.

I'm listening to an RA-6790/GM as I type. However, if you have the money to by the W-J, do so, if you don't invest in an Drake R-8B.

There are some serious problems with exotic commercial receivers for people who are not extremely technically qualified or not made of money. Many of these designs are 20+ years old. There performance is very good, probably not that much above a quality table top like a Drake or JRC. They generally have about ZERO features in terms of memory, band scan, etc.

An even bigger problem is service. They were largely designed to be repaired by replacing major assemblies until they worked. (Like a computer.) I suspect that even the factory declined to repair the modules. This means you might have to take a chance buying a module you only think is bad. Plus such a part might not be readily available.

A couple of examples from first hand experience:

RA6790/GM: No memories. (Does have a computer I/F) No notch filter. No noise blanker. LCD displays die with age. (2 each at $100). Standard 6.8KHz filter is really more like 9KHz, too wide for serious DX. I have a second radio with frequency synth problem that defies repair, and, yes, I am competent and own lab grade test equipment. Oh yes, a service manual might cost another $100.

Cubic R-3030: High phase noise in synthesizer makes signals down in the noise very hard to copy. Front panel key pad is poorly debounce, and almost unusuable. They all do this! Clearly they were used under computer control.

So, my advise, buy a brand-new radio with a warrantee and accessable tech support. Or, buy and old quality tube type rcvr,like a Hammarlund SP-600, or even an R-390A. These can be trouble shot to the component level by standard TV repair techniques. A hobbyist can deal with these things.

My two cents,
Al
Al Klase - N3FRQ
skywaves@bw.webex.net
Web Page: http://www.webex.net/~skywaves/home.htm

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2473. trade: Hw-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: itzack@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7gcmst$1n5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144262

I have a hw-101 with bad finals. All else is well with the radio. It has a hs-1661 speaker and the ps. I would like to trade for an hw-16 with vfo.
John
Kc4npd

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2474. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3729C55F.A6E@no.net>
Source record: 144263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BungHole wrote:
>
> These guys just don't get it do they?
> Hello!
> No Speaka de english?
> Do you comprende?Understand!
> Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some useless
> outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little hobby.
> We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to make
> the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.
>

Then you just don't really want to be a ham. Since you seem to think it
is a 'stupid little hobby' then you shouldn't waste any time on it, so
move on. Either shut up or learn what you need to get a license.

2475. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1FB0FBq.IyG@netcom.com>
Source record: 144264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3729c74d.12529243@news.mindspring.com>,
Joe <unit77@mynet.net> wrote:
>>Joe wrote:
>>> I dont agree with all the rules
>>> but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!
>>
>>But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy
>>to try to change the rules?
>>--
>>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
>
>I have worked and studied hard in the past and maybe I do tend to
>relax more than I used to,but I can afford it and that is one of the
>reasons I worked hard.
>As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....
>When will you crybabies realize that no one is forcing you to become
>an Amateur Operator!!!If you dont like it the way it IS,LEAVE!!!

I don't like the way it is, and hope it changes soon. Tired of
listening to old men talking about their health problems on HF.

HF needs new blood and dropping/reducing CW requirements will do it.

KB0WOB (general)

2476. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3729D41E.20C7D325@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi Dan,

Don't waste your breath. Joe could be a poster boy for examples of why adults
should monitor what thier children do on the internet.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

Dan K Nelson wrote:

> Joe wrote in message <3728d9fc.941099@news.mindspring.com>...
>
> >And how do you determine whether or not I see all I want to see?
>
> Easy. I would imagine that you, like most people, would wish to know the
> whole truth. However, if you are seeing only what is presented on the news,
> then you are seeing only a small, carefully manipulated piece of the issue.
>

2477. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7gcnp5$2ld$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <199904301454.QAA17265@mail.replay.com>,
Anonymous <nobody@replay.com> wrote:
> Sir (sir@sir.com) wrote:
>
> : What if we make it a requirement to learn Russian before one can drink
> : water? Will you not whine then also because you didn't EARN the right
> : to drink water?
>
> Isn't "vodka" the russian word for "water".

Nyet. "Water" is "voda".

"Vodka" is the diminutive of "voda" - in effect, "little water".
--
Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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2478. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gcnt3$2on$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144267

In article <925461530.392.65@news.remarQ.com>,
"Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
> 160m. I think it got its name from the old radios where the freq. was
> inscribed in the top band of numbers. I could be wrong; this is the
> fiction I made up for myself to explain why the bottom would be called
> the top.
>
> Michael.
>
> Joe <unit77@mynet.net> wrote in message
> news:3728de0f.1983872@news.mindspring.com...
> > Apparantly I missed part of this thread.All I am curious about
> > is...what is TOP BAND refering to?I have been in Amateur Radio for 9
> > years and have never heard of a TOP BAND.
>
>
Back in the "good ole days" when hams didn't have digital displays and
frequency counters. And they were doing good to hit the "band", let alone
a precice frequency within the band the term "TOP BAND" refered to 160
meters. Why? Because 160 was the TOP of the amateur allocations. With
10 meters being the lowest. In otherwords, based on BAND not FREQUENCY.

Might I suggest, considering all the silly comments in this thread, that
most of you folks should pick up a copy of 200 meters and down, and read
about amateur radio history and traditions. This should be required reading
of all amateur licensees.

Trivia question...what does the term 160, 80, 40, etc meters refere to?
Answer...length of the wave. See why 160 is top band, but lowest in freq.?

Dan/W4NTI

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2479. TH-D7 HT/TNC dual-band info & mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Dunckel <wdunckel@best.com>
Message-ID: <3729D67C.2239D305@best.com>
Source record: 144268
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: wdunckel.vcf

For info on the new Kenwood handheld dual bander with built in TNC and aprs functions check out:

http://www.best.com/~wdunckel/thd7.html

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2480. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3729D654.CC2269A9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:

> I don't think the latter statement is accurate. Hadn't most of the
> killing already occurred by the time SWAT arrived? In general,
> by the time the police arrive, the damage has already been done.
> That's why you can't depend on the police to protect you. Their
> job is to clean up afterward.

The swat team and all of the other law enforcement officers did everything that could be done at the time. Most if not all of the killing was done in the first few minutes. There were two officers on the scene within minutes and they did engage the shooters in a gun battle but were out gunned as they only had pistols and the shooter had a high a rifle. They were pinned down and could not get in.

By the time other officers and swat teams arrived the shooters had gone deeper into the building and authorities did not know what was going on. They did not know if they had a hostage situation or not. In fact it looks like the first encounter with the two officers might have triggered the shooters to kill themselves because the first results from the autopsies show that the two might have died up to 3 hours before police got to them.

If the police had rushed in and any innocent students had got hit or killed those complaining about the swat teams non-action would have been complaining about them being cold blooded murders.

At least two of the officers at the scene had children in the school.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

2481. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gckrfngh1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 144270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

"Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:

>And maybe thats exactly what's wrong, that some people feel that
>their privlidge is 'earned' and damn to everybody else. Just like
>CBers that 'claim' a channel. I hear the same thing on HF. "My
>Frequecy' kind of BS. They're just CBers with another license.

Well, you have the first part right, but I'm not sure about the
second part. Incentive licensing, seems to me anyway, reeks of
having 'earned' operating privledges.

>Don't judge me because I don't spout CW. I used to like it. In fact,
>I still do, but I don't operate CW anymore, and the skills have long
>been lost. I still have my old Swan downstairs. It has NEVER seen
>a mic in it. In fact, it has NEVER seen anything but a straight key.
>Period. In the entire time I've owned it since 1981. (I even have
>a mobile chopper for it.)

If you'd ever known Morse code, you'd still know Morse code. I didn't
know they had HF privledges for the Tech ticket in 1981. What bands
were you operating on back then ? Doin' a little bootleggin' are we ?

>One of these days I'll get that fire back
>to operate CW again. But I'll do it because I WANT to, not because
>I have to.

Where have I heard that line before ? "I can do Morse code. I just
don't do it because somebody says I have to do it". Uh huh, sure ...

Well, beat yourself to death over not wanting to do it. Be my guest.

73, Jim KH2D

2482. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925491175.519.34@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144271
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

We haven't established that, Cecil. Some claim CW is outdated; many others contend that it is not. Finding that CW is outdated is a necessary first requirement for declaring the rule outdated. So far, there's been a lot of noise, flames, and debate, but no conclusions. The fact is, CW is still in use daily, even with newer, more efficient modes available.

Michael.

----- Original Message -----
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,
rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave
Sent: Friday, April 30, 1999 8:28 AM
Subject: Re: Death of Ham Radio

> Joe wrote:
> > I dont agree with all the rules
> > but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!
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> But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy
> to try to change the rules?
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2483. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <3729DD48.358E@wt.net>
Source record: 144272

Brian wrote:
> Then you are mistaken. I shed the Novice license in 88. You would be correct
> if you had said that twelve years ago I was fairly inexperienced on HF.

Oh, excuuuuse me, you are a 10m phone dynamo I guess. Also I guess you
can go over to your general class buddies, and they let you talk on
their's.

>
> By the way, you're not in my logs from Nebraska, ROK, Guam, Somalia, or
> Illinois. Are you sure that -you- have any HF experience?
I'm on the radio most every night . Where are you? Being as I'm usually
on a band you can't work, except for CW, which you don't like to work,
it's not unusual that I would
not run into you.
>
> The example I posted
> > about was no stretch of the imagination. The OO that sent that notice
> > was close to the ham he sent it to, if I understand correctly. He should
> > have expected that from a very strong signal.
>
> Could you be more specific?
No. I've already made my point about OO's.

> > I've never had an OO report
>
> Right.
No, Damned right. I've never been sent a notice of any kind from anyone.
You calling me a liar? If so, screw you.
>
> > but I know quite a few over the years that have gotten them. 70%
> > should have never been sent of the ones I know about.
>
> Exactly 70% or is it really closer to 65%? Please show your work, or is this
> just anecdotal heresay.
Show my work? Get a grip.

>
> Did the auto-CW IDer mute the voice or whatever mode was in use when it IDed?
> Or was it co-mingled with, or obliterated by the other mode in use?
No, the id'er overrode the audio. Do you think these people will ID
with a device that can't be heard? MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

2484. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <3729DE64.7C08@wt.net>
Source record: 144273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mark Morgan wrote:

>
> Indeed there are still hams that don't contest. I don't, except for
> feild day because I do support when my friends even when I think they
> are being silly

I'll be dipped. You have finally said something I agree on. Is the sky
falling today? MK
--

PS. It's FIELD DAY.
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

2485. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7ga0n5$1ds$1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 144308

In article <Pine.BSI.3.96.990429014632.10302B-100000@hoflink.com>,
Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
>Over the last few days, I've read the messages entitled
>"Code vs. No Code", "Abolish the no-code license", and other similar
>sentiments between the various license classes of hams.
>
>Recently, I passed my Technician level exam (This past Sunday).
>I studied hard and I earned the privilege.
>I intend to observe the responsibilities that a Tech license affords me.
>
>Am I going to work my way toward upgrading? Yes.
>Does the thought of decoding morse in my head intimidate me? Yes.
>I believe it may prove difficult but, in the end, well worth the effort.
>
>Would I want to see the no-code license abolished?
>Of course I wouldn't ... but I also WOULDN'T want the tests simplified
>just to make it easier. People tend to appreciate something more if they
>have to EARN it.
>
>The Tech lisc. affords me the ability to communicate with other licensed
>hams. Additionally, I accepted the responsibility to operate according to
>FCC law & accepted Ham Operating practices the second I signed the FCC
>610 form.
>
>Someone stated that a no-code lisc. ought to be called a beginner's lic.
>That's exactly how I feel ... like a beginner.
>
>I look upon the "Novice" lisc. holders as if they were the "Technicians"
>and I were the Novice. They are, after all, more technically advanced than
>I am ... and I am the one lacking experience in this field.
>
>As for why I believe the FCC SHOULD keep the standards UP ...
>One doesn't have to be lisc. to post on the net or to the usenet groups.
>There are too many flame wars on the net and disgraceful cross-posting
>to unrelated areas. Unregulated & unliscensed by the FCC, the amateur
>radio bands would be a sewer.
>
>Hopefully, I'll see some of you soon on the nets :)
>Scott Verity
>
>Scott Verity sverity@hoflink.com
>Writer/SWL/Netizen http://hoflink.com/~sverity
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>

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well said !!

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

2486. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gaskc$g7j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144309

In article <372778AE.451@wt.net>,
nm5k@wt.net wrote:
> K5pf wrote:
> >
> > >>Bill Sohl wrote:
> > >>>
> > >>> >You just don't get it. Lack of experience I guess. I heard of an OO
just
> > >>> >last night that sent a guy a notice for "being wide". Now, I wonder ,
> > >>> >how did this astute OO come to this conclusion?
> >
> > We get it okay, Bill. Whenever you get backed into a corner, you throw the
> > "inexperience" spear. Frankly, I think you're stretching the point pretty
> > thin. Can I throw the "You're usually more on target than this" spear?
> >
> > K5PF
> Don't blame it on Bill. That was me that said that. You have to be
> carefull on the threads. That was a post to Noimd or whatever his call
> is.

I'll post it in standard fenetics just so you'll get it:

November Zero India Mike Delta.

> And I know for a fact he is fairly inexperienced on HF.

Then you are mistaken. I shed the Novice license in 88. You would be correct
if you had said that twelve years ago I was fairly inexperienced on HF.

> But being a tech plus or whatever he is ,

Yes, I hold a Tech "Plus" license. It says N0IMD on it.

> thats to be expected.

By the way, you're not in my logs from Nebraska, ROK, Guam, Somalia, or
Illinois. Are you sure that -you- have any HF experience?

The example I posted
> about was no stretch of the imagination. The OO that sent that notice
> was close to the ham he sent it to, if I understand correctly. He should
> have expected that from a very strong signal.

Could you be more specific? Perhaps the power density diminishes with the
square of the distance?

> I've never had an OO report

Right.

> but I know quite a few over the years that have gotten them. 70%
> should have never been sent of the ones I know about.

Exactly 70% or is it really closer to 65%? Please show your work, or is this
just anecdotal heresay.

Some of these were
> downright silly. For a person to be a OO and send notices about, he
> should be very carefull, and use proper test gear in cases where it's
> needed. Most don't have this gear. I'm not saying all OO's are bad or
> are not carefull, but I've seen many that were nothing but a nuisance to
> all involved. Those really wanted to play radio police more than
> anything. Like the case of the OO sending non-id notices to a pack of
> hams using automatic cw id devices. That in itself makes me wonder about
> the level of experience needed to be a OO. :/ MK
> --
> http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

Did the auto-CW IDer mute the voice or whatever mode was in use when it IDed?
Or was it co-mingled with, or obliterated by the other mode in use?

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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2487. Re: LIMARC: "a chance to show hams as 'normal' people."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gb4bbmlu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144310
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7gacp7$1la$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <7g7ins$i1p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> No replies, just as I suspected. Not even Letterman fans care about ham radio.
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
That is what happens when you post to too many NGs. Please read my reply in
to message 1 on your thread in r.r.a.p.
73,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Ignore Letterman Policy?)

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2488. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7gast4sgo1@east43.supernews.com>
Source record: 144311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I believe it's a reference to 160m

73,
Tom

In article <3728de0f.1983872@news.mindspring.com>, unit77@mynet.net (Joe)
wrote:
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>is...what is TOP BAND refering to?I have been in Amateur Radio for 9
>years and have never heard of a TOP BAND.
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>On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 04:07:13 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>>Why is it even called TOP BAND ? There are much lower bands today that are a
>>CHALLENGE, like 136 and 170 kHz. A KW is no CHALLENGE. Guess these toadies
>>still say "the wok bands" when they mean 17 meters. Oh, that's right, then
>>these old guys would need to spend money on a new rig, this way they're safe
>>by declaring what is no longer the top, the top......
>>
>>
>>I was very shocked and sad to hear of the passing of my friend Peter.
>>We first worked on 160 about 25 years ago. I had the honor of meeting Peter
>>and and his family when he visited me in the late 1970's. Over the years we
>>had many enjoyable QSO's on Top Band.
>>
>> Peter was a very friendly and kind gentleman! He had a true love for
>>160 and it's many challenges! Through his good deeds, he did much to promote
>>Top Band over the years to the level we enjoy today!
>>
>> I will miss you Dear Friend, Peter
>>
>>
>><Did you cry, phoney ? God sakes how many times will these dorks post the
>>same euology ?? What a friend, you met him in person ONCE 25 years ago. Why
>>not more often if you liked him so much ? Need to go meet other "friends" for
>>their one time, so you were busy ?>
>>
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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2489. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gb6qfoju1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7g8ltfhbd1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Why is it even called TOP BAND ? There are much lower bands today that are a
> CHALLENGE, like 136 and 170 kHz. A KW is no CHALLENGE. Guess these toadies
> still say "the wok bands" when they mean 17 meters. Oh, that's right, then
> these old guys would need to spend money on a new rig, this way they're safe
> by declaring what is no longer the top, the top......

Holy cow, you mean there are still hams who don't contest ? Are there more of
you ??

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2490. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728f9d9.9099192@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

What a lame analogy.....what if dont mean SHIT in the real
world!!!!WHAT IF your mama gave your dad a blow job on a particular
night.....where would you be?

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 19:05:50 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
>how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
>
>What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
>other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
>learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
>
>Some people want to get into the hobby of radio to talk on the radio.
>They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
>the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
>to go ahead and use voice.
>
>Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

2491. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: unit77@mynet.net
Message-ID: <3728fa91.9282729@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

NEW one on me!!!!

On Fri, 30 Apr 99 00:21:36 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:

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> I believe it's a reference to 160m
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>73,
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>>>
>>><Did you cry, phoney ? God sakes how many times will these dorks post the
>>>same euology ?? What a friend, you met him in person ONCE 25 years ago. Why
>>>not more often if you liked him so much ? Need to go meet other "friends" for
>>>their one time, so you were busy ?>

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> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
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> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>

2492. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gbb5bruv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <7g33h0$oh5$1@208.207.71.155>,
Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote:
> w2ilp wrote:
> >
> > > You never forget how
> > > defensless you feel when someone has a loaded gun against your head. In
that
> > > case even if I had had a gun I couldn't have reached for it without
expecting
> > > to be shot in the process.
> >
>
> Did you see to it that the drunk was prosecuted and sent
> to prison for this stupid criminal act??? If not, you are
> part of the problem....
> It's "forgiving" people for stunts like this that eventually
> leads to murders-by them. Person capable of such actions are
> the people who MUST be locked up - for they are the vast
> majority of thevery people who ARE violent crime.

To tell the truth I did not report the individual. BTW he was a White Anglo-Saxon Protestent (not that it really matters). I didn't need to report him because he wound up in the stockade for other crimes against others. I won't go into the details here. I think the Sargent,who got the 45 away from him in my case, did testify against him in other cases, and he did take this incident into consideration.

The subject that we are discussing here is now being hashed over on many TV programs. I admit that although there are some people who would tend to agree with me...the majority seem to think that they can feel safer if they own guns. I think that it is a sad situation and obviously it may take a lot more senseless murders and gun "accidents" before people will really do anything to increase gun control. I also admit that the people who have lost loved ones are not in favor of more gun control...instead they tend to blame violent movies, TV and games as well as school teachers...but never themselves or their false security blankets...GUNS: the killing tools.

Again I respect your opinions on this issue and I know that if a poll was taken - more Americans, at this point in time, would agree with you than would agree with me.

I may at times put my foot in my mouth BUT at least I won't shoot myself in the foot because I own no guns.

73,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Inhibit Loaded Pistols - In the hands of - Loaded People)

Maxim felt guilty about inventing the gun silencer. With a gun silencer you could murder someone without disturbing the peace in your neighborhood. So Maxim volunteered to promote Ham Radio to atone for the gun silencer. He acheived the perfect neutralizer. Hams can disturb their neighbors without murdering anybody!
--w2ilp--

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2493. Maxtrac help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: qin2@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990429215859.24940.00000519@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 144316

Hi,
Can anyone tell me how to shift the bandspread of a 450-470 Mhz back to where it belongs? It was moved down to operate on the ham bands. Thanks in advance for any for help. Kurt

2494. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990429222932.11834.00000147@ngol07.aol.com>
Source record: 144317

In article <kmnS2.1707$Bm3.107204@news20.ispnews.com>, "Joe Schlatter"
<w4hh@3wave.com> writes:

>Subject: Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!
>From: "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
>Date: Sun, 18 Apr 1999 11:53:21 -0400
>
>Well, I just e-mailed the article to Riley at FCC.
>
>And I intend to e-mail to Riley every other article or site of this nature.
>Don't like for me to do that? Then you have two choices: (1) don't post
>your illegal activities, or, (2) stick it up your ass.

Boy, and just today I heard that some kids in New Jersey were gonna bomb a
school from info for making bombs. And they were getting they're info OFF THE
INTERNET!!!

My point is this :

Is activity on 27.555 gonna endager a life?? I'd rather bust someone for
plotting to bomb a school and kill innocent lives, like in Littleton, CO and
now in Alberta Canada, Than to whine to the FCC about some guy's freeband
webpage! I really think we should leave the Freebanders alone and let them
have their frequencies. There are more important things in this World.

We should give the Freebanders to No-coders like myself.....

This point should make you think!!!!!

How about it Joe??

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

2495. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <372908B0.2B6B@no.net>
Source record: 144318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir wrote:
>
> > I'm a no-coder myself. But I don't whine like a
> > baby because I don't have HF priviledges either. I haven't earned them, so why
> > should I deserve them?
>
> How ridiculous. What if it was VHF that required code and not HF? It
> has nothing to do with EARNING, but silly laws.
>
> What if we make it a requirement to learn Russian before one can drink
> water? Will you not whine then also because you didn't EARN the right
> to drink water?
>
> When people don't whine or complain, they get get walked on by the
> government. If I beat you, would you whine then? Or would you have to
> EARN the right to whine?

Sir should know, he is one of he best whiners on the net.

2496. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@timewave.com
Message-ID: <7gb5go$jb0$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 144319

In article <19990429222932.11834.00000147@ngol07.aol.com>, n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:

>
>My point is this :
>
>Is activity on 27.555 gonna endager a life?? I'd rather bust someone for
>plotting to bomb a school and kill innocent lives, like in Littleton, CO and
>now in Alberta Canada, Than to whine to the FCC about some guy's freeband
>webpage! I really think we should leave the Freebanders alone and let them
>have their frequencies. There are more important things in this World.

>
>LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
>Athens, Alabama
>ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
>ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
>WEB PAGES:
>http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
>http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

Hello LLoyd:

"Freebanders" if they stay below 28Mhz are no danger to our service, But they
are expanding well into the 10 meter band. Like any other intruders, They
should be taped, RDF'ed and turned over to the FCC for action.

73

John
N0ISL/UA4LIS/UB5WJD/4ID
TimewaveTechnology
See us at Booth 111 in Dayton this year

2497. Re: Alinco DJ-C4?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: clintbrad4d@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7gbbs5sdu1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7g7uft$81s$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>,
"TXer" <senorpurpl@hotmail.com> wrote:
> Are there any modifications for this radio?

Assuming you mean "extended receive/transmit" mods...yes:

1. Remove three back screws, and open the unit.

2. Snip the loop of wire. It'll be quite obvious which one - it's the ONLY one.

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

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2498. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mfuller@primenet.com
Message-ID: <37291c95.16207495@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 144321

On 30 Apr 1999 02:29:32 GMT, n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) (in
<19990429222932.11834.00000147@ngol07.aol.com>) wrote:

>My point is this :
>
>Is activity on 27.555 gonna endager a life?? I'd rather bust someone for
>plotting to bomb a school and kill innocent lives,

That's an argument for dropping all enforcement, and traffic patrol,
etc., because you'll *always* have something that's worse that those
man-hours should be devoted to instead.

Mark
Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

2499. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gb6pikkk3@208.207.71.160>
Source record: 144322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir wrote:
>
> Joe wrote:
> >
> > If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>
> But why waste those 10-15 minutes a day to learn something you will
> never use and only forget?
>
> It may take only 10-15 minutes a day to learn how to play the harp, why
> don't you do that? Perhaps because you don't WANT to play the harp?
> Then I will call you LAZY.

I didn't notice him lobbying to become an unlearned harpist.

2500. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990429230903.07806.00000309@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 144323

> just today I heard that some kids in New Jersey were gonna bomb a
>school from info for making bombs. And they were getting they're info OFF
>THE
>INTERNET!!!

>My point is this :
>
>Is activity on 27.555 gonna endager a life?? I'd rather bust someone for
>plotting to bomb a school and kill innocent lives, like in Littleton, CO...

>Than to whine to the FCC about some guy's freeband
>webpage! I really think we should leave the Freebanders alone

At the Federal level, we have the FBI, and BATF, to deal with bombers. When it comes to hoodlums and thugs on radio, we have the FCC. I think that our government is big enough to deal with both criminal elements.

Now for the soapbox speech:

The no-code test group reminds me of a person who admires great art, and the Masters of the past. He really wants to be an artist, but he has no talent, and doesn't want to study painting in order to develope what talent he has.

So he goes out and buys a paint-by-number kit of the Mona Lisa. And he fills in those numbered boxes real well. But he can't understand why, when its finished, people don't hail HIM as an artist!

That's how I see the no-code testing group. They want to be HAMS, and to have the pride of accomplishment in electronics for themselves that they themselves always assigned to hams. But they don't want to be held to the same standard as those old timers who did the work, and earned the respect .

So they get their "Test-by-number" exam, where the exact questions and answers are printed in a book, and they get a no code test license, and then they wonder why it feels hollow to have a ham license! Well, fellows, it feels hollow because you gutted it out, and it is hollow.

2501. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3729E4B5.4F7F48BA@jump.net>
Source record: 144324

longest wavelength
WA5IGW

Michael Young wrote:

> 160m. I think it got its name from the old radios where the freq. was
> inscribed in the top band of numbers. I could be wrong; this is the
> fiction I made up for myself to explain why the bottom would be called
> the top.
>
> Michael.
>
> Joe <unit77@mynet.net> wrote in message
> news:3728de0f.1983872@news.mindspring.com...
> > Apparantly I missed part of this thread.All I am curious about
> > is...what is TOP BAND refering to?I have been in Amateur Radio for 9
> > years and have never heard of a TOP BAND.

2502. Need help with IC706 PL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonbak@megsinet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.1193a095f16915f0989697@megsnews.megsinet.net>
Source record: 144325

I have an Icom IC706 (the original one) and, when cold, it will not transmit a PL tone. I can't therefore access local repeaters on 2m that require a tone. When the radio gets warmed up (room temperature) the PL works. Anyone have any experience with this problem or a suggested fix? Please email me.

thanks and 73
de KC9OO
Jon Baker
jonbak@megsinet.net

2503. Mobile install questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woodsman <woodsman@apexmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gcph6$58j@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144326

Anyone aware of a good site on the web for detailed mobile
install info? I am thinking of getting two 2M or dual band
rigs and having it set up for easy swapping in/out of the cars
also so I could use one in the house. Would wire directly to
the battery with both leads fused and thinking of getting a device
to kill power after the ignition is off for 10min or so-any
recommendations there?? Wire would then go thru firewall to
some sort of in vehicle power panel. Not sure what to use or
what type of connectors to install here either. Any opininions
on install or what radio to get while not spending an arm and a leg
welcome. I don't need anything fancy, just basic repeater ops
with tone encode/decode and scan. On the other hand extended
receive would be nice. And maybe the ability to run the mobile
as a repeater for my HT. Yikes, there goes the "simple" and here
comes the $$$$. Oh well, all input welcome.

Eric

2504. RF capacitor question ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kengkengkeng@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gctu8$847$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144327

Could anyone explain me about this ?
I've design & build a C-class 50MHz/60Watts RF amplifier.It's works quite well and stable as I design it from transistor data sheet.But a variable capacitor (mica - compression type,2-70pF) in the final stage turns very hot.Is this common operation of RF amplifier ? Or I've to replace it with a new type of capacitor to get better performance?

Please advise . Thank you.
73 de HS0SZU

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2505. QST CD-ROMs viewed on a Mac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3729EE47.621A4C76@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 144328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I really want to get the QST CD-ROMs, but mine is a Mac-only household and workplace, so I have my doubts. I have in the past been able to view Windoze based CDs on my Macs, using VirtualPC or Acrobat Reader, or one of a number of other viewers.

What level of success have other Mac users had with reading the QST CD-ROMs? The ads say the custom viewer supplied with the discs is called "QST View." Will this run on VirtualPC 2.x or 98? Please let me know the details of your solution(s), including system, machine, any emulators or viewers/readers/other SW you use. Thanks much.
--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

2506. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3729F41B.C8025E64@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe wrote:
> As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....

Many of us do NOT share your opinion so we are exercising our
rights to petition for changes. Hope you don't object.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2507. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3729F663.6204F6D@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144330
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Young wrote:
> Finding that CW is outdated is a
> necessary first requirement for declaring the rule outdated.

That would certainly be sufficient but I didn't say CW is outdated.
There is simply no reason for the Morse code requirement to continue
to exist. If it wouldn't be adopted new today, there is no good reason
to keep it. Finding that CW is outdated is NOT a necessary first
requirement for declaring the rule outdated. Morse code is simply
not as important as everything else in ham radio combined anymore.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2508. FS Dentron Clipperton L

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3729F906.6F7E@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello all,
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new
572b's, new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes
have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired
for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters.
The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500bucs
plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line. You
can see a picture of the amp as well as my station by clicking
here. http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 and thanks for reading
Oris N3CND,
Email:
oris@dirtball.com
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2509. FS Heathkit SB 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3729F895.6129@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello All
I have a heathkit SB 104. The rig needs some work. It needs finals (one could use the motarola MRF 455A Its alot cheaper then the heath original final) 10 ohm bias transistor and the control IC for the last digit in the display. Cosmeticly its in good shape. I'm asking 100 bucs for the rig plus shipping. I'm keeping the power supply for my packet operation and I have sold the VFO all I have left is the rig. BTW the receiver in this rig is HOT! If you are interested drop me a email oris@dirtball.com
73 from Oris and thanks for reading
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http://www.dirtball.com

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(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2510. Scanner for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <3729B647.C63CCE07@qsl.net>
Source record: 144333

Hello,
I have a Scantastic sheet fed computer scanner. Includes 16 bit ISA card cd-rom with the drivers and all the software for scanning and editing pictures or what ever.
I would like to trade this for a TNC, MC50 MIC or ????? Email me with what you have to offer. Thanks!

Steve KB9HGI
-=Quincy,IL=-
pacman@bcl.net

2511. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <372A0486.5915E0A3@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 144334

I was part of a VE group that switched from w5yi to the League, due to our
out of pocket costs The VE group dis-banded about 3 years ago.
Mike AA7QA.
Bill Newkirk wrote:

> you have the option to use either...(looking at a reorder form that lists
> both types).
>
> Marv Luse wrote in message <37210B81.216FBE26@dimensional.com>...
> >MailfrmPA wrote:
> >
> >> In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in
> the
> >> blank type on the ARRL tests.
> >>
> >> From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also
> appears
> >> that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the
> answers,
> >> falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take
> the W5YI
> >> test.
> >>
> >The ARRL tests are multiple choice, not fill in the blank.
> >
> >73,
> >
> >Marv
> >KC0EGB
> >

2512. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <373c08db.337877052@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144335

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 12:37:34 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>Oh yes.VERY practicle.Take a gallon of quarters when you go for a
>Sunday drive...This is the most idiotic idea ever!!!...Thanks for the
>laugh!!!

Actually, we use an electronic pass card on toll roads here, and
are billed quarterly for our usage.

Gary

>On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 08:16:37 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>
>>On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 22:40:21 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:
>>>Are you joking or just stupid?I dont enjoy paying taxes but if not for
>>>taxes,where would the money come from fo public education,road
>>>construction etc....JEEZ,what an idiotic statement!!!!
>>
>>User fees. Ever hear of toll roads and private schools? Pay for
>>what you use, and don't expect a subsidy from those who don't.
>>There are a few things which don't fit the user fee model, defense
>>for example, but most things government has usurped can be
>>done on the fee for service model.
>>
>>Gary
>>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

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2513. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <373d0a83.338301038@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 144336

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 03:38:35 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>160m. I think it got its name from the old radios where the freq. was
>inscribed in the top band of numbers. I could be wrong; this is the
>fiction I made up for myself to explain why the bottom would be called
>the top.

Well, in the old days, hams used wavelength instead of frequency
to describe their bands. When you list the bands in wavelength order
from largest to smallest, 160m is on top.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

2514. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gd2n8$t5c$1@nntp4.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 144337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Hey, I'll take some of that "little water".

marsgal42@hotmail.com wrote in message <7gcnp5$2ld$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <199904301454.QAA17265@mail.replay.com>,
> Anonymous <nobody@replay.com> wrote:
>> Sir (sir@sir.com) wrote:
>>
>> : What if we make it a requirement to learn Russian before one can drink
>> : water? Will you not whine then also because you didn't EARN the right
>> : to drink water?
>>
>> Isn't "vodka" the russian word for "water".
>
>Nyet. "Water" is "voda".
>
>"Vodka" is the diminutive of "voda" - in effect, "little water".
>--
>Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
>Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2515. Re: CB/Freeband Radio Websites Wanted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990430161213.20691.00000508@ng65.aol.com>
Source record: 144338

<<We should give the Freebanders to No-coders like myself.....>>>

If you support anarchy on the airwaves, why even bother getting ANY type of license? I hope all no-coders don't refllect your attitudes.

2516. WANTED: KENWOOD TS-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Dubec <frankdubec@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <372A0F54.3212@earthlink.net>
Source record: 144339

Please email me if you have one for sale....I don't need the antenna tuner.

Tnx & 73z

Frank WB6KDY

2517. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gd7fd$gi9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3729BD9C.C4466C83@dimensional.com>,
Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com> wrote:
> Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> > On Mon, 26 Apr 99 18:09:40 GMT, Tom@astro.net wrote:
> > > The CW written was fill in, which makes it harder if you don't copy
enough.
> > >I didn't copy enough info to pass it. My MAIN problem was that they sent
the
> > >code at about 17-18wpm but the spaceing was a bit wider than I practiced.
> > >Now if I was copying fine at 13 home and they send at 16-18, that's a
problem
> > >to me. If people are practiceing at 13 home and they go for this test and
hear
> > >it sent FASTER most will probably fail, unless they can copy 18-20wpm home
> > >first. I agree about your comment on it shouldn't stop me from
> > >upgrading but that's the way it is right now so.....I'll keep at it. I'm
not
> > >waiting for the restructureing, who knows when that will take place.
> >
> > You might want to check with different VE teams in your area. It
> > seems that most W5YI teams use the actual Morse Code on their
> > exams while ARRL teams use the Farnsworth Code. Sounds like
> > you got one of the latter. One of my co-workers ran into this problem
> > too. He was flawless at 5 WPM Morse Code copy during practice
> > sessions, but when he sat the exam they were using Farnsworth Code
> > and he couldn't copy that at all. He was very upset by that, and was
> > considering giving up. I pointed him to a VE group which uses the
> > actual Morse Code and he passed with a perfect score.
> >
> > If we're going to have a Morse Code test, we should actually use
> > Morse Code and not some bastard code with different parameters.
> > (Morse is a timing code with five symbols, alter the timing ratios
> > of some of the symbols and you have a different code.)
> >
> > Gary
> > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> > 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> > Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>
> If everyone practiced for the Morse exam by actually listening to on-the-air
QSOs,
> then this Farnsworth issue would never come up, and they would be much better

> prepared. While you may define Morse any way you wish, you'll hear literally
> hundreds of different timings on the air, some of them hard to copy at any
speed.
> Personally, I think this is a better approach than listening to the same piece
of
> software drone on endlessly with exactly the same timings everytime.
>
> Just my $0.02 worth
>
> 73,
>
> Marv
> AB0IO

Marv, now you're going to upset all the code-tape Extras. They just want to
be RealHams too.

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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2518. This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gd7k3$gj4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I understand this guy is a professional and commercial towers are his business, that's well and good.

However, his sideline business takes AMATEUR radio TOO DAMN FAR. FCC should act to prevent this sort of out of control lunacy.

http://www.xxtowers.com

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2519. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <372A1692.F6D774E6@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 144342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am as sentimental about the mode as anyone, but morse is emphatically not a language, anymore than AMTOR or ASCII. The distinction is linguistic, but really commonsensical as well. A language must have a grammar and meaningful inflection (the swing of a bug is accent, but it doesn't convey meaning, as the rising pitch of spoken language at the end of a question) as well as syntax and lexicon. CW has a vocabulary (sort of) and some idiom/colloquial syntax, but no grammar, and it really just transposes whatever the written language of the communicators is into sound pulses. Finally, a language must be self-sustaining and complete, and morse/CW is not. It depends on its users having and using a real language, English, Spanish, Navajo, whatever, to encode and decode. No communication is possible using CW alone (hard to find two people who know CW and no language). Again, I ain't dissing CW, I love it, enough to keep it in its pure, lofty place.

William Lee wrote:
>
> Morse code is a language. A digital langauge but still its a langauge.
> Unless you use the Clinton logic of words and what they realy mean .....
> then it could be anything .... or nothing.
>
> William Lee
>
> Will White wrote in message <37280F8F.B81BB8E7@asu.uswest.net>...
> >Morse is neither a mode nor a language, it's a *code*! Ta-dah! Or should I
> >write it: dididih dahdidah!
> >
> >AB7RS wrote:
> >>
> >> Edward L. Dowdy wrote:
> >> > >
> >> > > Morse - Is a mode that allows communications to be copied
> verbatim
> >>
> >> Morse is not a mode,but a language that is the common one used on the
> >> mode continuous wave.Tracy
> >>
> >>--
> >Will White, KD7BFX
> >
> >to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

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Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

2520. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701-B@Mindspring.Com
Message-ID: <372a19c8.116231096@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144343

On 23 Apr 1999 23:37:50 GMT, mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA) wrote:

>In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in the
>blank type on the ARRL tests.
>
>From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also appears
>that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the answers,
>falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take the W5YI
>test.

Oh you're so full of shit. My W5YI was fill in the blank, so there. My
testers were way above board, so again you're full of shit.

2521. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gd8r0$hk3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <3729F41B.C8025E64@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> Joe wrote:
> > As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....
>
> Many of us do NOT share your opinion so we are exercising our
> rights to petition for changes. Hope you don't object.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
>

We also have the right to assemble. So I'm going to get the new T-Kit 80M
QRP/CW radio kit at Dayton this year.
Anyone else going?

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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2522. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@geocities.kb9rqz.com
Message-ID: <372a193a.790442@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144345
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 11:52:29 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

>We haven't established that, Cecil. Some claim CW is outdated; many
>others contend that it is not. Finding that CW is outdated is a
>necessary first requirement for declaring the rule outdated. So far,

that is not the case. your logic is in error. To attack the
curent of Code testing it is merely needed to deteremine that Code is
not vital. given the ARRL survey and the admissions of ProCoders that
one May forget the Code after the tests and still be good hams, is
proof that it is not vital, therefore it is unfair and unreasonable
for it the the Vital Go NoGo status it has currently. Now a code test
of some sort the reduces the import of pasing or fialing to the
results of say not knowing anything about SSB would a legal and valid
tetst but that does not stisfy the ProCoders. It would statisfy the
NoCodersby and large as a final resolution

>there's been a lot of noise, flames, and debate, but no conclusions. The
>fact is, CW is still in use daily, even with newer, more efficient modes
>available.

The use or non use of Morse Code is not an issue in wether all
hams must demstrate a certain level of mastery. Something that is not
required for the mode in even MORE common use than Code, like SSB or
FM. It is not required that understand one thing about these modes in
order to use them or use other modes
>
>Michael.
>
>----- Original Message -----
>From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
>Newsgroups:
>rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,
>rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave
>Sent: Friday, April 30, 1999 8:28 AM
>Subject: Re: Death of Ham Radio
>
>
>> Joe wrote:
>> > I dont agree with all the rules
>> > but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!
>>
>> But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy

>> to try to change the rules?
>> --
>> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
>

2523. Re: Mobile install questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7gd6aodfv1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 144346

In article <7gcph6$58j@newsops.execpc.com>,
"Woodsman" <woodsman@apexmail.com> wrote:
>Anyone aware of a good site on the web for detailed mobile
>install info? I am thinking of getting two 2M or dual band
>rigs and having it set up for easy swapping in/out of the cars
>also so I could use one in the house. Would wire directly to
>the battery with both leads fused and thinking of getting a device
>to kill power after the ignition is off for 10min or so-any
>recommendations there?? Wire would then go thru firewall to
>some sort of in vehicle power panel. Not sure what to use or
>what type of connectors to install here either. Any opininions
>on install or what radio to get while not spending an arm and a leg
>welcome. I don't need anything fancy, just basic repeater ops
>with tone encode/decode and scan. On the other hand extended
>receive would be nice. And maybe the ability to run the mobile
>as a repeater for my HT. Yikes, there goes the "simple" and here
>comes the $$$$. Oh well, all input welcome.
>
>Eric
>
>
>
****
If you want to use your mobile 2 meter as a cross repeater than you need a dual bander since you will use 44 from the HT and the mobile will transmit out on two meters.

Even if you stick with just a single two meter rig - the modern ones have automatic shut offs already built in. Some operate on two hours and some on three hours.

You have the right ideas about swaping between cars and use of same-type-connectors for power and to fuse direct to battery. There is nothing more to it than that. You can use vehicle power cord connectors and splice them into the power line of the rig and thus you unplug it and plug it into the next vehicle. I believe there are also quick release slide-type racks you can put on the rig and on the vehicle like I used to use for a CB unit. Look in QST, AES and HRO.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

2524. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <CB1990FDB493B4DA.0C2ABF3BC7E65308.9667B48A20F6FB14@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I have 500 things which require just 10-15 minutes a day already. ;)

: >> If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.

2525. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <5F32420DC5544B58.1BBBCDD2291611B2.AA75D60C230D3361@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

HAM's are so smug and cumfy.
I see why no one wants to become a HAM anymore since they have to tolerate elitist, disfunctional attitudes.
I can't wait when FCC pulls the plug on code, then there will be people coming to HAM by the droves and swamping you guys out to where no one gives a crap about you anymore.

:If you dont like it the way it IS,LEAVE!!!

2526. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <BB71ED20C376FE0D.FA0A2EB95587122B.EE879D51AF9AEFA7@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: > As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....

I think Joe is another one of those old farts who can't be taught new tricks.

2527. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <MKlevickis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <372A1E24.635D@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 144350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Al Klase wrote:

> There are some serious problems with exotic commercial receivers for people
> who are not extremely technically qualified or not made of money.

> Al Klase - N3FRQ

I will have to agree with Al's well reasoned posting. I have owned some of the exotic equipment. I now have a very good, but very common, Drake R8B. There are several problems with the exotics. The first is that they were never intended for general use and, thus, often have terrible ergonomics or sound quality. These are acceptable traits in monitoring equipment which is intended to always be computer controlled, but maddening characteristics for the general listener. Secondly, if the exotic was primarily designed for use by a governmental agency, the cost of commonly replaced parts can be absurd. This is often not a result of government purchasing excesses, but rather an inevitable product of limited production and low economies of scale; but the result for the consumer is the same ($100.00 plus LCD screens). The third, and worst, problem with the exotics is that they are sold in very limited numbers, often for a short time period. This means that few people are familiar with them or can service them, parts are not generally available, and a spare parts chassis will never be found. After some years, it will become difficult, and then impossible, to keep it working.

If you want one for the bragging rights, fine. Or, perhaps, you might want one as part of a collection where its design, if not its use, would be important. However, you had better be a fully qualified technician to service it; and you must realize that the performance advantage the exotic has is probably in a range or function that you will never use, and the guy down the street with the Japan Radio Corp. set or the Drake is actually getting better actual results in the type of listening you are actually doing.

For what it's worth.

73's de
Michael K.

2528. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199904302126.XAA04434@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 144351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

marsgal42@hotmail.com wrote:
: > Isn't "vodka" the russian word for "water".

: Nyet. "Water" is "voda".

: "Vodka" is the diminutive of "voda" - in effect, "little water".

If I lived in Russia I'd rather be drinking vodka than water.

2529. Code Quick? Does it work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: andrewvictor@geocities.com
Message-ID: <7gdall$j9n$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Has anyone used Code Quick? Does it work or does it mess up your code skills so much You will have to relearn the code. THX Andrew KD7EMO

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2530. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <372a2335.658969@news.planet.net>
Source record: 144353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 13:28:06 GMT, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
wrote:

>Joe wrote:
>> I dont agree with all the rules
>> but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!
>
>But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy
>to try to change the rules?

I just drove home at speeds of 75 mph keeping up with
the traffic flow on a highway with a posted limit of 55.
Laws which have no basis in reality breed contempt
for those laws.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

2531. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372a1aec.1224597@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 16:00:04 GMT, JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:

>BungHole wrote:
>>
>> These guys just don't get it do they?
>> Hello!
>> No Speaka de english?
>> Do you comprende?Understand!
>> Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some useless
>> outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little hobby.
>> We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to make
>> the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.
>>
>
>Then you just don't really want to be a ham. Since you seem to think it
>is a 'stupid little hobby' then you shouldn't waste any time on it, so
>move on. Either shut up or learn what you need to get a license.

I do find this attitude interesting esp on the part of americans. If
that were how public affiars were to handled in this conutry then we
would still english subjects

2532. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372a1b2c.1288938@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 12:25:55 GMT, unit77@mynet.net (Joe) wrote:

>On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 10:53:02 GMT, konstans@one-eleven.net (Mark
>Morgan) wrote:
>
>>On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 10:26:45 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>
>>>>> :If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>>>
>>>I guess you don't plan to partake in the fun of this "stupid little
>>>hobby" then. Either shut up or learn to SEND (and receive).
>>
>> Are you really that dumb Dave? Do you really think that your
>>stupid code requirement is going to last more than a few more years?
> There is the solution!!!Come back in a few years when that
>happens.Until then,quit crying like the spoiled little boy you
>obviously are.

Indeed that refrain is the only hope of those who use the
whinner lable that the NoCoders will stop fighting for what is right,
and therefore although the peopple like to engage in your hazing
rituals awhile longer

2533. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990430145134.17652H-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 144356

>In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in the
>blank type on the ARRL tests.

W5YI examiners may use the W5YI produced exams, or they may make up their
own exams from the current question pool. Their choice. They can use fill
in the blanks, or multiple choice. Again, their choice.

Julian

2534. Re: ARRL vs W5YI tests?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <372A2832.CCB3E780@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144357

CRTï¿½ wrote:

> On 23 Apr 1999 23:37:50 GMT, mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA) wrote:
>
> >In this area the W5YI-tests feature multiple guess cw test, vs fill in the
> >blank type on the ARRL tests.
> >
> >From Newsline reports, and FCC actions in canceling upgrades, it also appears
> >that you stand a better chance of getting the VE's to give you the answers,
> >falsify test results, or forge the signatures on other VEs if you take the W5YI
> >test.
>
> Oh you're so full of shit. My W5YI was fill in the blank, so there. My
> testers were way above board, so again you're full of shit.

My understanding is that both W5YI and ARRL are going to switch to essay tests for the Morse exam. So, for example, a question might be "Discuss KC0EGB's use of pathos in the classical Greek tradition, especially as portrayed in the works of Euripides, and cite reasons why you think his use of Q-signals suggests he is a biblical scholar." or "Based on KC0EGB's description of his rig, draw a detailed schematic of it, incorporating any updates installed by the manufacturer and any modifications made by the owner. Critique the design and suggest improvements."

Just kidding. ;-)

73,

Marv
AB0IO

2535. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372A295F.F1FC1D6@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I dont agree with all the rules but I do follow them.Why? Because they
ARE THE RULES!!!

The whining is not about following the rules, it's about changing the
rules!!! Most of the complainers about doing away with Morse Code for
licensing seem to be older hams, and old people have problems with
change whether it be the ARS or some other endeavor. That's why when you
visit nursing homes, the furniture, table settings, etc. are not changed
very often, change disturbs these poor folks' equilibrium.

Perhaps we should change the name of this hobby to the Amateur Radio
Skilled Nursing Service. :-0.

2536. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372A2A6A.D39EB1C9@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe, if you don't feel any rules need changing, keep in mind that is only your opinion, not some commandment handed down from above.

Is the thinking of you older hams (not age, years in hobby) so insular that there can NEVER be a change in the rules?

2537. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <dRpW2.5310$1v.7623@ndnws01.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 144360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What's the matter with you???
Jealous that you can't have a decent station with GOOD antennas?
Can't afford it?? Tough!!!!
Get a life....if you can afford it

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7gd7k3$gj4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>I understand this guy is a professional and commercial towers are his
>business, that's well and good.
>
>
>However, his sideline business takes AMATEUR radio TOO DAMN FAR. FCC should
>act to prevent this sort of out of control lunacy.
>
>http://www.xxtowers.com
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2538. Contesters at the Dayton Snack Bar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-04-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gdeicmec1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144361

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----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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2539. Icom Ram board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nardo' Roberto <nardo@pv.infn.it>
Message-ID: <372B376E.71A1@pv.infn.it>
Source record: 144074

I'm Roberto IK2RND , I have realized a replacement board for EX-314 MEMORY BOARD installed in these Icom rigs :
IC-745 IC-751 IC-751/A ICR-71A/E IC-271 IC-471 IC-1271.
My board called EPROM/RAMBOARD definitely solve the problem related to the lithium battery fails. When battery fails the rig stop to work and you need to send your radio to the Icom service center to replace battery and reprogram the board.
Data in the my board are stored in an EPROM chip the RAM is used only to store the 32 memory channels.

73, Roberto IK2RND

for more info pse mailto:nardo@pv.infn.it

you can see photo http://www.pv.infn.it/~nardo/epromram.jpg

2540. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Dickman <mdickman@alaska.net>
Message-ID: <372B3D60.979@alaska.net>
Source record: 144075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Andy wrote:
>
> Keith Lodahl <lodahlkh@internetwis.com> wrote in message
> 372A70E8.94CFBD98@internetwis.com...
> >If it is intended to be a "twit filter" then it is failing. Just listen on
> the
> >low bands and tell me of the professionalism shown by all operators found
> there.
> >The Conqueror wrote:
> >
> > I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing
> >requirements
> >To weed out the serious from the lazy and stupid.
>
> >> Lets talk bottom line...CW is a twit filter. It maintains a certain
> >> level of operator competentancy.
> >> It may indeed be an outdated means of "seperating the men from the
> >> boys" but until a suitable replacement can be implemented,
> >> CW is it....JUST DO IT !!!
> >> Practice, practice practice !!!
> >> Hugh Duff, VA3TO Toronto
> >>
> Well well then the STUPID have taken over the bands already with the CW test
> STILL in effect. A simple thing such as the PHOENETIC ALPHABET is destroyed
> all the time by operators who have GREAT CW skill. The only way for the
> phoenetic alphabet to work is when ALL use it correctly. The stupid have
> taken over and can't even use this SIMPLE thing correctly.
> We should change the test right now and make all of those old timers take a
> RELEVANT operating and proficiency test. Man that would clean a lot of the
> deadwood.Guys who can copy 30WPM CW but can't string a dipole. No wonder you
> are scared of losing the cw req most of you would LOSE your license if
> asked to retest.
> Operating knowledge will allways be better than operating 1 mode.
> Andrew
> VE1VVV

I would like to know how CW maintains this "level of operator
competentancy"? While "we" are debating CW, the Internet, cable modems,
sat. phones, cell phones are passing us in technology.

*** average temperature 6 below ***
sunrise 10:48 am sunset 2:44 pm
giving 3 hours 56 minutes of possible sunshine

Mike (KD4LLA)

For the people who like peace and quiet: a phoneless cord <grin>!

The longer Bill Clinton stays in office, the more we pay.

Our justice system pays because he has opened the door for millions of us to play games with the notion of telling "the whole truth" under oath. Our military personnel pay because they have to carry out their duties while grappling with questions regarding the motives of their commander in chief. Our national intellect pays because, with his myriad verbal contortions and willful deceptions, the president has become little more than a walking, talking insult to our intelligence. Finally, the taxpayers pay because, in his efforts to keep "looking presidential" and "doing the work of the people," he is creating more new programs and growing the government.

Haven't we paid enough already?

See my web page at http://www.alaska.net/~mdickman/Index.htm

2541. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Smith <baz@g4iat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant0115330b0nGS$@g4iat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144076
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <7gcmm6$1iq$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, Al Klase
<URL:mailto:skywaves@bw.webex.net> wrote:
> In article <3727CBE0.D2E0B1FF@nospam.com>,
> Ken Osmond <kenos23@nospam.com> wrote:
> > I'm about to buy one of these high end receivers and
> > don't want to make a mistake.

> There are some serious problems with exotic commercial receivers for people
> who are not extremely technically qualified or not made of money.
>
> An even bigger problem is service. They were largely designed to be
> repaired by replacing major assemblies until they worked. computer control.
>
> So, my advise, buy a brand-new radio with a warrantee and accessable tech
> support.

Excellent advice I think.

Relating my own experience, I bought an Eddystone EC958 in 1984 for 300 ukp,
a lot of money at the time. Built in the late 60's/early 70's and described
as a professional grade receiver for general communications use it has very
high stability (long term less than 20Hz) so ideal for rtty etc.

Although in very good condition, I decided to order a new speaker and
'front panel' (not the main panel, just the thin plate with all the legends on)
and a service manual. A bargain I thought at 36 ukp.

The receiver has facility for an internal FSK module (ideal for my rtty) an
an internal crystal calibrator. The prices qouted for these were 209 ukp
and 89 ukp respectively. In other words, as much as I had paid for the whole set.
Obviously, I decided I could manage without them !

Fortunately (up to now!) the set has been very reliable, but given that
it was about 15 years old when I bought it, I think I've been lucky.
The only plus side may be that this set will hold its value better than a
'new' set of comparable purchase price.

Given a choice today, with a budget of 1000 ukp, I would probably buy a
modern 'amateur' receiver (Icom/Kenwood/JRC etc) as opposed to a professional
set (Racal/WJ etc) because I feel the features are more in-line with what we
wish to use the set for and servicing, if needed, would be cheaper.

But whatever you buy - happy listening

Barry
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Support the Acorn User RC5-64 cracking effort
See http://www.acornusers.org/rc5/

2542. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gfo46$e6l$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144077

In article <373d0a83.338301038@news.atl.bellsouth.net>,
ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
> On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 03:38:35 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
> >160m. I think it got its name from the old radios where the freq. was
> >inscribed in the top band of numbers. I could be wrong; this is the
> >fiction I made up for myself to explain why the bottom would be called
> >the top.
>
> Well, in the old days, hams used wavelength instead of frequency
> to describe their bands. When you list the bands in wavelength order
> from largest to smallest, 160m is on top.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |
>
Gary, when you list the entire list of numbers, from the largest number to the
smallest number, which number is at the top, and why would you list it first?
Brian

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2543. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372B5D22.70E2@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144078
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

BungHole wrote:
>
> No, I want to be on HAM but I've already decided not to kiss these people's asses
> and I've also decided that I can't wait for these old trailer trash farts who think they are radio's
> gift to the universe to die of old age.

ON ham?

I guess with that sparkling persona of yours, you have folks climbing all over each other to be the first to help you in obtaining your license and getting set up to go on the air. It's just a guess but I don't figure you'll be joining the ranks any time soon. Too bad since you seem like such a charming fellow.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2544. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <372B6CE8.D3766026@netdoor.com>
Source record: 144079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:
<<snip the other stuff>>

> The treaty itself has provisions specifying exactly how certain sections
> can be ignored. Japan has taken advantage of those provisions.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Is this a none catch-22? Will Robin make it to the Bat Cave to plug the enviorenmentally (hard word) friendly Bat Car back in the Bat Power Plug? Will Bat Man lose his Bat Cajohnes (I'm southern, we don't have this word in our dickchunairy) with out Bat Power? Will Cat Woman jump Robin's Craftsman air wrench handle protruding from his Bat pants as he bends over? Will it hurt?

Stay tuned as the Japs fail to ignore Robynz Craftsman Tool Set as, just as they failed to ignore the clause in the treaty : o) My daddy usta shoot'em you know! Yep. They allways forget treateez (nother one) Why do you know what language we would be speaking if the Neo-Japaneese Japanese had been just a little adventouristic (that a word?) and STOLE America from the Indians instead of us? We'd be Japaneese speaking non-Americans living in a clause! Clauset, if it is small one "o)

Butch KF5DE

2545. Re: Why is it spelled KN...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925593805.619.76@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144080

Hi, Brent. Hearing it is not the problem. I recently got paddles, and couldn't send KN at first, but YE came out quite easily. :) Same with TF (for DN), although it sounds for all the world like "shave and a haircut".

Michael.

cal25skipper <Skipper3@swbell.net> wrote in message news:%8GW2.339$fd.481@typhoon01.swbell.net...
> I really is phrased as KN. Although you are correct YE would be the same
> dots and dashes. It is a very subtle difference. practice it thinking of
> both ways, and you will hear the diff. There is a very small space there.
> Let me know what yo think.
>
> Brent
> N5CLK
> Michael Young wrote in message <925366600.523.38@news.remarQ.com>...
> >.... when it's more easily sent as YE? Or DN, when it's really TF?
> >
> >Michael.
> >
> >
>
>

2546. Re: OTK still telling lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmontcal@capecod.net
Message-ID: <7gfud1$j07$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144081

Regarding the following - Thank you Mr. Hollingsworth for taking legal action against the eyesore of Amateur Radio, WB2OTK...

EASLEY, SC: The FCC has sent tape recordings to General licensee Richard L. Whiten, WB2OTK, made of his on-the-air operations on November 22 and 26, 1998. The FCC's Riley Hollingsworth has requested Whiten to "provide a full explanation of these transmissions" by May 20. Hollingsworth said the information would be used to determine "what action to take regarding the renewal of your Amateur Radio license." The FCC said Whiten could keep the tapes. Commission personnel inspected Whiten's station in January and has requested information on the operation of his station and a high-power linear amplifier the FCC noted upon inspection.

In article <7geu6pqkq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> It looks like WB2OTK is still telling lies. It is no surprise that he would
> tell a twisted version of story that was witnessed by other amateurs.
>
> If he had operated his station according to part 97 rules he would not be in
> the shameful state he is now. (Lost a vanity call, on the hot seat to explain
> bigoted raceist remarks, explain OO cards. etc). It will take him a long time
> to explain his years of being a radio bully, qrmer, and other nasty habits it
> seems he can not control.
>
> This radio rat has been put on the shelf by one Mr Riley Hollingsworth.
> Hooray for Riley!! The frequencies left vacant of rule breakers like WB2OTK
> and his like m inded crew are wonderful to operate now that the people in
> authority have acted.
>
> Lets keep the amateur bands a place where children can listen to , enjoy, and
> work to get their ticket.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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2547. ### HAMBAND TRADER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <3732ff80.9662378@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144082
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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It's Free ###

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
amateiur radio equipment. This site will grow if needed as
activity requires. Read the Advert Information" page and the
"Policy" page for informationon submiting and changing an
advert.

The curent departments are...
HF and Accessories
VHF/UHF and Accessories
Handhelds and Accessories
Antennas, Towers and Cable
Station Supplies & Accessories
Other Stuff (computers, packet and such)
Hamfest Venders (semi-commercial)

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

2548. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373affd2.9743858@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144083
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
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O'Hearte Desktop Services
622 Meadowvale drive
Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

2549. FS: Futaba Gold Series Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: John - WB5NUA <johnwunder@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gg24vlon1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144084
Cross-posted to: rec.models.rc.air,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have for sale a FP-T7FG/K - FG series (Gold) FM transmitter (with brand new ni-cads) and matching FP-R107M-53 - 7 channel FM receiver. These are on 53.300 Mhz in the 6 meter amateur band. Must be a ham to operate. They are in good working condition for $75 plus shipping.

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2550. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gfv1n$6r1$0@208.207.71.149>
Source record: 144085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> Gary, how many firearms do you or your family own ?
> ---
> Reg.

Hey, Reg--If you choose well it only takes one.

That is the folly of so much concern surrounding "numbers of guns" owned by any one individual...he can only use one at at time anyway.
If he chooses well, for self defense that's all he'll need.

Do you really believe that there are no guns on the street in England? Pray tell, what was that device which was used a couple of days ago to murder the young lady, the popular TV news anchor, on her doorstep in London?

I hope you don't really believe that it isn't possible to smuggle guns into your country-or that it won't be, or isn't being done. In an even moderately free country, guns and drugs are everywhere they are desired, useful, needed or even wanted. People have been known to build them themselves on occasion-both guns and drugs. Methamphetamine cooking is almost a cottage industry nowdays, and the guns sometimes used to guard the cooks are certainly illegal for them to possess, since that they are engaged in a criminal enterprise. Think they are deterred by that fact?

It truly is a shame that passing a law to make it so does NOT make it so - only for the people who will always obey all laws. The criminals couldn't care less, as they have no regard for laws anyway.

Of one thing you can be fairly certain--probably the only armed people in England are the criminals and the police. So anyone who is not a crook is advised to stick close to your local Bobby. If you can find him.

73 and good luck, Dick W0EX

2551. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: g8jnz <g8jnz@netcomuk.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7gg07lrpn1@taliesin.netcom.net.uk>
Source record: 144086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

>Relating my own experience, I bought an Eddystone
Slightly off the subject but for interest, Eddystone Radio are closing down.
The name will shortly pass into the annals of history.

de Bob M.
ax25: g8jnz@gb7stu.#32.gbr.eu
tcp/ip: g8jnz@gb7zhr.ampr.org

2552. QRP Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Conqueror <joetheripper@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372b88a7.0@news.gulliver.fr>
Source record: 144087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi,

I was wondering if there was any way for me to homebrew or make from a kit a
2 meter QRP <1W transceiver with only 2 or 3 frequencies and PL support.

-Dan K3DRQ

2553. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372B8C79.D280F84E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> That is the folly of so much concern surrounding "numbers
> of guns" owned by any one individual...he can only use one
> at at time anyway.

That may be true for you damned Yankees, Dick, but us Texans
like to pack a six-shooter on each hip, one for each hand.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2554. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Kenneth M. Gianino" <ken@hnvr.com>
Message-ID: <372B8F69.5B83C413@hnvr.com>
Source record: 144089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

As the owner of a pair of RACAL RA6790/GM receivers, I've enjoyed reading everyone's excellent advice. With some clever shopping, you should be able to pick up a pair of working 6790's for less than the price of a used Drake R8B (certainly less than a new R8B!). There are so many of them, I don't think the world will ever be void of replacement parts. I would bet that there will be 30 or more 6790's for sale at the Dayton Hamvention in two weeks. It's really not hard to learn to swap modules, especially with the BITE doing some of the detective work for you. You'll need a service manual.

Now, for a totally different, totally right-brained view: I simply enjoy operating professional receivers more than amateur or consumer receivers. I previosly had a pair of 6790's and sold them, only to lose interest in listening. My amateur HF rig, with it's excellent general coverage receiver, just collects dust. I chose the RACAL's mainly because the market is flooded with them and their price reflects that fact. I'd love to try a Harris, Cubic, W-J, R&S, etc. On the other hand, if you can afford the W-J HF1000, is there really a question here?

-Ken

2555. Operating Manual Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Ramzy <k8rmr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7gg4s2$ad8$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144090

I am looking for a copy of an Operating Manual for Kenwood TS-830S .
If anyone can help me you can E-MAIL Me @ address below.

Thank You All,

Rick Ramzy de K8RMR
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E-MAIL @ kc8dmn@accinternet.com
WEB PAGE @ www.accinternet.com/~kc8dmn

2556. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Leikhim <jleikhim@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <372B9280.D4EC567F@nettally.com>
Source record: 144091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I too do not see the point of the original post. Having installed my own tower (89' crank up) I would not begrudge another Ham for hiring out the job. I might do so for my next tower given the amount of work involved to do the installation properly.

Joe Schlatter wrote:

> Hmmm. Exactly what is wrong with this site? I, too, wish I had the $$$$$
> and the real estate to erect towers and antennas like those pictured on this
> site but, because I do not an will not, I certainly will no begrudge the
> guys who can afford it. So, back to my backyard dipole.
>
> --
> Regards,
> Joe Schlatter
> joe@schlatter.org
>

--
Joe Leikhim K4SAT (EX KE4TZH)
Jleikhim@nettally.com

"tv dinner by the pool,
i'm so glad i finished school" -F.Zappa 1967

"The Revolution will NOT be televised" -Gil Scott Heron

2557. Looking For Operating Manual for Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick <kc8dmn@accinternet.com>
Message-ID: <8FOW2.31$aT4.11013@iagnews.iagnet.net>
Source record: 144092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio

I am looking for a copy of an Operating Manual for Kenwood TS-830S .
If anyone can help me you can E-MAIL Me @ address below.

Thank You All,

Rick Ramzy de K8RMR

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E-MAIL @ kc8dmn@accinternet.com
WEB PAGE @ www.accinternet.com/~kc8dmn

2558. FS Heathkit SB 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372BBE98.3B20@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144093
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello All
I have a heathkit SB 104. The rig needs some work. It needs finals (one could use the motarola MRF 455A Its alot cheaper then the heath original final) 10 ohm bias transistor and the control IC for the last digit in the display. Cosmeticly its in good shape. I'm asking 100 bucs for the rig plus shipping. I'm keeping the power supply for my packet operation and I have sold the VFO all I have left is the rig. BTW the receiver in this rig is HOT! If you are interested drop me a email oris@dirtball.com
73 from Oris and thanks for reading
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http://www.dirtball.com

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2559. FS Clipperton L

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372BBF78.CC5@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144094
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Hello all,
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new
572b's, new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes
have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired
for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters.
The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500bucs
plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line. You
can see a picture of the amp as well as my station by clicking
here. http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 and thanks for reading
Oris N3CND
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2560. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <RYPW2.89$I3.9140@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144095

"moronic"???? I thought it was a damn fine installation. I'm looking at my backyard tomorrow to see if I can fit in one just like it!!!!

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
mf_luder wrote in message
<18PW2.2285$vY2.16869@c01read01.service.talkway.com>...
>On Sat, 01 May 1999 19:47:13 -0400 Joe Leikhim <jleikhim@nettally.com>
>wrote:
>> I too do not see the point of the original post. Having installed my own
tower
>> (89' crank up) I would not begrudge another Ham for hiring out the job. I
might
>> do so for my next tower given the amount of work involved to do the
installation
>> properly.
>
>AGAIN, for the reading impaired.
>
>I said promoting safe installations via professional contracting is
>fine.
>
>Showing lunatic fringe installations like 3 element yagis for 80 meters
>is moronic.
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>
>

2561. Pioneering EE Patents: Negative Feedback Amplification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Suominen <ed@eepatents.com>
Message-ID: <372BE0E6.9C927E20@eepatents.com>
Source record: 144096
Cross-posted to:
sci.physics.electromag,sci.nonlinear,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.cellular.nokia

Pioneering EE Patent, featured May 1-14
"Wave Translation System"
Issued 1937 to Bell Labs for the negative feedback amplifier
and filter. Get a free abridged copy of this historic patent
(or just view a summary) at http://eepatents.com/feature?m05d01/

Any electrical engineer who has ever designed an amplifier or
active filter around an op-amp has made use of the fundamental
principle of negative ("degenerative") feedback. Harold Black
taught this principle in exhaustive detail in his 1937 patent,
taking 35 drawing sheets and 52 pages to tell the story. The
patent discusses complex effects of feedback on impedance, gain,
stability, and "wave shaping" (filtering). A PDF file containing
the full patent would take up about 7 MB, so only
highlights are provided.

Upcoming features will include the original patents for the
Costas loop and the word processor. For the last half of April,
the featured patent was "Three-Electrode Circuit Element
Utilizing Semiconductive Materials" issued 1950, for
the point-contact transistor. It's archived at
http://eepatents.com/feature?m04d30/

Ed Suominen
Registered Patent Agent
Former R&D Engineer, RF/DSP
Web Site: http://eepatents.com

2562. Re: The Truth About the OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gdnm9$tk2$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144362

Some of us were also there in Dayton when this so called "ASSAULT" was supposed to have taken place. Sorry, It never happened as described. Yes, there was a shouting match, but there was no "ASSAULT". WB2OTK claimed he "threw K9MX across the room". Mr dreamer again !! The real problem with this WB2OTK/W9XN fairy tale is that it did not happen in 1993. Get your story straight, it happened in 1991. Many of us would like to see the so-called video tape of that "ASSAULT". The camera was aimed at the floor during the whole shouting match. Just another OTK Fantasy!!!!!

>>In article <19990415141917.26071.00001189@ng13.aol.com>, richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
> Subj: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
> Date: 4/14/99 7:54:32 PM Eastern Daylight Time
> From: w9xn@NetUSA1.net (Martin A. Chittum, Sr.)
> To: Richwhiten@aol.com
>
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> being harassed with blanket mailings by ARRL OO's (including K9MX, N9MX,
> W8IRT and others), an amateur was actually verbally and physically assaulted
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> Submitted by witnesses to these events.
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> ---------------------- Headers --------------------------------
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> Received: from mars.netusa1.net (mars.netusa1.net [205.139.170.12])
> by rly-zc01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id TAA21680 for <Richwhiten@aol.com>;
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> From: "Martin A. Chittum, Sr." <w9xn@NetUSA1.net>
> To: <Richwhiten@aol.com>
> References: <f8d293fe.24461fe5@aol.com>
> Subject: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
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2563. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gdp5e$uo3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144363
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article
<BB71ED20C376FE0D.FA0A2EB95587122B.EE879D51AF9AEFA7@library-proxy.airnews.net
>, "BungHole" <bung@hole.org> wrote:

> : > As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....
>
> I think Joe is another one of those old farts who can't be taught new =
> tricks.

I wonder if he has ignored every rules change since he took his last exam?

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2564. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gdp74uoc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144364
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <199904302126.XAA04434@mail.replay.com>,
Anonymous <nobody@replay.com> wrote:
> marsgal42@hotmail.com wrote:
> : > Isn't "vodka" the russian word for "water".
>
> : Nyet. "Water" is "voda".
>
> : "Vodka" is the diminutive of "voda" - in effect, "little water".
>
> If I lived in Russia I'd rather be drinking vodka than water.
>
In Russia, both are toxic.

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2565. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gdpkm$v6f$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7gd7k3$gj4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I understand this guy is a professional and commercial towers are his
> business, that's well and good.
>
> However, his sideline business takes AMATEUR radio TOO DAMN FAR. FCC should
> act to prevent this sort of out of control lunacy.
>
> http://www.xxtowers.com

Please, if he was advocating his services for safety reasons that's OK, but
his main message is want a professional non-ham ham antenna, call me.

More "great ops" who need elephant guns because they're too impatient to wait
their turn. It's like watching an arms race...

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Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gdq5bvjb1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144366
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In article <372A295F.F1FC1D6@hotmail.com>,
Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote:
> I dont agree with all the rules but I do follow them.Why? Because they
> ARE THE RULES!!!
> -------
> The whining is not about following the rules, it's about changing the
> rules!!! Most of the complainers about doing away with Morse Code for
> licensing seem to be older hams, and old people have problems with
> change whether it be the ARS or some other endeavor. That's why when you
> visit nursing homes, the furniture, table settings, etc. are not changed
> very often, change disturbs these poor folks' equilibrium.
>
> Perhaps we should change the name of this hobby to the Amateur Radio
> Skilled Nursing Service. :-0.
>

There is currently legislation where friends and family can call and rat out old folks that shouldn't hold a drivers license due to lost vision, hearing, motor skills, etc. The State takes the anonymous tip and retests the suspects.

Maybe we could get that kind of rule going in the amateur service so we don't have to wait for the actuarial tables plus 10 years for changes.

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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2567. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ge1ue$5hg$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144367
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <01be8fbf$8fcdb060$2be2abc3@default>,
"Reg Edwards" <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com> wrote:
> The murder rate in North America was even lower before
> 1492. How do you account for that ?
> -----
> Reg.
>

It is pretty obvious. The Native Americans [Indians] did not have guns. It was the Europeans who later brought fire arms, fire water, horses and some contageous diseases to the Americas. BUT I must admit that if the colonists in the original thirteen colonies didn't have guns, we might all be living in southern Canada and have better medical insurance. I never met a Ham I didn't like, Think if you have it, Bob Wex w2ilp [Indians Lacked Pistols]

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2568. JRC JHM-40S25 Radio HELP URGENTLY NEEDED .!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <7geddbeha1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144368

Please if anyone knows how to enter the DEALER mode without knowing Dealer password for this Model of JRC mobile VHF radio ???

Password was 22222222 but i have CLEARED ram memory of the radio and now apparently it has new DEALER code or old (factory programmed in EPROM) id not know how to circumvent this..

Any suggestions .. ??

regards

Fox

--
Trustno1, do you ??

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2569. OTK still telling lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7geu6pqkq1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144369

It looks like WB2OTK is still telling lies. It is no surprise that he would tell a twisted version of story that was witnessed by other amateurs.

If he had operated his station according to part 97 rules he would not be in the shameful state he is now. (Lost a vanity call, on the hot seat to explain bigoted raceist remarks, explain OO cards. etc). It will take him a long time to explain his years of being a radio bully, qrmer, and other nasty habits it seems he can not control.

This radio rat has been put on the shelf by one Mr Riley Hollingsworth. Hooray for Riley!! The frequencies left vacant of rule breakers like WB2OTK and his like m inded crew are wonderful to operate now that the people in authority have acted.

Lets keep the amateur bands a place where children can listen to , enjoy, and work to get their ticket.

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2570. Re: OOs and the FCC- An Open Letter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7geu76qks1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144370

In article <3729DD48.358E@wt.net>,
nm5k@wt.net wrote:
> Brian wrote:
> > Then you are mistaken. I shed the Novice license in 88. You would be
correct
> > if you had said that twelve years ago I was fairly inexperienced on HF.
>
> Oh, excuuuuse me, you are a 10m phone dynamo I guess. Also I guess you
> can go over to your general class buddies, and they let you talk on
> their's.

Are you calling me a liar? Besides, you're limiting me to the amateur
service. Think Mark, think. Does HF exist beyond the boundaries of the
Amateur Radio Service?

> >
> > By the way, you're not in my logs from Nebraska, ROK, Guam, Somalia, or
> > Illinois. Are you sure that -you- have any HF experience?
> I'm on the radio most every night . Where are you? Being as I'm usually
> on a band you can't work, except for CW, which you don't like to work,
> it's not unusual that I would
> not run into you.
> >
> > The example I posted
> > > about was no stretch of the imagination. The OO that sent that notice
> > > was close to the ham he sent it to, if I understand correctly. He should
> > > have expected that from a very strong signal.
> >
> > Could you be more specific?
> No. I've already made my point about OO's.
>
> > > I've never had an OO report
> >
> > Right.
> No, Damned right. I've never been sent a notice of any kind from anyone.
> You calling me a liar? If so, screw you.

Sorry.

> > > but I know quite a few over the years that have gotten them. 70%
> > > should have never been sent of the ones I know about.
> >
> > Exactly 70% or is it really closer to 65%? Please show your work, or is
this
> > just anecdotal heresay.

> Show my work? Get a grip.

So its heresay, and anecdotal at best.

> >
> > Did the auto-CW IDer mute the voice or whatever mode was in use when it IDed?
> > Or was it co-mingled with, or obliterated by the other mode in use?
> No, the id'er overrode the audio. Do you think these people will ID
> with a device that can't be heard? MK
> --
> http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

Mark, I don't know these people or their abilities, don't know why they would want a repeater-like IDer on their microphone, don't know why they would make receipt of an OO report public (or at least tell you), and don't know why they aren't on Jerry Springer with this shocking information.

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2571. Re: The Truth About the OO Program.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: lmontcal@capecod.net
Message-ID: <7gf1hisuh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144371

Marty,

I was there when the so called assualt took place - And you know that nothing really happened. I guess WB2OTK needs all the help he can, Marty.

I'll give you credit though, Marty, you sure can put a spin on a tall tale!

One Last thing, Marty, I Can't understand why you would even talk to this low life, WB2OTK. After all those dirty filthy things he has spewed over the airways about you and your family, why would you even mention this guys name.....Oh well, I guess misery loves company......

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> > ---------- Headers ----------
> > Return-Path: <w9xn@NetUSA1.net>
> > Received: from rly-zc01.mx.aol.com (rly-zc01.mail.aol.com [172.31.33.1]) by
> > air-zc04.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 19:54:32 -0400
> > Received: from mars.netusa1.net (mars.netusa1.net [205.139.170.12])
> > by rly-zc01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> > with ESMTP id TAA21680 for <Richwhiten@aol.com>;
> > Wed, 14 Apr 1999 19:54:31 -0400 (EDT)
> > Received: from default (and-59-97.netusa1.net [208.158.59.97])
> > by mars.netusa1.net (8.8.8/8.8.8) with SMTP id TAA08521
> > for <Richwhiten@aol.com>; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 19:07:36 -0500 (EST)

> > Message-ID: <004001be86d2$13bf2260$613b9ed0@default>
> > From: "Martin A. Chittum, Sr." <w9xn@NetUSA1.net>
> > To: <Richwhiten@aol.com>
> > References: <f8d293fe.24461fe5@aol.com>
> > Subject: The Incredible Shrinking OO's at Dayton - 1993
> > Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 18:54:02 -0500
> > MIME-Version: 1.0
> > Content-Type: text/plain;
> > charset="iso-8859-1"
> > Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
> > X-Priority: 3
> > X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
> > X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 5.00.2314.1300
> > X-MimeOLE: Produced By Microsoft MimeOLE V5.00.2314.1300
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> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
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2572. Re: Why is it spelled KN...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: cal25skipper <Skipper3@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <%8GW2.339$fd.481@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 144372

I really is phrased as KN. Although you are correct YE would be the same
dots and dashes. It is a very subtle difference. practice it thinking of
both ways, and you will hear the diff. There is a very small space there.
Let me know what yo think.

Brent
N5CLK
Michael Young wrote in message <925366600.523.38@news.remarQ.com>...
>.... when it's more easily sent as YE? Or DN, when it's really TF?
>
>Michael.
>
>

2573. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <372B3808.2674180@nationwide.net>
Source record: 144373

I'd like to see ISP's that would only allow access if the user
could build a computer from old coke cans, tree bark, and
cigarette butts. =)

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> David Bernazzani <dber@tiac.net> wrote:
> >Only one reason? Awww - come on. Lots of reasons. But one of the
> >best reasons for CW (at least for me) is the ability to build low cost
> >equipment for that mode. I've built a 40M CW kit (and repaired it
> >after having it on the air for a bit) and more recently a 15M CW
> >transmitter using a high-speed octal buffer as both amplifier and
> >crystal ocilator. I can build a 1/2 watt transmitter and send a
> >singal across the country - amazing. I doubt I could do the same work
> >using the Phone mode.
>
> I'd like to see a NPRM that would allow someone to use a mode
> only if they can build a radio that operates on that mode.
> Jeff KH6O

2574. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be9473$7c2c9900$6df1abc3@default>
Source record: 144097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi Dick, from my simple question you immediately jumped to
a number of wildly incorrect conclusions. Typical of a
person who shoots first and asks questions later.
--
Reg

2575. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372B9A7D.22737B28@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> Hi Dick, from my simple question you immediately jumped to
> a number of wildly incorrect conclusions. Typical of a
> person who shoots first and asks questions later.

Thank God he only ever shoots himself in the foot. :-)
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2576. Re: OTK still telling lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <T3PW2.2284$vY2.16793@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 144099

On Sat, 01 May 1999 22:14:58 GMT lmontcal@capecod.net wrote:
> Regarding the following - Thank you Mr. Hollingsworth for taking legal action
> against the eyesore of Amateur Radio, WB2OTK...
>
> EASLEY, SC: The FCC has sent tape recordings to General licensee Richard L.
> Whiten, WB2OTK, made of his on-the-air operations on November 22 and 26, 1998.
> The FCC's Riley Hollingsworth has requested Whiten to "provide a full
> explanation of these transmissions" by May 20. Hollingsworth said the
> information would be used to determine "what action to take regarding the
> renewal of your Amateur Radio license."

Worthless FCC garbage.

It's like a Bureau agent sending a rapist a DNA sample. So what ?

We have you, now be good ? What's there to explain for god sakes ?

Get a pair and prosecute but don't waste our time with this worthless
illusionary feelgood campaign.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

2577. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder <mf_luder@nwo.un.org>
Message-ID: <18PW2.2285$vY2.16869@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 144100

On Sat, 01 May 1999 19:47:13 -0400 Joe Leikhim <jleikhim@nettally.com>
wrote:
> I too do not see the point of the original post. Having installed my own tower
> (89' crank up) I would not begrudge another Ham for hiring out the job. I might
> do so for my next tower given the amount of work involved to do the installation
> properly.

AGAIN, for the reading impaired.

I said promoting safe installations via professional contracting is
fine.

Showing lunatic fringe installations like 3 element yagis for 80 meters
is moronic.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

2578. Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Monitoring Svcs <kevincart@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01be9449$fb1a97a0$LocalHost@68458f823c000>
Source record: 144101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

FLASH! FLASH! FLASH! FLASH!

Ham radio history appears to be in the process of being made
again, even as this Bureau Chief is typing this report...

At approx. 9:08PM Central Time, on the evening of 01 May 1999
R. Hollingsworth W4ZDH, checked in (LIVE) to the Saturday Evening
National Liberty Net on 3.950 Mhz LSB. Prior to the 10:00 (EST) Net startup
time, a rather well-know station from Evansville, Ind appeared to be transmitting
a broadcast directed at no particular station for 2 hours. Comments made by the
Evansville station included many references to call signs commonly heard
on the 3950 Net, alleging linkage of 3950 with various domestic political
groups and other organizations which had no cognizant bearing of logical
reference whatsoever. A broadcast of apparently somewhat disconnected facts
at times very irrational in an apparent vain attempt to tie up the frequency from
general amateur use. (it is alleged that the Evansville station has a record of
prior mandatory committments to State-operated mental health facilities)

In a suprise move, Hollingsworth checked into the net, and made inquiries
to the Net Control as to who the Evansville station was speaking to. It appears
that the FCC was listening in for the whole duration prior, and documenting
the same! When Evansville heard this, an apparent telephone call (??) was made
to another well known station in South Bend Ind, who also has a history of
jamming legal and proper discussion nets on 3.950 Mhz. The station in South
Bend came up on the frequency, announced his call, then went into a rather
un-gentlemanly tirade, berating both the Liberty Net, and the FCC, in rather
improper language which contained numerous references to sexual functions
and bodily organs, then taunted on the air for the Authorities to go after
him for utterances of the same...

As this is being typed, various noises and tapes are being played atop the
3.950 Liberty Net in an apparent ongoing "Jamming-Fest".

Let us HOPE that this evening sees the last chapter written of the jamming of 3.950 Mhz
for the good all SWL's, such as your reporter, and Ham op's.
Shut these interfering stations down and confiscate all their transmitting apparatus.
Then, and ONLY then will SANITY be restored to the Hamradio bands.

2579. Re: OTK still telling lies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "P.I.G. Pride Integrity and Guts" <ka9dhz@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7ggkgt$3d1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144102

Its quite interesting to read these comments.In reality OTK,NTI, ect are on the air about every night. The jammers are there trying to qrm them too. But 3894.5 is strangely quiet.I wonder why?

I have heard OTK and GOR goof off on the air. But what I heard from the 3894.5 crowd,place the racist material on their web pages shows me who is right and wrong here. -- It is an honor to serve in the thin blue line that separates civilization from stumpjumperism P I G Pride Integrity and Guts

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2580. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990502005259.18697.00001600@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 144103

>Let us HOPE that this evening sees the last chapter written of the jamming of
>3.950 Mhz
>for the good all SWL's, such as your reporter, and Ham op's.
>Shut these interfering stations down and confiscate all their transmitting
>apparatus.
>

While I share your hopes, I will only
believe it when I see it.

2581. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7ggpl2$4a5$0@208.207.71.174>
Source record: 144104
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> Hi Dick, from my simple question you immediately jumped to
> a number of wildly incorrect conclusions. Typical of a
> person who shoots first and asks questions later.
>

Hi Reg...No, there were no wildly incorrect conclusions, just recognition of more of the strange sort of attitudes that seem to feel like we all should just capitulate to the outlaw element. Reminds one of Mr. Chamberlain in the late 30's. It's not completely foreign to this side of the pond, either. And since I haven't "shot" yet, and don't plan to, "it" can't be typical of me.

Strangely the same "leaders" who believe that we who try to follow the law should all turn in our firearms, have no compunction whatever about bombing in the Balkans. They actually thought that a little "threat" would cow the bad guys, and they could pull it off with a macho show. Same sort of thinking as when they seem to think that passing a law against owning guns will move the crooks to hand them in. Yeah. Right.

73, Dick

2582. Re: Pioneering EE Patents: Negative Feedback Amplification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: conover@tiac.net
Message-ID: <7ggu6t$are@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 144105
Cross-posted to:
sci.physics.electromag,sci.nonlinear,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.cellular.nokia

Ed Suominen (ed@eepatents.com) wrote:
: Pioneering EE Patent, featured May 1-14
: "Wave Translation System"
: Issued 1937 to Bell Labs for the negative feedback amplifier
: and filter. Get a free abridged copy of this historic patent
: (or just view a summary) at http://eepatents.com/feature?m05d01/
:
: Any electrical engineer who has ever designed an amplifier or
: active filter around an op-amp has made use of the fundamental
: principle of negative ("degenerative") feedback. Harold Black
: taught this principle in exhaustive detail in his 1937 patent,
: taking 35 drawing sheets and 52 pages to tell the story. The
: patent discusses complex effects of feedback on impedance, gain,
: stability, and "wave shaping" (filtering). A PDF file containing
: the full patent would take up about 7 MB, so only
: highlights are provided.

Man, this is a classic that well deserves a 7 MB pdf file!

I once spent an entire weekend at the Firestone Library in
Princeton digesting this monumental piece of work (both the
published paper and the patent itself).

I realize that you're providing a monumental service by posting
material of this calibre, but please, please, please don't
abridge anything like this in the future. Storage is cheap,
but primary information sources have a value beyond that of
conventional money!

Still, thanks.

Harry C.

p.s. Consider the (unforgetable what's_his_name's) paper and patent
on the operational amplifier. (I am tempted to give the
op amp credit to George Philbrick, who did more than
anyone in the of promoting knowledge and acceptance of
this new technology, but if memory serves me correctly, he
wasn't the concept's originator.)

p.p.s. Does anyone participating in this international forum
know the current status of George Philbrick? Is he still
living, and where? Boston Area? For that matter, does
anyone now reading his newsgroup even remember his K2X?

Why do I feel like I'm living in the 'Twilight Zone'
where nothing beyond 5 or 10 years past ever existed?
Guys, I hate to break the news to you, but there was
interesting things going on here on Earth even before
Pentium, the '486, or for that matter the World Wide
Web. Yep, boys and girls, it is a fact, and all of
this came to you as a benefit of us 'Old Farts'.

2583. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372BF7D9.2DC1@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:

>
> Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
> Unsolictied email will be published forwared
> or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.
>
> sending unsolitcied Email will be
> deemed aceptance of these terms

I'm happy to see that you've cleaned up the mistake-filled,
incomprehensible signature line, Mark. This new mistake-filled version
is much easier to understand.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2584. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ggt4p$io0@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hrafnkell Eiriksson <hkelle@rhi.hi.is> wrote:
>Well all the "lazy and stupid" go use the Internet today for satisfying
>their need for playing with technical stuff and communicating with
>people.

Using an untold number of billions of dollars worth of other people's
equipment, along with millions of miles of phone lines.

>Those who are not "lazy and stupid" go through learning all
>the electronics and regulations that you have to learn to get a ham licence.

True. And we use only our own equipment (which many of us have built
ourselves).

Jeff KH6O

2585. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ggu52$jgp@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:

>>Morse code is a language. A digital langauge but still its a langauge.
>>Unless you use the Clinton logic of words and what they realy mean .....
>>then it could be anything .... or nothing.

>Nonsense.

You say that because you never got your code speed up, Gary. You still hear individual letters being sent. Get your speed up and you'll hear words; you won't have to go through the translation process. For example, when I was first learning Vietnamese, to understand the phrase: "Toi di nha " my mind would have to translate word by word: toi = I, di = go, nha = home. Later, after immersion in the language, no such translation was necessary. I could understand a sentence, not having to consider each individual word.

Don't give up, Gary.

Jeff KH6O

P.S. R.r.a.equipment dropped from any fol-ups; why didn't you do that?

2586. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925631670.551.42@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144109

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7ggu52$jgp@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> You say that because you never got your code speed up, Gary. You still
> hear individual letters being sent. Get your speed up and you'll hear
> words; you won't have to go through the translation process. For
example,

I can remember parsing dits and dahs, which truly gives meaning to mind
numbing work. 5 wpm is slow enough to allow this. Those who didn't
progress much farther are still at that stage. It's not a wonder that
they don't understand that CW really is usable to communicate.

Michael.

2587. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7ghdu7obd2@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 144110

In article <925631670.551.42@news.remarQ.com>, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
>news:7ggu52$jgp@news.Hawaii.Edu...
>> You say that because you never got your code speed up, Gary. You still
>> hear individual letters being sent. Get your speed up and you'll hear
>> words; you won't have to go through the translation process. For
>example,
>
>I can remember parsing dits and dahs, which truly gives meaning to mind
>numbing work. 5 wpm is slow enough to allow this. Those who didn't
>progress much farther are still at that stage. It's not a wonder that
>they don't understand that CW really is usable to communicate.
>
>Michael.

I heard of a method for morse called "Koch". How does that method actually work? I'm just about ready for my 13wpm test (passed the General written but failed the code last week).

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2588. (Update) Re: Kenwood TS-140...Wierd problem on 20 Meters (Only)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam
Message-ID: <372c4cbf.0@flint.sentex.net>
Source record: 144111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

In message <372832d9.0@flint.sentex.net> - ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam (Tedd Doda)29 Apr 1999 06:22:17 -0400 writes:
:>>
:>>Hi Tom:
:>>
:>>In message <7g85o8nvg1@nw003t.infi.net> - "tom" <tsokol@injersey.com>Wed, 28
:>>Apr 1999 19:35:55 -0400 writes:
:>>
:>>:>>Substitute a dummy load and see if it does the same thing. If tx into a
:>>:>>dummy load is OK, you have an RF feedback problem. Try creating a balun by
:>>:>>coiling up your coax (10 turns around a 6" form) at the rear of the rig.
:>>:>>Also, try beefing up your entire station's ground system. Oh, and try
:>>:>>substituting a different mic. These steps should narrow it down.
:>>
:>>I should have mentioned that all this happens when it's
:>>hooked to my IFR-1500. I may try and isolate the PA board
:>>and keep running it until something else fail (not very
:>>technical but....).

Problem solved! It turned out that one of the Silver-mica Caps
in the filter unit was breaking down in the 20 meter section.

Thanks for all the help!

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

2589. FS: Motorola Mocom-70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Drew Barth <bartha@wcc.net>
Message-ID: <372c4bcd.0@news.wcc.net>
Source record: 144112
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have (2) Mocom-70 radios for sale. They are complete with 4 channel control heads, cables, mic, and speakers. They are in the 150 Mhz range. Asking $75.00 plus shipping.

Drew Barth - N5YDA
N5YDA@hotmail.com

2590. Re: FS: Futaba Gold Series Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam
Message-ID: <372c4dae.0@flint.sentex.net>
Source record: 144113
Cross-posted to: rec.models.rc.air,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In message <7gg24vlon1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> - John - WB5NUA
<johnwunder@my-dejanews.com>Sat, 01 May 1999 23:18:56 GMT writes:
:>>
:>>I have for sale a FP-T7FG/K - FG series (Gold) FM transmitter (with brand new
:>>ni-cads) and matching FP-R107M-53 - 7 channel FM receiver. These are on
:>>53.300 Mhz in the 6 meter amateur band. Must be a ham to operate. They are
:>>in good working condition for $75 plus shipping.

Are you sure it's not on 53.800 Mhz? 53.3 would put it in the
middle of the repeater output sub-band.

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

2591. FS: Motorola Syntor XX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Drew Barth <bartha@wcc.net>
Message-ID: <372c4c47.0@news.wcc.net>
Source record: 144114
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a Syntor XX - 800 Mhz trunked radio for sale. Complete with control head, cables, mic, and speaker. Asking $50.00 and shipping.

Drew Barth - N5yda

N5YDA@hotmail.com

2592. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Strack <d_strack@tds.net>
Message-ID: <372C566C.497658F7@tds.net>
Source record: 144115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

> In article <3727CBE0.D2E0B1FF@nospam.com>,
> Ken Osmond <kenos23@nospam.com> wrote:
> > I'm about to buy one of these high end receivers and
> > don't want to make a mistake.

Having been in RF both professionally and recreationally for more than a couple decades, I honestly feel that if you purchase say an AOR 7030+, JRC 545, or Drake R8B, the only way to tell a significant difference between their performance and for instance the WJ, would be with $30,000 worth of test equipment. You'll never hear it in practice.

If you REALLY want the best possible performance, get one of the above "consumer" radios and invest the difference in cost in an antenna "farm". MUCH bigger bang for the buck and you'll have performance second to none.

PS- when I was in the military, many places had high end ham equipment as backup to the expensive stuff because it was so reliable and easy to fix with standard troubleshooting procedures. (and worked as well or better than the rack mounted gear)

pls send any reply to mbeutler@powerweb.net (am on someone else's computer)

2593. help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry West <twest@mindless.com>
Message-ID: <372C55C7.8AC9353A@mindless.com>
Source record: 144116

need someone with a mid to late 70's callbook to lookup WR4AMS and
WR4ANR. One was a local repeater call. Can't remember which.

thanks in advance.
Terry
W4TWA

2594. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: john1952@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ghoem$ub5$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <01be9449$fb1a97a0$LocalHost@68458f823c000>,
"Radio Monitoring Svcs" <kevincart2@hotmail.com> wrote:
> FLASH! FLASH! FLASH! FLASH!
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> again, even as this Bureau Chief is typing this report...
>
Which bureau are you chief of?

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> groups and other organizations which had no cognizant bearing of logical
> reference whatsoever. A broadcast of apparently somewhat disconnected facts
> at times very irrational in an apparent vain attempt to tie up the frequency
from
> general amateur use. (it is alleged that the Evansville station has a record
of
> prior mandatory committments to State-operated mental health facilities)

Who alleged? When one wants to smear someone else, it always begins with
"It is alleged..." Facts, please.

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> to the Net Control as to who the Evansville station was speaking to. It
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> the same! When Evansville heard this, an apparent telephone call (??) was made
> to another well known station in South Bend Ind, who also has a history of
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> Bend came up on the frequency, announced his call, then went into a rather
> un-gentlemanly tirade, berating both the Liberty Net, and the FCC, in rather
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> and bodily organs, then taunted on the air for the Authorities to go after
> him for utterances of the same...
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> for the good all SWL's, such as your reporter, and Ham op's.
> Shut these interfering stations down and confiscate all their transmitting
apparatus.
> Then, and ONLY then will SANITY be restored to the Hamradio bands.
>
I doubt this is the last chapter. I personally believe that the only way these
people will go away is for them to die off, one by one. Of course, others will
spring up to take their places...

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2595. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <j2ZW2.14399$1v.8485@ndnws01.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 144118

The only moron is YOU, mr "mf_luder"! Showing our intolerance are we? It takes good engineering, is quite a challenge, and a personal accomplishment to put up nice BIG antennas! You sound like someone who has't a clue about personal challenge or satisfaction.

Now, onward to design and put up a 4 element 75 meter beam. That 3 element job was a bit too small.....

Chuck...K1KW

BTW mr mf luder...have you the "guts" to give us your call if you have one?

2596. Re: W4FQF and W4LLI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ghpi0$v5b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144119

And said best by the INFAMOUS MERCHANT OF IMPIOUSLY, VENOMOUS DESCRIPTIONS OF OTHERS. Better known as DOCTOR HATE !!! Take a look in the mirror, you will see your own hypocritical snivelling mouth...>>>>>>>>>>>>>>> In article <19990422092531.08645.00000028@ng122.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> Having a penchant for old time radio. everytime I hear Polly talking to Billy
> Jack, it reminds me of "Lum and Abner."
>
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2597. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ghmvv$qvc@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

What great news it is too bad that Sid the Lid and the Minister
of Propaganda did not make an appearance then Mr. Hollingsworth
could have had a more representitive sample.

Thank you Mr. Hollingsworth for your efforts perhaps some day
I will be able to let the Preacher listen in to my shack in
the evening.

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2598. Japan Radio Company JRC JHM-402S25 HELP NEEDED .!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <7ghr8dhf1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144121

Please if anyone knows how to enter the DEALER mode without knowing Dealer password for this Model of JRC mobile VHF radio ???
Password was 22222222 but i have CLEARED ram memory of the radio and now apparently it has new DEALER code or old (factory programmed in EPROM) id not know how to circumvent this..Any suggestions .. ??
regards
Fox

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Trustno1, do you ??

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2599. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Smith <baz@g4iat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant0215361cbnGS$@g4iat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 144122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <7gg07lrpn1@taliesin.netcom.net.uk>, g8jnz
<URL:mailto:g8jnz@netcomuk.co.uk> wrote:
> >Relating my own experience, I bought an Eddystone
> Slightly off the subject but for interest, Eddystone Radio are closing down.
> The name will shortly pass into the annals of history.
>
> de Bob M.
> ax25: g8jnz@gb7stu.#32.gbr.eu
> tcp/ip: g8jnz@gb7zhr.ampr.org
>
Pity. There are many thousands of receivers still going strong.
I wonder if anyone wil take over the remaining stock to supply spares ?

Barry
--
Support the Acorn User RC5-64 cracking effort
See http://www.acornusers.org/rc5/

2600. ALA Big Ride Communicators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke7a@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gi059$4aj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144123

The American Lung Association's Big Ride Across America has a need for 8 Ham Radio Operators to volunteer as communicators . The ride leaves Seattle, Washington on June 14, 1999 and concludes 3500 miles later in Washington, D. C. on July 31, 1999. Over 200 bicyclists are expected to participate. Detailed information about the ride can be found on the web at http://www.bigride.com

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Having supported the ride last year, I can tell you it is an experience to last a lifetime. If you are someone you know is interested in information about volunteering please send an email. Non ham radio volunteer crew members are also needed, so this could be a great summer vacation for you and your spouse. Cycling experience not required.

73's Dick / KE7A
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Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke7a@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gi0l4$4of$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144174

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2602. ALA Big Ride Communicators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Anderson <ke7a@gte.net>
Message-ID: <372C81A7.B18389A1@gte.net>
Source record: 144175

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2603. Re: FS Heathkit SB 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: sba3020@InfoNET.st-johns.nf.ca
Message-ID: <7ghvqq$e0e$2@coranto.ucs.mun.ca>
Source record: 144176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Oris (oris@dirtball.com) wrote:
: Hello All
: I have a heathkit SB 104. The rig needs some work. It needs finals (
: one could use the motarola MRF 455A Its alot cheaper then the heath
: original final) 10 ohm bias transistor and the control IC for the last
: digit in the display. Cosmeticly its in good shape. I'm asking 100 bucs
: for the rig plus shipping. I'm keeping the power supply for my packet
: operation and I have sold the VFO all I have left is the rig. BTW the
: receiver in this rig is HOT! If you are interested drop me a email
: oris@dirtball.com
: 73 from Oris and thanks for reading
: --

I have the matching power supply and speaker if interested.

: http://www.dirtball.com

: 97.1 Basis and purpose.
: (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
: SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2604. Re: Pioneering EE Patents: Negative Feedback Amplification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kinsler@frognet.net
Message-ID: <gb1X2.2568$bV5.87484@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 144177
Cross-posted to:
sci.physics.electromag,sci.nonlinear,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.cellular.nokia

> Why do I feel like I'm living in the 'Twilight Zone'
> where nothing beyond 5 or 10 years past ever existed?

You did the same thing when you were their age. Take your birth year,
subtract ten, and think about the status of technology then. Pretty
ancient, no?

Kids really only get an appreciation of history after they get older and
have had a chance to see how a few things turn out.

Mark Kinsler
1937. Hmmm.
--
....
Athens, Ohio, USA. Home of the "How Things Work" educational program.
See http://www.frognet.net/~kinsler

2605. THD7 program-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Walter Dunckel <wdunckel@best.com>
Message-ID: <372C9ED8.AB90A12B@best.com>
Source record: 144178
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: wdunckel.vcf

I have posted a program as well as it's source code
(in Visual Basic v. 5.0) at the following website:

http://www.best.com/~wdunckel/d7zpinfo.htm

It includes the following functions:

1. Spectrum Analyzer "slow scan" - This scans any 4 Mhz
spectrum selected and graphs any activity with a signal
strength reading of 1 or above. Band needs to be in VFO
mode. Results are displayed on a chart/graph.
2. Dual signal strength indicators (one for each band) work
simultaneously
3. Frequency control with up/down and step, as well as a/b band
and dual band selection and VFO/Mem selection.
4. A two line history of the communication so you can see what
commands are being sent to the radio while you use the program.
5. Push to talk and VFO scan can be selected with the mouse,
and the program should work on either comm port 1,2,3 or 4.
6. There is an area to enter unique commands manually using
the commands that were reverse engineered by Darryl Smith.

This program, again, is far from perfected, but appears to operate with
reasonable success on two of my machines. By the way, I have not
started to implement any APRS functions or settings in this program yet.

Walter Dunckel

http://www.best.com/~wdunckel/thd7.html

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

2606. Cape Cod Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <el1X2.2497$vY2.16936@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 144179

Planning a vacation on Cape Cod ? Now Cape hams have their own web
site !

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269/

73, Bill
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

2607. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: DKBMC <dkbmc@flash.net>
Message-ID: <EH2X2.468$cs2.11@news.flash.net>
Source record: 144180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You don't have to see, you have to hear in order to know it is a form of communication hence, language. Even signing with hands to the deaf is a language. Sign Language, most sign language does not involve letters but it is considered a language is it not. There is a book written by Peter Carron, W3DKV titled, MORSE CODE: The Essential Language.

2608. What is going be new @ Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Dean, Greg, SSG MI" <idean@purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <372CB63C.F8049FA9@purdue.edu>
Source record: 144181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone heard any rumors as to what is going
to be the big surprises at Dayton this year?

2609. Help Starting Radio Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: bassman2@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <372cb927.105587415@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144182

Hi,
Don't know if this is the right place to look but I'm just starting to gather my information and this is an unknown topic to me.Can anyone give me any information on what all is involved in setting up and running a legal am/fm station.We're wanting to start a Christian station,nothing major just a mom and pop type place and want to know what all is invovled.

Thanks,

David

2610. http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gigud$h1c$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144183

Found this cool page while surfing the web!

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61

"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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2611. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca
Message-ID: <7gifld$6dd@groucho.cs.ubc.ca>
Source record: 144184

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>You say that because you never got your code speed up, Gary. You still
>hear individual letters being sent. Get your speed up and you'll hear
>words; you won't have to go through the translation process.

But that isn't what makes a distinct language!

When I read written English, I read whole words - not individual
letters. That doesn't make written English a different language
than spoken English. Nor is English transmitted by Morse code anything
other than English.

Now, on the other hand, French *is* a different language. Different
vocabulary, entirely different grammar. Two people can communicate
in French using spoken words, written words, or even Morse code - and
it's still French. It's also still French if you're a beginner and
have to figure out individual letters or syllables, or if you're fluent
and recognize whole phrases without thinking about it.

Becoming fluent in Morse code may feel like becoming fluent in another
language. That just means that learning Morse and learning a second
language are similar tasks for the brain - it doesn't mean that Morse
actually *is* a different language.

Dave

2612. The Liberty Net and Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <vT3X2.2557$vY2.16975@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 144185

The outlook wasn't brilliant for the Hudson nine that day; The score
stood four to two with but one inning more to play. And then when
Whiten died at first, and Doc Hate did the same, A sickly silence fell
upon the patrons of the game.

read the rest at http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269

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2613. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <372CCBD4.C77447E6@home.com>
Source record: 144186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It was the Essential Language 100 years ago back in the days when cars
had
hand cranks, and radio had spark gap transmitters.

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2614. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Grunberg <dangrunberg@netzero.net>
Message-ID: <7gilubkup1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <cx7V2.193$X75.499030@news.abs.net>,
"Karina Wright" <karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:
> CommQuart wrote in message <7g0billcb1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>
> >Most of the "NO CODE" whinning I object to comes from those who something
> >for absolutely nothing; no code, no theory. That class of license already
> >exists on 27 MHz.
>
> I am on my way towards getting my no-code license because, I'm afraid,
> that's as far as I will ever progress. I have tried for years to lear
> Morse, but some glitch in my hearing or noggin or something will not let me
> get the knack of it.

Nonsese, you're just not approaching the code properly and with enough
determination. If you ever sang a song (not necessarily in tune) you CAN
learn the code.

My dad went up to Montreal to enlist in 1939. The Canadian Army put all its
volunteers through aptitude tests to determine what their specialized
training would be. My father, who was an amateur pianist and a drummer
from the West Indies were the only two chosen from a large group of
soldiers to be trained as PROFESSIONAL telegraphers. My point is that
you must have a sense of rythm to learn Morse. My other point is that few
if any people have neveer sung a song or listened to some kind of music.
Everyone has some rhythmic sense. Here's an example of what I mean:

All sorts of people have learned enough Morse code to pass code tests;
it's only a matter of method, practice and patience. As I recall, once you
had a receiver, it was only a matter of memorizing the code patterns from a
printed chart and spending twenty minutes per night, four nights a week
listening to W1AW's code practice sessions at 5 and 7.5 words per minute,
to learn enough code to pass a code test before an FCC examiner (this was
the 1950s).

Today, there are freeware/shareware programs with settable code speeds
starting as slow as you'd like them to. The only thing standing between
anyone who can read English, Braille or whatever, and reading code at
5 words per minute is determination and an investment of time. You may
resent having to learn code, but if you want to learn the code, you'll learn
the code. Any body (in less politically correct times we used to say
"Any body's little sister") can learn the code. It just ain't that hard.

Here is the subset of INTERNATIONAL MORSE CODE that were
commonly used in ham radio, when I learned them in the early 1950s.
Please keep in mind that _ and . are only convenient abbreviations.

- always should be thought of as dah

. should be thought of as di, except at the end of a character

. should be thought of as dit, at the end of a character

For example: A = didah N = dahdit B = dahdididit

A . _ N _ .

B _ . . . O _ _ _

C _ . _ . P . _ _ .

D _ . . Q _ _ . _

E . R . _ .

F . . _ . S . . .

G _ _ . T _

H . . . . U . . _

I . . V . . . _

J . _ _ _ W . _ _

K _ . _ X _ . . _

L . _ . . Y _ . _ _

M _ _ Z - - . .

1 . _ _ _ _ 6 _ . . . .

2 . . _ _ _ 7 _ _ . . .

3 . . . _ _ 8 _ _ _ . .

4 . . . . _ 9 _ _ _ _ .

5 . . . . . 0 _ _ _ _ _

Note: <decimal point> is sent as the letter R

<period> . _ . _ . _

<comma> _ _ . . _ _

<hyphen> _ . . . _

<wait> . _ . . .

<error> . . . . . .

? . . _ _ . .

/ _ . . _ .

<end of transmission> . _ . _ .

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Keep in mind that a dah is three times as long as a dit.

The time between successive elements (i.e. dits or dahs) of the
same character is equal to one dit's time. As I remember it (this
one you'd better check), the time between two successive characters
equal to three dits' time.

It'll go easier study if the characters are memorized in mnemonic
groups, according to their sounds.

All dits all dahs
======== ========

E . T _
I . . M _ _
S . . . O _ _ _ (oh)
H . . . .
5 . . . . . 0 _ _ _ _ _ (zero

<error> . . . . . .

Opposites
============================

A . _ N _ .
W . _ _ G _ _ .
J . _ _ _ (no opposite)
1 . _ _ _ _ 9 _ _ _ _ .

U . . _ D _ . .
2 . . _ _ _ 8 _ _ _ . .

V . . . _ B _ . . .
3 . . . _ _ 7 _ _ . . .

4 . . . . _ 6 _ . . . .

R . _ . K _ . _
P . _ _ . X _ . . _

/ _ . . _ . (no opposite)

._._. EOT (no opposite)

L . _ . . F . . _ .

E . T _
I . . M _ _
S . . . O _ _ _ (oh)
H . . . . (no opposite)
5 . . . . . 0 _ _ _ _ _ (zero)

<error> . . . . . (no opposite)

<period> . _ . _ . _ (no opposite)

? . . _ _ . . , _ _ . . _ _ (comma)

close but not quite the same
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C _ . _ . Y _ . _ _

Q _ _ . _ Z _ _ . .

<wait> . _ . . . <end of transmission> . _ . _ .

Here's an example of what I mean about rythm:
Q, which stands for Queen, sounds like the Wedding March,
"Here Comes the Bride" Dah Dah Di Dah

>
> When I was little (30-something years ago), I used to be glued to my
> step-dad's shortwave, sending postcards (I must have spent a forturne
> sending cards around the world).... I desperately wanted to be part of that
> world, I had a telegraph key to practice with, I specifically tuned into the
> morse broadcasts so I could try to develop an ear for it...to no avail...it
> just wouldn't happen. I dropped away from shortwave for years and have only
> recently become aware that I now have an entry(albeit a limited one) into
> the world of my youth.
>
> I have nothing but admiration for those who can pick up morse code. I wish
> I could.
>
> ttfn/Karina
>
>

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Daniel A. Grunberg Kensington, Maryland USA

home page: www.nyx.net/~dgrunber

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2615. Re: 'radio' license-plates, and call-sign change...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens01@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <372cceea.10225265@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144188

No.You license plates are merely another # to your state auto
licensing bureau.They are 'good' until their expiration date.

On Sun, 2 May 1999 02:11:32 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>What happens when your call-sign changes? Does it automatically void your
>"radio operator" (what they're called here in Texas, atleast) car
>license-plates? ;)
>There a time-limit in which they must be changed to reflect your new
>call-sign, or do they ever have to be changed?
>Thanks.
>
>
>

2616. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #407

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.407.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 144189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

SB DX @ WW $OPDX.407
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The Ohio/Penn DX PacketCluster
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3W, VIETNAM. 3W7TK was heard this past weekend on 17 meters (18069 kHz) between 1600 and 1900z. QSL via OK1HWB.

9N, NEPAL. The "DX News Letter" reports that Sergio, IZ6BRN/AP2WAP, is going to sign 9N7RN from Mirni near Pakhara. His activity should have started by the time you read this. He intends to stay until the end of June 1999. QSL via IK4ZGY. Meanwhile, the "DX News Sheet" states to look for Fred, WF6Z, to be active until May 7th as 9N7ZA. The QTH he will be operating from is at 24,000 feet. Activity will be SSB on 7234, 14158 and 14175 kHz. QSL via home call.

CY9, ST PAUL ISLAND. From a press release: Look for Doug/K4LT, Dan/K8RF, and Bob/W6RGG, Stan/AC8W and Hank/K8DD to be active May 23-31th as CY9RF. The CY9RF team will also be a Multi-Op/Multi Transmitter entry in the CQ WPX CW Contest May 30-31st. Look for them to have four 24 hour station and two part-time stations. Before the contest they will run 2 or 3 stations concentrating mostly on the WARC bands and on difficult propagation areas of the world such as Asia, VK, ZL etc. Also, all SSB operations will be before the contest period. This operation is now a YASME DXpedition and QSOs count for the YASME awards (for details check the Web site: http://www.cestro.com/myweb/yasme.html
QSL via K8RF. All OPDX InterNet Subscribers will receive the complete press release as an additional bulletin.

DAYTON HAMVENTION DX ACTIVITIES. Steve, N8BJQ, informs us that the following events will take place:
The DX Dinner Banquet program on May 14th will be "ZL9CI, 96,000 QSOS, and Environmentally Correct" by ZL2HU & ZL1CN. (There are still some

tickets left.)

The DX Forum programs are on Saturday, May 15th, at Meadowdale High School again (1:00 - 5:00 PM). Guest speakers are as follows:
"DXCC 2000" by Wayne Mills, N7NG
"AR Cluster Development" by Jim Moore, WU3V
"ZL9CI" by Ken Holdom, ZL2HU, Murray Woodfield, ZL1CN and Don Greenbaum, N1DG
"The DXpedition to St. Brandon, 3B7RF", story and slides will be presented by George Wagner, K5KG, Karl Gratezer, HB9JAI, Walter Marshall, W7SE and Erik, HB9ADP
"Return to Vietnam after 30 years" by 3W6WE/K2WE & 3W6LK/W2LK
"3B9R" by Frank Smith, AH0W and Garry Shapiro, NI6T
"Another day in Paradise, V7-Kwajalien Atoll" by Tom Harrell, N4XP

FT5W, CROZET ISLAND (Update). Good news. Reports indicate that Gil, FT5WH (F5NOD), has reportedly fixed his radio and should be active again soon. Look for him on 20 meters.

FS, ST. MARTIN (and V4, St. Kitts & Nevis). Hiroo, JA1WSX, informs OPDX that he will be going to FS and V4 after the Dayton HamVention. He will sign FS/KH0Y from St. Martin, May 16-19th. After this operation he will go to St. Kitts and will try to get a V4 license from the Telecommunication Office there. He will be there May 19-21th. QSL to JA1WSX direct or JARL.

IOTA NEWS.....
AS-032. Takeshi, JI3DST, will operate from Osumi Archipelago as JI3DST/6 from November 21-22nd. Activity will be on 17/15/12/10 meters SSB. QSL via JI3DST.

AS-041. Operators JE4CIL and JI3DST will be active from Oki Archipelago (Oki-Gun Shimane) as homecall/4 from 0800z June 4th through 2200z June 6th. Activity will be on 80-10 meters (including the WARC bands) CW/SSB. QSL JE4CIL/4 to P.O. Box 3, Hamamura, Ketaka-Cho, Ketaka-Gun, Tottori 689-0331 Japan. QSL JI3DST/4 to Takeshi Funaki, 2-18-26 Hannan-Cho Abeno-Ku, Osaka-City Osaka 545-0021 Japan.

AS-117. Takeshi, JI3DST, will be active from Honshu's Coastal Island (Awajishima Hyogo) as JI3DST/3 between July and December. His schedule is as follows: July 24-26th (IOTA Contest); September 4-6th; September 23-26th; October 30th-November 1st and December 11-13th (10M Contest). Activity will be 17/15/12/10 meters SSB. QSL via JI3DST.

NA-169. A group of hams from the ICARC, WWDXC and NCCC will activate Waadah Island (NA-169) of the Makah Nation Tribal Lands during the IOTA contest July 24-25th. NA-169 is one of the rarest of the IOTA groups since these islands are the Makah Nation ancestral burial grounds. Two kw stations will be on the air before, during and after the IOTA contest to hand out QSOs.

This effort has already been coordinated with the IOTA HQ
Martin, G3ZAY. More to follow.

J28BS NOW QRT. Phil, J28BS/F5PHW, is now QRT and is in Muscat at A45XR's home. He reports that his J28BS DXpedition netted 5700 QSO IN 57 hours of activity. If you hear J28BS on the air now, it is a pirate. QSL via F6KPQ, Bureau or CBA.

LO1, ARGENTINA. LU4FM reports that he will be active as LO1F in the ARI International DX Contest as Multi-Op Single Transmitter entry.

MM, SHETLAND ISLANDS. Wolf/DL4BQE, Helmut/DL5BUT, Thomas/DM4VDE and Arno/DL1CW will go on an Amateur Radio Expedition to the Shetland Islands (DXCC: Scotland). They will be active with two 400 watts stations from June 11-16th. They will operate from Muckle Roe Island (IOTA EU-012, WAB HU 36). The team will use CEPT callsigns (MM/DL4BQE/p and MM/DM4VDE/p). The first station will run on CW, while the second station will run either on SSB or CW. They will be active on 160-10 meters bands including the WARC bands with verticals and wire antennas. The goal is to make as many QSOs as possible, especially with stations outside of Europe. At the moment, Wolf is trying to find a comfortable RTTY software, and they hope to be able to satisfy some RTTY requests, too. QSL cards are prefered via DARC-bureau. If you cannot wait, you may send your cards direct to DL4BQE. For some further information, check out the Web site at:
http://privat.schlund.de/y/y36/shetl.htm.

QSL INFO AND NEWS.....
Tony, G0REP, reports that he processed and despatched all QSLs sent to him directly following his recent operation from Mustique Island (NA-025). Anyone having requested a QSL by this means and fails to receive a card after a reasonable period of time, should contact him via his E-mail address were he will try to sort things out. His E-mail address is: Tony_Blackburn@otterburn2.freeserve.co.uk

LOGS ON THE WEB. Doug, N6RT, informs OPDX that the following logs are now available at the Web Site: http://dx.qsl.net/logs
FO0XUU (Marquesas - February 1999) 5R8FU (through April 6, 1999)
FO0XUU (Australs - January 1999) VK9YY (February 1999)
JW/SM7NAS (April 1999) VK9XX (February 1999)
YC0LOW (through April 25,1999)
5B4/EW1AR & 5B4/NP3D (October 1998)
Peter, DL3APO, states to look for the logs from the FO0AWI operation to be added a little later because Wulf wrote all his Qs on a paperlog.

GU2ENK is an INVALID callsign! Phil Cooper, GU0SUP, GU and MU series QSL Sub-Manager informs OPDX that the callsign GU2ENK appears to have been active in the ARI contest (CW section) in 1997 and 1998. He has made inquiries, and this callsign has NEVER been issued! Please take note, as you will NOT get a QSL card.

QSL Manager, Fritz, DL7VRO, reports that he has had some computer problems but was able to save the data on his hard drive. Anyone who

still needs a QSL from the operations that Fritz is manager of and wants to know the status of their cards, please send an E-mail to: dl7vro@ibm.net

SPECIAL EVENT SPECIAL. From May 1st through July 31st, special event station SN0APT will be active from Lublin and Klementowice. The event is the 750th anniversary of the first opening of a pharmacy in Poland. The "APT" suffix is the abbreviation of the Polish word "Apteka" which means "pharmacy". The first Polish pharmacy was opened in Swidnica in 1248. The special event is organized by radio club "Ariadna" (SP8YCB). For any questions about this station, please send E-mail to: radioam@ariadna.pl QSL via the bureau or direct to: SP8YCB Club, Po Box 403, 20950 Lublin, Poland.

SPECIAL PREFIXES. Just a quick reminder to look for special prefixes being used by Scottish and Welsh amateurs to celebrate the opening of their new parliments. Activity will begin May 6th and last until July 31st. GM stations (Scotland) will use 2A, 2S and 2T. GW stations (Wales) will use 2C, 2W and 2X.

USI NEWS. The Michigan DX Association (MDXA) will be putting "Beaver Island" on the air September 10-17th. Beaver Island is USI MI032L and they will be using a 8 man team with the special callsign KC8MHX (Michigan Ham Xpedition). The team will use the standard IOTA frequencies as well as other frequencies. QSL via W8VOM at: MDXA-BEAVER, O-947 Lake Michigan DR, Grand Rapids, MI 49544.

V4, ST. KITTS AND NEVIS. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Steve, G4JVG, will be active June 4-18th while on holiday. His callsign will be allocated upon his arrival. Activity will be SSB on 40-10 meters including the WARC bands and possibly 80 meters with 400 watts and verticals. QSL via home callsign.

V7, MARSHALL ISLANDS (possibly KH1, KH9 and maybe others). Bruce, AC4G (ex-N4GAK), informs OPDX that he will be active for at least 2 years from Kwajalein Island beginning in mid-June, hopefully. Bruce expects to be active on all bands unless it interferes with his work assignment. He will be taking his Kenwood TS-850, a vertical Cushcraft R-7000, his satellite rigs and antennas for AO10 Satellite QSOs, etc. Bruce states that he hopes to be active from his residence as well as from the club station on Kwaj. Many of you may remember Bruce as QSL Manager for Ken Wells, V73C. Bruce hopes to pick up where Ken left off and be active in many contests. He is applying for the callsign of V73G. Bruce will continue to answer Ken's QSLs as well as his own unless it becomes a problem. Ifso, he may ask for a volunteer to help with the QSLing. Bruce adds that he also hopes to be active from Baker-Howland, Wake, and a few other islands nearby. Lastly, Bruce hopes to give out many QSOs on SSB and CW. If you need a certain band QSO, let him know and he will try to accomodate. He will not be taking RTTY gear in the hopes that the club station has this setup already.

VK8, AUSTRALIA (Rare Area). Peter, will be operating as VK8PW/p starting around May 14th from Arnhem Land, an Aboriginal Land Trust, in the VK8 district some 350km east of Darwin. This area is accessible by special permit only from the Aboriginal land owners. This might be the first ever ham operation from this part of VK8. Peter will be there until mid October, 1999. Operations will be on 20-10 meters on SSB only. QSLs for bureau requests go only to VE8RZ and for direct requests to: Peter Wollenberg, Box 2142, Darwin, NT, 0801, Australia.

VQ9, CHAGOS ISLAND. Ron, VQ9DX (AA5DX), reports from Diego Garcia that he is now dockside and can ride his bike into the radio club at least 3 or 4 times a week depending on his work load. Ron states to look for him on 1828 kHz starting around 2315z through 0130z (that is when he must QRT to get back to the ship on time). He states that their offical sunrise is now 0112z.

XZ, MYANMAR (New IOTA DXpedition). A few different sources report that Mike/N7MB, Steve/G3VMW, Ray/G3NOM, Darryl/AF7O, Warren/K7WX, Jouko/OH1RX, Robin/WA6CDR, Dan/NA7DB, Sally/KM5EP (YL op), Paul/W8AEF, Martti/OH2BH, Rich/K7ZV and EA5XX; N5IA and K6KRE of the Central Arizona DX Association (CADXA) will be active in mid January of the year 2000 for two or three full weekends as XZ0A. Operations will take place from Thahtay Kyun Island (also known as Mergui Archipelago, 9 57' N, 98 32' E) located in the Andaman Sea. This will be the first IOTA operation from XZ-land, which means it will be a new IOTA. Planned operations will be CW/SSB/RTTY and SSTV on 160-6 meters. More details are to follow.

ZC4, UK SOV. BASE AREA ON CYPRUS. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Jeff, G0WSA, is active until the year 2001 or 2002 as ZC4JP while stationed at the Western Sovereign Base Area (WSBA) in Episkopi. No QSNs have been reported as of yet, but activity will be on CW/SSB/RTTY and Pactor three to four afternoons weekly. Jeff will use a TS-850S 100 watts and dipole. QSL via RSGB bureau to G0WSA.
Meanwhile, George, 5B4AGC (G3LNS), was active as ZC4ATC over the past weekend on 40/30/20 meters between 2100 and 0400z. Check 14170, 10109 and 7052 kHz. QSL via 5B4YX.

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OPDX INTERNET SUBSCRIBE/UNSUBSCRIBE REQUEST: opdx-request@nshore.org
OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
OPDX SPANISH WEB SITE. (provide by "QTC Magazine" and Tony Pernas, EA1CSI):
http://www.intercom.es/qtc/qtcopdx.htm
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be a false ring from the fax/data switch box) and then dial four quick ones ("1111"). (NOTE: Some FAX machines that send single "BEEPS" every second will not have to do this step.) 3) The phone will pick up and after the "BEEP" leave your voice message or FAX.

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2617. Re: 'radio' license-plates, and call-sign change...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <372CD9D2.7AAA0BE6@nationwide.net>
Source record: 144190

Well, call the DPS. They can answer to this.

I have operator tags here in TX. If my call sign changes,
I would apply for new operator tags then, wait for them
to arrive at the tax office, then go pick them up when they
arrive. If you are nervous about this, keep a copy of your
paperwork in your vehicle and show it to any officer or trooper
that seems to need more evidence other than your word if any question
arises.

73, N5YJP

BD wrote:

> What happens when your call-sign changes? Does it automatically void your
> "radio operator" (what they're called here in Texas, atleast) car
> license-plates? ;)
> There a time-limit in which they must be changed to reflect your new
> call-sign, or do they ever have to be changed?
> Thanks.

2618. When is Dayton Hamvention??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Castiglione <GregCa@DIM.com>
Message-ID: <372CDCB2.27AA@DIM.com>
Source record: 144191

Dates??

2619. Re: Mobile install questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: johng@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <johng-ya02408000R0205991734320001@nntp.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 144192

In article <7gcph6$58j@newsops.execpc.com>, "Woodsman"
<woodsman@apexmail.com> wrote:

Both Ford and Chrysler have flyers that give their recommendations for
mobile radio installations. If you go to the Dayton Hamvention, you can
pick up copies there. Both of these guys have booths each year. If Dayton
isn't on your agenda for this year, you can try contacting Ford and
Chrysler directly.

Ford's Flyer was titled "Ford Motor Company Mobile Radio Installation
Guidelines."

Chryslers flyer was titled "Chrysler Corporation Radio Communication
Equipment Installation Recommandations."

Chrysler did give a contact address:
Electrical/Electronic Systems Compatiblity Department
CIMS 481-47-20
Chrysler Corporation
800 Chrysler Drive East
Auburn Hills, MI 48326-2757

Ford didn't provide any contact information on their Mobile Radio
Installation Guidelines handout, but recommended that you post a message to
"rec.radio.amateur.misc" as a source of additional information. Oh, Well.

Years ago I used to install radios for a two-way shop. If you do change
your mind and decide to spend $75-$125 per radio, you can have an excellent
job done by a local two-way radio shop. I recently had my mobile radios
installed by a shop and they thought of things I never would have. They
fabricated a custom control head mounting bracket and did one heck of a
job. It took the shop a day and a half to put the radios in. It would
probably would have taken me two to three times that long.

Good luck.

--
John Gilbert
KA4JMC

2620. Re: Pioneering EE Patents: Negative Feedback Amplification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Russell Martin <russell.martin@mail.wdn.com>
Message-ID: <372CDEFA.56D4@mail.wdn.com>
Source record: 144193
Cross-posted to:
sci.physics.electromag,sci.nonlinear,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.cellular.nokia

Mark Kinsler wrote:
>
> > Why do I feel like I'm living in the 'Twilight Zone'
> > where nothing beyond 5 or 10 years past ever existed?
>
> You did the same thing when you were their age. Take your birth year,
> subtract ten, and think about the status of technology then. Pretty
> ancient, no?
>
> Kids really only get an appreciation of history after they get older and
> have had a chance to see how a few things turn out.
>
> Mark Kinsler
> 1937. Hmmm.

Nostalgia isn't what it used to be.

Regards,
Russell Martin

2621. Re: When is Dayton Hamvention??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8TB <sam@SPAMSUKSerinet.com>
Message-ID: <372D0045.405D@SPAMSUKSerinet.com>
Source record: 144194

Greg Castiglione wrote:
>
> Dates??
May 14,15,16

try http:/www.hamvention.org/

73 de N8TB

2622. Ham radio on two wheels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonbak@megsinet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11969f2f64e2a88e989699@megsnews.megsinet.net>
Source record: 144195

Anyone riding their ham radio equiped motorcycle to Dayton? I'll be there with a IC706 on a '89 Goldwing. Looking for other 2 wheel mobile hams.

Jon Baker
KC9OO
jonbak@megsinet.net

2623. Re: What is going be new @ Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: jdouglas@timewave.com
Message-ID: <7girsf$tc7$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 144196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <372CB63C.F8049FA9@purdue.edu>, "Dean, Greg, SSG MI" <idean@purdue.edu> wrote:
>Anyone heard any rumors as to what is going
>to be the big surprises at Dayton this year?

One nice suprise is that the PK-232 is going back into production with a DSP
front end.

You can check them out at Timewave's booth 111.

73

John Douglas
N0ISL/UA4LIS/UB5WJD/4ID
Timewave Technology

2624. Zero-beating Kenwood 830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hanson Family <hansfam@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <o_6X2.2694$Ny1.17673@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 144197

Can someone e-mail me step-by-step directions on
how to zero-beat my 830S. Understand the concept,
need the how-to...

Thanks,

Steve KE1LG

2625. 830 e-mail address...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hanson Family <hansfam@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <747X2.2699$Ny1.17627@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 144198

Sorry,forgot the address.
hansfam@midcoast.com

2626. 830 e-mail address...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hanson Family <hansfam@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <m07X2.2697$Ny1.17256@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 144199

Sorry,forgot the address.
hansfam@midcoast.com

2627. "Long Island Hams Do David Letterman"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Mark Nadel" <hmnadel@banet.net>
Message-ID: <372D0493.B8A3CBA7@banet.net>
Source record: 144200

If you are a David Letterman Fan and of course an amateur radio operator, checkout the following web site for news about The Late Show broadcast for Monday May 3rd.

http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo/

2628. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D1167.3C71@sir.com>
Source record: 144201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

> If you'd ever known Morse code, you'd still know Morse code.

Not always true. I knew morse code, and don't remember any of it now
since I never used it after learning it. The same is true for many Hams
I know.

2629. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D1073.14B2@sir.com>
Source record: 144202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Gene Floyd wrote:
> >
> > Is this besides the fact that knowledge of CW is required by international treaty for
> > access to certain frequencies? Or are you suggesting that the government simply ignore
> > the treaties and make it's own rules?
>

Why don't Handicaped people have to pass a code test, yet get HF
licenses?

2630. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D13DB.4B42@sir.com>
Source record: 144203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> So, tell me. How many subjects or material did you cover in
> school that you felt were something you would never use and only forget?

Just about 97% of them.

> You may consider learning the code a waste of time (yours) BUT, if it
> is required to obtain the license you still need it, like it or not.

Obviously. No one here made an argument about code not being a
requirement. If you were paying attention, people here are suggesting
that it not be made a requirement any longer.

> You may never parallel park a car in your lifetime (in 35 years of driving
> I never have), soooo, should it be eliminated from the driving test?

No, that would similar to horizontal and vertical polarization of
antennas on the Ham exam. But there should not be a test of how to
attach skis to the roof of your car, if you want to have a correct
analogy.

> Most of your frivilous analogies fail to hold any water.

Because you don't understand what is being said, and translate the
analogies incorrectly.

2631. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D147D.3256@sir.com>
Source record: 144204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> those who choose to follow the rules.I dont agree with all the rules
> but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!

Blacks loved that answer back in the slave days, Women loved that answer back in the days when they were not allowed to vote, Hams loved that answer back in the 90's when code was a requirement to use HF.

2632. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D1505.1174@sir.com>
Source record: 144205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Joe wrote:
>
> I have worked and studied hard in the past and maybe I do tend to
> relax more than I used to,but I can afford it and that is one of the
> reasons I worked hard.
> As far as changing the rules...I see no rules that need changing....
> When will you crybabies realize that no one is forcing you to become
> an Amateur Operator!!!If you dont like it the way it IS,LEAVE!!!

In other words, If you are Black and don't like having to sit on the back of a bus, get off and walk. People like you didn't see any reason to change the slaves laws either or to let women vote. People like you...

2633. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D16DD.A39@sir.com>
Source record: 144206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> So you pick and choose which laws to obey, eh Bill? You couldn't have
> set your cruise control at the legal speed and been an example, of
> course. Better to stick with the Lemming pack.

When they pass a law that says you have to jump off a cliff, I suppose
you will go along with that too.

A legal speed limit is only a meaningless number pulled out of a hat by
some polititian. When they can't get enough people to speed over that
number, they continue to lower that limit until they can generate the
wanted revenue. Police cars always HIDE out of site to catch speeders
because if they were visable, people would not speed past them and they
could not fine them. This is not a matter of saftey, or the police
would not hide, but be visable so that people would see them and not
speed. Can't make much money that way on tickets.

2634. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D17AA.23FD@sir.com>
Source record: 144207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> BungHole wrote:
> >
> > I have 500 things which require just 10-15 minutes a day already. ;)
> >
> > : >> If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>
> So we're to believe that number 501 would be the straw that
> took down the camel?

No, why stop there, why not find 600 more skills that you never intend to use and learn them. People take the time to learn what they NEED to know or WANT to know. Why learn Russian if you never intend to go to Russia or ever speak Russian?

2635. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D18D3.3727@sir.com>
Source record: 144208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

JJ wrote:
>
> BungHole wrote:
> >
> > These guys just don't get it do they?
> > Hello!
> > No Speaka de english?
> > Do you comprende?Understand!
> > Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some useless
> > outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little hobby.
> > We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to make
> > the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.
> >
>
> Then you just don't really want to be a ham.

You don't understand. Perhaps he wants to be a Ham that can talk on HF
frequencies and never use Morse Code. There are a lot of us like that
that are licensed hams now.

If someone doesn't want to use packet, but wants to just use Morse Code,
does that mean THAT person really doesn't want to be a ham too?

2636. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372D198C.5637@sir.com>
Source record: 144209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> >What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
> >how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
> >
> >What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
> >other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
> >learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
> >
> >Some people want to get into the hobby of radio to talk on the radio.
> >They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
> >the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
> >to go ahead and use voice.
> >
> >Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

2637. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372D30D3.50AFD17D@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144210

Say....didn't some guy known as Steve Jobs built a computer from such parts and called it an Apple? I could've patented my telehone made of string and tin cans and gotten rich. ;))

2638. CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-02 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372D3405.AD4DCB28@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144211

Just read a post from Hawaii.edu.
Say, if a 5 y.o. child can master Morse Code, or a 12 y.o. can enter college, how come all you "real" adult, CW hams aren't all neurosurgeons, Fortune 500 CEOs, concert caliber musicians, master chess players, or renowned engineers. You guys must be sick, lame, lazy, or stupid? After all, children can do all this, you guys must have failed.

2639. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925793051.299.75@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143974

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote in message
news:7glf0pnun1@news1.fast.net...
> Jeff ... I suspect that you are using a "home-assembled"
> computer. Did you design the circuitry? Did you layout,
> etch, and assemble the boards? I'll bet the hard drive
> was a real bitch to build :-) Maybe you get my point,
> maybe not.

Boy, that's not the half of it. Doping the silicon wafers within
tolerance was a bitch. No tubes in this baby! And I keep thinking to
myself one day, I'll buy that laser to trim the resistors. As it is, I
have to make several passes with the emery board to get the right
values. (What hard drive?) And no fair buying pre-clad PCB's!

>
> If someone had required you to "build" that computer
> the way you build radios, I doubt it would be capable
> of adding 2 and 2 :-)
>
> As is usual for you, you grossly overstate your
> case in an attempt to make the outcome appear the
> way you'd like it to be.

Who? What?

Michael.

2640. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oh Yeah! <maps75@pvtnetworks.net>
Message-ID: <372E7D37.13C3@pvtnetworks.net>
Source record: 143975

P.I.G. Pride Integrity and Guts wrote:
>
> Rich These clowns are orchestrating complaints and charges against you.The
> truth is not of any weighty concideration to them.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Dear Sirs.....

I'm but a lowely 'lil CBer, and thank the good LORD for that. I have
been an avid SSB operator on your 'ole band for 23 years and have heard
just as bad if not worse on my band. The reason that I've never joined
your ranks are too numerous to go into here. But my gist on the situa-
tion at hand are: there are three knobs on any radio that will silence
people LIKE W2OTK>WB2OTK; VFO, simply change freq.; RF gain, simply cut
his signal strength down to the level to which he has sunk; AF gain,
simply turn his voice level down to the level of the pesky gnat...., Oh,
and one switch, OFF. To play these people's games are to bring your self
down to thier level. And while I may be a lowely CBer, I'm not a fool.
I also went to a link that was on one of the responses and saw a picture
of this ham and read where he likes to tote a piece to hamfest and else-
where. Well, he who lives by the sword dies by the sword. Some black man
will see that nice shiny S&W and take it off him when he puts him down
with his TEC-9. And that will be the end of all our problems with this
individual. But there will be someone else with an axe to grind to take
his place. 73s

2641. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <372E75FC.AE0C95D0@nationwide.net>
Source record: 143976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Now, now....nothing more refreshing than a good, broad, factless
generalization.....

I think a more appropriate analogy would be like a student who wants
to read, write, and program computers to put up a fight against mandatory
Braille. He just has no desire (that's D.E.S.I.R.E. as in want, not 'lack
of intellect') to learn Braille or use Braille. Braille might be useful at times,

perhaps, but not for someone that would rather not communicate that way.
Does this mean he has a contempt for Braille? No, just a disinterest. Let
people communicate in Braille all they want to. Let them do it wearing nothing
but jockstraps. The point is HE doesn't choose to spend his energy on it since
he would like his energy spent reading or writing or programming.

So, how's your braille competency? Oh.. I see...you say you don't know
any braille....hmmmm....gosh you must be one of them thar fruity brainless
liberals, huh?

Steve Ellington wrote:

> Well ....they don't know what it is but it takes brains so they want to do
> away with whatever it is. Typical liberals. This is the same kind of
> reasoning that has ruined our public school system. Why teach arithmetic
> when we have calculators etc......

2642. FS: Kenwood R-5000 ++IMMACULATE!++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7gkbtg$pq1@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Have Kenwood's famous R-5000 in near new condition. Been babied for years.
Has both the AM filters and narrow SSB filter. Was originally configured for
AM
shortwave listening. Works like new and looks like new. Great HAM or SWL
receiver.
One of Kenwood's best receivers! Have manual too!!!!
Asking $700.00. They typically sell for $850 plus in this new condition with
opt. filters.
Reply to Bob/N6MTU ---- email: magill@ix.netcom.com
73 --- Bob.

2643. Re: Revive Expired License ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: soxist@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503102543.24147.00001491@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 144025

You can get your old call back if it hasen't been claimed by someone as a vanity call. You can also get your call back regardless of what area your in. To check if your call is still available, go to www.qrz.com/ type your call in the dialogue box and see if someone else has it. Good luck. Bob w9sox

2644. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gkcarfqh1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144026
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote in message <372dac90.6190188@nntp.one-eleven.net>...
>On Mon, 03 May 1999 08:53:05 -0500, Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net>
>wrote:
>
>>Forgive me if you've already tried this route, but it *is* possible
for
>>the volunteer examiner team to administer adaptive code tests for
people
>
> It is possible and I have tried to dicuss with the nearer VE's
>my doctor has also tried. while a VE here and there is willing to
>discus the idea geting a VE recepptive to the all rediculous level of
>accomation needed is very hard to manage when you simply don't look
>disabled. I can walk through the door and you will not see a thing
>wrong with me. It is a proble, a common for those that suffer from
>dyslexia, aphasia ADD and other pychomotor skil problems, which rae
>some of the least understood disablities. The fact they are treated by
>PHD typemostly with the wiaver system based on MD only does not help
>matters at all.
>
>>with disabilities. I'm not sure if there are hard and fast guidelines
>>for how "adaptive" the test can be. I believe that the examiners at
the
>
> indeed the lack of really good guidelines is one of the
>problems I expect if I threw enough of a fit I mange to the sort of
>accomdation that ADA would mandate, Indeed the ADA mandates would in
>my case make a complete farce of the idea of Code testing, since they
>rpovide for allowing the full use of the adaptive tech of one's
>choice. In my case it could be argued the machine I am using right
>now. Indeed were I ever to USE Code it would whople machine based
>
>Mark Morgan
>kb9rqz.

Good post Mark. That's exactly one of the problems. The FCC suddenly
allowed MDs to make a judgement call on this with no guidelines. And
couple that with the fact that some experts claim that significant
portions
of the population has SOME degree of dyslexia. In most people it's as
simple as transposing two numbers. I never considered myself as
dyslexic, but I had one MD tell me I was because I constantly type 'teh'

instead of 'the'. So at what point does something that isn't even a minor
inconvienence become a disability? Not to knowledge, but when
applied to a program that 'test skill levels'?

It all comes back to CW, is it important or not? If it is, then it shouldn't
be waivered. Period. If it isn't, then what's the point of the test? At the
current time, the FCC has decided that 5wpm is important. And I strongly
suspect that very soon that will change. Whether it changes before
that 5wpm becomes the new defining point for all HAM privlidges is
the question.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

2645. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372DB8AD.DB1CC2E6@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BD wrote:
> You *can* get a waiver (directly from your doc
> or with a note from your doc. not sure which..) to avoid having to know ANY
> code if you're physically unable to dit-dot for whatever reason(s).

I an not aware of waivers existing for the 5wpm requirement.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2646. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372DB945.301E7927@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144028
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Young wrote:
> How will relaxing licensing
> requirements help achieve the self-education objective?

Eliminating outdated requirements will leave more time for learning
relevant subjects.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2647. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372DBA15.61F3132E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Lyle Koehler wrote:
> If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or
> fifteen seconds, and the exam was passed successfully with 25
> consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid copy if
> the exam had been given at 5 wpm.

That's interesting, Lyle, and certainly meets the ITU/IARU treaty
requirements. What does the FCC say about it?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2648. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372DBB89.273A3609@IEEE.org>
Source record: 144030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dick Carroll wrote:
> Sorry, that's incorrect. One MUST pass 5wpm to recieve ANY
> HF license as the international regulations (the ITU treaty)
> now stand. The code 'waivers' only apply to speeds above
> 5wpm.

Dick, what do you think about Lyle's posting regarding accomodations
for handicapped potential hams?

>> If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or
>> fifteen seconds (for each character) and the exam was passed successfully
>> with 25 consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid
>> copy if the exam had been given at 5 wpm. Lyle, K0LR
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2649. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gkevt$fos@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144031

Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
>I'd like to see ISP's that would only allow access if the user
>could build a computer from old coke cans, tree bark, and
>cigarette butts. =)

I *am* using a homebuilt computer, and believe me, it's easier to
build a computer than a radio. The only challange is getting the
individual components to work together as a single system, fussing
about with all the settings and making everything compatable.

Jeff KH6O

>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
>> David Bernazzani <dber@tiac.net> wrote:
>> >Only one reason? Awww - come on. Lots of reasons. But one of the
>> >best reasons for CW (at least for me) is the ability to build low cost
>> >equipment for that mode. I've built a 40M CW kit (and repaired it
>> >after having it on the air for a bit) and more recently a 15M CW
>> >transmitter using a high-speed octal buffer as both amplifier and
>> >crystal ocilator. I can build a 1/2 watt transmitter and send a
>> >singal across the country - amazing. I doubt I could do the same work
>> >using the Phone mode.
>>
>> I'd like to see a NPRM that would allow someone to use a mode
>> only if they can build a radio that operates on that mode.
>> Jeff KH6O
>

2650. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gkf5n$frd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144032

Keith Lodahl <lodahlkh@internetwis.com> wrote in message
>If it is intended to be a "twit filter" then it is failing. Just listen on
>the low bands and tell me of the professionalism shown by all
>operators found there.

Keep tuning, Keith, down to the CW segments of the band. That's where
you'll find the professionalism.
Jeff KH6O

2651. Re: When is Dayton Hamvention??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: pushjeep@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gkjr4$7ee$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144033

In article <372CDCB2.27AA@DIM.com>,
GregCa@DIM.com wrote:
> Dates??
>
May 14,15,16. Visit Fleamarket 319.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2652. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372DC800.D33B1B98@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144034

Shephed wrote: Damn, where is my can of "Troll" be gone?....
73> Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE

I don't know where it went. But it hasn't worked on J1Aguiar :-)))

2653. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372DC8DF.FD73ED17@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144035

Dan K Nelson wrote:> And what class of license do you hold ?

It's one of those lazy, stupid, freebander, CB one, AKA Technician. It
has a plus after it but I don't know what it means???? ;)

2654. Re: What RF preamp : Mirage "B-5016 G"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <372DD088.39DD2B7B@rconnect.com>
Source record: 144036
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Hi Tedd
The transistor is supposedly an mgf1302, you can get them
from downeast microwave. A simple mod that will help with
thw transistor life and it also brings the noise figure way
down (2 s units of noise the old way, no s meter change
preamp on or off now and it hears MUCH better) is to add a
200 ohm trimpot in the drain lead and adjust for about 3
volts bias instead of 5 volts which is what is there in
stock form. There is a resistor in the drain lead circuit
that can be lifted to add the trimpot (do NOT install it
directly at the drain lead, unpleasant things could result).
I have done this to both my 6 and 2 meter bricks with very
good results.
73
Mark

Tedd Doda wrote:
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> HI People:
>
> I have a Mirage B-5016-G 2 meter amplifier that lost its
> receive preamp. The active device looks like a MAR series
> amplifier. Does anyone know what this thing is so I can
> order a replacement?
>
> Mirage has not replied to 3 faxes, and numerous e-mail :(
>
> Oh, BTW, the relays are fine.
>
> Tedd Doda, CET
>
> packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
> e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
> [Team OS/2 in Canada]
>
> If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

2655. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503133351.24975.00001647@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 144037

And you really think that Riley Hollingsworth approves of racism,anti-Semitism and all the rest of your 3.950 rot? For all you know a relative of his could have died fighting you filthy bastards in the European Theater from 1943-1945? No, Riley is there to guarantee freedom of expression but he's too fine a gentlemen to pee on you if you caught fire.
radiosigs@aol.com

2656. YAESU FTC-1123 how to programm this radio ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox/mulder@usa.net
Message-ID: <7gkqkn$dt0$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144038

If anyone can gve me information how to programm this radio i would be immensly grateful .!!

Regards

FOX

fox/mulder@usa.net

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Trustno1, do you ??

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2657. Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503140648.24975.00001656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 144039

Gentlemen..gentlemen.. you're all in a tither over Riley's sitting on 3.950. In fact, you're mistaking it for approval. Allow me to explain since the run-of-the-mill 3.950 adherent isn't capable of tying his own shoelaces.The man's a patriotic American, not a bottom- feeding subversive as you are. He was there to assure that freedom of speech is part of amateur radio even if he had to barf listening to you fruitcakes. Also he made sure that you too, who under the guise of patriotism would silence all Hitlerite talk,were allowed to jump around in your shiny black jackboots,starched brown shirts and wave your Hakenkreuz Fahnen. Yes, in this wondeful land of ours, even Nazism and other sordid maniacal political expressions are allowed to be seen and heard. I don't know the man personally but I believe I can testify to the fact that he TOLERATES but doesn't like you,so my suggestion is to get off your high horses and face facts. You 3.950ers are abominations..pariahs to both ham radio specifically and to America in general. And let me toss in guttersnipes also...for good measure. The good thing about 3.950 is that it keeps kooks in one place instead of allowing you to run around defacing temples and cemetaries, hanging AfroAmericans and all the rest for which you turkeys are noted. Question:how can you look yourselves in the face knowing how disgusting you are?
AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2658. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4lq@iglou.com
Message-ID: <372deb87.0@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 144040
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well ....they don't know what it is but it takes brains so they want to do
away with whatever it is. Typical liberals. This is the same kind of
reasoning that has ruined our public school system. Why teach arithmetic
when we have calculators etc......

DKBMC (dkbmc@flash.net) wrote:
: You don't have to see, you have to hear in order to know it is a form of
: communication hence, language. Even signing with hands to the deaf is a
: language. Sign Language, most sign language does not involve letters but it
: is considered a language is it not. There is a book written by Peter
: Carron, W3DKV titled, MORSE CODE: The Essential Language.

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Steve Ellington N4LQ
N4LQ@IGLOU.COM

2659. Morse code decoder program wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gkpsqcol1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 144041

Anyone know of a good morse code decoding program for the PC or Mac?

I want one that samples the sound from the receiver and converts it to letters on the PC screen.

William Lee N5WRX

2660. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net>
Message-ID: <372DF09B.F63A1458@mlecmn.net>
Source record: 144042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Lyle Koehler wrote:
> > If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or
> > fifteen seconds, and the exam was passed successfully with 25
> > consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid copy if
> > the exam had been given at 5 wpm.
>
> That's interesting, Lyle, and certainly meets the ITU/IARU treaty
> requirements. What does the FCC say about it?
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

There has probably been a more detailed clarification from the FCC, but the only thing I can find in the Part 97 rules is a statement that:

"The administering VEs must accommodate an examinee whose physical disabilities require a special examination procedure. The administering VEs may require a physician's certification indicating the nature of the disability before determining which, if any, special procedures must be used."

It's interesting that the VEs *must* accommodate those with disabilities, and *may* require a physician's certification.

Here are some relevant paragraphs from the ARRL VE manual regarding Morse testing:

"Pausing the examination message, where warranted, may be a successful accommodative procedure to overcome candidates' ability to write or respond quickly. The pauses may be included after each sentence or phrase, after each word or even after each character, to allow the examinee the time to write, absorb and/or interpret what was sent. The decision as to the level of pausing warranted is determined by the VE team in conjunction with input from the candidate or the candidate's Doctor's Statement. The level of accommodation should be the least necessary to overcome the candidate's handicap."

In a later paragraph: "For a character-by-character examination, a grade of 70% or more correct characters can be considered passing".

Unfortunately, then comes the kicker, in Mark's case: "If the candidate doesn't have a readily identifiable handicap/disability or if the candidate doesn't provide a Doctor's Statement describing the handicap/disability he/she suffers from, you are not to offer the more

flexible accommodations in administering the Morse code examination."

In many situations, that puts the VE team between a rock and a hard place, because the VEs are generally not qualified to assess "hidden" disabilities like dyslexia, stroke after-effects, etc. In the case of the Handi-Ham camps, the staff and instructors (including at least one MD) who have been working with the students all week can advise the VE team as to the level of accommodation that might be needed. It's a lot tougher at a VE session where people simply walk in off the street.

Lyle, K0LR

2661. FV-101b problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: dakota206@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503153733.13127.00002983@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 144043

I have a FT101E with an external vfo, the vfo has 4 slots for crystals. After putting in 4 crystals and trying to use this function. It failed to work, am I doing something wrong.The crystals are for 10 meters,and in place properly. any help would be useful. Tnx bob n2evv tnx 73

bobn2evv@msn.com

2662. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gktqm$4mj$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Lyle Koehler wrote in message <372DF09B.F63A1458@mlecmn.net>...
>
>Here are some relevant paragraphs from the ARRL VE manual regarding
>Morse testing:
>
>"Pausing the examination message, where warranted, may be a successful
>accommodative procedure to overcome candidates' ability to write or
>respond quickly. The pauses may be included after each sentence or
>phrase, after each word or even after each character, to allow the
>examinee the time to write, absorb and/or interpret what was sent. The
>decision as to the level of pausing warranted is determined by the VE
>team in conjunction with input from the candidate or the candidate's
>Doctor's Statement. The level of accommodation should be the least
>necessary to overcome the candidate's handicap."
>
>In a later paragraph: "For a character-by-character examination, a
grade
>of 70% or more correct characters can be considered passing".

If this were for anything other than the 5wpm basic test, I think this
would
be grounds for throwning out the whole test. I mean, you could claim 25
WPM here by pausing 15 seconds between each character.

But since someone with a handicap waiver only has to take the 5wpm
test anyway, and the 5wpm test, in my mind, is nothing but
memorization and a 'mental look up', it's not really that much different
than from what a non-handicapped ham would take. But still not the
same. Just not that different.

I'm kind of touchy with handicapped declarations. I had a family member
who was handicapped. And he REFUSED to get handicapped plates
for his car because he said 'it doesn't mean anything anyway'. He had
polio back in the 50s. He could have legally gotten an exemption to
hunt
from his car. As it was, he 'violated' the law in that he didn't
usually move
the required distance from his vehicle, instead he threw a mat over his
hood and lay on it. When he got a deer and help wasn't arround, he'd
put a noose on it's neck and drag it.

Very few things piss me off more than some '*' parking in an handicap
zone without a sticker, or like the guy in the Z-28 (with standard
shift)

in my hometown who I've seen swing into the handicapped spot at the market, throw a placard on the dash, and then hop out in his sweats and running gear and jog into the store.

Anyway, a handicap declaration should mean something. As it is, it's BS and in my mind was used strictly as a wedge to keep the no-code issue under control for a short while longer.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

2663. Hamfest in So. Calif.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372E01DF.98B223D0@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144045

Anyone know of a hamfest to be held soon (May-Aug) in the region from
Santa Barbara to San Diego, & east to Las Vegas.

2664. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372E0223.3F57@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:

> The
> Burden involved in learning code clearly increased in today world. The
> need for doing as declined. these are simple facts (the debate comes
> when you try and say how much)

The debate is now whether you can verify this increased burden and the decline in necessity. You invented your simple "facts".

> No we are not equal, because you are being allowed to use your
> modes on HF and I am not, thereforeyou have been rights beyond those I
> have, therefore we don't have equal rights.

> BTW while I do think that Morse Coded Cw is as anet thing bad
> for the ARS. I don't seek to impose that position on those that
> disagree. You as close to a first thought suggest baning other
> peopples Modes. Another Common systom of the ProCoders wanting to
> control others. You want me to spend my time as you like, but I don't
> seek to impose my views on you. I merely ask, nay I demand the same
> rights in Public airwaves that you have

Forsooth, Mark! You already have the same rights. The opportunity to pass the same exams I passed exists for you. You get no guarantee of success. Your demand only makes you look silly.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2665. Re: Morse code decoder program wanted...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <372DF726.AA15AE9D@ibm.net>
Source record: 144047

Try here:

http://www.muenster.de/%7Ewelp/sb.htm

There are many sound blaster decoding programs at this site. You
may find one you like,

Also do a search for hamcom.

William Lee wrote:
>
> Anyone know of a good morse code decoding program for the PC or Mac?
>
> I want one that samples the sound from the receiver and converts it to
> letters on the PC screen.
>
> William Lee N5WRX

2666. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372E05FF.2753@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Mon, 03 May 1999 09:34:06 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:

> >> That is the lie, one of the Most prenious told by the
> >> ProCoder. I spent five never manging to make it to 5wpm whioch was
> >> required in those day. I can sing even quite well, according to those
> >> that have heard me.
> > >
> > >Mark, you simply must stop calling people liars. What kind of lie is
> > >the prenious type? Congrats on never manging.
> >
> > Dave are you serious? I truely can't tell. I can call anybody
> > anything I like, wther or not it is to may be to my advantage, or
> > wether it is subject to somekind of scantion. Like for yelling fire in
> > a theatre.

You can call somebody a liar but if it isn't true you are viewed as the
liar or someone can seek legal remedies or if you do it face to face,
you run the risk of being landing on the seat of your Dockers.

> Now offering congrats to somebody on not passing code is IMO
> simply sick

I said nothing regarding a code test.

> Pernicous Lies sorry but then how is that you can read Morse
> Code if somebody gets a dit and a dah backwards. I am tiold it is not
> hard , yet you can not handle the simple leter transposition, One of
> the commonest sign of the Dyslexic? You and the ProCoder always refuse
> to answer this one. Why is that?

Your first attempt wasn't even close. The second is recognizable as a
spelling error. The first try was not simple letter transposition; it
was butchery.

> > >
> > >> >All sorts of people have learned enough Morse code to pass code tests;
> > >>
> > >> So what? all sort of people survived being caught up in Jim
> > >> Crow in the southy too
> > >
> > >Again, Mark, attitude is the key. You don't survive morse code. You
> > >master it. What, by the way, is "the southy"?

>
> Indeed I am glad to see you that I can't survive Morse Code,
> rather shoots your idea in the foot though

Maybe you'll get better at the comprehension thing over time.

> >> >it's only a matter of method, practice and patience. As I recall, once you
> >>
> >> Five years and not manging is not enough for you?
> >
> >Keep at it, Mark. I haven't manged in 50 years.
>
> Do you know why I read this dreck Dave. let me tell you. the
> fact you ProCoders can only respond by attacking my duslexia and not
> my ideas convinces me that we the NoCoders will win this fight. You
> think any of that nonsense is going to get you anywhere with say the
> FCC where it counts?

I thought you read it because you're a masochist. While we're on the
topic--I think your ideas are second rate too.

> >
> >> Two years as documented recently in QST?
> >
> >The fellow featured in QST had difficulties. He didn't quit though. He
> >passed!
>
> Yeah and suffered through two years doing it. Like Carl I
> wonder if he really did pass. He may simply have been passed or if he
> was taking MC exams may have gotten lucky and still not known morse
> Code. Do you really think he is a better ham and fond of Morse Code
> for this treatment?

So now you know he suffered and you and what's his face suspect that the
guy received a "gimme". I don't believe you have any knowledge of the
fellow's situation. Do I think he's a better ham? Yep, and a better
human being too. I have no way of knowing if he is fond of morse code.
What treatment?

> >> Sound s more like hazing than anything else
> >
> >Anything which you can't do is "hazing".
>
> Do you really belive that. Then how is it that the NoCode
> Movement includes people that Call Code Testing Hazing, they managed,
> but it is still hazing.

Just because some code-tested hams refer to morse testing as hazing
doesn't make it so.

> >> >had a receiver, it was only a matter of memorizing the code patterns from a
> >> >printed chart and spending twenty minutes per night, four nights a week
> >> >listening to W1AW's code practice sessions at 5 and 7.5 words per minute,

> >> >to learn enough code to pass a code test before an FCC examiner (this was
> >> >the 1950s).
> >>
> >> I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are
> >> either lieing or don't know what you are talking about
> >
> >The famous Mark Morgan "you simply are either lieing or...". Mark, the
> >word is "lying" and he's speaking for the bulk of the populace. You
> >seem to be the exception to the rule. That doesn't mean the man is
> >lying or that he doesn't know what he's talking about.
>
> It certainly does when he claims evrybody can learn evrybody
> includes me therefore he is either lieing or does not know what is
> talking about. In accepting there are expceptions You state that the
> statement is true. Simple logic.
>
> >
> >> >starting as slow as you'd like them to. The only thing standing between
> >> >anyone who can read English, Braille or whatever, and reading code at
> >>
> >> Plain and simply false
> >
> >Back off, Mark. He said anyone who could read English. You don't seem
> >to be part of that crowd.
>
> I am indeed, part of that crowd, what I am not is amoug those
> able to write it freely and easily. And even if the statement is true
> then it is all right to exclude american sreading of say Sapnish from
> the air?

I think it is. Actually you need to be fluent in some known tongue.

> >
> >> >5 words per minute is determination and an investment of time. You may
> >> >resent having to learn code, but if you want to learn the code, you'll learn
> >> >the code. Any body (in less politically correct times we used to say
> >> >"Any body's little sister") can learn the code. It just ain't that hard.
> >>
> >> Pity you don't the real world at al
> >
> >I do the real world et al.
>
> That is what you say. that does not mean I believe you. no i
> am not calling you a lieir merely uninformed.

Reading comprehension, Mark.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2667. FS: AEA CIA-HF Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Al Crespo <nh7a@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <7gl1bi$3jig$1@newssvr03-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 144049

AEA CIA-HF Complex Impedance Analyzer. Review in CQ May 99, page 20. This gizmo does it all. $250.00 plus shipping. (510) 632-5495 or nh7a@arrl.net .

2668. FS: NEW CTCSS Encoder / Decoder Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503164442.24979.00001859@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 144050

These three items are New and never used. I am looking to sell them because I have no use for them. I was told that altogether they were worth close to $200.
I would like to get $110.00 for all + shipping

1) Communication Specialist TE-32 Tone CTCSS encoder box.
2) NorComm NC-401 DTMF Decoder.
3) Pipo PP-2-16 Keypad Touch Tone encoder.

Thanks

2669. Riley and 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503165322.07674.00001661@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 144051

The next thing we're gonna hear from those 3.950 subversives is that Riley Hollingsworth,because of his sitting in to monitor things,is part and parcel of all that rot spewed forth by a bunch of America -haters. Anyone believing that Riley is not a patriotic American is as nuts as the ultra-ultra wind-up toy baboons scratching their own armpits. Get with the program, boys......Riley TOLERATES you...nothing more...nothing else!
AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2670. FS: STX After Market Programming Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OCV5#dal#GA.307@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

STX After Market Programming Cable

Asking $50.00 + Shipping

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

2671. FS: Motorola HT-90 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eVaYwoal#GA.308@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $75.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

2672. FS: Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eH#luoal#GA.290@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $100.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

2673. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OOdklpal#GA.112@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144055
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 3 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2674. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#TIIRpal#GA.307@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $300.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2675. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eEN16oal#GA.252@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 144057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $250.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

2676. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Murphy <k8vo@flyingbeers.org>
Message-ID: <kvoX2.893$9c5.191@news.flash.net>
Source record: 144058

Oscar wrote in message <372D3405.AD4DCB28@hotmail.com>...
>Just read a post from Hawaii.edu.
>Say, if a 5 y.o. child can master Morse Code, or a 12 y.o. can enter
>college, how come all you "real" adult, CW hams aren't all
>neurosurgeons, Fortune 500 CEOs, concert caliber musicians, master chess
>players, or renowned engineers. You guys must be sick, lame, lazy, or
>stupid? After all, children can do all this, you guys must have failed.

Your logic escapes me. But, if you're implying that a five year old mastering CW is the exception to the rule, I'll agree. Typically, at age five, we do not have the written language skills necessary to be conversant in CW. Reading, for example, is helpful. But, by adulthood, most of us are at least partially literate, which should be adequate for the purpose of learning and using morse code. Since basic language skills and a desire to learn Morse are all that is necessary, your expectation that we all be "neurosurgeons, Fortune 500 CEOs, concert caliber musicians, master chess players, or renowned engineers" is flawed, since most people of average intelligence have acquired the skills necessary to learn Morse Code at some point prior to adolescence.

So, Oscar, what's your excuse? "Sick, lame, lazy, or stupid?"

2677. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gl58dbac1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144059
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

1. How many new hams will join the ranks when the
code is abolished?

2. How many new hams are mandated to "SAVE"
amateur radio from oblivion??

3. What happened to all of the new hams licensed since
the VHF no-code license was introduced?

4. What "AWARD" did the amateur service receive from
congress or the FCC in recognition of the influx
of new hams from the new no-code licenses?

5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
behind the decline of Amateur Radio?

2678. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gl5jq$e2c$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144060
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

No, you simply memorized the Morse Code. CW is the same
as riding a bicycle. Once learned, it is not easily forgotten.

Sir wrote in message <372D1167.3C71@sir.com>...
>> If you'd ever known Morse code, you'd still know Morse code.
>
>Not always true. I knew morse code, and don't remember any of it now
>since I never used it after learning it. The same is true for many Hams
>I know.

2679. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503190137.19127.00001847@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 144061

Damn well said. I"m glad others also see what this "So Called" net on 3950 is about!
CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

2680. Re: Riley and 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gerd Henjes <ghenjes1@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <ASpX2.8858$YU1.15000@newsr2.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 144062

What's that expression, "The pot calling the kettle black?" Gerd, W2ISB

Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message
news:19990503165322.07674.00001661@ng-fe1.aol.com...
> The next thing we're gonna hear from those 3.950 subversives is that Riley
> Hollingsworth,because of his sitting in to monitor things,is part and
parcel of
> all that rot spewed forth by a bunch of America -haters. Anyone believing
that
> Riley is not a patriotic American is as nuts as the ultra-ultra wind-up
toy
> baboons scratching their own armpits. Get with the program,
boys......Riley
> TOLERATES you...nothing more...nothing else!
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2681. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <372E3433.202A@sir.com>
Source record: 144063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

> >> If you'd ever known Morse code, you'd still know Morse code.
> >
> >Not always true. I knew morse code, and don't remember any of it now
> >since I never used it after learning it. The same is true for many Hams
> >I know.

2682. ### HAMBAND TRADER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <372e32b0.143777@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144064
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
amateiur radio equipment. This site will grow if needed as
activity requires. Read the Advert Information" page and the
"Policy" page for informationon submiting and changing an
advert.

The curent departments are...
HF and Accessories
VHF/UHF and Accessories
Handhelds and Accessories
Antennas, Towers and Cable
Station Supplies & Accessories
Other Stuff (computers, packet and such)
Hamfest Venders (semi-commercial)

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

2683. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <37403477.598894@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 144065
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
www.web-cycat/hart
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O'Hearte Desktop Services
622 Meadowvale drive
Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

2684. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woodsman <woodsman@apexmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gldjk$o1b@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 144066

Gary, I agree with 99.9% of anything you ever posted.
HOWEVER, I think toll roads are the stupidest idea
of all time. Gas taxes seem a far more efficient way to
me of paying for roads. Larger vehicles that cause more
road wear even use more gas, so it is basically fair. Plus
the 50% of traffic that does not have a PASS card still has
to slow down to toss coins. AAAUUUUGGGHHHH. I do
however, understand your point that "taxes are not the only
way to pay for a service".

Eric

PS-thanks for all the help on grounding etc last year when I
was installing my station

>
>Actually, we use an electronic pass card on toll roads here, and
>are billed quarterly for our usage.
>
>Gary
>

2685. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7glf0pnun1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 144067

-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
Hash: SHA1

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7gkevt$fos@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net> wrote:
> >I'd like to see ISP's that would only allow access if the user
> >could build a computer from old coke cans, tree bark, and
> >cigarette butts. =)
>
> I *am* using a homebuilt computer, and believe me, it's easier to
> build a computer than a radio. The only challange is getting the
> individual components to work together as a single system, fussing
> about with all the settings and making everything compatable.
>
> Jeff KH6O

Jeff ... I suspect that you are using a "home-assembled"
computer. Did you design the circuitry? Did you layout,
etch, and assemble the boards? I'll bet the hard drive
was a real bitch to build :-) Maybe you get my point,
maybe not.

If someone had required you to "build" that computer
the way you build radios, I doubt it would be capable
of adding 2 and 2 :-)

As is usual for you, you grossly overstate your
case in an attempt to make the outcome appear the
way you'd like it to be.

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3

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iQA/AwUBNy4/FJe+N6+q84HiEQIUNwCg2YijLXaauf5x56nVPs5RaywekwwAn16g
tbAlxF+B5YqqDeeINvDemk4X
=rKR0
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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2686. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <A7F66CFEECEF15B3.BE39DE8F475EF3CA.A396DC733AB0A5C5@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: 5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
: behind the decline of Amateur Radio?

The decline of Amateur Radio is due to largely the internet making HAM obsolete except for nostalgia sake (though
alot of HAM's who need to feel more important than they are, would argue).
The secondary reason that HAM has declined is due to a alot of old, narrow minded, biggoted farts who think
they are special and OWN the entire 160-80m range.
Fortunately, these people are old, smoke alot and have alot of ailments (probably from years of being exposed
to high wattage RF) so they will all be dead in a few years anyhow.
There are those who carry on the old fart disfunctional attitudes but they are fortunately (and for HAM's sake) outnumbered
by a majority of new free thinkers who not only want change but see the need for change before HAM becomes nothing
but a cute memory, joked about by grandkids while they are playing video games and sufing the net.

2687. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: BungHole <bung@hole.org>
Message-ID: <3777E0152241B22C.31F5B3D209667A7C.E63B114584CF74FD@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 144069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Hehe, suddenly this moron is an expert on the subject of you and how your remember :)

: No, you simply memorized the Morse Code. CW is the same
: as riding a bicycle. Once learned, it is not easily forgotten.

2688. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7glihj$p2e$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 144070
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Yep. Maybe a moron, but got my Amateur Extra (by studying)
and First Telephone.

Loser. At least I don't have to go through life being a "Bunghole".

BungHole wrote in message
<3777E0152241B22C.31F5B3D209667A7C.E63B114584CF74FD@library-proxy.airnews.ne
t>...
Hehe, suddenly this moron is an expert on the subject of you and how your
remember :)

: No, you simply memorized the Morse Code. CW is the same
: as riding a bicycle. Once learned, it is not easily forgotten.

2689. Riverside County ARA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372E6747.C3740582@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144071

Looking for website of the Riverside County ARA, California. They meet at 12th/Almond. Anyone have info. I lost their newsletter when I took my test and I would like to join. Any of you out there members? I tried all the search engines without any luck.

2690. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372E6D5F.5E7B11AF@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144072

Steve Murphy wrote: So, Oscar, what's your excuse? "Sick, lame, lazy, or stupid?"

It must be the latter three since I didn't make the first cut of the Rhodes or Fulbright scholarships nominations. Maybe I could exploit the sick part and add Agent Orange exposure.

But I'm glad you you agreed with my implicit statement that 5 year olds that know Morse C. are the exception just as child prodigies in any given field are exceptions.

I didn't know that a 13 or 20 wpm CW test was etched in granite. Maybe some of you old timers could give me a history lesson about who chose these magical numbers and why? Is there some reason these numbers couldn't be 12, 10, 5, or 30. Maybe the 12 or 20 wpm are all the code founders could copy!! ;-O

2691. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <372E6AF4.9F9778AE@innocent.com>
Source record: 144073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mr. Hollingsworth's attention to 3950, which he evidenced by checking in with the legitimate participants (and which, by the way, got him an in-the-face obscene tirade by one of the jammers, Timmy's friend W9ART), is welcome and is something that has been needed for quite some time.

It isn't surprising that several of the jammers faded away rapidly upon hearing him check in. Since self-restraint and other frontal lobe functions aren't exactly their strong point, they'll undoubtedly be back. Let us hope that their malicious interference careers will then be terminated in such a way that they can never be resumed.

By the way, the following article shows that the jamming of the Liberty Net has garnered some media attention -- a federal medium, no less:

(from http://www.trsc.com/cw/cw_981226.html)

It's a transcript of a VOA program called "Communications World." It apparently even included audio excerpts.

---begin article excerpt---

Communications World Script: 26 December 1998
[...]

TAPE: CUT 3 (in full to :05 then fade under to Kim and lose)

KIM: This is the time of year that we look back at the year gone by. The U.S. Federal Communications Commission has been busy visiting and shutting down a total of 260 unlicensed radio broadcast stations, both on FM and on shortwave, during 1998. On December 16th, the FCC announced that it had closed down 19 pirate stations in the Miami, Florida, area. Miami is a hotbed of pirate activity, with an additional 15 unlicensed stations in and near that city shut down earlier in the year.

The FCC has also indicated that it will step up enforcement on the amateur radio bands. Riley Hollingsworth, of the FCC Compliance and Information Bureau, said that a small group of jammers has been interfering with amateur radio communications, especially in the 75 and 20 meter bands -- that's 3.5 and 14 megahertz respectively. The FCC will focus on deliberate interference in the HF, or shortwave, amateur bands, because such interference causes problems throughout the country and even internationally.

An example of the jamming that the FCC seeks to end is aimed against the Liberty Net, which meets evenings on 3950 kilohertz. Participants in the Net generally share conservative political viewpoints and a dislike for President Bill Clinton. Here's a bit of that net, and listen as a white noise jammer comes on the frequency.

TAPE: CUT 4 (in full to :22 then fade under to Kim and lose)

[...]

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---end article excerpt---

A glorious Spring to you all,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

2692. Ebay: Motorola GP68 Service/Programming Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net
Message-ID: <372d0dc9.12132386@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 144124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual. Includes schematics,
exploded views, and programming
instructions for the GP63, GP68, GP68 Plus, and GP68-8. Original
Motorola, not a photocopy. Buyer prepays
with Internationally Negotiable money order. Buyer prepays actual
shipping charges.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=99135696

2693. Re: Pioneering EE Patents: Negative Feedback Amplification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: conover@tiac.net
Message-ID: <7gj2pq$49r@news-central.tiac.net>
Source record: 144125
Cross-posted to:
sci.physics.electromag,sci.nonlinear,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.cellular.nokia

Paul Victor Birke (nonlinear@home.com) wrote:
:
: Was it not Armstrong? With the two twin vacumm tubes if I remember.
: Wow am I dating myself also??!!
:

It wasn't Armstrong. I read the original paper once, and believe it
was dated in the 1950s, but I don't recall the author(s). At the time
I read it I remember thinking to myself "Wow."

I'll see if I can track it down.

Harry C.

2694. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d0d8b.164944224@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 02 May 1999 23:09:00 GMT, Daniel Grunberg
<dangrunberg@netzero.net> wrote:

>Nonsese, you're just not approaching the code properly and with enough
>determination. If you ever sang a song (not necessarily in tune) you CAN
>learn the code.

That is the lie, one of the Most prenious told by the
ProCoder. I spent five never manging to make it to 5wpm whioch was
required in those day. I can sing even quite well, according to those
that have heard me.

>All sorts of people have learned enough Morse code to pass code tests;

So what? all sort of people survived being caught up in Jim
Crow in the southy too

>it's only a matter of method, practice and patience. As I recall, once you

Five years and not manging is not enough for you?

Two years as documented recently in QST?

Sound s more like hazing than anything else

>had a receiver, it was only a matter of memorizing the code patterns from a
>printed chart and spending twenty minutes per night, four nights a week
>listening to W1AW's code practice sessions at 5 and 7.5 words per minute,
>to learn enough code to pass a code test before an FCC examiner (this was
>the 1950s).

I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are
either lieing or don't know what you are talking about

>
>Today, there are freeware/shareware programs with settable code speeds

So what? I have them been sepnding 15-20 minutes a day with
them and after more than a year still no dice.

>starting as slow as you'd like them to. The only thing standing between
>anyone who can read English, Braille or whatever, and reading code at

Plain and simply false

>5 words per minute is determination and an investment of time. You may
>resent having to learn code, but if you want to learn the code, you'll learn
>the code. Any body (in less politically correct times we used to say

>"Any body's little sister") can learn the code. It just ain't that hard.

Pity you don't the real world at al
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

2695. Re: FS: Futaba Gold Series Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: John - WB5NUA <johnwunder@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gj8ao$3g3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144127
Cross-posted to: rec.models.rc.air,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <372c4dae.0@flint.sentex.net>,
ve3sed@rac.ca.nospam wrote:
> In message <7gg24vlon1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> - John - WB5NUA
> <johnwunder@my-dejanews.com>Sat, 01 May 1999 23:18:56 GMT writes:
> :>>
> :>>I have for sale a FP-T7FG/K - FG series (Gold) FM transmitter (with brand
new
> :>>ni-cads) and matching FP-R107M-53 - 7 channel FM receiver. These are on
> :>>53.300 Mhz in the 6 meter amateur band. Must be a ham to operate. They
are
> :>>in good working condition for $75 plus shipping.
>
> Are you sure it's not on 53.800 Mhz? 53.3 would put it in the
> middle of the repeater output sub-band.
>
> Tedd Doda, CET
>
> packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
> e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
> [Team OS/2 in Canada]
>
> If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.
>
>

It's on 53.300

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2696. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d1c39.168702518@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 02 May 1999 21:56:51 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>W6RCecilA wrote:
>>
>> Gene Floyd wrote:
>> >
>> > Is this besides the fact that knowledge of CW is required by international treaty for
>> > access to certain frequencies? Or are you suggesting that the government simply ignore
>> > the treaties and make it's own rules?
>>
>
>Why don't Handicaped people have to pass a code test, yet get HF
>licenses?

One we damm well do

Two why don't we have to pass 13 wpm and get general if pass
5wpm at some point, becuase the FCC clearly has ruled that Code above
5wpm is not vital for the ARS. All NoCoders are trying to do is get
those ruling more consistantly applied

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

2697. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372D2168.36C0@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Sun, 02 May 1999 06:59:37 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
>
> >I'm happy to see that you've cleaned up the mistake-filled,
> >incomprehensible signature line, Mark. This new mistake-filled version
> >is much easier to understand.
>
> gee you could nto understand the old one saying basicly stay
> on the net and out of My email box? Gee I wish you ProCoders would
> answer the question of just how it is you manage to understand thruogh
> staitc stuff with occaional mistakes, in real time, but can't mange at
> leasure on the net

Mark,

Maybe you've hit upon the answer. If I could only read your stuff
through some static, the text would be spelled perfectly!

Are you accessing the internet via an 80m RTTY link? That thunderstorm
activity must be fearsome with all of those static crashes.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2698. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372D220B.2F5A@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:

> Indeed I have been ticked in Chicago myself for NOT speeding
> and thereby being a hazard to traffic by traveling at the what was the
> posted speed limit 55MPH

I've gotten ticked in Chicago myself, Mark but not enough to break the
speed limit.

If you received and paid a fine on a ticket issued for doing the legal
posted speed, you are a championship boob.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2699. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372D2289.7359@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir wrote:
>
> > So you pick and choose which laws to obey, eh Bill? You couldn't have
> > set your cruise control at the legal speed and been an example, of
> > course. Better to stick with the Lemming pack.
>
> When they pass a law that says you have to jump off a cliff, I suppose
> you will go along with that too.
>
> A legal speed limit is only a meaningless number pulled out of a hat by
> some polititian. When they can't get enough people to speed over that
> number, they continue to lower that limit until they can generate the
> wanted revenue. Police cars always HIDE out of site to catch speeders
> because if they were visable, people would not speed past them and they
> could not fine them. This is not a matter of saftey, or the police
> would not hide, but be visable so that people would see them and not
> speed. Can't make much money that way on tickets.

This is an easy reply: You don't have any idea what you're talking
about. Posted speeds are not simply "pulled out of a hat".

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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2700. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d24c3.170888869@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 03 May 1999 04:11:55 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>
>> Indeed I have been ticked in Chicago myself for NOT speeding
>> and thereby being a hazard to traffic by traveling at the what was the
>> posted speed limit 55MPH
>
>I've gotten ticked in Chicago myself, Mark but not enough to break the
>speed limit.
>
>If you received and paid a fine on a ticket issued for doing the legal
>posted speed, you are a championship boob.

Are you realy unable to read Dave? is that the problem The
ticket said I was a hazard to traffic, that that I was traveling a
legal speed. Two I never mentioned paying fine did I? I did not pay a
fine

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2701. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d25bc.171137376@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 03 May 1999 04:14:01 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>This is an easy reply: You don't have any idea what you're talking
>about. Posted speeds are not simply "pulled out of a hat".

No they are not but the Laws that back them do contian data
pulled form the air or perhaps less savory locations
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
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>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

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2702. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d2618.171229679@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 2 May 1999 23:16:41 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>I think that he was obviously assuming that you would realize he wasn't
>refering to ALL handicaps.. You *can* get a waiver (directly from your doc
>or with a note from your doc. not sure which..) to avoid having to know ANY
>code if you're physically unable to dit-dot for whatever reason(s).

No you can not do so. That is simply not the turth or I'd have
an HF license. The Waivers only exist after you have put throught the
5wpm test in some fashion (including some fashions that make them the
whole thing rather farsical. but you have to take and pass 5wpm first

There is NO waiver of any kind that, that allows anyone past a
code with No Knowledge of Morse Code at all

>If it were up to me, they'd be treated like anyone else.. Have a licensed
>control operator with priveladges (however that's spelled.. Zzz...) for the
>bands you're not licensed for if you're unable to pass the tests...

IOW say Mother may or sit in the back of the Bus. Tell me did
you say to theblacks of Montgomery AL back in the 60's
>
>Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
>news:372d1c39.168702518@nntp.one-eleven.net...
>> On Sun, 02 May 1999 21:56:51 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>>
>> >W6RCecilA wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Gene Floyd wrote:
>> >> >
>> >> > Is this besides the fact that knowledge of CW is required by
>international treaty for
>> >> > access to certain frequencies? Or are you suggesting that the
>government simply ignore
>> >> > the treaties and make it's own rules?
>> >>
>> >
>> >Why don't Handicaped people have to pass a code test, yet get HF
>> >licenses?
>>
>> One we damm well do
>>
>> Two why don't we have to pass 13 wpm and get general if pass
>> 5wpm at some point, becuase the FCC clearly has ruled that Code above
>> 5wpm is not vital for the ARS. All NoCoders are trying to do is get

>> those ruling more consistantly applied
>>
>> Mark Morgan
>> kb9rqz.
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2703. Forest Whittaker: World's Dumbest Ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503005058.20735.00001432@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 144135

In the Sunday Night Disney Movie presentation of "Phenomenon" starring John Travolta, sidekick Forest Whittaker plays a not-too-bright ham operator.

He fires up his Yaesu transceiver and calls "CQ Diana Ross", signing his call as "WB6QLF".

Later he calls "CQ Diana Ross" again, then proceeds to blubber details of his personal life to no one in particular.

Still later, he sends straight-key CW in answer to a military RTTY transmission (which switches abruptly to SSTV!) near 30 meters.

I hope Hollingsworth was watching! :)

2704. What RF preamp : Mirage "B-5016 G"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam
Message-ID: <372d2dfb.0@flint.sentex.net>
Source record: 144136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

HI People:

I have a Mirage B-5016-G 2 meter amplifier that lost its
receive preamp. The active device looks like a MAR series
amplifier. Does anyone know what this thing is so I can
order a replacement?

Mirage has not replied to 3 faxes, and numerous e-mail :(

Oh, BTW, the relays are fine.

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

2705. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gjb9i$km4@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 144137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote:
> Or is it that you think dispite the fact according to hams
>themselves 73% percent of them choose to say that CW is rarely or
>never used by them, that CW is the Be all and end all of fun in Ham
>radio?

Mark, connect the antenna to your receiver and tune across the HF bands.
You'll easily hear that about 50% of the QSOs utilize CW.

I don't know who those "73%" are -- maybe they're no-code techs?
No one polled me, so how accurate can that figure be?

73, Jeff KH6O

2706. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d3613.175321160@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 2 May 1999 23:54:04 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>That's not AT ALL comparable...

In your opion it is not. You wether you know it or not are
claiming several things.

One that by right of Morse Skill you have the right to public
specturm that I am denied basicaly because of how I was born. It is
exactly the same as Montergy with but one difference. there are fewer
disabled and they have fewer things in common than blacks did. each of
us

Two that I lack the same rights given in the Constitution to
petion for redress of gievances.

>It'd be more akin to the gays asking for special priveledges (special laws
>to protect them that we wouldn't 'enjoy'), etc... I fully support everyone

Indeed I don't see it that way. to be fair to you I'll mention
the facts that as some people on the NG have made an issue of I am
Bisexaul and a memeber of nochristain religon

>having EQUAL *rights*.. You may not be able to make use of 'em, sure.. Like

Then support ending the preferencail treatment of marired
coupleby the IRS since you favor equal rights or is it the right of
gay marige that you favor, oneor the other is required to be equal
after all?

>me having the right to get a masters at some university and not having the
>smarts to actually accomplish it.. But should I get a special retard-waivor?
>"I think not..."

But you would get help if it would help you. You would not be
denied admision to technical school simply beacuse you you can't walk
to class And you claim to favor equal rights. well why is it then
that you oppose My efforts to invoke the ADA , the law of the land in
the service of my views
>
>Heard some handicapped guy on the radio the other day complaining about how
>the gov cuts back on his handouts if he works for a living at all...
>"Huh?"...

Indeed that is part of the sillines that the disabled do face.
some indeed could work some, but not a lot, if you work at all it is
more than your funding that gets cut often your health care and

theirfore your abilty to live that gets cut. so you dare not try to
work in many cases if you have such benifits. Given the work ethic
driven nature of many americans I have to question both the fiarness
and the sanity (from a production standpoint)
>
>Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
>news:372d2618.171229679@nntp.one-eleven.net...
>> On Sun, 2 May 1999 23:16:41 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
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>>
>> >If it were up to me, they'd be treated like anyone else.. Have a licensed
>> >control operator with priveladges (however that's spelled.. Zzz...) for
>the
>> >bands you're not licensed for if you're unable to pass the tests...
>>
>> IOW say Mother may or sit in the back of the Bus. Tell me did
>> you say to theblacks of Montgomery AL back in the 60's
>
>
>

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2707. Re: What RF preamp : Mirage "B-5016 G"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <gabX2.12224$Dx6.101139@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 144139
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

My B3016 did the same thing. An MPS2222 cured the problem. There were actually two of them in the unit, one appeared to be part of the RF sensing circuit, but since I had it open it was easy to replace them both while I was there. You can get these transistors at Radio Shack, they're less than $1.00 apiece.

73 de KF6KNB

Tedd Doda wrote in message <372d2dfb.0@flint.sentex.net>...
>HI People:
>
>I have a Mirage B-5016-G 2 meter amplifier that lost its
>receive preamp. The active device looks like a MAR series
>amplifier. Does anyone know what this thing is so I can
>order a replacement?
>
>Mirage has not replied to 3 faxes, and numerous e-mail :(
>
>Oh, BTW, the relays are fine.
>
>Tedd Doda, CET
>
>packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
>e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
>[Team OS/2 in Canada]
>
>If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.
>

2708. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <F1bX2.12215$Dx6.100234@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 144140

And what class of license do you hold ?

Oscar wrote in message <372D3405.AD4DCB28@hotmail.com>...
>Just read a post from Hawaii.edu.
>Say, if a 5 y.o. child can master Morse Code, or a 12 y.o. can enter
>college, how come all you "real" adult, CW hams aren't all
>neurosurgeons, Fortune 500 CEOs, concert caliber musicians, master chess
>players, or renowned engineers. You guys must be sick, lame, lazy, or
>stupid? After all, children can do all this, you guys must have failed.

2709. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d3d5d.177188112@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 3 May 1999 05:13:22 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote:
>> Or is it that you think dispite the fact according to hams
>>themselves 73% percent of them choose to say that CW is rarely or
>>never used by them, that CW is the Be all and end all of fun in Ham
>>radio?
>
>Mark, connect the antenna to your receiver and tune across the HF bands.
>You'll easily hear that about 50% of the QSOs utilize CW.

Nope I can't 99 percent of what I hear is voice, but then I
am good at picking voice out of staic I can't even pick out the
seperate QSO when I do hear CW which is rare enough. Indeed all I hear
is AM voice, anywhere in HF

In a ition the HF is not all of Ham radio which was what the
questionin the survey answered.

Adtionaly even if it were true since it is claimed that Code
trough better than voice If 50% of what I heard was CW then far less
than 50 and the total tranmision sent of HF would be Code, since I
well only hear the better voice (and other mode siganals) Therefore
the 50% figure you use does track with the idea that less half of the
QSO made world wide are done with CW
>
>I don't know who those "73%" are -- maybe they're no-code techs?
>No one polled me, so how accurate can that figure be?

Accoding to the ARRL they were sent out airly by class etc
>
>73, Jeff KH6O

Mark Morgan
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2710. FS Cliperton L HF amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372D425A.19A7@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello all,
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new
572b's, new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes
have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired
for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters.
The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500bucs
plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line. You
can see a picture of the amp as well as my station by clicking
here. http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 and thanks for reading
Oris N3CND
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2711. Assorted SMITH CHART Paper on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles <celbel@ctesc.net>
Message-ID: <372D5350.2454@ctesc.net>
Source record: 144143

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=99090582

2712. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d46ca.179600968@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144144
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 3 May 1999 01:10:18 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>Because that's SPECIAL rights.. Not EQUAL rights... You should be able to do

That is your opinion. It is not mine

>anything that you can do.. Not necessarily anything you WANT to do... As

But I can not and you want to keep that way. I can operate on
HF as well as any code tested ham that does not care to use code.
Nothing in the ARS today mean I must know code in order to function
same as you on HF. Indeed I can even Use Morse Code if condictions are
right. i have done that using this very machine.

>in.. If you can get a 'walking' job without having to walk, why should I? If

But why do I need to walk if the job requires me to sit. It is
the same with Code tests. i am required to have known code at some
monent I am not required to keep this skill in order to use RTTY. I
and no othermember of the ARS has to be able to use code in order to
funtion in the ARS. I amnot required to make even one Morse Code QSO,
and yet it is vital that learn Code. My answer to that is Bullshit.
Yes thouse are the rules TODAY but this is americaia and outdated
rules can be changed, if people work for it

>you can get a driving-license without being fully functional, why should I?

You can get a Drivers licesne without being fully functional.
Indeed you can pass the tests for a driving license without any help
and still not be fully functional. You can and should be able to get
one if you handle handle the vechile safely and efectively and can
understand the laws. I don't have to be able to walk into to do that

>Think of it this way.. What if, for some strange reason, nearly everyone
>became billionaires tomorrow thru their own hard work?..

What is your point?

>Sounds silly, but then the welfare-state would raise the minimum-living
>standards from middle-class to first-class, wouldn't they?...
>Like why should anyone be ENTITLED to live the life of the average person?

How entitled to simply live? How entitled to simply exist in
peace and without harassment. the curent system of dealing is IMO
screwed up defending against some of what it does is like trying to
defend the 1st amedment based on Snuff kiddy porn

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2713. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d4a1d.180452291@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144145

On Mon, 3 May 1999 00:28:33 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>You were around when such technology was still new enough to get rich off
>it?...

I certainly was
>
>Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote in message
>news:372D30D3.50AFD17D@hotmail.com...
>> Say....didn't some guy known as Steve Jobs built a computer from such
>> parts and called it an Apple? I could've patented my telehone made of
>> string and tin cans and gotten rich. ;))
>
>

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2714. Re: You can do it TOO! (was: CWs are Lazy or Stupid)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d4a40.180487449@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144146

On Mon, 3 May 1999 00:58:52 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>And what does that (the 5yr old part) say 'bout you?.. ;)

Not a dammed thing beyond the fact that people are different

>Anyway... There's nothing quite like the feeling of passing your first 5wpm

I would not know I spent five years taking and fialing such
tests. I can tel you that sucked

>test after "really dreaming" about getting into ham-radio for 35yrs.. I

amussing 20 years was how it kept me out of hams radio. and
was ekeping either of us out really a good for the ARS?

>started thinking about it when I was in the 7'th grade, but because I knew

Thinking well that bumps it up to 30 years. I started thinking
about sooner when I was five and was alegabra and still not able to
get my shoes to stay tied when I tied them (strangely I have no shoes
that need tieing today)

>of no one (if only one of the local hams had made their hobby a bit more
>known to the people around 'em) who would teach me, tapes were a waste of
>time for me, and, well.... I just discovered all the computer
>practice/training progs, which're available nowdays, in Jan...
>IOW, It took just a bit of self-control not to go 'whooping it up' when I
>saw the VE's smiling... ;)
>I also passed the General written-test, but that 'offered' no where near the
>excitement/satisfaction that the cod-test did...
>
>
>Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote in message
>news:372D3405.AD4DCB28@hotmail.com...
>> Just read a post from Hawaii.edu.
>> Say, if a 5 y.o. child can master Morse Code, or a 12 y.o. can enter
>> college, how come all you "real" adult, CW hams aren't all
>> neurosurgeons, Fortune 500 CEOs, concert caliber musicians, master chess
>> players, or renowned engineers. You guys must be sick, lame, lazy, or
>> stupid? After all, children can do all this, you guys must have failed.
>
>

Mark Morgan
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2715. FS Heathikit SB 104

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <372D42C7.82A@dirtball.com>
Source record: 144147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello All
I have a heathkit SB 104. The rig needs some work. It needs finals (one could use the motarola MRF 455A Its alot cheaper then the heath original final) 10 ohm bias transistor and the control IC for the last digit in the display. Cosmeticly its in good shape. I'm asking 100 bucs for the rig plus shipping. I'm keeping the power supply for my packet operation and I have sold the VFO all I have left is the rig. BTW the receiver in this rig is HOT! If you are interested drop me a email oris@dirtball.com
73 from Oris and thanks for reading
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http://www.dirtball.com

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(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2716. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7gjo0u$c6d$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 144148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Part of the FCC charter for the ARS is to encourage self-education.
Quite frankly, I don't see CW as such a big hurdle. 5 wpm is slow. It's
easy. If you can't put forth the effort to learn this much, what effort
will you be putting into the hobby? How will relaxing licensing
requirements help achieve the self-education objective?

Are you just looking for equal rights? Or are you looking for someone to
talk to in your digital modes? Outlawing data modes from HF would help
achieve this end by forcing all packets, for example, to 50 MHz and up.
Now we're all equal, and you didn't have to learn a single new thing.

Michael.

Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
news:372d46ca.179600968@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> But I can not and you want to keep that way. I can operate on
> HF as well as any code tested ham that does not care to use code.
> Nothing in the ARS today mean I must know code in order to function
> same as you on HF. Indeed I can even Use Morse Code if condictions are
> right. i have done that using this very machine.

2717. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372D6D8E.255B@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144149
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
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> On Sun, 02 May 1999 23:09:00 GMT, Daniel Grunberg
> <dangrunberg@netzero.net> wrote:
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> >Nonsese, you're just not approaching the code properly and with enough
> >determination. If you ever sang a song (not necessarily in tune) you CAN
> >learn the code.
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> That is the lie, one of the Most prenious told by the
> ProCoder. I spent five never manging to make it to 5wpm whioch was
> required in those day. I can sing even quite well, according to those
> that have heard me.

Mark, you simply must stop calling people liars. What kind of lie is
the prenious type? Congrats on never manging.

> >All sorts of people have learned enough Morse code to pass code tests;
>
> So what? all sort of people survived being caught up in Jim
> Crow in the southy too

Again, Mark, attitude is the key. You don't survive morse code. You
master it. What, by the way, is "the southy"?

> >it's only a matter of method, practice and patience. As I recall, once you
>
> Five years and not manging is not enough for you?

Keep at it, Mark. I haven't manged in 50 years.

> Two years as documented recently in QST?

The fellow featured in QST had difficulties. He didn't quit though. He
passed!

> Sound s more like hazing than anything else

Anything which you can't do is "hazing".
> >had a receiver, it was only a matter of memorizing the code patterns from a
> >printed chart and spending twenty minutes per night, four nights a week
> >listening to W1AW's code practice sessions at 5 and 7.5 words per minute,
> >to learn enough code to pass a code test before an FCC examiner (this was
> >the 1950s).
>
> I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are

> either lieing or don't know what you are talking about

The famous Mark Morgan "you simply are either lieing or...". Mark, the
word is "lying" and he's speaking for the bulk of the populace. You
seem to be the exception to the rule. That doesn't mean the man is
lying or that he doesn't know what he's talking about.

> >starting as slow as you'd like them to. The only thing standing between
> >anyone who can read English, Braille or whatever, and reading code at
>
> Plain and simply false

Back off, Mark. He said anyone who could read English. You don't seem
to be part of that crowd.

> >5 words per minute is determination and an investment of time. You may
> >resent having to learn code, but if you want to learn the code, you'll learn
> >the code. Any body (in less politically correct times we used to say
> >"Any body's little sister") can learn the code. It just ain't that hard.
>
> Pity you don't the real world at al

I do the real world et al.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2718. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d6c0e.189142128@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 3 May 1999 03:50:12 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

>Part of the FCC charter for the ARS is to encourage self-education.
>Quite frankly, I don't see CW as such a big hurdle. 5 wpm is slow. It's

I am gald you don't see it as a hurdle but I tried for years
to mange it back in the 70's and had no luck with it.

>easy. If you can't put forth the effort to learn this much, what effort

To say You found it easy is one thing. But please (you seem
new around here so you are getting a beter than some of the regular
ProCoders) Don't make claims about how easy it is for others. Frankly
it is insulting for you to claim it is easy for me when I have spent
years on the porhjectand not manged 5wpm. Surely 5 years is enough.

>will you be putting into the hobby? How will relaxing licensing
>requirements help achieve the self-education objective?

How does the current one serve it? Indeed I don't call
learning Morse Code educational anymore than I call learning the Art
of Foil Fencing educational. They both are skills which depend largely
on apttiude rather than entirely on wil or drive. But lets be big and
look at somebody else. A typical person. has fair time learning cw If
he worked a job that left him the same hours everyday. Indeed to use a
friend, with a new tech license. He work 2 jobs He never works the
hours two weeks in a row Yet he manges more on air time than I do. The
Burden involved in learning code clearly increased in today world. The
need for doing as declined. these are simple facts (the debate comes
when you try and say how much)

>
>Are you just looking for equal rights? Or are you looking for someone to

Fine answer and typical of the ProCode positition.

>talk to in your digital modes? Outlawing data modes from HF would help
>achieve this end by forcing all packets, for example, to 50 MHz and up.
>Now we're all equal, and you didn't have to learn a single new thing.

No we are not equal, because you are being allowed to use your
modes on HF and I am not, thereforeyou have been rights beyond those I
have, therefore we don't have equal rights.

BTW while I do think that Morse Coded Cw is as anet thing bad
for the ARS. I don't seek to impose that position on those that

disagree. You as close to a first thought suggest baning other
peopples Modes. Another Common systom of the ProCoders wanting to
control others. You want me to spend my time as you like, but I don't
seek to impose my views on you. I merely ask, nay I demand the same
rights in Public airwaves that you have
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>Michael.
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2719. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925724757.862.69@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I dated a girl once who explained her fear of driving. People honk at her, and gesture angrily when they pass her. She honestly believed it was a male chauvinistic thing: woman driver and all that. The short end of that story is that she's a horrible driver. Nobody knew where she was going, or what she would do next. She least of all. Her reaction to the ticket would have been similar to yours: she would overlook what is painfully obvious to everyone else, and claim gender discrimination (or whatever) for her ills.

Mark, from all I've read about and from you, I believe you are a hazard to yourself and everyone around you. Life is passing you by, and you are aware enough of this, even if you notice nothing else. The world will not slow down for you, no matter how loudly you yell for it stop. And you are tired of it.

I sympathize with you, but cannot empathize. You see, I believe that there is no such thing as CANNOT, only WILL NOT. To be sure, in 39 years of trying, there have been times when I had to settle for rationalizing failure. Special recognition in spite of failure, or worse, changing the rules after the fact, acknowledges only abject defeat.

Why are HF privileges so important to you? Seeing as how the rules are what they are, with at least a remote possibility that it's this way for good reason, why don't you find something more suited for yourself? Not all vocations or hobbies are for everyone. As has been pointed out to you elsewhere, the largest part of the amateur allocation is above 50 MHz. Learn a mere 10% of what others need to know, and still have 90% of the pie! How much more fair can things be?

Michael.

Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
news:372d24c3.170888869@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> On Mon, 03 May 1999 04:11:55 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
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> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >
> >> Indeed I have been ticked in Chicago myself for NOT
speeding
> >> and thereby being a hazard to traffic by traveling at the what was
the
> >> posted speed limit 55MPH
> >
> >I've gotten ticked in Chicago myself, Mark but not enough to break

the
> >speed limit.
> >
> >If you received and paid a fine on a ticket issued for doing the
legal
> >posted speed, you are a championship boob.
>
> Are you realy unable to read Dave? is that the problem The
> ticket said I was a hazard to traffic, that that I was traveling a
> legal speed. Two I never mentioned paying fine did I? I did not pay a
> fine
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> Mark Morgan
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2720. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372D712A.6593@cats-net.com>
Source record: 144152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
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> On Sat, 01 May 1999 08:12:40 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
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> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >>
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> >> Are you really that dumb Dave? Do you really think that your
> >> stupid code requirement is going to last more than a few more years?
> >> Wake up and smell the coffee (or tea if you prefer).
> >
> >I'm having coffee right now, Mark. To be called dumb by you is to be
>
> May I sugest strongly coffeeor perhaps taking off your
> blinders. The Code requirement is in full retreat, had been for years.

You may suggest anything as long as you phrase it in the English
language (or any other recognized tongue). I offer that you have no
idea about what the code requirement is doing.

> >called fat by a 500 lb. sow. Yes, I believe the morse testing
> >requirement is going to around. The fact that you refer to it as the
> >"stupid" requirement demonstrates where your mind is. I don't think
>
> That you can refer to as anything other than stupid shows why
> Ham radio is in trouble. The fact that ProCoders can equate lack of
> Code skil witnh dumb and with stupid is a good sign of the divorce
> from reality that you suffer

No, Mark, I equate dumb with dumb. Stupid hangs around with dumb. I'm
not a bisexual masochist morseophobe english mangler so I probably am
out of touch with reality.

> >you'll be getting an HF freebie any time soon.
>
> Soon maybe not. but freebie is simply false I have already
> apid for it with five years of my life in my teens

You mean that you did nothing else for five years but try to pass an HF
exam? You really have apid!

> >
> >> Or is it that you think dispite the fact according to hams
> >> themselves 73% percent of them choose to say that CW is rarely or

> >> never used by them, that CW is the Be all and end all of fun in Ham
> >> radio? If you really think so, then I suspect you demented. I ahve a
> >> good time without Morse Code in ham radio. yeah I'd have an even
> >> better time if the dumber requirements in the ARS were consigend to
> >> the ash heap of history, but I and others are working on that
> >
> >Yes, I dispute the survey. I believe it was badly flawed. I do not
> >believe that CW is the "be all and end all" or that it is all the fun in
>
> If it is is not the BE all and end all of Ham radio then its
> psotiton in the requirements is simply unlawfull and will not stand.
> The FCC seems to have an awareness and to be acting on it along with a
> desire to temper the speed of Change so as not to depopualte the HF
> Bands by giving the real Old timers amoug the ProCoders heart failure.
> Indeed I think that you are the Only one on here who does not admitt
> to beiliveing that Code testing is dead sooner or later

Your attempts at logic escape me. Nothing is the "BE all and end all"
of ham radio and I've already stated that I don't believe CW is such.
Your reading comprehension seems about as good as your writing.

> >amateur radio but I believe that it is a significant portion of amateur
> >radio. I'm happy for you that you're enjoying morse free amateur radio
>
> Yes I'd say yeah all you good little code people be sure to
> pie on the back of the bus, and don't ever claim

Was that "pee on the back of the bus" or "pile on the back of the bus"?
Either way, I didn't say it. You did.

> >as you now have it. The no code license was instituted for guys like
>
> That is a dammed lie, since you lack the power to speak for
> the FCC. It was not for me that it iwas was done. Nor does it fully
> fully serve. and because I get something I am supposed to be grateful
> that You people still to get preform your hazing rituals protected and
> scantioned by the law of the land. Indeed Jim Crow was ceated to serve
> the interests of One over another another, and clearly had the support
> of the majority of some thing that is less clear than code

Okay, Mark. Why was the no code technician license brought about?
I really don't give a rat's ass if you are grateful or not.

> >you. Keep using words like "dumber requirements" and "ash heap of
> >history" to sway folks toward sharing your thinking. As to working on
> >eliminating morse testing, I don't believe that you, personally, have
> >done anything toward changing things.
>
> Well I'd call you a lier but you did say it was YOUR opinion
> and It may indeed be your opinion, But I know better

You can call me a "lier" (psssst, it's "liar") and I'll call you
semi-literate and a candidate for a "gimme". That's my opinion.

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2721. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925725124.118.96@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
news:372d25bc.171137376@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> >This is an easy reply: You don't have any idea what you're talking
> >about. Posted speeds are not simply "pulled out of a hat".
>
> No they are not but the Laws that back them do contian data
> pulled form the air or perhaps less savory locations

Yes, in the fine tradition of all engineering.

The safest speed is zero. Your chances of survival diminish from there.
Everything else is a compromise.

Michael.

2722. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d6f20.189928532@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 May 1999 09:34:06 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
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>> <dangrunberg@netzero.net> wrote:
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>> >learn the code.
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>> ProCoder. I spent five never manging to make it to 5wpm whioch was
>> required in those day. I can sing even quite well, according to those
>> that have heard me.
>
>Mark, you simply must stop calling people liars. What kind of lie is
>the prenious type? Congrats on never manging.

Dave are you serious? I truely can't tell. I can call anybody
anything I like, wther or not it is to may be to my advantage, or
wether it is subject to somekind of scantion. Like for yelling fire in
a theatre.

Now offering congrats to somebody on not passing code is IMO
simply sick

Pernicous Lies sorry but then how is that you can read Morse
Code if somebody gets a dit and a dah backwards. I am tiold it is not
hard , yet you can not handle the simple leter transposition, One of
the commonest sign of the Dyslexic? You and the ProCoder always refuse
to answer this one. Why is that?

>
>> >All sorts of people have learned enough Morse code to pass code tests;
>>
>> So what? all sort of people survived being caught up in Jim
>> Crow in the southy too
>
>Again, Mark, attitude is the key. You don't survive morse code. You
>master it. What, by the way, is "the southy"?

Indeed I am glad to see you that I can't survive Morse Code,
rather shoots your idea in the foot though

>
>> >it's only a matter of method, practice and patience. As I recall, once you
>>
>> Five years and not manging is not enough for you?
>
>Keep at it, Mark. I haven't manged in 50 years.

Do you know why I read this dreck Dave. let me tell you. the
fact you ProCoders can only respond by attacking my duslexia and not
my ideas convinces me that we the NoCoders will win this fight. You
think any of that nonsense is going to get you anywhere with say the
FCC where it counts?

>
>> Two years as documented recently in QST?
>
>The fellow featured in QST had difficulties. He didn't quit though. He
>passed!

Yeah and suffered through two years doing it. Like Carl I
wonder if he really did pass. He may simply have been passed or if he
was taking MC exams may have gotten lucky and still not known morse
Code. Do you really think he is a better ham and fond of Morse Code
for this treatment?
>
>> Sound s more like hazing than anything else
>
>Anything which you can't do is "hazing".

Do you really belive that. Then how is it that the NoCode
Movement includes people that Call Code Testing Hazing, they managed,
but it is still hazing.

>> >had a receiver, it was only a matter of memorizing the code patterns from a
>> >printed chart and spending twenty minutes per night, four nights a week
>> >listening to W1AW's code practice sessions at 5 and 7.5 words per minute,
>> >to learn enough code to pass a code test before an FCC examiner (this was
>> >the 1950s).
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>> I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are
>> either lieing or don't know what you are talking about
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>word is "lying" and he's speaking for the bulk of the populace. You
>seem to be the exception to the rule. That doesn't mean the man is
>lying or that he doesn't know what he's talking about.

It certainly does when he claims evrybody can learn evrybody
includes me therefore he is either lieing or does not know what is
talking about. In accepting there are expceptions You state that the
statement is true. Simple logic.

>
>> >starting as slow as you'd like them to. The only thing standing between
>> >anyone who can read English, Braille or whatever, and reading code at
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>> Plain and simply false
>
>Back off, Mark. He said anyone who could read English. You don't seem
>to be part of that crowd.

I am indeed, part of that crowd, what I am not is amoug those
able to write it freely and easily. And even if the statement is true
then it is all right to exclude american sreading of say Sapnish from
the air?

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>> >5 words per minute is determination and an investment of time. You may
>> >resent having to learn code, but if you want to learn the code, you'll learn
>> >the code. Any body (in less politically correct times we used to say
>> >"Any body's little sister") can learn the code. It just ain't that hard.
>>
>> Pity you don't the real world at al
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>I do the real world et al.

That is what you say. that does not mean I believe you. no i
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2723. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d7266.190767002@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 3 May 1999 04:45:49 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

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>her, and gesture angrily when they pass her. She honestly believed it
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>going, or what she would do next. She least of all. Her reaction to the
>ticket would have been similar to yours: she would overlook what is
>painfully obvious to everyone else, and claim gender discrimination (or
>whatever) for her ills.

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current was designed to discrimate against me it certainly does, but
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>to yourself and everyone around you. Life is passing you by, and you are
>aware enough of this, even if you notice nothing else. The world will
>not slow down for you, no matter how loudly you yell for it stop. And
>you are tired of it.

Where the hell do you get off telling me that life is passing
me by. You don't know me you arrogant ass. wake smell the changes you
bview of the ASRS as code tested is dieing around you.
>
>I sympathize with you, but cannot empathize. You see, I believe that

Aagin five years of trying and fial is not good enough for you

>there is no such thing as CANNOT, only WILL NOT. To be sure, in 39 years

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does that fact make code testing right? NO

>of trying, there have been times when I had to settle for rationalizing
>failure. Special recognition in spite of failure, or worse, changing the
>rules after the fact, acknowledges only abject defeat.

The how should bad rules be changed? If the people that run
into them do nothing, then the system continues, doing more harm to
more people. I find it appalling that you don't seem to consider that
you might be wrong. I am certianly able to do so. I have done so in
this forum and elsewhere On this Issue frankly I can't see anything
form the ProCode side that gives me anything to worry about even if I

am wrong about how my psotiioons are formed. have you even stopped to consider the possibility of error in your biews on the subject?

>
>Why are HF privileges so important to you? Seeing as how the rules are

How important do you think they are to me? And where do you get off even asking? Indeed that is one of the porblems with the reasons given fro code testing. The SoCalled weeder factor, by what right does the ARS ask that question? By nonthing I can read in Part 97 the constitution of the Us and ITU teraty I question wether or not the government has the right to even inquire

>what they are, with at least a remote possibility that it's this way for

One I don't see even the remote reason you refer to. Indeed I have read the hisory of the requirment and am convinced that it has at best outlived it use in the ARS I am not convinced it was ever all that proper

Two I don't think the rules will stay as they are. I have read stuff from just before the Tech decision and a lot of people were saying nothing like that would happen either

>good reason, why don't you find something more suited for yourself? Not
>all vocations or hobbies are for everyone. As has been pointed out to

Now you want to throw off the bands I do have. gee If I care about the ARS as I am supposed to right and don't express my veiws and fight for then I'm frankly I am bad person but maybe in your eyes a good ham. If I pursue what I belive is right then I am a bad ham but a good person by the standards I live by or I can leave the hoby alltogether.

Gee which of those would reconend?

>you elsewhere, the largest part of the amateur allocation is above 50
>MHz. Learn a mere 10% of what others need to know, and still have 90% of
>the pie! How much more fair can things be?

As the Balcks in the South had have the bus women ahd and so on.

Do you really need to ask how much more fair things can be? I'll answer, by having people like you stopp telling other how to spend their and using the Government to back it up. If you think Morse Code is so then promote your mode. If you feel it is endanger of dying Hell i don't like the mode but I'll support governement grants to help the cuase of not letting it die. What I will not endure quietly is, is to suffer what I feel is wrong. To do so is in my view at least inhuman and un even antiamerican.To ask me to do so is well ..do i need to tell you.
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>> Are you realy unable to read Dave? is that the problem The
>> ticket said I was a hazard to traffic, that that I was traveling a
>> legal speed. Two I never mentioned paying fine did I? I did not pay a
>> fine
>>
>>
>> Mark Morgan
>> kb9rqz.
>>
>> Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
>> Unsolictied email will be published forwared
>> or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.
>>
>> sending unsolitcied Email will be
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2724. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d7704.191948462@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 May 1999 09:49:30 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On Sat, 01 May 1999 08:12:40 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Mark Morgan wrote:
>> >>
>>
>> >> Are you really that dumb Dave? Do you really think that your
>> >> stupid code requirement is going to last more than a few more years?
>> >> Wake up and smell the coffee (or tea if you prefer).
>> >
>> >I'm having coffee right now, Mark. To be called dumb by you is to be
>>
>> May I sugest strongly coffeeor perhaps taking off your
>> blinders. The Code requirement is in full retreat, had been for years.
>
>You may suggest anything as long as you phrase it in the English
>language (or any other recognized tongue). I offer that you have no
>idea about what the code requirement is doing.

That is simply a lie I certianly have an idea I could be wrong
I'll admit that which is better than you. You can't even igmgine being
wrong

>
>
>> >called fat by a 500 lb. sow. Yes, I believe the morse testing
>> >requirement is going to around. The fact that you refer to it as the
>> >"stupid" requirement demonstrates where your mind is. I don't think
>>
>> That you can refer to as anything other than stupid shows why
>> Ham radio is in trouble. The fact that ProCoders can equate lack of
>> Code skil witnh dumb and with stupid is a good sign of the divorce
>> from reality that you suffer
>
>No, Mark, I equate dumb with dumb. Stupid hangs around with dumb. I'm
>not a bisexual masochist morseophobe english mangler so I probably am
>out of touch with reality.

But then how can equate lack of Morse with dumb.

You are out of touch with reality but that is because you
can't even consider the notion lof being wrong about code.

BTW I am not a masochist I am a switch which means I do both
as the mood strikes me. In adition it morsephobe. I don't fear morse I
detest it

>
>> >you'll be getting an HF freebie any time soon.
>>
>> Soon maybe not. but freebie is simply false I have already
>> apid for it with five years of my life in my teens
>
>You mean that you did nothing else for five years but try to pass an HF
>exam? You really have apid!

No of ocurse you twit but I spent the 20 minute in the 20 in
the eveing 7 days a week trying to prepare not for an HF exam I passed
the novice written stuff in sleep beore a month was out. Still the
questions stands 5 years is what you call a free ride? No answer for
that. not that I expect one for you.

>
>> >
>> >> Or is it that you think dispite the fact according to hams
>> >> themselves 73% percent of them choose to say that CW is rarely or
>> >> never used by them, that CW is the Be all and end all of fun in Ham
>> >> radio? If you really think so, then I suspect you demented. I ahve a
>> >> good time without Morse Code in ham radio. yeah I'd have an even
>> >> better time if the dumber requirements in the ARS were consigend to
>> >> the ash heap of history, but I and others are working on that
>> >
>> >Yes, I dispute the survey. I believe it was badly flawed. I do not
>> >believe that CW is the "be all and end all" or that it is all the fun in
>>
>> If it is is not the BE all and end all of Ham radio then its
>> psotiton in the requirements is simply unlawfull and will not stand.
>> The FCC seems to have an awareness and to be acting on it along with a
>> desire to temper the speed of Change so as not to depopualte the HF
>> Bands by giving the real Old timers amoug the ProCoders heart failure.
>> Indeed I think that you are the Only one on here who does not admitt
>> to beiliveing that Code testing is dead sooner or later
>
>Your attempts at logic escape me. Nothing is the "BE all and end all"
>of ham radio and I've already stated that I don't believe CW is such.
>Your reading comprehension seems about as good as your writing.

Then if it is not that import why is it of more impot than any
other aspect of the ARS. As to my logic escaping you I do realize
that. I wonder wether it is becuase you can't think outside your box
or simply will not think outside the box.

The Very powerful and the very stupid have one thing in comon
they don't alter their views to fit the facts they try and alter the
facts to fit the views. I certainly believe that the problem is that
you are stuck in Morse code Defined box, anything outside must be
rejected. It is possible that am in a different box, but I can't admit
the possiblity. You don't seem to be able to even go that far. Indeed
that diference between i find conforting and disturbing. conforting in
that it means that frankly you hardly met my definifatioon intelgent
life, and so you could be dismissed if I have to. Disturbing in that
you and otthers like you are willing even eager to put your mode ahead
of the ARS of which it is a part

>
>> >amateur radio but I believe that it is a significant portion of amateur
>> >radio. I'm happy for you that you're enjoying morse free amateur radio
>>
>> Yes I'd say yeah all you good little code people be sure to
>> pie on the back of the bus, and don't ever claim
>
>Was that "pee on the back of the bus" or "pile on the back of the bus"?
>Either way, I didn't say it. You did.

You did not say in so many words you lack the courage of your
convictions Sir. It is sad that, but seems to be true.

>
>> >as you now have it. The no code license was instituted for guys like
>>
>> That is a dammed lie, since you lack the power to speak for
>> the FCC. It was not for me that it iwas was done. Nor does it fully
>> fully serve. and because I get something I am supposed to be grateful
>> that You people still to get preform your hazing rituals protected and
>> scantioned by the law of the land. Indeed Jim Crow was ceated to serve
>> the interests of One over another another, and clearly had the support
>> of the majority of some thing that is less clear than code
>
>Okay, Mark. Why was the no code technician license brought about?
>I really don't give a rat's ass if you are grateful or not.

It was instutted becuase the FCC belived it in the interest of the ARS
as a whole. It was not one for me. Gald to hear that you don't expect
gratitude

>
>> >you. Keep using words like "dumber requirements" and "ash heap of
>> >history" to sway folks toward sharing your thinking. As to working on
>> >eliminating morse testing, I don't believe that you, personally, have
>> >done anything toward changing things.
>>
>> Well I'd call you a lier but you did say it was YOUR opinion
>> and It may indeed be your opinion, But I know better
>
>You can call me a "lier" (psssst, it's "liar") and I'll call you

>semi-literate and a candidate for a "gimme". That's my opinion.

Semi literate ok. That does not make you right and me wrong.

It may be a bit zen but anytime somebody can't even consdier
the other view it is bad sign about the correctness of that view
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2725. Re: This is Nuts (XX towers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <372D7052.13FA@wt.net>
Source record: 144157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> I understand this guy is a professional and commercial towers are his
> business, that's well and good.
>
> However, his sideline business takes AMATEUR radio TOO DAMN FAR. FCC should
> act to prevent this sort of out of control lunacy.
>
> http://www.xxtowers.com

I looked at the site and I'm afraid I'm missing your point completely.
Where's the beef? or should I say, whats the beef? All I see is a
company that sells towers etc. Is this illegal? Why would the fcc be
concerned that this company sells towers? I don't get it.
MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

2726. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503072456.23259.00001588@ng-fg1.aol.com>
Source record: 144158

Damn, where is my can of "Troll" be gone?....

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

2727. Re: Zero-beating Kenwood 830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hanson Family <hansfam@midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <%2gX2.2878$Ny1.20636@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 144159

Incoming cw signal.

K5pf wrote in message <19990502220116.06854.00001529@ng-cq1.aol.com>...
>>Can someone e-mail me step-by-step directions on
>>how to zero-beat my 830S. Understand the concept,
>>need the how-to...
>
>Are you trying to align the radio, or read the frequency of another
station, or
>check the dial calibration?
>
>K5PF
>

2728. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gk4m3$7nh$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

Jim wrote in message <7gckrfngh1@brokaw.wa.com>...
>
>If you'd ever known Morse code, you'd still know Morse code. I didn't
>know they had HF privledges for the Tech ticket in 1981. What bands
>were you operating on back then ? Doin' a little bootleggin' are we ?

If you knew anything about HAM radio from back then, you'd remember
that the tech license was essentially a General without the voice. (A
WONDERFUL example of incentive licensing!) It included HF CW
privlidges on 80, 40, 15, and 10 back in 1981. Check the former
call, KA5MJQ.

Personally I operated some 40 but mostly 15. I probably did less
than 10 contacts on 80 in my life, and none on 10 till maybe 1987. In
fact, I don't think I was ever even ON 10 until I bought a RS 10M rig
and ran it SSB first, and jacked around CW a few times, but nothing
serious.

I used a Swan 500CX which I still have. I have the DC chopper
module for it (but only did a little bit of mobile work. Thing drew
40 amps when you tuned!) and the deluxe 117v AC supply with
speaker and a second 117v brick with the rubber mounting feet
for auto use with the chopper bolted to the end in place of the
cable with the Jones connector. I also have the 'semi-break in'
module which is just a VOX module turned to the limit, and the
seconday VFO. And contrary to what know-nothings say, the
Swan 500CX DOESN'T DRIFT! It's just that with a single VFO
if you adjust frequency for tones you end up walking up or down
the band. Once the rig warms up it's pretty darn stabile, and
one HELL of a lot more sensitive than my friends Kenwood
TS-820 was.

Most of my 15M work was loaded to the gutters on my apartment
building. I ran RG-58 though the wall where the cable came through,
then tied the center conductor to a screw I drilled to the down spout.
Then I 'pulled the pin' that held the thing into these 'comb hooks' and
put electrical tape around it, and put it back, effectively insulated.
I
drilled and put a small screw at the juction of the tubes to the roof.
It loaded ok, but incredible RFI.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

2729. Re: Looking For Operating Manual for Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Leo B." <leob@erols.com>
Message-ID: <372D9B53.3CE9@erols.com>
Source record: 144161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio

rick wrote:
>
> I am looking for a copy of an Operating Manual for Kenwood TS-830S .
> If anyone can help me you can E-MAIL Me @ address below.
>
> Thank You All,
>
> Rick Ramzy de K8RMR
>
> --
> E-MAIL @ kc8dmn@accinternet.com
> WEB PAGE @ www.accinternet.com/~kc8dmn

Try the following source.
73 - Leo - W3LEO

Vintage Manuals
http://www.sarrio.com/sarrio/rsman2.html

"...All US orders are shipped by airmail, the cost for shipping one
manual is $4.00. Each additional manual adds $1.00 to the cost of
shipping..."

Kenwood (OPR) TS-830-S Transceiver $18
Kenwood (Maint) TS-830-S Transceiver $22

2730. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gk5at$880$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

-----Original Message-----
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Subject: Re: Another nice thing about CW.

OK, Mr Carrol,

> Oh, I'll bet! Never had a model 80 VFO attached either,
>right? Doesn't even have the name Siltronics on the panel
>either, does it???

The Swan VFO is the 509. If you want proof, I'll take a photo
tonight and post.

>In fact, it has NEVER seen anything but a straight key.
>> Period. In the entire time I've owned it since 1981. (I even have
>> a mobile chopper for it.) One of these days I'll get that fire back
>> to operate CW again. But I'll do it because I WANT to, not because
>> I have to.
>
> A "mobile chopper", huh? Tell us, whats the purpose of that
>thingy, huh? Would you happen to know the REAL term for it,
>note just the CB/Freebie term?
>
> You are hereby exposed as just one more CB/Freebander troll
>cruising RRAP. Every indication shows it clearly, to anyone
>who has been paying attention.
>
>Don't bother playing again.

Boy are you a small minded no-nothing!! For YOUR information
the mobile DC-Chopper was a small module that 'chopped' the DC
to apply to the Swan 117CX power supply module so that the
chopped DC would work through the transformer. The Swan power
supplies came in two versions, the 117CX (which was a 117v AC
transformer) and a 220 volt verison (I forget the number). To work
mobile, the 'chopper module' was bolted to the end of the power
supply 'brick'. Normally the AC power cord had a 'jones' plug on
the end. Do you even KNOW what a 'jones plug' is? The chopper
module bolted on and mated to the jones plug, and fed the chopped
12v DC to a low voltage winding on the transformer, allowing the rig
to operate DC, but it did draw just over 40 amps when you put the rig
into tune mode.

YOU don't know squat about HAM radio, or at least about the older
rigs. So take your spouting, Mr Carrol, and YOU go back to CB,

or the appliance operator HAM areas. You'll fit right in at 14.313,
or at 27.185.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ (formerly KA5MJQ)

2731. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7gk77l$k4d@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144163

In <19990502202745.16539.00001446@ng-ci1.aol.com> kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO) writes:
>
>> R. Hollingsworth W4ZDH, checked in (LIVE) to the Saturday Evening
>>> National Liberty Net on 3.950 Mhz LSB. Prior to the 10:00 (EST) Net startup
>
>Funny - how can he check -in prior to the 10:00pm start time. What really
>happened was he gave his call and said that he would be monitoring the net.
>That's it, nothing else, and qso'd with no one. Spin it fellas.
>
>
The Minister of Propaganda has been heard from. Your absence was noted after Hollingsworth showed up. Pray tell us why of Master of Spin. BTW when were you made net control to set the starting time for the net? What a zero.

2732. Re: ALA Big Ride Communicators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Anderson <ke7a@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gkbol$41$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144164

BD,

Volunteers will be provided Breakfast, dinner and shower facilities each day, the same as the riders. The ride sets up campsites each night. All volunteers and riders must provide their own camping gear, usually one or two man tents. Equipment will be transported in trucks provided by the ride. Transportation for volunteers will be provided each day. Ham volunteers will ride in sweep vehicles patrolling the ride route, providing point to point communications.

I encourage you to explore the http://www.bigride.com web site. It has answers to the most frequently asked question.

I hope you and your ham friends can join us

Dick / KE7A

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2733. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372da3de.3963733@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144165
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 21:12:57 -0700, "Timothy Hynde"
<ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>
>Sir wrote in message <3728F9EC.6BAF@sir.com>...
>>> > In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
>>> > want to".
>>
>>Better yet, "I shouldn't have to take the time to learn something I will
>>never use."
>
>
>Your right, I shouldn't have had to answer questions about RTTY, Packet,
>SSTV, VHF, UHF, Voice modes, modulation techniques, questions about 20m,
>15m, 10m, questions about EME or any of these things since all I wanted to
>do was operate my homebrew 40m cw rig on 7040KHz.

But you did have to answer those questions at least not of of
them. It lie to say you did. You could have choosen to skip that stuff
and then pass everything else I think or if not all of that then most
of that list can avoided if wish or if you needed to. You don't have
to score 100% on the written 70 will do even a little les if i recall
how the rounding is done on that

>
>Why was I subjected to this unessesary testing, I have no intentions of
>doing any of those things, It just wasn't fair that I had to answer
>questions on things I'm never going to use. Sheeesh....

The resaon you were asked and really opught to learn a little
about them, Like should enough about CW reconzie it when I hear it is
that you have to share the bands with these modes and knwoing a little
about them is needed to do that. But I don't need to know how to read
a CW to know if I am interfering with it or things about it's
bandwidth etc.
>
>Tim ka8ddz
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2734. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372da4f7.4245076@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 09:24:52 -0400, "Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com>
wrote:

>Why can't you get it through your head the difference between
>forced to learn and tested on knowledge and being forced
>to learn a skill.

And never let them forget you can miss some of the knowledge
or pick and choose around a lot of whatever you don't like but there
is no way around code, and that is they way they want it
>
>Opps, sorry, do you think the skill is more important than the
>knowledge?

Mike you have hit it on the head they do think it more
important some of them even think it is more important than things the
Constitution
>
>Mike Yetsko
>
>
>Dave Heil wrote in message <37293597.677C@cats-net.com>...
>>Sir wrote:
>>>
>>> > > In other words, "I shouldn't have to just because I don't
>>> > > want to".
>>>
>>> Better yet, "I shouldn't have to take the time to learn something I
>will
>>> never use."
>>>
>>> Let's force everyone to learn how to play the harp before they are
>>> allowed to drive a car. Those who do not like harp music we will
>call
>>> lazy.
>>
>>
>>Let's force everyone to learn math skills before graduating from high
>>schools. Those who do not like math, we will call "dropouts".
>>
>>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>>--
>>For 5H3US photos, go to
>>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

>
>
>

Mark Morgan
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2735. Revive Expired License ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Rodgers <brodg1@ix.nospam.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7gk8v0$b39@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144167

I got my tech license about 12(?) years ago. I believe it had to be renewed after 5 years which I did not do. I don't mind re-learning all the information including the code (it was quite a different nut to crack...kind of fun). If I became proficient again and took the relevant tests, could I get my old callsign (N8JJK) back? I now live in Colorado, not Ohio.
Thanks, Bill

2736. FS: FT-736R w/6M and 1.2GHz ++MINT++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Magill <magill@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7gk9rn$oet@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.swap

**** PRICE REDUCED ****
I have a virtually new FT-736R with both 6M and 1.2GHz modules installed.
Orignial owner, purchased about a year ago, one of the last. Absolute mint
condition and perfect operating condition -- used little. Also has FM CTCSS
module installed. To be sold only as complete unit as listed -- the ultimate
in VHF/UHF/satt radios. Serious buyers only please! Asking $1800 FIRM
(original
discounted retail more than $3000) and has both the owner and service
manuals. - dont want to sell, there will never be another VHF/UHF box like
the 736R but cannot keep the investment waiting for Phase 3D.
Expanding shack in other areas. Free 16 element 1.2 GHz yagi (commercial)
with
purchase!! ($100 original cost). Have original 736 box and packing for
shipment!!! --- SHIPMENT COST INCLUDED!!!
Contact Bob / N6MTU / email: magill@ix.netcom.com --- will call and discuss
with serious buyers.

2737. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net>
Message-ID: <372DAA41.9B35E4ED@mlecmn.net>
Source record: 144169
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi Mark,

Forgive me if you've already tried this route, but it *is* possible for the volunteer examiner team to administer adaptive code tests for people with disabilities. I'm not sure if there are hard and fast guidelines for how "adaptive" the test can be. I believe that the examiners at the Handi-Ham radio camp in Malibu this winter sent the letters one at a time, allowing a certain number of seconds for the examinee to provide a response. (I was on the VE team but didn't take part in the code exams.) If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or fifteen seconds, and the exam was passed successfully with 25 consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid copy if the exam had been given at 5 wpm.

We will be providing classroom code instruction and VE testing at the Minnesota Handi-Ham camp this August. If you have a chance to attend, it can be a really great experience. Details are available on the Handi-Ham page at http://www.mtn.org/handiham/
--
Lyle, K0LR

http://www.computerpro.com/~lyle

2738. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7gkan3dmk1@208.207.71.148>
Source record: 144170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BD wrote:
>
> I think that he was obviously assuming that you would realize he wasn't
> refering to ALL handicaps.. You *can* get a waiver (directly from your doc
> or with a note from your doc. not sure which..) to avoid having to know ANY
> code if you're physically unable to dit-dot for whatever reason(s).

Sorry, that's incorrect. One MUST pass 5wpm to recieve ANY
HF license as the international regulations (the ITU treaty)
now stand. The code 'waivers' only apply to speeds above
5wpm.

2739. Re: Help Starting Radio Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gke9f$2dp$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144171

In article <372cb927.105587415@news.mindspring.com>,
bassman2@mindspring.com wrote:
> Hi,
> Don't know if this is the right place to look but I'm just starting
> to gather my information and this is an unknown topic to me.Can anyone
> give me any information on what all is involved in setting up and
> running a legal am/fm station.We're wanting to start a Christian
> station,nothing major just a mom and pop type place and want to know
> what all is invovled.
>
> Thanks,
>
> David
>
David,

Go to FCC webpage..... www.fcc.gov and look up low power broadcasting.
The FCC is proposing a new low power broadcast service. This may be what
you are looking for. Good luck.

Dan/W4NTI

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2740. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372dac90.6190188@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 03 May 1999 08:53:05 -0500, Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net>
wrote:

>Hi Mark,
>
>Forgive me if you've already tried this route, but it *is* possible for
>the volunteer examiner team to administer adaptive code tests for people

It is possible and I have tried to dicuss with the nearer VE's
my doctor has also tried. while a VE here and there is willing to
discus the idea geting a VE recepptive to the all rediculous level of
accomation needed is very hard to manage when you simply don't look
disabled. I can walk through the door and you will not see a thing
wrong with me. It is a proble, a common for those that suffer from
dyslexia, aphasia ADD and other pychomotor skil problems, which rae
some of the least understood disablities. The fact they are treated by
PHD typemostly with the wiaver system based on MD only does not help
matters at all.

>with disabilities. I'm not sure if there are hard and fast guidelines
>for how "adaptive" the test can be. I believe that the examiners at the

indeed the lack of really good guidelines is one of the
problems I expect if I threw enough of a fit I mange to the sort of
accomdation that ADA would mandate, Indeed the ADA mandates would in
my case make a complete farce of the idea of Code testing, since they
rpovide for allowing the full use of the adaptive tech of one's
choice. In my case it could be argued the machine I am using right
now. Indeed were I ever to USE Code it would whople machine based

>Handi-Ham radio camp in Malibu this winter sent the letters one at a
>time, allowing a certain number of seconds for the examinee to provide a
>response. (I was on the VE team but didn't take part in the code exams.)
>If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or
>fifteen seconds, and the exam was passed successfully with 25
>consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid copy if
>the exam had been given at 5 wpm.
>
>We will be providing classroom code instruction and VE testing at the
>Minnesota Handi-Ham camp this August. If you have a chance to attend, it
>can be a really great experience. Details are available on the Handi-Ham
>page at http://www.mtn.org/handiham/
>--
>Lyle, K0LR
>

>http://www.computerpro.com/~lyle
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2741. Re: ALA Big Ride Communicators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Anderson <ke7a@gte.net>
Message-ID: <372DAFB6.BE91DF24@gte.net>
Source record: 144173

BD,

Volunteers will be provided Breakfast, dinner and shower facilities each day, the same as the riders. The ride sets up campsites each night. All volunteers and riders must provide their own camping gear, usually one or two man tents. Equipment will be transported in trucks provided by the ride. Transportation for volunteers will be provided each day. Ham volunteers will ride in sweep vehicles patrolling the ride route, providing point to point communications.

I encourage you to explore the http://www.bigride.com web site. It has answers to the most frequently asked question.

I hope you and your ham friends can join us

Dick / KE7A

BD wrote:

> Do the volunteers have to pay for their own food/quarters, and will they
> have to provide own transportation during the event?
> Thanks. Sounds interesting.
>
> <ke7a@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
> news:7gi059$4aj$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> > The American Lung Association's Big Ride Across America has a need for 8
> > Ham Radio Operators to volunteer as communicators . The ride leaves
> > Seattle, Washington on June 14, 1999 and concludes 3500 miles later in
> > Washington, D. C. on July 31, 1999. Over 200 bicyclists are expected to
> > participate. Detailed information about the ride can be found on the web
> > at http://www.bigride.com
> >
> > The volunteer ham communicators will ride in sweep vehicles, be
> > stationed at the midday rest stop and in the base camps. Volunteer
> > positions are available for two, four and six weeks. The two week
> > segments are, Seattle to Missoula, Montana, Missoula to Rapid City,
> > S.D., Rapid City to Madison, Wisconsin, Madison to Washington, D.C.
> > Mobile equipment will be provided.
> >
> > Having supported the ride last year, I can tell you it is an experience
> > to last a lifetime. If you are someone you know is interested in
> > information about volunteering please send an email. Non ham radio
> > volunteer crew members are also needed, so this could be a great summer
> > vacation for you and your spouse. Cycling experience not required.
> >
> > 73's Dick / KE7A

> > Southlake, Texas
> >
> > -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2742. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: bit.bucket@zoom.to
Message-ID: <19990503023721350062@ppp1-25.winz.co.nz>
Source record: 144212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

D Strack <d_strack@tds.net> wrote:

> Having been in RF both professionally and recreationally for more than a
> couple decades, I honestly feel that if you purchase say an AOR 7030+, JRC
> 545, or Drake R8B, the only way to tell a significant difference between
> their performance and for instance the WJ, would be with $30,000 worth of
> test equipment. You'll never hear it in practice.
>
> If you REALLY want the best possible performance, get one of the above
> "consumer" radios and invest the difference in cost in an antenna "farm".
> MUCH bigger bang for the buck and you'll have performance second to none.

Exactly.

You'll hear more on an FRG-7 from a RFI-quiet location with a decent
antenna, than you will with a WJ in amongst the powerlines, TV's and
computers of a city.

Andy Gardner
http://radiodx.com

2743. FS Kenwood TS-440S-AT "MINT CONDITION" +Filters +PowerSupply +Speaker - For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: cosmic@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <372f6237.1748749@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 144213

FS Kenwood TS-440S-AT "MINT CONDITION" +Filters +PowerSupply +Speaker

Kenwood TS-440S-AT
+PowerSupply
+Speaker
+ 2 Filters

~ Mint Condition
~ Single Owner
~ Low Use

Package includes the following:

TS-440S-AT - With Built-In Antenna Tuner
PS-50 - Kenwood Power Supply
SP-430 - Kenwood Matching Speaker
YK-88SN - Kenwood 1.8KHZ SSB Filter
YK-88C - Kenwood 500 HRZ CW Filter
SM-TS-440S - Kenwood Service Manual
OM-TS-440S - Kenwood Operating Manual
Receipts - All HRO original purchase receipts encluded.

This rig is in factory new condition. It
is complete as listed above and includes
all original Kenwood equipment boxes.
Soon after the purchase of the above rig,
It was replaced with a Kenwood TS-950D
resulting in very low usage.

If you are seriously interested in purchasing
a top quality rig, this is it. $850 + shipping

Email to: rf@atomicpage.com
Subject: Kenwood TS-440S-AT

Dick Fults - K6SX
1211 Maple Street
San Mateo, CA 94402

650-372-0716

73's

2744. Amateur Transceiver - TS120V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <372ccec2@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 144214
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,nz.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for an HF transceiver to use as a beacon transmitter.

A Kenwood TS-120V would be ideal, but I don't want to spend
much. It needs to operate on 20m and 10W out would be fine.

Make me an offer I can't refuse! I am in New Zealand.

Mail me at as149@detroit.freenet.org

Murray ZL1BPU
http://www.qsl.net/zl1bpu

2745. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990502202745.16539.00001446@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 144215

> R. Hollingsworth W4ZDH, checked in (LIVE) to the Saturday Evening
>> National Liberty Net on 3.950 Mhz LSB. Prior to the 10:00 (EST) Net startup

Funny - how can he check -in prior to the 10:00pm start time. What really happened was he gave his call and said that he would be monitoring the net. That's it, nothing else, and qso'd with no one. Spin it fellas.

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

2746. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990502212630.20733.00001314@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 144216

Maybe Riley wanted to know when the revolution is going to start? I've been asking that for some time. I mean are you anti-government dudes going to do something tangible enough to be rewarded by a bullet from the muzzle of an FBI revolver or are you simply going to bitch and moan and gripe and accuse like old backfence-blabbing hags?I'm saying that Riley PUTS UP with you because the Constitution says so. But liking you is like liking sheep dip. AF2Y
a.k.a.radiosigs@aol.com

2747. WA2EXQ's complaints

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990502213256.20733.00001315@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 144217

Hey Lloyd the toid....instead of worrying about OTK, I suggest the following for you:
(1) buy some bananas
(2)pray for your Schweinund master,KV4FZ who soon will hear that the BIG court in D.C.upholds the FCC's decision not to renew and Schoenbohm will begin the Herbie Shortwave Listeners Club.
AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2748. Re: Zero-beating Kenwood 830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990502220116.06854.00001529@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 144218

>Can someone e-mail me step-by-step directions on
>how to zero-beat my 830S. Understand the concept,
>need the how-to...

Are you trying to align the radio, or read the frequency of another station, or check the dial calibration?

K5PF

2749. Re: Pioneering EE Patents: Negative Feedback Amplification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Victor Birke <nonlinear@home.com>
Message-ID: <372D048E.F3D812EF@home.com>
Source record: 144219
Cross-posted to:
sci.physics.electromag,sci.nonlinear,alt.radio.amateur.club.taparc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,alt.cellular.nokia

Harry H Conover wrote:
<<snippings>>

>
> p.s. Consider the (unforgetable what's_his_name's) paper and patent
> on the operational amplifier. (I am tempted to give the
> op amp credit to George Philbrick, who did more than
> anyone in the of promoting knowledge and acceptance of
> this new technology, but if memory serves me correctly, he
> wasn't the concept's originator.)
>
**********Dear Harry

Was it not Armstrong? With the two twin vacumm tubes if I remember.
Wow am I dating myself also??!!

Paul

2750. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d0a14.164057002@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 02 May 1999 06:59:37 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>I'm happy to see that you've cleaned up the mistake-filled,
>incomprehensible signature line, Mark. This new mistake-filled version
>is much easier to understand.

gee you could nto understand the old one saying basicly stay
on the net and out of My email box? Gee I wish you ProCoders would
answer the question of just how it is you manage to understand thruogh
staitc stuff with occaional mistakes, in real time, but can't mange at
leasure on the net
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2751. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d0ab1.164213975@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 1 May 1999 12:04:30 -0400, "Carl R. Stevenson"
<wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:

>-
>
>Dave,
>
>I realize that, due to your employment, you are living overseas.
>Have you ever driven in New Jersey? (recently?) I live in eastern

Indeed I have been ticked in Chicago myself for NOT speeding
and thereby being a hazard to traffic by traveling at the what was the
posted speed limit 55MPH

>PA and have to visit some of my employer's facilities in New Jersey
>on occasion. I can assure you that, at least on NJ expressways, if
>you don't "keep up with the flow" you're in real danger of being
>rear-ended and present a hazard to both yourself and others.
>
>IMHO, from my personal experince there, Bill's statement implies
>that he lacks a death wish :-) (... as well as having the sense to
>realize that "Laws which have no basis in reality breed contempt
>for those laws.")
>
>- --
>Carl - wa6vse
>wa6vse@fast.net
>http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
>NCI #1052
>Join No Code International!
>Hams for the 21st century.
>Support the modernization of ham radio and help
>to assure its survival into the 21st century!
>http://www.nocode.org
>
>-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
>Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3
>
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Mark Morgan
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2752. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372d0b1f.164323513@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 01 May 1999 08:12:40 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>

>> Are you really that dumb Dave? Do you really think that your
>> stupid code requirement is going to last more than a few more years?
>> Wake up and smell the coffee (or tea if you prefer).
>
>I'm having coffee right now, Mark. To be called dumb by you is to be

May I sugest strongly coffeeor perhaps taking off your
blinders. The Code requirement is in full retreat, had been for years.

>called fat by a 500 lb. sow. Yes, I believe the morse testing
>requirement is going to around. The fact that you refer to it as the
>"stupid" requirement demonstrates where your mind is. I don't think

That you can refer to as anything other than stupid shows why
Ham radio is in trouble. The fact that ProCoders can equate lack of
Code skil witnh dumb and with stupid is a good sign of the divorce
from reality that you suffer

>you'll be getting an HF freebie any time soon.

Soon maybe not. but freebie is simply false I have already
apid for it with five years of my life in my teens
>
>
>> Or is it that you think dispite the fact according to hams
>> themselves 73% percent of them choose to say that CW is rarely or
>> never used by them, that CW is the Be all and end all of fun in Ham
>> radio? If you really think so, then I suspect you demented. I ahve a
>> good time without Morse Code in ham radio. yeah I'd have an even
>> better time if the dumber requirements in the ARS were consigend to
>> the ash heap of history, but I and others are working on that
>
>Yes, I dispute the survey. I believe it was badly flawed. I do not
>believe that CW is the "be all and end all" or that it is all the fun in

If it is is not the BE all and end all of Ham radio then its
psotiton in the requirements is simply unlawfull and will not stand.
The FCC seems to have an awareness and to be acting on it along with a
desire to temper the speed of Change so as not to depopualte the HF
Bands by giving the real Old timers amoug the ProCoders heart failure.

Indeed I think that you are the Only one on here who does not admitt
to beiliveing that Code testing is dead sooner or later

>amateur radio but I believe that it is a significant portion of amateur
>radio. I'm happy for you that you're enjoying morse free amateur radio

Yes I'd say yeah all you good little code people be sure to
pie on the back of the bus, and don't ever claim

>as you now have it. The no code license was instituted for guys like

That is a dammed lie, since you lack the power to speak for
the FCC. It was not for me that it iwas was done. Nor does it fully
fully serve. and because I get something I am supposed to be grateful
that You people still to get preform your hazing rituals protected and
scantioned by the law of the land. Indeed Jim Crow was ceated to serve
the interests of One over another another, and clearly had the support
of the majority of some thing that is less clear than code
>you. Keep using words like "dumber requirements" and "ash heap of
>history" to sway folks toward sharing your thinking. As to working on
>eliminating morse testing, I don't believe that you, personally, have
>done anything toward changing things.

Well I'd call you a lier but you did say it was YOUR opinion
and It may indeed be your opinion, But I know better
>
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

Mark Morgan
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2753. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-03 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <372d0d9d.1629292@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 144223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>
> Strangely the same "leaders" who believe that we who try to
>follow the law should all turn in our firearms, have no
>compunction whatever about bombing in the Balkans. They
>actually thought that a little "threat" would cow the bad
>guys, and they could pull it off with a macho show. Same
>sort of thinking as when they seem to think that passing a
>law against owning guns will move the crooks to hand them
>in. Yeah. Right.
>
>73, Dick

look at Colorado.
Call 911 or call Smith & Wesson? Call the former and wait to die [3-4 hours before help gets to you]. Have Colt or S&W with you and you and your family have a chance to live until the police decide it is safe to help you.

2754. ### HAMBAND TRADER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373060a3.25588457@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143824
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
amateiur radio equipment. This site will grow if needed as
activity requires. Read the Advert Information" page and the
"Policy" page for informationon submiting and changing an
advert.

The curent departments are...
HF and Accessories
VHF/UHF and Accessories
Handhelds and Accessories
Antennas, Towers and Cable
Station Supplies & Accessories
Other Stuff (computers, packet and such)
Hamfest Venders (semi-commercial)

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

2755. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373160aa.25595083@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143825
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
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O'Hearte Desktop Services
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Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

2756. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com
Message-ID: <7gno57$1b4i$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com>
Source record: 143826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7gn8uh$t8q$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com> writes:
|> ...
|> Personally, I have never had a problem with the no-code
|> license, or the elimination of the CW requirements from the
|> ham exams. What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
|> is the all-to-prevelant attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
|> and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license
|> with no effort on their part.

Personally, I have never had a problem with people wanting to
use code because they like it or because of certain advantages in
some situations. What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
is the all too prevelant attitude that CW operators are better than
non-CW operators, even when working voice,
and that some folks feel they "deserve" extra priviliges because
they have a skill that is largely irrelevant to ability to use
HF frequencies and serve the public interest well.

|>
|> Regards
|>
|> Peter, K1ZJH
|> "The Radio Connection" Popular Communications Magazine
|>
|> Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
|> >
|> >
|> > As I see it, it comes down to this...
|> >
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|> >
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|> >rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
|> >"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogetherLIVES !-------------

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2757. Operation Barbarossa "Donkeyboy"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504175658.03557.00002302@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143827

The reason why "Donkeyboy" Nate refers to criticim as something used by a "Trotskyite Jew" is because, being an anti-Semite and a 3.950 lover, he's mad as hell over the way the Soviet armed forces kicked German ass as a result of Hitler's ordered invasion on 6/22/41. Do you realize that 8 out of every 10 German soldiers killed in W.W2 were done in by Russian forces. I mean who can deny that many communists were Jews but then again, after living under the brutal anti-Semitic Russian Kings, Queens and Czars, who could blame them for looking for a way out of repression.? Lenin promised but after a while reneged and they met with the same treatment under the nasty commies as they did previously. However let's remember that the USA fully supported the Soviet Union during Hitler's era and with our weaponry and Soviet determination and love of Motherland,the Nazis were slaughtered like the pigs they were. Maybe "Donkeyboy's" a German who lost a ":brave" uncle fighting on the Eastern Front? Or maybe he lost family in the maelstrom of conventional and incendiary bombings over Germany. Lots of Germans were destroyed in those fires but then again, why not?. Germany loved fires, especially in the crematoria of their extermination camps which Ernst Zundl and other liars deny. Okay "Donkeyboy," if making anti-Semitic slurs gratifies you, go right ahead but don't expect Jesus to forgive you. Being a Jew, maybe in your case, he's got a score to settle? AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2758. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <2dKX2.231$3y3.415275@news.abs.net>
Source record: 143828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave Heil wrote in message <372F5A24.6BBD@cats-net.com>...

>What you have described was motivated by economics more than politics.
>Oil wasn't miraculously discovered but the cartel controlling fell to

Sarcasm is remarkably hard to convey via keyboard. I should have put miraculously in quotes.

>But if it is illegal to drive at 70 mph, you'd still do that because the
>road was engineered for that speed?

Oh, absolutely. And, that's why I made sure I got a car with cruise control. That's exactly my point. If the natural speed of a road is higher than the artificial speed limit, one must make a concerted effort to stay within the limit. If I am driving locally, keeping to the limit is relatively easy, but if I drive long distances, part of me goes into automatic and I drive to what feels comfortable on that particular road. Fortunately, most of the highways I travel have reinstated a limit closer to the natural speed, so the cruise control is mostly to give my ankle a rest.

>Why was a third party study needed? There certainly were studies
>indicating that 55 mph was safer than 70 mph. Common sense would
>indicate it even without a study. Safety was a selling point. The real
>issue was conserving oil.

Because a study needs to be done by someone who has no vested interest in the speed limit in either way. Because I have read studies that show no real increase in accidents (except immediately after a changeover when people were getting used to the speed change). Because statistics can be manipulated by anyone to convey whatever their particular point of view wants.

>Now there is a cheap oil glut. People find arriving sooner at their
>destination more important than conserving fuel or being safe. The
>people and the politicians have short memories. We're burning oil like
>there's no tomorrow.

Here, I'll agree with you. We have deliberately not gotten my husband a new car because his current one (a Pontiac Lemans with 250,000 miles on it) gets 40 miles to the gallon and he commutes 100 miles a day. We used to have a Sprint which got 50 miles per gallon. Overall, I think that cars are getting higher mileage than they used to which is a help. But, until the government decides to work on a really good transit alternative, there's not a lot that people can do about gas usage.

2759. Re: More Lies From Dr. Hate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <372F6F99.ACAF30C4@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143829

You know something, DonkyBrain--
This isn't my fight but that last clot of filth
you just vomited all over the newgroup chaps my butt.
So I'm going to fire a shot here.

I'm no friend of Doc- I think he's a bigot in his own right.
But the biggest pile of dung I see fouling this group
is coming from *your* sorry mouth.
It doesn't take a brain to sit there spouting
foul language and jew-baiting. You've proven that.
Any rodent can puke out some hate-jews trash.

How about taking him on for what he does, not what he was born.
If you have a case of the red-ass against him, how about
spelling it out in the sunlight, you sneeking little worm?
Get a backbone and stop sniping from the shadows.

I've taken Doc and Rich to task and they haven't
written nasty letters or made calls to anyone.
I think that's all in that rotting sludge
between your ears that passes for your mind.

Dave Stinson AB5S

2760. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1FB8B7r.73o@netcom.com>
Source record: 143830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <372F5D2E.61D3@cats-net.com>, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com> wrote:
>charles copeland wrote:
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>> In article <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>,
>> William Lee <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
>>>Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to become
>>>a HAM if it is:
>>>1. Impossable for you to learn code.
>>>2. Too expensive to get a CW waver.
>>>3. Too much greif and insults from other hams.
>>>4. Full of other people who are Fuddy Duddy's.
>>>
>>>Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
>>>Or do you think it would all change if someone would just GIVE you a license.
>> >William Lee N5WRX
>>
>> I wasted my time learning CW and getting a general lisense. HF is
>> overwhelming used by fuddy-duddies who use it to talked about health
>> problems. Or re-re-re-hash tales of WWII. What a bore.
>
>We could certainly use more sharp fellows like you, Charles. What do
>you like to discuss--computer games? music videos? navel piercings?
>How do you propose we limit the content of conversations? You must have
>several proposals for accomplishing that.

Trouble the old hams ran out of things to talk about 20 years ago.
New blood is needed badly.

>> The fellow is smart to stay away till the CW requirement is dropped.
>> Yes, things will change when HF priviledges are GIVEN away, thank god.
>
>By the way, you'll have to suffer a few decades of my crowd re-hashing
>Vietnam War tales and we've only begun our future of health problems.
>Hope you can hang on for the fun to begin.
>Dave Heil 5H3US, K8MN

Once the CW requirement is dropped, you old hams will have to
fight for bandwidth to discuss bowel problems. Won't be long ...

2761. The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Mark Nadel" <hmnadel@banet.net>
Message-ID: <372F7387.C308E8A8@banet.net>
Source record: 143831

I guess it is time to stop watching David Letterman and start tuning in to Jay Leno. Dave, where did you and your staff learn how to treat invited guests?

Check out http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo to see how Dave treated members of the amateur radio community.
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"

2762. Re: Operation Barbarossa "Donkeyboy"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504182551.13854.00000525@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 143832

>However let's remember that the USA fully supported the Soviet
>Union during Hitler's era and with our weaponry and Soviet determination and
>love of Motherland,the Nazis were slaughtered like the pigs they were.

Yes, and we could kick some nazi butt again if need be.

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

2763. The 3.950 disorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504183217.00118.00002087@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143833

Gentlemen;
If you're over 50, it's time to see your urologist if you suffer
from split Strom.

Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2764. Re: Power of the TinyTenna!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504183404.13854.00000532@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 143834

>from: richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten)

>You ought to put the clip on your tiny weeeee-ny!

Are you saying, nah, you don't mean -- that The Power of teeny tenna works like viagra do you?. the Power of a teeny tenna. Wonder if it can grow hair too?

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2765. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Hitchner <hitchner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7gnsn6gtt1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Trent made quite a few good points.

I hear quite a few ham operators talking about the hobby dying. I was recently at an ARRL meeting where this was dicussed then in the next breath it was commented on what *type* of people would be allowed in if the code requirement was lowered. This is the kind of attitude that is driving people away.

I have no doubt that I could pass all the technical test and I am now working on my code. The thing is I have no real desire to do code but I am doing so simply to upgrade my license for the other priviledges.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
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ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

CommQuart wrote in message <7gn9ir$35r$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>Athough I don't fully agree with Trent's stance in total,
>my hat is off to him for giving honest and well reasoned
>responses to the issues on hand. My feeling is Trent is
>a chap open to both sides of the issue, and I would be
>willing to hear his side of the story.
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>Peter
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>William Lee wrote in message <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>...
>>Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to
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>>a HAM if it is:
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>>Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
>>Or do you think it would all change if someone would just GIVE you a
>>license.
>>
>>William Lee N5WRX
>>Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...

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>>> As I see it, it comes down to this...
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>>> While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
>>>like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is,
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>>>far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side
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>>>the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is
>>>stuck in the 50's.
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>>> The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors
>>>of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into
>>>Ham Radio.
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>>> First of all, anyone who has a problem with the code, or would
>>>rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
>>>"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogether. I guess having
dyslexia
>>>makes me lazy. In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
>>>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.
>>>
>>> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
>>>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because
>I
>>>am a no-code tech.
>>>
>>> Gee, with all of this going on, you wonder why more kids are not
>>>getting into Ham Radio ? Unless you fit into some kind of cookie-cutter
>>>definition of "RealHam (TM)", you get dumped on coming or going.
>>>
>>> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time. It's
>>>rewards, while at times a bit more modest, tends to come at a much more
>>>reasonable price.
>>>
>>> There was a time when SWL's where the best group for Hams to recruit
>>>out of, but that time has come and gone. Ham radio now needs to ask why
so
>>>many SWL's are voting with their feet.
>>>
>>> The civil war in Ham Radio is only acting to turn many people away.
>>>I for one do not look for strife, insults, abuse, judgment and childish
>>>behavior in a hobby, I look for fun. Myself and others are willing to put
>>>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
>>>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.
>>>
>>> Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could

>>>easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it to enter a
>>>hobby where anyone who dares disagree with "RealHams (TM)" is lazy, a
>>>crybaby, a spoiled cyberkid, etc. ?
>>>
>>> Ham Radio has only one place to look for the source of it's
>>>problems. It's called a mirror. People are voting with their feet, my
>>>friends. I am the last person in the world that wants to see Ham Radio
>die,
>>>but the choice is not mine-
>>>
>>> It's all up to the hobby.
>>>
>>> When AM came along, many where opposed.
>>>
>>> When SuperHet. receivers came along, many where opposed.
>>>
>>> When SSB came along, many fought it.
>>>
>>> Change is always coming, why fight it ?
>>>
>>> The issue is bigger than CW. The real issue is what kind of hobby
>>>Ham Radio has become, or rather, what it has degenerated into. While
>SWLing
>>>has it's share of silly moments, it has not degenerated into the sort of
>>>malicious, snotty behavior that now appears (from the outside at least)
to
>>>be slowly permeating Ham radio.
>>>
>>> Perhaps it's because SWL's listen ?
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>>>--
>>>"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
>>> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
>>> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
>>>----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------
>>
>>
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>

2766. Re: Porkbutt's Tiny Weeeee-ny

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504183552.03548.00002141@ng34.aol.com>
Source record: 143836

I guess Nate's mom is callec Nadine, we learned something new.

2767. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7go0ci$66t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143837

In article <7glis9$bgd@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> > ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:
>
> >> Well, in the old days, hams used wavelength instead of frequency
> >> to describe their bands. When you list the bands in wavelength order
> >> from largest to smallest, 160m is on top.
>
> >Gary, when you list the entire list of numbers, from the largest number to
the
> >smallest number, which number is at the top, and why would you list it first?
>
> Note that Gary prefaced his comment with "hams." That pretty much limits
> the wavelengths he's referring to, Brian.
>
> If you look on the "slide rule" dial of any older ham-band receiver,
> you'll see the 160 meter band scale above all the other bands. Thus, on
> any of those receivers, 160 was the top band. The lingo remains even
> to this day.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O
>
Jeff, that is a much better explanation that the other one. There is a lot of
that type of thinking in mapping also. North is up or top. Greenland is huge
(on a mercator projection), etc.

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2768. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rkunert@facstaff.wisc.edu
Message-ID: <rkunert-0405991805360001@t-58-209-191.dialup.wisc.edu>
Source record: 143838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>,
jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent Phillips) wrote:

> As I see it, it comes down to this...

I've hesitated to get into this, but...

I got my novice when I was eleven, extra at 14 (25 years ago, which I guess makes me one of the "old farts" :). The code wasn't a big deal for me, but that's me - people have different skills, not necessarily better, just different.

I don't have any problem with eliminating the code requirement from a "we had to go through it so you do too" elitist attitude. For me it's more basic; one of the reasons ham radio exists is for emergency preparedness. I believe in an emergency situation I could hack together some sort of CW transmitter out of practically any electronic components that were on hand; tubes, transistors, TTL logic gates, whatever; it doesn't take much just to produce a carrier. I probably couldn't hack together an FM or SSB transmitter, even AM might be a stretch depending on what parts were available. I'd *like* to think that there'd be someone out there who would be able to decipher my transmission.

(In fact, that sounds like kind of a fun contest - give each contestant a random assortment of parts or some random piece of consumer gear, say a boombox, and see who can get a readable signal out of it.)

I'm not a Y2K survivalist, I don't get uptight over nuclear proliferation any more than anyone else does, I'm not expecting the world to end any time soon. Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in the community.

K9DK

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Richard Kunert (rkunert@facstaff.wisc.edu)

2769. FS: Encoder / Decoder Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504191438.16926.00002397@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 143839

These three items are New and never used. Bought in Oct 98

1) Communication Specialist TE-32 Tone CTCSS encoder box
2) NorComm NC-401 DTMF Decoder
3) Pipo PP-2-16 Keypad - Touch tone encoder.

All three - one price $110.00 for all + shipping
Not separating
Thanks
Fran

2770. FS: 4 used Power Supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504191819.16926.00002401@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 143840

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Pyramid 14 amp PS $30
Pyramid 21amp PS $65
Pyramid 35amp PS $100
Astron 70 amp PS $195
Thanks
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2771. Sound Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G. G. Higgs" <n5xed@flash.net>
Message-ID: <ahLX2.619$161.1123@news.flash.net>
Source record: 143841

Hi all,

Looking for a computer program that will allow me to inpute a tone frequency, say 700 Hz , and a duration for up to three tones and play it back.....be useful in making up some custom courtesy tones for my repeater.....if someone can point me in the right direction or has such a program....please let me know....thx.....73

G. G. Higgs
n5xed@flash.net

2772. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504193234.16142.00002235@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 143842

Because YOU can't/won't learn the code, the rules must change, right???

2773. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504193538.11833.00000948@ngol07.aol.com>
Source record: 143843

Just curious: why do the participants here persist in crossposting their comments regarding the amateur radio Morse code debate to rec.radio.amateur.space, rec.radio.scanner, and rec.radio.shortwave?

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

2774. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11995b2c3e574989690@news.vais.net>
Source record: 143844

In article <slrn7iv36h.4u.root@wild.net>, root@warez.phantom.com
mumbled...
--> On Tue, 04 May 1999 18:24:07 -0400, H. Mark Nadel <hmnadel@banet.net> wrote:
--> : I guess it is time to stop watching David Letterman and start tuning in
--> : to Jay Leno. Dave, where did you and your staff learn how to treat
--> : invited guests?
-->
--> Wasn't it enough that you were given special treatment? The Late Show
--> regularly invites groups which don't make it onto TV, depending upon time
--> constraints.
-->
--> I rather enjoyed the audience members who WERE shown (a fat guy and three
--> of his friends). Was that part of your group?

I'd put money on the fatboy being a ham.

2775. Re: More Lies From Dr. Hate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <372F9702.96A1C854@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143845

He's not my friend either, Nate.
But your actions are undercutting your own case.

If he's done these terrible things, just post the facts
and trust people to draw the right conclusions from them.

When you stoop to cursing and throwing racial slurs at him,
you do damage to yourself and your credibility among the
very people you're trying to reach.

Sure there are real differences between people who are genetically
diverse. But even if you could prove jewishness is somehow "bad"
(which I doubt), using that as a club to beat Doc is self-defeating;
You can't fight society's acceptance of
Politically Correct attitudes and hope to win.
Your readers just write you off as a "hate monger."

Like I said-- If he's treated you badly, just post the facts,
without all the name calling and jew-baiting.
Trust people to judge the matter and treat him accordingly.
You might be surprised at how much farther you get.

I've said enough on this.
Regards,
Dave Stinson
AB5S

2776. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7go5jufbf1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 143846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

charles copeland <charles1@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:charles1FB82tq.83w@netcom.com...
> I wasted my time learning CW and getting a general lisense. HF is
> overwhelming used by fuddy-duddies who use it to talked about health
> problems. Or re-re-re-hash tales of WWII. What a bore.
>
> The fellow is smart to stay away till the CW requirement is dropped.
> Yes, things will change when HF priviledges are GIVEN away, thank god.

You think that's something? You should see the re-re-hash of
code-no-code in the internet newsgroups.

Do what I do, Charles, keep turning the knob, and don't key the mike
until you have something to say!

Michael.

2777. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <AC2A1ED1ACAD6453.5FB0AEF98A3326C1.D164E8BCDFB433C2@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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: you like to discuss--computer games? music videos? navel piercings?
: How do you propose we limit the content of conversations? You must have
: several proposals for accomplishing that.
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We could the HF bands to laugh about how you old guys are all dying off from health problems, that's what we could contribute. :)

2778. Re: What is going be new @ Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n9drm@nospam.tcon.net>
Message-ID: <372fc80b@news.oaktree.net>
Source record: 143848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dean, Greg, SSG MI <idean@purdue.edu> wrote in message
news:372CB63C.F8049FA9@purdue.edu...
> Anyone heard any rumors as to what is going
> to be the big surprises at Dayton this year?

Hopefully, porta-crappers that don't leak all over the main drag of the flea market and create an enivro-hazard like last year. Other than that, the Joe Walsh concert sounds good to me.

2779. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <372FACBC.3B2281C2@jump.net>
Source record: 143849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

Well I once operated a kilowatt on 20 meters from the Tektite II habitat on the bottom of Lameshur Bay in the USVI. Do I post about it in rec.scuba or rec.radio.amateur.misc or both?
H.
WA5IGW

Michael Young wrote:

> <crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote in message
> news:7gn4io$d15$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> > I see more asshole comments like yours in the ARS than in any other
> > walk of life. YOU are an embarrassment to the ARS, not HIM.
>
> You should check into the scuba NG's. There, flaming is an art-form,
> polished and brandished daily. (Fun crowd. :) You pansy asses are lame,
> tame, and sedate, in every sense. It's a shame that little gets
> communicated except your hostility.
>
> Michael.

2780. WTD: INFO ABT RF PROOF PHONES??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: GREGORY HEATH <kb2qqm@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#$ytCcql#GA.284@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 143850

Does anyone out here have any info on manufacturers of rf proof telephones? I live near a commercial broadcast station and have had the phone company come out and put filters on the lines but nothing works. Not that I object to Nat King Cole...but I can't hear incoming calls. One phone is a 46mhz cordless which is useless. I did expect that.. but the other is a line phone. The broadcast station is about 1000 feet away and broadcasts AM and FM, 24 hours a day. I am not sure of their output pwr yet. Any help that can be provided would be helpful. Thanks. Greg.

2781. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <372FCB7B.5E3AE052@nationwide.net>
Source record: 143851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Boring.
YAWN.....zzzzzZZZZZ.....

Oops, I'm sorry...were you trying to say something?
YAWN....zzzzZZZZZzzzzz.....

JJ spake thusly, from his anal orifice:

> That's just it, most new hams have nothing useful to say.

2782. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@geocites.kb9rqz.com
Message-ID: <372f2d89.104758042@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 4 May 1999 12:57:02 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>Greetings Trent
>
>You get an A+ for reasoned, well-thought out replies in my
>book.
>
>Personally, I have never had a problem with the no-code
>license, or the elimination of the CW requirements from the
>ham exams. What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
>is the all-to-prevelant attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
>and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license
>with no effort on their part.

Nobody is advocating a license for no effort, but advocting a
license where the effort makes sense, but CW IS obsolete (thorugh it's
deathn is only being predicted by ProCoders) so is SSB, and FM. Indded
all ham are pretty much obsolete in hobby that once lead in technical
areas, that is not a good sign. and no ending the testing of CW will
not change that overnight if at all, but ending the stranglehold of
the most obsolete of our modes has to aid us in moving forward
>
>Regards
>
>Peter, K1ZJH
>"The Radio Connection" Popular Communications Magazine
>
>
Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

2783. wire ant./new ham info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <372FE86D.14E8B415@parg.org>
Source record: 143853

Hi Joseph! It looks like you can't ask a question out here without someone giving you crap. You don't get what you don't ask for. You are one of the most enthusiastic new guys I have run across. I was impressed by your interest in the Code. Keep asking any questions you want and don't let those Fone Ops run you off. We CW guys will make sure you get off to a smooth start. Soon you will be the guy answering the questions. I can think of times when I didn't ask, and I missed out.

Hang in there

Tom

2784. Re: Revive Expired License ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Hampton <hampton@mail.wvnet.edu>
Message-ID: <372F4E20.28E1@mail.wvnet.edu>
Source record: 143854

Bill Rodgers wrote:
>
> I got my tech license about 12(?) years ago. I believe it had to be renewed
> after 5 years which I did not do. I don't mind re-learning all the
> information including the code (it was quite a different nut to crack...kind
> of fun). If I became proficient again and took the relevant tests, could I
> get my old callsign (N8JJK) back? I now live in Colorado, not Ohio.
> Thanks, Bill

Bill, according to HamCall.com your license expired on 4-12-98. I
believe you can renew your license up to two years after expiration.

Charlie
KA8JVX

2785. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: crouchingllama@netscape.net
Message-ID: <7gn4io$d15$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Did you bother to find out the context of his question or offer
any sage advice? Or did you see 'no-code' and assume he is a moron?

I see more asshole comments like yours in the ARS than in any other
walk of life. YOU are an embarrassment to the ARS, not HIM.

In article <7gmhmtoka1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
"William Lee" <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:
> A little further up the list you will find a new ham who just got his no
> code license.
> He wants to know what a wire antenna is.
>
> First comes the NO CODE license quickly followed by the NO BRAIN license.
>
> I wonder if "lack of intelligence" can be used to get a medical waver for
> the CW test.
>
> William Lee N5WRX
>
> Steve Ellington wrote in message <372deb87.0@news.iglou.com>...
> >Well ....they don't know what it is but it takes brains so they want to do
> >away with whatever it is. Typical liberals. This is the same kind of
> >reasoning that has ruined our public school system. Why teach arithmetic
> >when we have calculators etc......
> >
> >
> >
> >DKBMC (dkbmc@flash.net) wrote:
> >: You don't have to see, you have to hear in order to know it is a form of
> >: communication hence, language. Even signing with hands to the deaf is a
> >: language. Sign Language, most sign language does not involve letters but
> it
> >: is considered a language is it not. There is a book written by Peter
> >: Carron, W3DKV titled, MORSE CODE: The Essential Language.
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> >--
> >Steve Ellington N4LQ
> >N4LQ@IGLOU.COM
>

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----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2786. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504105941.18144.00001769@ng61.aol.com>
Source record: 143925

Same WTIA's just a different day.

2787. Re: Riley and 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504110305.18144.00001770@ng61.aol.com>
Source record: 143926

You are a ZERO, at least you got something right.

2788. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504110405.18144.00001771@ng61.aol.com>
Source record: 143927

The truth always wins out in the end.

2789. Re: Unsuscbribe alurk50@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alurk50@aol.COM
Message-ID: <84f01ff8.2460668f@aol.com>
Source record: 143928

Unsuscbribe alurk50@aol.com

2790. Re: Power of the TinyTenna!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504110603.18144.00001772@ng61.aol.com>
Source record: 143929

You ought to put the clip on your tiny weeeee-ny!

2791. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <372F0B9B.15FB7483@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 143930

Marv Luse wrote:
>
> Martin Meserve wrote:
>
> > BD wrote:
> > >
> > > Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
> > > wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
> > > Hmm...
> > > And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
> > > If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
> > > for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
> >
> > Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
> > the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
> > to for the 20 WPM test!!
> >
>
> If I remember correctly the 20 WPM test is sent at 20 WPM character
> speed, so it is not as daunting as it sounds. If I may throw my 2
> cents worth in, the W1AW code broadcasts and on-the-air QSOs are
> also great preparation for the tests. Good luck!
>

I ment the above as a joke. I must have forgotten a smiley face.
If we used the original posters numbers of 13/5 for 5 WPM and
35/13 for 13 WPM, it would make the 20 WPM test run at 52/20. A
little more than I want to even think about right now.

But, you are correct, and I should have mentioned, that the 20 WPM
test is given at a 20 WPM character speed. No Farnsworth to lean
on here.

You are also correct that, W1AW is a good way to practice code and
since I operate 90% CW, on the air QSOs are not a problem.

Martin

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I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.

Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

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2792. Re: Amateur Transceiver - TS120V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn32d$f1i@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143931
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,nz.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org> wrote:
>I'm looking for an HF transceiver to use as a beacon transmitter.
>Make me an offer I can't refuse! I am in New Zealand.

Okay, how about just building a crystal-controlled transmitter? No need to consign an expensive transceiver to beacon duty.
73, Jeff KH6O

2793. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn23ncmi1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, commquart@erols.com (CommQuart) says:

>So, tell me. How many subjects or material did you cover in
>school that you felt were something you would never use and only forget?
>You may consider learning the code a waste of time (yours) BUT, if it
>is required to obtain the license you still need it, like it or not.
>You may never parallel park a car in your lifetime (in 35 years of driving
>I never have), soooo, should it be eliminated from the driving test?
>
>Most of your frivilous analogies fail to hold any water.
>
>Pete

As a matter of fact, Ohio does NOT have the parallel parking
section on their driving test anymore ! They got rid of it and made the
manoverability part a little harder.

So if your analogy where really valid...=-)

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

2794. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn25l$ht5$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, bung@hole.org (BungHole) says:

>: So, tell me. How many subjects or material did you cover in
>: school that you felt were something you would never use and only =
>forget?
>
>All of them to be exact, except for basics.
>
>: You may never parallel park a car in your lifetime (in 35 years of =
>driving
>: I never have), soooo, should it be eliminated from the driving test?
>
>Yes :)
>
>
I agree, just like Ohio got rid of it =-)
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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
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2795. Re: The Liberty Net and Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn3en$fc4@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143934

Dave <abuse@warez.phantom.com> wrote:
>Bill Mather <capecodhams@geocities.com> wrote:

>When you stop posting from behind a pseudonym, maybe people will take you more
>seriously. Until then, you're just more noise to be filtered out.

Dave, how is Bill's attribution line different from yours (see above)?
"Abuse" is just as much a screen name as "capecodhams."
73, Jeff KH6O

2796. Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

As I see it, it comes down to this...

While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is, by far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side of the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is stuck in the 50's.

The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into Ham Radio.

First of all, anyone who has a problem with the code, or would rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called "lazy" because I was for skipping code altogether. I guess having dyslexia makes me lazy. In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.

Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because I am a no-code tech.

Gee, with all of this going on, you wonder why more kids are not getting into Ham Radio ? Unless you fit into some kind of cookie-cutter definition of "RealHam (TM)", you get dumped on coming or going.

SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time. It's rewards, while at times a bit more modest, tends to come at a much more reasonable price.

There was a time when SWL's where the best group for Hams to recruit out of, but that time has come and gone. Ham radio now needs to ask why so many SWL's are voting with their feet.

The civil war in Ham Radio is only acting to turn many people away. I for one do not look for strife, insults, abuse, judgment and childish behavior in a hobby, I look for fun. Myself and others are willing to put forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.

Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it to enter a hobby where anyone who dares disagree with "RealHams (TM)" is lazy, a crybaby, a spoiled cyberkid, etc. ?

Ham Radio has only one place to look for the source of it's
problems. It's called a mirror. People are voting with their feet, my
friends. I am the last person in the world that wants to see Ham Radio die,
but the choice is not mine-

It's all up to the hobby.

When AM came along, many where opposed.

When SuperHet. receivers came along, many where opposed.

When SSB came along, many fought it.

Change is always coming, why fight it ?

The issue is bigger than CW. The real issue is what kind of hobby
Ham Radio has become, or rather, what it has degenerated into. While SWLing
has it's share of silly moments, it has not degenerated into the sort of
malicious, snotty behavior that now appears (from the outside at least) to
be slowly permeating Ham radio.

Perhaps it's because SWL's listen ?

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2797. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn4gfgoo1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, bung@hole.org (BungHole) says:

>I have 500 things which require just 10-15 minutes a day already. ;)
>
>: >> If you have 10-15 minutes a day,you have the time to learn CW.
>

That's 10-15 min. a day, if you don't have dyslexia =-)

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
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2798. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn521npp1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, K8MN@cats-net.com (Dave Heil) says:

>Xref: alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu rec.radio.amateur.misc:178591 rec.radio.amateur.policy:94941
rec.radio.amateur.space:16450 rec.radio.scanner:159295 rec.radio.shortwave:152689
>
>Bill Sohl wrote:
>>
>> On Fri, 30 Apr 1999 13:28:06 GMT, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Joe wrote:
>> >> I dont agree with all the rules
>> >> but I do follow them.Why? Because they ARE THE RULES!!!
>> >
>> >But outdated rules have no reason to exist. Are you too lazy
>> >to try to change the rules?
>>
>> I just drove home at speeds of 75 mph keeping up with
>> the traffic flow on a highway with a posted limit of 55.
>> Laws which have no basis in reality breed contempt
>> for those laws.
>
>So you pick and choose which laws to obey, eh Bill? You couldn't have
>set your cruise control at the legal speed and been an example, of
>course. Better to stick with the Lemming pack. You wouldn't want to be
>late for your date with that cliff. I'll save my contempt for the
>scofflaws.
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/
>

It's safer to go with the flow of traffic than to drive 15 miles
slower. Here, following a rule just for the sake of following rules is not
as safe as breaking it.

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2799. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gn60lplk1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, commquart@erols.com (CommQuart) says:

>
>1. How many new hams will join the ranks when the
>code is abolished?

Hard to say. The hole that has been dug is awful deep. A lot of
people where turned off some time ago, but I think a good number (in the
long term) is possible.

>
>2. How many new hams are mandated to "SAVE"
>amateur radio from oblivion??

Good question. I will have to think about that one.

>
>3. What happened to all of the new hams licensed since
>the VHF no-code license was introduced?

Perhaps they got dumped on for being second class no-code techs by
the "RealHams (TM)" ? I think the deepening of the war going on now acted
to chocke out some of the possible growth.

>
>4. What "AWARD" did the amateur service receive from
>congress or the FCC in recognition of the influx
>of new hams from the new no-code licenses?

I think it bought time for Ham Radio. Without that influx, I think
MORE bands would have been lost.

>
>5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
>behind the decline of Amateur Radio?
>
CW alone ? No, not at all. The attitudes reflected by the CW debate
? Yes !

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
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2800. Re: Tek Scope Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Feustel <feustel@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <372F1CDB.90C460C3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143939

Email tektronix (see http://www.tek.com)
to find out where your equipment is serviced.

For Tek oscilloscopes, see
http://www.tek.com/Measurement/cgi-bin/framed.pl?Document=/Measurement/Support/scopes/welcome.html&FrameSet=oscilloscopes

Dennis Bironas wrote:
>
> Anyone repair oscilloscopes? I have a Tektronics 454 A that needs
> repaired. Does anyone know who repairs these?

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David Feustel
Fort Wayne, Indiana
219-483-1857

http://www.truthinmedia.org
http://www.aci.net/kalliste
http://www.ciadrugs.com
http://www.harvest-trust.org
http://www.infowars.com
http://www.konformist.com
http://www.2ndlawlib.org/

2801. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504122835.03557.00002189@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143940

<< >>

<< Rich These clowns are orchestrating complaints and charges against you.The
> truth is not of any weighty concideration to them. >>
You got that right, my good man. It's a setup as payback for Rich's relentless pursuit of the truth regarding that subversive KV4FZ. Of course the clowns have no conception o f or care for the truth, just so long as they can dissipate the truth facing Schoenbohm. And you know what? Riley knows it too. 73 Doc AF2Y
radiosigs@aol.com

2802. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504123151.03557.00002190@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143941

<< 3950 Liberty Net !!
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Date: Tue, May 4, 1999 2:54 AM
Message-id: <7glnh6$74d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>

Speaking of sheep dip, DR HATE is indeed the donkey dung of Amateur Radio.
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>In article
<19990502212630.20733.00001314@ng-cd1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Maybe Riley wanted to know when the revolution is going to start? I've been
> asking that for some time. I mean are you anti-government dudes going to do
> something tangible enough to >>

I'll tell you this, sheep dip. At least I'm man enough to put my callsign
alongside my screen name, you cowardly piece of dung.

73 "Doc" AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2803. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gn7qd$d2d$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

There is no need to assume anything.
If you pass a drivers license test and then ask someone what a stop sign is
that tell it all.
BTW did YOU bother to read his question..... He never said anything about
'no code'..... I did!
I perhaps may be an asshole.... but you sir, are a Stupid asshole.
There..... see ..... any asshole can call another asshole names here on the
internet.
I bet you wouldnt do it face to face.

William Lee N5WRX
Notice I sign my real name (and callsign) and ISP.
I dont need to hide behind Daja News with an alais.

crouchingllama@netscape.net wrote in message
<7gn4io$d15$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Did you bother to find out the context of his question or offer
>any sage advice? Or did you see 'no-code' and assume he is a moron?
>
>I see more asshole comments like yours in the ARS than in any other
>walk of life. YOU are an embarrassment to the ARS, not HIM.
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>
>In article <7gmhmtoka1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "William Lee" <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:
>> A little further up the list you will find a new ham who just got his no
>> code license.
>> He wants to know what a wire antenna is.
>>
>> First comes the NO CODE license quickly followed by the NO BRAIN license.
>>
>> I wonder if "lack of intelligence" can be used to get a medical waver for
>> the CW test.
>>
>> William Lee N5WRX
>>
>> Steve Ellington wrote in message <372deb87.0@news.iglou.com>...
>> >Well ....they don't know what it is but it takes brains so they want to
do
>> >away with whatever it is. Typical liberals. This is the same kind of
>> >reasoning that has ruined our public school system. Why teach arithmetic
>> >when we have calculators etc......
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>> >
>> >DKBMC (dkbmc@flash.net) wrote:
>> >: You don't have to see, you have to hear in order to know it is a form
of
>> >: communication hence, language. Even signing with hands to the deaf is
a
>> >: language. Sign Language, most sign language does not involve letters
but
>> it
>> >: is considered a language is it not. There is a book written by Peter
>> >: Carron, W3DKV titled, MORSE CODE: The Essential Language.
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>> >--
>> >Steve Ellington N4LQ
>> >N4LQ@IGLOU.COM
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>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2804. God bless America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504123736.03557.00002192@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143943

I'll say this. Keeping or deleting my incisive letters makes no difference because I'm fond of this forum. You are America personified for which I say THANKS. To prove it, I have never nor will I complain about any posting about me and demand its deletion. We have freedom of expression here and if someone wants to blast me, I'll take it like a man and I wish they would do the same instead of crying about a harsh letter. Furthermore you'll never see any of my postings without a name and callsign to back up my screen name. I wish I could say that about the moaning,wailing and bitching cowards who are up in arms.
73,Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2805. Re: Looking For Operating Manual for Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Forcht <stevef@interlog.com>
Message-ID: <372F2675.A8979428@interlog.com>
Source record: 143944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio

Send me your address and I will phocopy the TS830s manual for you

Steve VA3SF

Walt Davidson wrote:

> On Mon, 03 May 1999 08:49:23 -0400, "Leo B." <leob@erols.com> wrote:
>
> >73 - Leo - W3LEO
>
> Is this what is meant by "a little Leo"?
>
> ;-)
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: walt@ surf-zone.co.uk

2806. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to become
a HAM if it is:
1. Impossable for you to learn code.
2. Too expensive to get a CW waver.
3. Too much greif and insults from other hams.
4. Full of other people who are Fuddy Duddy's.

Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
Or do you think it would all change if someone would just GIVE you a
license.

William Lee N5WRX
Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
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> As I see it, it comes down to this...
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> While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
>like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is, by
>far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side of
>the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is
>stuck in the 50's.
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> The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors
>of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into
>Ham Radio.
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>rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
>"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogether. I guess having dyslexia
>makes me lazy. In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.
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> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because I
>am a no-code tech.
>
> Gee, with all of this going on, you wonder why more kids are not
>getting into Ham Radio ? Unless you fit into some kind of cookie-cutter
>definition of "RealHam (TM)", you get dumped on coming or going.
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> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time. It's

>rewards, while at times a bit more modest, tends to come at a much more
>reasonable price.
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> There was a time when SWL's where the best group for Hams to recruit
>out of, but that time has come and gone. Ham radio now needs to ask why so
>many SWL's are voting with their feet.
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> The civil war in Ham Radio is only acting to turn many people away.
>I for one do not look for strife, insults, abuse, judgment and childish
>behavior in a hobby, I look for fun. Myself and others are willing to put
>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.
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>hobby where anyone who dares disagree with "RealHams (TM)" is lazy, a
>crybaby, a spoiled cyberkid, etc. ?
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> Ham Radio has only one place to look for the source of it's
>problems. It's called a mirror. People are voting with their feet, my
>friends. I am the last person in the world that wants to see Ham Radio die,
>but the choice is not mine-
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> It's all up to the hobby.
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> When AM came along, many where opposed.
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> When SSB came along, many fought it.
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> Change is always coming, why fight it ?
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> The issue is bigger than CW. The real issue is what kind of hobby
>Ham Radio has become, or rather, what it has degenerated into. While SWLing
>has it's share of silly moments, it has not degenerated into the sort of
>malicious, snotty behavior that now appears (from the outside at least) to
>be slowly permeating Ham radio.
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> Perhaps it's because SWL's listen ?
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>"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
>----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

2807. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gn8uh$t8q$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Greetings Trent

You get an A+ for reasoned, well-thought out replies in my
book.

Personally, I have never had a problem with the no-code
license, or the elimination of the CW requirements from the
ham exams. What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
is the all-to-prevelant attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license
with no effort on their part.

Regards

Peter, K1ZJH
"The Radio Connection" Popular Communications Magazine

Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
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>"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogetherLIVES !-------------

2808. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gn99n$1s3$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Greetings Trent

3. Most of the no-coders in this area got disgusted enough
with repeater operation to go and upgrade on there own.
A rather surprising observation.

4. Would like to believe this, but I am not convinced that
strength lies just in numbers.

5. A lot of the problem is brought on the attitudes of those
positioning for the elimination of the code--arguments such
claiming that "code is obsolete, or not used" is only going
to alienate CW operators only further. Some have been some
reasoned points made (such as yours), but others seem to
reflect a lot of hostility towards hams just because they use
CW in this modern age.

Best 73

Pete

Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn60lplk1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
>
>>>3. What happened to all of the new hams licensed since
>>the VHF no-code license was introduced?
>
> Perhaps they got dumped on for being second class no-code techs by
>the "RealHams (TM)" ? I think the deepening of the war going on now acted
>to chocke out some of the possible growth.
>
>>
>>4. What "AWARD" did the amateur service receive from
>>congress or the FCC in recognition of the influx
>>of new hams from the new no-code licenses?
>
> I think it bought time for Ham Radio. Without that influx, I think
>MORE bands would have been lost.
>
>>
>>5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
>>behind the decline of Amateur Radio?
>>
> CW alone ? No, not at all. The attitudes reflected by the CW debate
>? Yes !
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2809. [FS] Yaesu VX-1R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: sehrlich@shore.net
Message-ID: <VMFX2.558$9L5.209657@news.shore.net>
Source record: 143948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Yaesu VX-1R HT in excellent condition, stock accessories (what came in the box).

I'm in the Boston, MA area.

Open to offers.

Thanks.

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Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich

2810. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: CommQuart <commquart@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7gn9ir$35r$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Athough I don't fully agree with Trent's stance in total,
my hat is off to him for giving honest and well reasoned
responses to the issues on hand. My feeling is Trent is
a chap open to both sides of the issue, and I would be
willing to hear his side of the story.

Peter

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2811. Re: ARRL Propaganda Machine Spins On (Letterman)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gnem1$mj1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman

In article <7glvabdau1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> So, ARRL with your big announcements, guess you can spoon feed Riley
> Hollingsworthless hams to wrist slap but it just doesn't work with
> Westinghouse, hmm ?
>
> Like I said, NO ONE IN REAL WORLD AMERICA 1999 GIVES A DAMN ABOUT HAM RADIO AS
> MOST HAMS THINK THEY DO. Code, no code, no radio, WHATEVER !

That is exactly true. Most people do not care to know anything about Ham Radio. Even if they did it would seem obsolete compared to cellular phones and the Internet. People are being sold utility phone services, Internet Providers and PCs by marketers that have much more advertising bucks than the ARRL will ever have. So...It is as I have always said ...Ham Radio is a speciallized hobby. For the next century it must become even more specialized. Ham Radio is not for everyone and everyone is not for Ham Radio. The ARRL must resolve itself to understanding that Hams are specialists and do all it can to attract that kind of specialist...If it does not attract that small group of specialists it will attract noone and cease to exist. IMHO it will be a good sign for the survival of Ham Radio if the number of Hams goes down to one tenth of what it is now BUT if the remaining Hams are Technical Specialists or Social Ham Traditionalists. Anyone who wants to be a Ham just to communicate is so ignorant of modern technology that he or she won't be much of a Ham for very long anyway! A bird watching society can not attract people who are not interested in watching birds. Mensa can not attract people with low IQs. AND the ARRL can no longer attract people who just want to communicate. THe remaining attraction to Ham Radio is that it can be an educational TECHNICAL HOBBY and/or it can be a TRADITIONAL social HOBBY but it is no longer the only kid on the block when it comes to communication, PICON, or kiddy fun. Insisting that Ham Radio is what it was even 25 years ago is maddness and will only result in turning people off. Noone cares what Hams did 25 years ago but old Hams like myself and the ones who fall asleap at QCWA meetings.

> Not so much as an audience pan shot of LIMARC ! No name badges, no banner, no
> belt shacks, and no propeller topped beanies.

Hams can not expect to get much attention from being on the Letterman Show. My suggestion is that some No-Code and some Pro-Code Hams get themselves invited to the Jerry Springer Show. Jerry is sure to instigate a fist fight and the public might take some interest in the CW exam debate if the Hams involved tear each others clothing off! Even this might go unnoticed unless the Hams wear colorful underwear and have ARRL tattoos on their butts!

> Just another example that ARRL staffers think the world revolves around them,
> their contests and repeater directory.

Nah...I don't think that ARRL staffers think that the world revolves around them anymore. Many of them have read my posts...AND I certainly don't believe that the world revolves around me just because I am an ARRL member and a Ham.

If we want the world to appreciate the ARRL we should set up a new international time system. We shouldn't use GMT that starts in Greenwich, England. We shouldn't use Internet Beat Time that starts in Biel, Switzerland. We should use NUT time that starts in Newington, CT (ARRL Hq.) and it would be NEWINGTON UNIVERSAL TIME for all Hams who want to believe that the world revolution starts at W1AW! Then we could all get lots of international publicity by being recognized as up-to-date RADIO NUTs instead of old timers!

PLEASE keep thinking,
Hams need more classes,
I never met a Ham I didn't like,
Bob Wex w2ilp (Ignoring LIMARC Publicity?)
-- .- -..- .. --

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2812. Re: A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504134549.03557.00002207@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143951

David Stinson wrote:<< problems with this
> individual. But there will be someone else with
>an axe to grind to take his place. 73s

You may call yourself a "lowly CBer," but it looks
like you have more sense then a lot of hams these days.

Radio loonies have been around since spark and
will be around as long as mankind warms the ether.
The names and frequencies change but one thing
forever remains the same:
They are only as big a problem as we make them.

The vast, vast majority of QSOs on the ham
bands are "straight," normal conversations.
Did you ever see a thirty-post long
thread on those good operators?
No- but Rich and Doc
get more press then Kosovo, for God's sake!

By focusing attention on the few nut cases,
we make a minor annoyance into a major problem
and give them the infamy and attention they crave.
Stop making them the "stars" of ham radio
and they will dry up and blow away.

Go listen to a good technical conversation on 3768 KC.
Talk with someone about weak signal work on 189 KC or 432 MC.
Do ANYTHING but sit on 14.313
wringing your hands over Rich and Doc.
In the big picture, they're less then nothing.
Stop wasting the precious, irreplaceable minutes
of your life worrying about them.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

And I still say we are going to rue the day
we demanded the Feds step in
and wipe our snotty noses for us.

AF2Y writes: good show Dave. You don't like me or Rich? That's fine. You have
every right to express your dislike and you're a MAN because you have
the guts to sign your name to your thoughts. Will I ask that your letter be
taken down like these crybabies who post and then bitch. NO WAY. Write what you
want Dave and more power to you and God bless America and our freedoms.
73,"Doc" AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

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2813. FS: Yaseu, Radio shack, kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jgshaw@csc.umd.edu
Message-ID: <7gnc42$84q$1@hecate.umd.edu>
Source record: 143952

Yaesu FT-411, 2 meter, handheld, 137-175 Rx & tx, 3 new nicad packs, 12v adapter, chargers, ext. mike, $250.00 & shipping.

Radio Shack HTX-202, 2 meter, handheld, new, never used $200.00 & shipping

Radio Shcak HTX-404, 44o handheld, new, never used $200.00 & shipping

Kenwood TS-120, HF rig. Portable, can fit in car, all bands, includes tuner, swr, etc. Excellent condition. $325.00 & shipping.

Radio Shack 2 meter mobile rig..new...full power..$225

2 - 2 meter amps...$50 apiece.

john
N3LYB

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2814. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504135332.03557.00002211@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143953

Just keep this in mind, you subversive anti-Semitic bastard. The FBI is listening and so are other federal agencies. Your 3.950 assembly is on record as a hate group. So sit on your haunches and bitch and moan about America and our people and the various religions and heritages. Try and take action against us and you'll meet up with a salvo of bullets that'll end your miserable lives, the same way our men and women took bullets during warfare to protect us, even you lowlife scumbags who revere Hitler. So just talk and do no more. Your life depends upon it. That is unless you want to keep Timothy McVeigh company in hell in due time. AF2Y "Doc" radiosigs@aol.com

2815. Bucket mouth sponge boy returns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gnfsenlp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143954

It looks like a certain low level officer of the law in a small eastern city Known as "Bucket Mouth Sponge Boy" is sending messages of support for his master Wb2otk. This is the same "Bucket Mouth Sponge Boy" who spent a lot of time on 14313 interfering and talking really nasty. Take up for your master "Bucket Mouth" You are as big a radio rat as OTK. Go Mr Hollingsworth go!!!!!!!!!

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2816. Re: Tek Scope Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Bironas <dkbirona@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <372F3ADF.5F28@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 143955

David Feustel wrote:
>
> Email tektronix (see http://www.tek.com)
> to find out where your equipment is serviced.
>
> For Tek oscilloscopes, see
> http://www.tek.com/Measurement/cgi-bin/framed.pl?Document=/Measurement/Support/scopes/welcome.html&FrameSet=oscilloscopes
>
> Dennis Bironas wrote:
> >
> > > Anyone repair oscilloscopes? I have a Tektronics 454 A that needs
> > > repaired. Does anyone know who repairs these?
>
> --
> David Feustel
> Fort Wayne, Indiana
> 219-483-1857
>
> http://www.truthinmedia.org
> http://www.aci.net/kalliste
> http://www.ciadrugs.com
> http://www.harvest-trust.org
> http://www.infowars.com
> http://www.konformist.com
> http://www.2ndlawlib.org/
Thanks David. I'll give those a try tonight.

2817. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <bbHX2.229$3y3.401456@news.abs.net>
Source record: 143956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dave Heil wrote in message <372D2289.7359@cats-net.com>...
>Sir wrote:
>> A legal speed limit is only a meaningless number pulled out of a hat by
>> some polititian. When they can't get enough people to speed over that

>
>This is an easy reply: You don't have any idea what you're talking
>about. Posted speeds are not simply "pulled out of a hat".

Well, actually, no, they are not "pulled out of a hat", however they were (and are) to some extent politically motivated. The speed limit was originally dropped to 55 back in the 70s in response to the oil/gas crisis of the time. Eventually more oil was miraculously discovered, but neither the speed limit nor the gas prices ever recovered (and wasn't I thrilled to have this all happen just when I got my driver's license).

The problem is is that roads were engineered for optimization to specific speeds and it was/is almost natural to drive at those speeds (if you have a road engineered to be comfortable at 45, you tend to drive around that limit, if it was engineered to 70, you tend to drive closer to that. Wow, miracle of miracles...revenue!!! Now, I'm not saying it was solely the ticket money that prompted the reamining at 55, they tried to claim it was safer (despite not having any valid third-party studies to back it up). Eventually, the politicians have given way to the people on this one, so the limits are starting to come back up.

2818. Re: A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <372F3EBC.16348338@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143957

Doc, I may not be your "buddy," but I'll give you
your due as an adversary.
You don't hide and snipe from the shadows of cowardly Usenet anonymity.
I've posted a few jokes and smartasseries with a pseudonym, sure.
But when I speak my mind, I sign what I say.

Regards,
Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

2819. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: treynolds@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gnik6$q8b$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner

I second that. A well thought out statement on the code-no code issue. I operate almost 100% CW on the HF bands and on sattelites but I am more that a little disappointed with all the name calling and foul language used by both sides of this issue.

On another note, PLEASE don't cross post this discussion to the rec.radio.amateur.space group.

73s
Tom

In article <7gn9ir$35r$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>,
"CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com> wrote:
> Athough I don't fully agree with Trent's stance in total,
> my hat is off to him for giving honest and well reasoned
> responses to the issues on hand. My feeling is Trent is
> a chap open to both sides of the issue, and I would be
> willing to hear his side of the story.
>
> Peter
>
> William Lee wrote in message <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>...
> >Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to
> become
> >a HAM if it is:
> >1. Impossable for you to learn code.
> >2. Too expensive to get a CW waver.
> >3. Too much greif and insults from other hams.
> >4. Full of other people who are Fuddy Duddy's.
> >
> >Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
> >Or do you think it would all change if someone would just GIVE you a
> >license.
> >
> >William Lee N5WRX
> >Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
> >>
> >>
> >> As I see it, it comes down to this...
> >>
> >>
> >>
> >> While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
> >>like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is,

> by
> >>far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side
> of
> >>the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is
> >>stuck in the 50's.
> >>
> >> The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors
> >>of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into
> >>Ham Radio.
> >>
> >> First of all, anyone who has a problem with the code, or would
> >>rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
> >>"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogether. I guess having dyslexia
> >>makes me lazy. In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
> >>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.
> >>
> >> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
> >>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because
> I
> >>am a no-code tech.
> >>
> >> Gee, with all of this going on, you wonder why more kids are not
> >>getting into Ham Radio ? Unless you fit into some kind of cookie-cutter
> >>definition of "RealHam (TM)", you get dumped on coming or going.
> >>
> >> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time. It's
> >>rewards, while at times a bit more modest, tends to come at a much more
> >>reasonable price.
> >>
> >> There was a time when SWL's where the best group for Hams to recruit
> >>out of, but that time has come and gone. Ham radio now needs to ask why so
> >>many SWL's are voting with their feet.
> >>
> >> The civil war in Ham Radio is only acting to turn many people away.
> >>I for one do not look for strife, insults, abuse, judgment and childish
> >>behavior in a hobby, I look for fun. Myself and others are willing to put
> >>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
> >>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.
> >>
> >> Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could
> >>easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it to enter a
> >>hobby where anyone who dares disagree with "RealHams (TM)" is lazy, a
> >>crybaby, a spoiled cyberkid, etc. ?
> >>
> >> Ham Radio has only one place to look for the source of it's
> >>problems. It's called a mirror. People are voting with their feet, my
> >>friends. I am the last person in the world that wants to see Ham Radio
> die,
> >>but the choice is not mine-
> >>

> >> It's all up to the hobby.
> >>
> >> When AM came along, many where opposed.
> >>
> >> When SuperHet. receivers came along, many where opposed.
> >>
> >> When SSB came along, many fought it.
> >>
> >> Change is always coming, why fight it ?
> >>
> >> The issue is bigger than CW. The real issue is what kind of hobby
> >>Ham Radio has become, or rather, what it has degenerated into. While
> SWLing
> >>has it's share of silly moments, it has not degenerated into the sort of
> >>malicious, snotty behavior that now appears (from the outside at least) to
> >>be slowly permeating Ham radio.
> >>
> >> Perhaps it's because SWL's listen ?
> >>
> >>
> >>--
> >>"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
> >> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
> >> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
> >>----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------
> >
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2820. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: bogart_1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gnitdqdv1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

YOU were the one who said no code. That's the point, and that's why I classified your comment as an asshole comment. He may have known or heard about J-Poles, but maybe wanted to be clued in on something he heard as 'new'. His message could also be troll bait.

Driver's license tests and stop signs, huh? A better ARS analogy would be passing his Tech license, and then asking why he can't transmit on say police frequencies. That would be evidence of a failure in the testing system. But I hear many different terms for things, and if this newbie was unfamiliar with a vague term like 'wire antenna' or God forbid he was asking for clarification of what he thought does not prove any level of stupidity to me.

I saw some very helpful replies to his question, but not yours. Give a newbie some slack. I thought that's what the Novice and Tech classes were in the ARS to do...LEARN. Hopefully with help from those more in the know. Questions are never stupid. Actions without knowledge or bothering to ask ARE.

Anybody can be an asshole. Myself included. I did not call you an asshole, but I said your statement was an asshole comment. Because it was. If someone claims the same about my statement(s), I am at least man enough to examine them further.

You are right. Email is easy to hide behind. But that is not my motivation here. And yes, face to face, I would challenge you on this comment. If I make a similar one, and someone else says "Hey, that's an assholish thing to say." or "Why am I being such a dick?" Sure, I'd be offended. But once I got over the 8th-grade emotion of it, there might be some validity to their reaction.

BTW, show me a ham that knows the answer to every possible question about Ham radio. Hmmmm....guess we're ALL "Stupid Assholes"....

Another BTW....my ISP can't seem to fix their mail server. For weeks! Therefore, I am on DejaNews till they fix it.

Til then, I am incognito.... :) I am on the QRZ CD-ROM. With a little smarts, you could figure out which Ham I am, Dr. Seuss...

In article <7gn7qd$d2d$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>,
"William Lee" <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
> There is no need to assume anything.
> If you pass a drivers license test and then ask someone what a stop sign is
> that tell it all.
> BTW did YOU bother to read his question........ He never said anything about
> 'no code'..... I did!
> I perhaps may be an asshole.... but you sir, are a Stupid asshole.
> There..... see ..... any asshole can call another asshole names here on the

> internet.
> I bet you wouldnt do it face to face.
>
> William Lee N5WRX
> Notice I sign my real name (and callsign) and ISP.
> I dont need to hide behind Daja News with an alais.
>
> crouchingllama@netscape.net wrote in message
> <7gn4io$d15$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> >Did you bother to find out the context of his question or offer
> >any sage advice? Or did you see 'no-code' and assume he is a moron?
> >
> >I see more asshole comments like yours in the ARS than in any other
> >walk of life. YOU are an embarrassment to the ARS, not HIM.
> >
> >
> >
> >In article <7gmhmtoka1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>,
> > "William Lee" <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:
> >> A little further up the list you will find a new ham who just got his no
> >> code license.
> >> He wants to know what a wire antenna is.
> >>
> >> First comes the NO CODE license quickly followed by the NO BRAIN license.
> >>
> >> I wonder if "lack of intelligence" can be used to get a medical waver for
> >> the CW test.
> >>
> >> William Lee N5WRX
> >>
> >> Steve Ellington wrote in message <372deb87.0@news.iglou.com>...
> >> >Well ....they don't know what it is but it takes brains so they want to
> do
> >> >away with whatever it is. Typical liberals. This is the same kind of
> >> >reasoning that has ruined our public school system. Why teach arithmetic
> >> >when we have calculators etc......
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >DKBMC (dkbmc@flash.net) wrote:
> >> >: You don't have to see, you have to hear in order to know it is a form
> of
> >> >: communication hence, language. Even signing with hands to the deaf is
> a
> >> >: language. Sign Language, most sign language does not involve letters
> but
> >> it
> >> >: is considered a language is it not. There is a book written by Peter
> >> >: Carron, W3DKV titled, MORSE CODE: The Essential Language.
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> >> >Steve Ellington N4LQ
> >> >N4LQ@IGLOU.COM
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2821. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gnjma$r3p$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <372B8C79.D280F84E@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > That is the folly of so much concern surrounding "numbers
> > of guns" owned by any one individual...he can only use one
> > at at time anyway.
>
> That may be true for you damned Yankees, Dick, but us Texans
> like to pack a six-shooter on each hip, one for each hand.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Heck if you think you need to have guns...You should have some in every room of you home; ready and waiting for the intruders. You should especially have lots of them in your bathrooms because you might not be wearing your usual holsters there. I figure that the odds of me needing a gun and being able to protect myself or anyone else or my property with the gun is almost as farfetched as it would be to have a microwave dish ready for ET Saturday night comedy broadcasts. Keep your ammo dry. Lock up your guns so the intruders or kids can't get them...better yet lock them up so good that even you can't get them without an uncommon password. Be ready for anyrthing...Who knows?...Perhaps the British, the Indians, the Mexicans or the Yankees may rise again...Or is it some other group that you fear? No offense meant... You wouldn't shoot this unarmed balding old guy with eyeglasses...or would you? Please keep thinking, I never shot a man I didn't like, Hams need more classes but not more guns, Bob Wex w2ilp (Infatuated Loaded Pistols?) -- .- -..- .. --

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2822. Re: More Lies From Dr. Hate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <372F471F.3DA9239B@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143961

Would you please take this crap somewhere else? Frankly, I'm tired of seeing your off-topic, deranged posts.

Marv Luse
AB0IO

dOnKbOy666@yahoo.com wrote:

> Dr. Hate says:
>
> "I'll say this. Keeping or deleting my incisive letters makes no
> difference
> because I'm fond of this forum. You are America personified for which
> I say
> THANKS. To prove it, I have never nor will I complain about any
> posting about
> me and demand its deletion. We have freedom of expression here and if
> someone
> wants to blast me, I'll take it like a man and I wish they would do
> the same
> instead of crying about a harsh letter. Furthermore you'll never see
> any of my
> postings without a name and callsign to back up my screen name. I wish
> I could
> say that about the moaning,wailing and bitching cowards who are up in
> arms.
> 73,Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com"
>
> Quit hiding behind the flag. It won't hide the lies coming from
> your
> miserable Trotskyite jew mind. That's why you are known as Dr. Hate.
> Nobody
> in their right mind would give their name to a vengeful hate filled
> jew like
> you. Is everyone supposed to believe that you have quit writing
> hateful
> letters to employers, churches, community leaders and fraternal
> lodges? Are
> we supposed to believe you don't write to other hateful jews and give
> them
> the names on your hit list? When did you turn over a new leaf? When
> did you
> decide to stop being a jew? You must think everyone is as crazy as
> you are.
> The is only one reason you have your call and name plastered all over

> the
> newsgroup. It isn't because you are brave or have anything worthwhile
> to
> take credit for. It's because you are a demented little jew who wants
> the
> whole world to see how much he has suffered. Pity the poor jew who is
> a
> defrocked dentist! You want everyone to think you are another
> suffering jew
> who has been singled out for retribution. Wrong! But never fear.
> You'll
> find a few recruits in here. There are always a few bleeding hearts
> ready to
> believe your lies. If you are looking for pity then you'll get none
> from me.
> I can't wait for the day when you stand before a man like Kevin
> Strom. I
> want to hear him pass sentence on a jew like you. How sweet it would
> be to
> hear the words when he sends you where you belong. I can't wait for
> the day
> when I can look down in my inkwell and think about you. I already
> think of
> you every time I take a shit. You can't take anything like a man.
> First you
> would have to be a man. I have historical evidence that you are not a
> man.
> You are a beast that preys upon the gullible and weak. You don't fool
> anyone
> who knows who you are and what you are. You're not fooling anyone when
> you
> pretend to be an American. Americans don't use your jew tactics.
> Thanks for
> bringing your jew shit to amateur radio. We used to have well behaved
> jews
> in ham radio who knew their place. They kept to themselves and tried
> not to
> be offensive. Nobody even knew they were jews. Most hams were
> willing to
> accept them as long as they didn't act up. Then you and your band of
> criminal misfits had to come along. Herb was right about you people
> all
> along. No wonder you jews are obsessed with crucifying Herb. That's
> always
> the jewish answer. Anyone who shines a bright light on your evil jew
> methods
> needs to be crucified. That's the jew way. That's not the American
> way.
>
> Nate

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2823. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: charles1@netcom.com
Message-ID: <charles1FB82tq.83w@netcom.com>
Source record: 143962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>,
William Lee <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
>Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to become
>a HAM if it is:
>1. Impossable for you to learn code.
>2. Too expensive to get a CW waver.
>3. Too much greif and insults from other hams.
>4. Full of other people who are Fuddy Duddy's.
>
>Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
>Or do you think it would all change if someone would just GIVE you a license.
>William Lee N5WRX

I wasted my time learning CW and getting a general lisense. HF is
overwhelming used by fuddy-duddies who use it to talked about health
problems. Or re-re-re-hash tales of WWII. What a bore.

The fellow is smart to stay away till the CW requirement is dropped.
Yes, things will change when HF priviledges are GIVEN away, thank god.

KB0WOB

2824. TM-741 for trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <w5old@sonetcom.com>
Message-ID: <01be959e$ea188740$ba0231d1@default>
Source record: 143963
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Howdy..I'm "Mike not Mic"!

This radio is in great shape...just had service from Kenwood to include new lithum battery. It's 2m/70cm and you can add another band and make it a tribander.

What I want is: two mobiles 2m/2m or 2m/6m
if you are offering two 2m it must be a combo or one of the following models.

Kenwood 261
Alinco 150
Icom 2100
Yaesu 2200, 2500
Azden (what ever the 50 watt 2m models are)
Or if you have a 6m IE: Azden 7500 or Alinco DR M06th instead of one of the 2m mobiles that will work too.-

All request and replies must come via my e-mail.
Don't get me wrong offers are fine but, don't bother to talk cash!

Howdy..I'm "Mike not Mic"!
w5old@sonetcom.com
Ham Call is "W5OLD"
All My Radios Smell Like Smoke!

2825. d0nkb0y666 the Hero!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504161247.00116.00002043@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143964

Old "d0nk" wrote.....<< ts to have Dr. Hate locked up in the NJ state booby hatch. You can write or call them with your information regarding Dr. Hate. They need all the letters and phone calls they can get. Call anytime, day or night. It is fine to leave messages on their answering machines. They want to hear all about Dr. Hate's campaign of terror on the amateur bands. They will use whatever material you give them to help put that evil defrocked dentist behind bars for good.

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<AF2Y replies like so> What's your name and callsign,you snivelling coward? Dave Stinson battles with me but he's a MAN. I know who his I.D. On the other hand, you're a low class sniper who must bring in family to intensify your hate campaign against a fair, honest and decent person as I. Be a man, you loser. Either stand up and be counted or sit down and shut up. Will I demand that your filthy posting be removed? Of course not. This is America and I'm no crybaby as are a lot of these creeps on this forum. Have at it"donkey" but be a MAN about it. AF2Y "Doc" radiosigs@aol.com

2826. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7gnkcfele1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 143965

<crouchingllama@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:7gn4io$d15$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> I see more asshole comments like yours in the ARS than in any other
> walk of life. YOU are an embarrassment to the ARS, not HIM.

You should check into the scuba NG's. There, flaming is an art-form,
polished and brandished daily. (Fun crowd. :) You pansy asses are lame,
tame, and sedate, in every sense. It's a shame that little gets
communicated except your hostility.

Michael.

2827. "realdeal" another Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504161655.00116.00002048@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143966

realdeal writes.....<<
It looks like a certain low level officer of the law in a small eastern city Known as "Bucket Mouth Sponge Boy" is sending messages of support for his master Wb2otk. This is the same "Bucket Mouth Sponge Boy" who spent a lot of time on 14313 interfering and talking really nasty. Take up for your master "Bucket Mouth" You are as big a radio rat as OTK. Go Mr Hollingsworth go!!!!!!!!!

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AF2Y writes....here we go again folks. ANOTHER BIG BRAVE A.H. HIDING BEHIND ANONYMITY. Man are there yellowbellies on this forum. You make me and others BARF.
Doc radiosigs@aol.com

>>

2828. Old "Donkeyboy" the hatemeister

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504162622.00116.00002059@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143967

"donkeyboy" writes.....<< y incisive letters makes no difference
because I'm fond of this forum. You are America personified for which I say THANKS. To prove it, I have never nor will I complain about any posting about me and demand its deletion. We have freedom of expression here and if someone wants to blast me, I'll take it like a man and I wish they would do the same instead of crying about a harsh letter. Furthermore you'll never see any of my postings without a name and callsign to back up my screen name. I wish I could say that about the moaning,wailing and bitching cowards who are up in arms. 73,Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com"

Quit hiding behind the flag. It won't hide the lies coming from your miserable Trotskyite jew mind. That's why you are known as Dr. Hate. Nobody in their right mind would give their name to a vengeful hate filled jew like you. Is everyone supposed to believe that you have quit writing hateful letters to employers, churches, community leaders and fraternal lodges? Are we supposed to believe you don't write to other hateful jews and give them the names on your hit list? When did you turn over a new leaf? When did you decide to stop being a jew? You must think everyone is as crazy as you are. The is only one reason you have your call and name plastered all over the newsgroup. It isn't because you are brave or have anything worthwhile to take credit for. It's because you are a demented little jew who wants the whole world to see how much he has suffered. Pity the poor jew who is a defrocked dentist! You want everyone to think you are another suffering jew who has been singled out for retribution. Wrong! But never fear. You'll find a few recruits in here. There are always a few bleeding hearts ready to believe your lies. If you are looking for pity then you'll get none from me. I can't wait for the day when you stand before a man like Kevin Strom. I want to hear him pass sentence on a jew like you. How sweet it would be to hear the words when he sends you where you belong. I can't wait for the day when I can look down in my inkwell and think about you. I already think of you every time I take a shit. You can't take anything like a man. First you would have to be a man. I have historical evidence that you are not a man. You are a beast that preys upon the gullible and weak. You don't fool anyone who knows who you are and what you are. You're not fooling anyone when you pretend to be an American. Americans don't use your jew tactics. Thanks for bringing your jew shit to amateur radio. We used to have well behaved jews in ham radio who knew their place. They kept to themselves and tried not to be offensive. Nobody even knew they were jews. Most hams were willing to accept them as long as they didn't act up. Then you and your band of criminal misfits had to come along. Herb was right about you people all along. No wonder you jews are obsessed with crucifying Herb. That's always the jewish answer. Anyone who shines a bright light on your evil jew methods needs to be crucified. That's the jew way. That's not the American way.

Nate
AF2Y replies thusly. Okay, now I know why the "donkmeister" hates me. Based on this reply, he's nothing more than an anti-Semite. I should have known it but didn't. What therefore can I expect from a Hitlerite bastard aside from vile contemptible slander? I don't believe I ever attacked old "donkeyboy"on religious grounds. I gather he's a Christian but then again is he? Read St.Thomas Aquinas's description of Christianity. Love, charity, brotherhood, forgiveness etc. "Donkeyboy," you're a disgrace to your faith and so is your idol Strom and everyone associated with your 3.950 thug net. And oddly enough while attacking Judaism you undoubtedly pray to a man who was born a Jew, lived as one and died as one. Huh? "Donk", you're a flaming schmuck. 73, "Doc" AF2Y
radiosigs@aol.com
P.S. Is your name Nate or Hate?

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2829. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <0FCD49CF08BD3478.5DC7B30FDF659361.DFFF2EA985EFE311@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion, is the all-to-prevelant attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
: and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license with no effort on their part.

There is no honor and glory of being a HAM anymore, it is just now a hobby for nostalgia sake.
Therefore we all deserve to be HAMS as there is nothing to gain from using HAM anymore and there
is nothing special about HAM's anymore except inheriting a bunch of narrow minded old farts for new friends/enemies.

2830. WB2OTK gone? You're nuts. "Donk."

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504163107.00116.00002063@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143969

Nate "Donkeyboy" writes.....<< Same lying Porkbutt who doesn't have too many days left on ham radio. Your
jew buddies won't find a loophole this time.

Nate

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AF2Y writes.....Nate schmuck...Rich will not be taken off the air because I'm willing to bet that Riley Hollingsworth will not do anything to make you anti-Semitic animals happy. Good Lord "Donkeyboynate." consult with your clergy. You need a shot of Christianity.
radiosigs@aol.com

>>

2831. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7gnlabrvl1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 143970

In article <372EFAC3.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>, Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
wrote:
>BD wrote:
>>
>> Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
>> wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
>> Hmm...
>> And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
>> If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
>> for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
>
>Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
>the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
>to for the 20 WPM test!!

The ARRL 13 is sent at 18 with probably 13 for spacing. I know, I took my
General tests April 27th and passed the written but failed the code because of
that very reason. I don't agree with that way of doing the code test. If I'm
copying fine at true 13 at home and then go and hear it coming out at 18, well
it sure screwed ME up. I'll bet it screws most people up as well. Another guy
at the same session said the same thing I did, "That was NO 13wpm".
I should have passed that test if it was sent at 13wpm. But it was not.

>But in reality the Farnsworth speed, for the 5 and 13 WPM test,
>I believe is 18. I can't say for sure about the 5 WPM test, because
>I never took it, but I did take the 13 WPM test in the beginning
>of March and it was 18/13. I would recommend that you actually
>get proficient at 18/15, however. This gives you a little bit
>of an edge. There is always a nerviousness factor when you sit
>down for the test and this gives you a little bit of an advantage.

I agree, anyone who is about to go for the General code test better be
copying at at least 18wpm or forget it. I believe it's wrong to do it that
way. It's a 13 wpm test, not 18. I don't care HOW far the spacing is.
Now I'm practicing my ass off to get my speed up to at least 17wpm. Shouldn't
have to though.

>I was never very good at CW, until I started studying with the
>Farnsworth method. After only 2 months of practice, I found the
>13 WPM test a breeze. I am now working for the 20 WPM test. I'll
>give it a try in June.

Congrats on the upgrade! Good luck on the 20, better copy at least at 25wpm
though.

>I have been mainly using Morse Academy and have found out that the
>sample CW tests, that it generates, are very close to what you
>will hear on the actual test. When I tested, I felt like I was
>just sitting at home in from of my PC.

Supermorse is another great program. Generates code tests as well.

>Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS

73,
Tom

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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2832. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372F5A24.6BBD@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Karina Wright wrote:
>
> Dave Heil wrote in message <372D2289.7359@cats-net.com>...
> >Sir wrote:
> >> A legal speed limit is only a meaningless number pulled out of a hat by
> >> some polititian. When they can't get enough people to speed over that
> >
> > >
> > >This is an easy reply: You don't have any idea what you're talking
> > >about. Posted speeds are not simply "pulled out of a hat".
> >
> Well, actually, no, they are not "pulled out of a hat", however they were
> (and are) to some extent politically motivated. The speed limit was
> originally dropped to 55 back in the 70s in response to the oil/gas crisis
> of the time. Eventually more oil was miraculously discovered, but neither
> the speed limit nor the gas prices ever recovered (and wasn't I thrilled to
> have this all happen just when I got my driver's license).

What you have described was motivated by economics more than politics.
Oil wasn't miraculously discovered but the cartel controlling fell to
internal squabbling. Both the speed limits and the gasoline prices have
recovered. Adjusted for inflation, according to Newsweek, gas prices
are now lower than at any time since 1972.

> The problem is is that roads were engineered for optimization to specific
> speeds and it was/is almost natural to drive at those speeds (if you have a
> road engineered to be comfortable at 45, you tend to drive around that
> limit, if it was engineered to 70, you tend to drive closer to that.

But if it is illegal to drive at 70 mph, you'd still do that because the
road was engineered for that speed?

> Wow,
> miracle of miracles...revenue!!! Now, I'm not saying it was solely the
> ticket money that prompted the reamining at 55, they tried to claim it was
> safer (despite not having any valid third-party studies to back it up).
> Eventually, the politicians have given way to the people on this one, so the
> limits are starting to come back up.

Why was a third party study needed? There certainly were studies
indicating that 55 mph was safer than 70 mph. Common sense would
indicate it even without a study. Safety was a selling point. The real
issue was conserving oil.

Now there is a cheap oil glut. People find arriving sooner at their destination more important than conserving fuel or being safe. The people and the politicians have short memories. We're burning oil like there's no tomorrow.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2833. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11924-372F547B-24@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143972

Oh, shut the f-ck up, Doc! Norm Resnick and the owners of the "American Freedom Network" are listed as a "hate group". And they are all:

J E W I S H !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Jr.

2834. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <372F5D2E.61D3@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

charles copeland wrote:
>
> In article <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>,
> William Lee <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
> >Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to become
> >a HAM if it is:
> >1. Impossable for you to learn code.
> >2. Too expensive to get a CW waver.
> >3. Too much greif and insults from other hams.
> >4. Full of other people who are Fuddy Duddy's.
> >
> >Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
> >Or do you think it would all change if someone would just GIVE you a license.
> >William Lee N5WRX
>
> I wasted my time learning CW and getting a general lisense. HF is
> overwhelming used by fuddy-duddies who use it to talked about health
> problems. Or re-re-re-hash tales of WWII. What a bore.

We could certainly use more sharp fellows like you, Charles. What do
you like to discuss--computer games? music videos? navel piercings?
How do you propose we limit the content of conversations? You must have
several proposals for accomplishing that.

> The fellow is smart to stay away till the CW requirement is dropped.
> Yes, things will change when HF priviledges are GIVEN away, thank god.

By the way, you'll have to suffer a few decades of my crowd re-hashing
Vietnam War tales and we've only begun our future of health problems.
Hope you can hang on for the fun to begin.

Dave Heil 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2835. Ebay: Another Motorola GP68 Service/Programming Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net
Message-ID: <372e38b1.70345244@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 143977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual. Includes schematics, exploded views, and programming
instructions for the GP63, GP68, GP68 Plus, and GP68-8. Original Motorola, not a photocopy. Buyer prepays
with Internationally Negotiable money order. Buyer prepays actual shipping charges.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=99135696

2836. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7glekr$6q9$1@east42.supernews.com>
Source record: 143978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7gl58dbac1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com> wrote:
>
>1. How many new hams will join the ranks when the
>code is abolished?

Probably a lot.

>2. How many new hams are mandated to "SAVE"
>amateur radio from oblivion??

>3. What happened to all of the new hams licensed since
>the VHF no-code license was introduced?

They came in by the boat loads. Just look at which class has the most hams.
Look at the class that brings in the most new hams.

>4. What "AWARD" did the amateur service receive from
>congress or the FCC in recognition of the influx
>of new hams from the new no-code licenses?

Lots of hams donating time and resources to emergency communications.

>5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
>behind the decline of Amateur Radio?

I think it's the biggest cause *today*. Testing for CW isn't needed today
IMHO. I'd rather that people have to learn more theory instead.
Those who WANT to use CW on HF should have to take a CW test maybe.

73,
Tom
(who took his General tests last April 27th and passed the written but failed
the code, so it's back to code practice for a little while longer.)

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My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

2837. Re: Riley and 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503210809.12601.00001795@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 143979

Doc. I wouldn't worry to much about Lloyd, he will be gone soon, just like his old man, and brother!

2838. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7glias$b2v@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Each and every follow-up to this topic is being cross-posted on
rec.radio.swap. Please eliminate rrs from your fol-ups, for:

Please accept this reminder of the following item which
appears in the rec.radio.swap FAQ/charter:

"PLEASE DO NOT POST DISCUSSION ARTICLES TO THIS GROUP. If you really must
post, please do so to the appropriate discussion group. Use email whenever
possible, especially if you feel someone has committed a breach of
etiquette."

(The full FAQ is posted by myself on the 15th of each month.)

For a smoother-running newsgroup, please abide by the charter.

Jeff KH6O (rec.radio.amateur working-group)

2839. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7glis9$bgd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143981

Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman) wrote:

>> Well, in the old days, hams used wavelength instead of frequency
>> to describe their bands. When you list the bands in wavelength order
>> from largest to smallest, 160m is on top.

>Gary, when you list the entire list of numbers, from the largest number to the
>smallest number, which number is at the top, and why would you list it first?

Note that Gary prefaced his comment with "hams." That pretty much limits
the wavelengths he's referring to, Brian.

If you look on the "slide rule" dial of any older ham-band receiver,
you'll see the 160 meter band scale above all the other bands. Thus, on
any of those receivers, 160 was the top band. The lingo remains even
to this day.

73, Jeff KH6O

2840. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7glj3s$bhr@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil, you're "spamming" the .space, .scanner, and .shortwave NGs with
this thread.

W6RCecilA wrote:
> The treaty itself has provisions specifying exactly how certain sections
> can be ignored. Japan has taken advantage of those provisions.

10W output, phone-only, limited access to HF frequencies. Almost
sounds like our CB radio service.
73, Jeff KH6O

2841. Re: WA2EXQ's complaints

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gln76$6ou$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143983

So much for Jewish people not being BIGOTS. BANANAS = BIGOT
>>>In article
<19990502213256.20733.00001315@ng-cd1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Hey Lloyd the toid....instead of worrying about OTK, I suggest the following
> for you:
> (1) buy some bananas
> (2)pray for your Schweinund master,KV4FZ who soon will hear that the BIG court
> in D.C.upholds the FCC's decision not to renew and Schoenbohm will begin the
> Herbie Shortwave Listeners Club.
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2842. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7glnh6$74d$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143984

Speaking of sheep dip, DR HATE is indeed the donkey dung of Amateur Radio.
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>In article
<19990502212630.20733.00001314@ng-cd1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Maybe Riley wanted to know when the revolution is going to start? I've been
> asking that for some time. I mean are you anti-government dudes going to do
> something tangible enough to be rewarded by a bullet from the muzzle of an FBI
> revolver or are you simply going to bitch and moan and gripe and accuse like
> old backfence-blabbing hags?I'm saying that Riley PUTS UP with you because the
> Constitution says so. But liking you is like liking sheep dip. AF2Y
> a.k.a.radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2843. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7glo3p$7k4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143985

ATTENTION: Gentlemen..ATTENTION: ATTENTION:

It looks like this is the New home of AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
AKA DOCTOR H A T E

Things MUST be SLOW or to "HOT" for you on 20 and 75

Let the HATE Pour out "Doc" its good for your "black" soul

Cheers

Nate

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2844. Power of the TinyTenna!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503221548.25083.00001569@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 143986

I had a oppurtunity to show off the Power of the TinyTenna!

I was a another Ham's place this last weekend, we were out side playing with my Sangean ATS 909 and the TinyTenna. We thought we would see if the TinyTenna would "overload". We put the aligator clip on a 80ft guy wire holding up one of the guy's towers. What we saw then, we could not believe it! There WAS NO OVERLOAD to the Radio! Remember, this is connected to a system of Guy wires!

I have witnesses to this.

http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - Ramdom wire antenna
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB - Mobile Station
WEB PAGES:
http://members.aol.com/N0VFP
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

2845. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990503232214.02847.00000724@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 143987

In article <7glo3p$7k4$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>, The Equalizer
<equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com> writes:

>ATTENTION: Gentlemen..ATTENTION: ATTENTION:

>It looks like this is the New home of AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>AKA DOCTOR H A T E

>Things MUST be SLOW or to "HOT" for you on 20 and 75

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2846. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372E6AC0.25FAE527@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> Cecil, you're "spamming" the .space, .scanner, and .shortwave NGs with
> this thread.

I'm not spamming, Jeff. Spamming is a deliberate act. I lose 20% of my
already small display if I turn on the "Display Full Headers" option.
The spamming is being done by whoever started the thread. Looks like
I'm going to have to sacrifice 20% of my display to avoid the jerks.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2847. ARRL Propaganda Machine Spins On (Letterman)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7glvabdau1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman

So, ARRL with your big announcements, guess you can spoon feed Riley Hollingsworthless hams to wrist slap but it just doesn't work with Westinghouse, hmm ?

Like I said, NO ONE IN REAL WORLD AMERICA 1999 GIVES A DAMN ABOUT HAM RADIO AS MOST HAMS THINK THEY DO. Code, no code, no radio, WHATEVER !

Not so much as an audience pan shot of LIMARC ! No name badges, no banner, no belt shacks, and no propeller topped beanies.

Just another example that ARRL staffers think the world revolves around them, their contests and repeater directory.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2848. TS-930S LF-output

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antoon <antoonm@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gm1k9$f3u$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143990

I'm looking for a mod that gives the TS-930S a LF-output that is NOT depending on the AF-gain setting. This output will be connected to the SB-card input and used for SSTV/PSK31/Hell etc.
Who did such a mod or knows where I can find it.

Antoon, PA3BWE

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2849. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925796003.728.68@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The internet makes amateur radio obsolete for _____ (what?) amusement, entertainment, communication, education, international good will? It never had a purpose except as a vehicle for normal people -- you and I, our grandparents, and our grandchildren -- to explore RF communications. At what point does this become obsolete? Code or no code, why would you wish for that?

Let's see if we can't boil down the rest of your message. On the one hand, there are the "old, narrow-minded, bigoted farts" upholding the logic that keeps the sniveling, whiny little give-it-to-me-now turds off HF. I can see their point of view quite easily. I also believe I see your point of view, and it looks very badly for you. There is no grand vision behind your sniveling. All you want is access to the portion of the bands that stipulates a (somewhat low) standard of knowledge to operate in.

If there's more to your whining than that, your incompletely formed language skills weren't able to express it. After thousands of messages, all I hear is BungHole, Spot, Duslexic, and the hundreds before you, yammering to change the rules for their personal sake. "Let me IN! I can save HAM radio!" It doesn't need saving, except maybe from the likes of you.

Michael.

BungHole <bung@hole.org> wrote in message news:A7F66CFEECEF15B3.BE39DE8F475EF3CA.A396DC733AB0A5C5@library-proxy.airnews.net...
: 5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
: behind the decline of Amateur Radio?

The decline of Amateur Radio is due to largely the internet making HAM obsolete except for nostalgia sake (though
alot of HAM's who need to feel more important than they are, would argue).
The secondary reason that HAM has declined is due to a alot of old, narrow minded, biggoted farts who think
they are special and OWN the entire 160-80m range.
Fortunately, these people are old, smoke alot and have alot of ailments (probably from years of being exposed
to high wattage RF) so they will all be dead in a few years anyhow.
There are those who carry on the old fart disfunctional attitudes but they are fortunately (and for HAM's sake) outnumbered
by a majority of new free thinkers who not only want change but see the need for change before HAM becomes nothing

but a cute memory, joked about by grandkids while they are playing video games and sufing the net.

2850. Re: Morse code decoder program wanted... - Try CwGet 0.06

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: amx@i.am
Message-ID: <7gm49j$h2k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143992

In article <7gkpsqcol1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>,
"William Lee" <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
> Anyone know of a good morse code decoding program for the PC or Mac?
>
> I want one that samples the sound from the receiver and converts it to
> letters on the PC screen.

Try my CwGet:
http://ua9osv.virtualave.net or
http://ua9osv.tsx.org

BTW, I uploaded new version (0.06) yesterday.

73!
Sergei,
UA9OSV

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2851. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <TcwX2.15118$Dx6.234130@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143993

RFEnforcer wrote in message

>If there was any question as to the effectiveness of Riley Hollingsworth's
>recent campaign to clean up the Amateur Radio Service, one has to look no
>further than the recent activity on this Internet newsgroup. Most of the
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>as to whom I'm making reference to.
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>recent FCC investigation and/or enforcement efforts, are now carrying on
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>personal vendettas via the Internet. Coincidence? Hardly. Expect more of
>these familiar "problem children" of the airwaves to surface here in the
coming
>weeks as Mr. Hollingsworth's noose tightens around their collective necks
and
>puts a long-overdue end to their illegal activities on amateur radio.
>

Yes, and now that they're here- unlike on the air, you can easily place them
in your Kill File - no more QRM here either....

73 de KF6KNB

2852. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <372EA947.2B5C1A98@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 143994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

What the hell does this have to do with amateur radio? Digression is one thing, but this is way over the top, ranting politivcal spam.

Mike Dickman wrote:
>

>
> *** average temperature 6 below ***
> sunrise 10:48 am sunset 2:44 pm
> giving 3 hours 56 minutes of possible sunshine
>
>
> Mike (KD4LLA)
>
> For the people who like peace and quiet: a phoneless cord <grin>!
>
> The longer Bill Clinton stays in office, the more we pay.
>
> Our justice system pays because he has opened the door for millions of
> us to play games with the notion of telling "the whole truth" under
> oath. Our military personnel pay because they have to carry out their
> duties while grappling with questions regarding the motives of their
> commander in chief. Our national intellect pays because, with his
> myriad verbal contortions and willful deceptions, the president has
> become little more than a walking, talking insult to our intelligence.
> Finally, the taxpayers pay because, in his efforts to keep "looking
> presidential" and "doing the work of the people," he is creating more
> new programs and growing the government.
>
> Haven't we paid enough already?
>
> See my web page at http://www.alaska.net/~mdickman/Index.htm

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

2853. News from http://www.ampr.sp.ru

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: phil@rise.dux.ru
Message-ID: <7gm9oo$1qj$2@rise.dux.ru>
Source record: 143995

hi,
See new version of my QSL info system:
http://www.ampr.spb.ru/multi

It's make use of http://www.ampr.spb.ru/DB ,
http://www.ampr.spb.ru/search , QRZ , Buckmaster

73!
Alexander.
rw1qm/1
rw1qm@qsl.net

2854. plessey hf2250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Soulie <soulie@zipworld.com.au>
Message-ID: <372EB5B2.3E590070@zipworld.com.au>
Source record: 143996

I have a Plessey HF2250 HF RX (its on page 327 of S/W Rx past and
present 3rd ed) after working on it for over 6 months have finaly got it

working to the stage I can't hear signals on it however there is still a

couiple of bugs which I can resolve because I dont have any manuals or
info on the RX bar the IF frequency and guessed mostly everthing else
it appears that the Rx came form the armed force up in NT and was used
as a spare to fix other RX

have you heard of the Rx
do you know where I could lay my hands on service manual or schematics
I tried Plessey Australia and UK to no avail.

Regards
Richard VK2ARS
soulie@zipworld.com.au

2855. Plessey hf2250

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Soulie <soulie@zipworld.com.au>
Message-ID: <372EB5F2.4B3EB249@zipworld.com.au>
Source record: 143997

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2856. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372eb64c.74228378@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 3 May 1999 17:41:46 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
wrote:

>
>1. How many new hams will join the ranks when the
>code is abolished?

Few for that reason, but it will be easier to keep the new
ones we get, and we will start the process of closing the widening gap
betwen the VHF and HF ham world
>
>2. How many new hams are mandated to "SAVE"
>amateur radio from oblivion??

That is not the job of the new hams. As to how many well that
depends on how they are treated. If people would treat all new hams
better then fewer will needed.

>
>3. What happened to all of the new hams licensed since
>the VHF no-code license was introduced?

Some of them are here, many of them were dirven off by the
elitism and BS of the HF hams
>
>4. What "AWARD" did the amateur service receive from
>congress or the FCC in recognition of the influx
>of new hams from the new no-code licenses?

None of of course, but then we are not suppoed to expect
compensation for being hams and saving ham radio, that is part of the
price in our license (to be a bit free with the part 97 wording)

>
>5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
>behind the decline of Amateur Radio?

Sole cause No, a major one yes
>
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>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372ebc7d.75813918@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 May 1999 20:24:31 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On Mon, 03 May 1999 09:34:06 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
>> wrote:
>
>> >> That is the lie, one of the Most prenious told by the
>> >> ProCoder. I spent five never manging to make it to 5wpm whioch was
>> >> required in those day. I can sing even quite well, according to those
>> >> that have heard me.
>> >
>> >Mark, you simply must stop calling people liars. What kind of lie is
>> >the prenious type? Congrats on never manging.
>>
>> Dave are you serious? I truely can't tell. I can call anybody
>> anything I like, wther or not it is to may be to my advantage, or
>> wether it is subject to somekind of scantion. Like for yelling fire in
>> a theatre.
>
>You can call somebody a liar but if it isn't true you are viewed as the
>liar or someone can seek legal remedies or if you do it face to face,
>you run the risk of being landing on the seat of your Dockers.

If you are going to sue me sue me and get it over with. but
levae off attacking the 1st amdedment
>
> > Now offering congrats to somebody on not passing code is IMO
>> simply sick
>
>I said nothing regarding a code test.

Another lie
>
> That is the lie, one of the Most prenious told by the
> ProCoder. I spent five never manging to make it to 5wpm whioch was
> required in those day. I can sing even quite well, according to those
> that have heard me.

Mark, you simply must stop calling people liars. What kind of lie is
the prenious type? Congrats on never manging.
You clearly gave me congrat on never maning to pass a code tes or
upon further reflection you could have playing tease the disabled, if

you think you got a case go for it
>
>> Pernicous Lies sorry but then how is that you can read Morse
>> Code if somebody gets a dit and a dah backwards. I am tiold it is not
>> hard , yet you can not handle the simple leter transposition, One of
>> the commonest sign of the Dyslexic? You and the ProCoder always refuse
>> to answer this one. Why is that?
>
>Your first attempt wasn't even close. The second is recognizable as a
>spelling error. The first try was not simple letter transposition; it
>was butchery.

IYO maybe, but then I don't what goes through your mind, if
anything, after you believe that Morse Code is more important than
anything else in Ham radio How can I judge the rest of your mind

>
>> >
>> >> >All sorts of people have learned enough Morse code to pass code tests;
>> >>
>> >> So what? all sort of people survived being caught up in Jim
>> >> Crow in the southy too
>> >
>> >Again, Mark, attitude is the key. You don't survive morse code. You
>> >master it. What, by the way, is "the southy"?
>>
>> Indeed I am glad to see you that I can't survive Morse Code,
>> rather shoots your idea in the foot though
>
>Maybe you'll get better at the comprehension thing over time.

Maybe you will too, after all you call passing a Code test as
currently given Mastering Morse Code. Indeed if one is lucky your
don't even have to know Morse Code at that level

>
>> >> >it's only a matter of method, practice and patience. As I recall, once you
>> >>
>> >> Five years and not manging is not enough for you?
>> >
>> >Keep at it, Mark. I haven't manged in 50 years.
>>
>> Do you know why I read this dreck Dave. let me tell you. the
>> fact you ProCoders can only respond by attacking my duslexia and not
>> my ideas convinces me that we the NoCoders will win this fight. You
>> think any of that nonsense is going to get you anywhere with say the
>> FCC where it counts?
>
>I thought you read it because you're a masochist. While we're on the
>topic--I think your ideas are second rate too.

You keep saying I am a mashcist I am not I am a sado mashicist
but then mean I have willing partners and agred upon limits. In this
NG nothing is off lkimts, from taesing a man religion to threating his
life. this forum is SM is broberline warfare and gets worse everyday,
if it were not for a purpose then I and no person of sense would be
here

At least I have ideas of my own, all you do is poly parrot
ideas from the 50's

>
>> >
>> >> Two years as documented recently in QST?
>> >
>> >The fellow featured in QST had difficulties. He didn't quit though. He
>> >passed!
>>
>> Yeah and suffered through two years doing it. Like Carl I
>> wonder if he really did pass. He may simply have been passed or if he
>> was taking MC exams may have gotten lucky and still not known morse
>> Code. Do you really think he is a better ham and fond of Morse Code
>> for this treatment?
>
>So now you know he suffered and you and what's his face suspect that the
>guy received a "gimme". I don't believe you have any knowledge of the
>fellow's situation. Do I think he's a better ham? Yep, and a better
>human being too. I have no way of knowing if he is fond of morse code.
>What treatment?

I never said gimmie To paraphrase myself I suspect he may have
gotten a gift form the gods of Fate and fortune, a mricale. I know he
suffered I wonder if he then recieved a end to that suffering by
di=evine grace. Istil look for miracles in the world sad that you
don't.

Then frankly I think you are sick. To say he is a btter for
suffering the treatment of tortue by morse and VE for two years
>
>> >> Sound s more like hazing than anything else
>> >
>> >Anything which you can't do is "hazing".
>>
>> Do you really belive that. Then how is it that the NoCode
>> Movement includes people that Call Code Testing Hazing, they managed,
>> but it is still hazing.
>
>Just because some code-tested hams refer to morse testing as hazing
>doesn't make it so.

Agreedm but you missied the point (as an act of wil perhaps)
IF people who can do it still call it hazing then YOUR statement that
anything you can't do is hazing is wrong. I s that idea really to hard
fopr you or were just being a slick willy clone

>
>> >> >had a receiver, it was only a matter of memorizing the code patterns from a
>> >> >printed chart and spending twenty minutes per night, four nights a week
>> >> >listening to W1AW's code practice sessions at 5 and 7.5 words per minute,
>> >> >to learn enough code to pass a code test before an FCC examiner (this was
>> >> >the 1950s).
>> >>
>> >> I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are
>> >> either lieing or don't know what you are talking about
>> >
>> >The famous Mark Morgan "you simply are either lieing or...". Mark, the
>> >word is "lying" and he's speaking for the bulk of the populace. You
>> >seem to be the exception to the rule. That doesn't mean the man is
>> >lying or that he doesn't know what he's talking about.
>>
>> It certainly does when he claims evrybody can learn evrybody
>> includes me therefore he is either lieing or does not know what is
>> talking about. In accepting there are expceptions You state that the
>> statement is true. Simple logic.
>>
>> >
>> >> >starting as slow as you'd like them to. The only thing standing between
>> >> >anyone who can read English, Braille or whatever, and reading code at
>> >>
>> >> Plain and simply false
>> >
>> >Back off, Mark. He said anyone who could read English. You don't seem
>> >to be part of that crowd.
>>
>> I am indeed, part of that crowd, what I am not is amoug those
>> able to write it freely and easily. And even if the statement is true
>> then it is all right to exclude american sreading of say Sapnish from
>> the air?
>
>
>I think it is. Actually you need to be fluent in some known tongue.

Then you sir are a bigot and unable to fufill the mission of
the ARS as defeined by part 97, do turn in your license on the way out
>
>> >
>> >> >5 words per minute is determination and an investment of time. You may
>> >> >resent having to learn code, but if you want to learn the code, you'll learn
>> >> >the code. Any body (in less politically correct times we used to say
>> >> >"Any body's little sister") can learn the code. It just ain't that hard.
>> >>
>> >> Pity you don't the real world at al
>> >
>> >I do the real world et al.
>>
>> That is what you say. that does not mean I believe you. no i

>> am not calling you a lieir merely uninformed.
>
>Reading comprehension, Mark.

Yes admiting you lack it, bigot
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

Mark Morgan
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deemed aceptance of these terms

2858. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925811804.748.45@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 144000

hi hi. Its 18/5 and 18/13. That's one of the major points of Farnsworth,
I think.

I've been using Morse Academy, although NuMorse sounds much better than
the AdLib squeaks MA puts out. I have yet to hear a clean dit come out
of my radio, though, so maybe it's best this way.

Michael.

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:7gm782$gg1$1@newnews.startext.net...
> Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
wouldn't I
> need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
> Hmm...
> And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds? If it's
13/5
> for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13 for 13wpm? Sounds sorta
> impossible to me.. ;)
>
>
>

2859. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372ec5fe.78247031@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144001
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 03 May 1999 20:08:03 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>
>> The
>> Burden involved in learning code clearly increased in today world. The
>> need for doing as declined. these are simple facts (the debate comes
>> when you try and say how much)
>
>The debate is now whether you can verify this increased burden and the
>decline in necessity. You invented your simple "facts".

You dsipute that Code is less nessary today than when it was
the on;ly mode in extence? Gee I admit I thank that was pretty plain
do really disute it. You also deny that world operates at a different
and fastre pace leaving most people less therefore Morse Code is more
of a burden, Gee are you sure you get out at all?

>
>> No we are not equal, because you are being allowed to use your
>> modes on HF and I am not, thereforeyou have been rights beyond those I
>> have, therefore we don't have equal rights.
>
>> BTW while I do think that Morse Coded Cw is as anet thing bad
>> for the ARS. I don't seek to impose that position on those that
>> disagree. You as close to a first thought suggest baning other
>> peopples Modes. Another Common systom of the ProCoders wanting to
>> control others. You want me to spend my time as you like, but I don't
>> seek to impose my views on you. I merely ask, nay I demand the same
>> rights in Public airwaves that you have
>
>Forsooth, Mark! You already have the same rights. The opportunity to
>pass the same exams I passed exists for you. You get no guarantee of
>success. Your demand only makes you look silly.

To you of course it does. but then you refuse to admit you ursurp thmy
rights to that airspace IT is mine by right, and rescrition made on my
access must by be needed, Th at burdern is on you to prove that Morse
Code is needed, not on me to prove it is not. I may look silly to you,
but your claim that you have right to have your mode exaglted ablive
all others makes you look like well a thief, a bigot, and indeed to me
down right unamerican even antiamerican. It is all a mater of point of
view

>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>
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>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

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2860. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7gmhmtoka1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 144002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A little further up the list you will find a new ham who just got his no
code license.
He wants to know what a wire antenna is.

First comes the NO CODE license quickly followed by the NO BRAIN license.

I wonder if "lack of intelligence" can be used to get a medical waver for
the CW test.

William Lee N5WRX

Steve Ellington wrote in message <372deb87.0@news.iglou.com>...
>Well ....they don't know what it is but it takes brains so they want to do
>away with whatever it is. Typical liberals. This is the same kind of
>reasoning that has ruined our public school system. Why teach arithmetic
>when we have calculators etc......
>
>
>
>DKBMC (dkbmc@flash.net) wrote:
>: You don't have to see, you have to hear in order to know it is a form of
>: communication hence, language. Even signing with hands to the deaf is a
>: language. Sign Language, most sign language does not involve letters but
it
>: is considered a language is it not. There is a book written by Peter
>: Carron, W3DKV titled, MORSE CODE: The Essential Language.
>
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>--
>Steve Ellington N4LQ
>N4LQ@IGLOU.COM

2861. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372ec9bd.79206738@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 3 May 1999 15:35:22 -0400, "Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:

>
>Anyway, a handicap declaration should mean something. As it is, it's
>BS and in my mind was used strictly as a wedge to keep the no-code
>issue under control for a short while longer.

IF you are right on this point (and I suspect that you are) It
does point out the level of effort and the period of time that these
still deiedn by some parties issues have been festering in the ARS,
and the imporper means used in the past and the present to aviod realy
dealing with the issue
>
>Mike Yetsko
>N1DVJ
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2862. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <372eca79.79394447@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 03 May 1999 13:53:15 -0500, Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net>
wrote:

>In a later paragraph: "For a character-by-character examination, a grade
>of 70% or more correct characters can be considered passing".
>
>Unfortunately, then comes the kicker, in Mark's case: "If the candidate
>doesn't have a readily identifiable handicap/disability or if the
>candidate doesn't provide a Doctor's Statement describing the
>handicap/disability he/she suffers from, you are not to offer the more
>flexible accommodations in administering the Morse code examination."

In my case it is worse than than you care to draw, since the
degree to which I am affect changes GREATLY as the long time reader
hear can attest, In my the problem is subject to ready identifation by
a Doctor, but the level of accomdation is not clear even to a doctor.

>
>In many situations, that puts the VE team between a rock and a hard
>place, because the VEs are generally not qualified to assess "hidden"
>disabilities like dyslexia, stroke after-effects, etc. In the case of
>the Handi-Ham camps, the staff and instructors (including at least one
>MD) who have been working with the students all week can advise the VE
>team as to the level of accommodation that might be needed. It's a lot
>tougher at a VE session where people simply walk in off the street.
>
>Lyle, K0LR

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2863. Re: Riley and 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13773-372ED0A7-8@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 144005

Rich "a heart attack just waiting to happen" Whiten has a lot to talk about. Just keep eating like you're eating, Rich! And ole Riley won't have to do a damn thing with ya!

Jr.

2864. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@geocites.kb9rqz.com
Message-ID: <372eda76.83488489@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 144006

On Mon, 03 May 1999 20:45:35 -0700, Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>I didn't know that a 13 or 20 wpm CW test was etched in granite. Maybe

In point of fact the ProcOders seem to thnk it is echted in
byrilium (emererald and their off to see the wizard)

>some of you old timers could give me a history lesson about who chose
>these magical numbers and why? Is there some reason these numbers
>couldn't be 12, 10, 5, or 30. Maybe the 12 or 20 wpm are all the code
>founders could copy!! ;-O

Not an OT but asI understand the the Mater the ARRL suggested
12.5 at one point long ago the FCC rounded that 13 to be easier. The
20 rate was twice the 10 wpm rate which was felt at the time to be the
minium rate at which somebody could be called skilled (the 12.5 rate
idea to insure that in off air test that you could 10 on Air) The
whole as I understand is in the ARRL on 160 meters, but that is the
reads digest abridged version, ala morgan

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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2865. WTB: CTCSS CTN520 Unit for Standard C528

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pilot <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <jJBX2.444$vk3.82244@news1.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 144007
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

looking for a CTCSS(Tone Squelch) Unit CTN520 for Standard C528
iden1000@hotmail.com

2866. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gmt34$5vo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 144008

In article <372E6D5F.5E7B11AF@hotmail.com>,
Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote:
> Steve Murphy wrote: So, Oscar, what's your excuse? "Sick, lame, lazy,
> or stupid?"
> ----
> It must be the latter three since I didn't make the first cut of the
> Rhodes or Fulbright scholarships nominations. Maybe I could exploit the
> sick part and add Agent Orange exposure.
>
> But I'm glad you you agreed with my implicit statement that 5 year olds
> that know Morse C. are the exception just as child prodigies in any
> given field are exceptions.
>
> I didn't know that a 13 or 20 wpm CW test was etched in granite. Maybe
> some of you old timers could give me a history lesson about who chose
> these magical numbers and why? Is there some reason these numbers
> couldn't be 12, 10, 5, or 30. Maybe the 12 or 20 wpm are all the code
> founders could copy!! ;-O
>
From what I understand the "magic number of 13" was chosen because it is the
aproximate speed that one must actually "know" the code to be able copy.

As you progress you will notice a "plateau" of about 7 and 12, 18, etc.
When you pass these levels you will notice your speed will jump faster and
faster until you reach the next plateau. Beleive it or not, if you keep at
it, 20 will seem slow to you.

Dan/W4NTI

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2867. Tek Scope Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis Bironas <dkbirona@mail.delcoelect.com>
Message-ID: <372EEF5D.D95@mail.delcoelect.com>
Source record: 144009

Anyone repair oscilloscopes? I have a Tektronics 454 A that needs repaired. Does anyone know who repairs these?

2868. FS: ALINCO DJ-580

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <mtCX2.550$vk3.87704@news1.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 144010
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I've a Alinco DJ-580 (EXt TX 420-470, EXT RX 800/900MHZ, Air Band)w/EBP-20N
7.2v battery ,desktop charger and Manual. Ask for $160US+ Shipping

73,
Vic
Va3sdu
iden1000@hotmail.com

2869. Ham Radio Swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny & Linda <ko6oy@fishnet.net>
Message-ID: <372EF2CA.DC3A1893@fishnet.net>
Source record: 144011

Ham Radio Swap !!!
Buy, Sell, Trade & Wants
All Personal Ham Related Ads Posted FREE !!

http://www.fishnet.net/~ko6oy/swapage4.htm

Hi, if you haven't been here in a while,
we have new updates and an easier loading page.
Stop by for a visit.
and if you have..... thanks !!
73 Danny ko6oy

2870. FS: YAESU FT-530 $199

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sDCX2.588$vk3.89104@news1.rdc1.on.wave.home.com>
Source record: 144012
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I've a YAESU FT-530 Dual Band HT, with 12V battery , Quick Desktop Charger
and Vox Headset(YH-2) $199US +shipping

73,
Vic
iden1000@hotmail.com

2871. Medical specialty 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504093407.22974.00002031@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 144013

Before leaving on vacation to Florida on Apr.24th, I saw my urologist for my regular prostate checkup and if you fellows over 50 don't also go, uou're nuts. Well anyway, before giving me a digital rectal and taking blood for a PSA analysis, he asked me how strong was my
"STROM." I replied, "KEVIN." to whch he replied,"It's too weak."

Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2872. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gmtj1$5de$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 144014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

OK< then lets force mandatory retesting of CW every couple years. Don't
pass? Downgrade!

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

CommQuart wrote in message <7gl5jq$e2c$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>No, you simply memorized the Morse Code. CW is the same
>as riding a bicycle. Once learned, it is not easily forgotten.
>
>Sir wrote in message <372D1167.3C71@sir.com>...
>>> If you'd ever known Morse code, you'd still know Morse code.
>>
>>Not always true. I knew morse code, and don't remember any of it now
>>since I never used it after learning it. The same is true for many
Hams
>>I know.
>
>

2873. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7gmu12$lmf@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144015

Since you posted this in response to my comment as well as sending
it directly to my e-mail box I assume it is personally directed.

I am not a participant on 3.950 but rather a ham that finds the
jamming behavior abhorent. Morons shouting "Faggot" and suggesting
deviant sexual acts are not what anateur radio is supposed to be
all about.

First of all who do you think you are to speak for Mr.
Hollingsworth and his motivations and intentions? His
presence did prevent several of the worst hecklers from doing
their usual. Secondly I have heard a lot of accusations about
what the organized net says but I have never heard this sort
of thing. To be fair it is possible I just am unable to hear
what they have to say living only 60 air miles from Sid the
Lid Mahan and his rousing rendition of Anchors Aweigh and
the Faggot song.

I take no particular side in the political argument I am
just opposed to the jamming. I know that may be just too
simple for you to understand but please try.

In <19990503133351.24975.00001647@ng-fq1.aol.com> radiosigs@aol.com
(Radiosigs) writes:
>
>And you really think that Riley Hollingsworth approves of
racism,anti-Semitism
>and all the rest of your 3.950 rot? For all you know a relative of his
could
>have died fighting you filthy bastards in the European Theater from
1943-1945?
>No, Riley is there to guarantee freedom of expression but he's too
fine a
>gentlemen to pee on you if you caught fire.
>radiosigs@aol.com

2874. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <372EFAC3.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 144016

BD wrote:
>
> Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
> wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
> Hmm...
> And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
> If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
> for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)

Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
to for the 20 WPM test!!

But in reality the Farnsworth speed, for the 5 and 13 WPM test,
I believe is 18. I can't say for sure about the 5 WPM test, because
I never took it, but I did take the 13 WPM test in the beginning
of March and it was 18/13. I would recommend that you actually
get proficient at 18/15, however. This gives you a little bit
of an edge. There is always a nerviousness factor when you sit
down for the test and this gives you a little bit of an advantage.

I was never very good at CW, until I started studying with the
Farnsworth method. After only 2 months of practice, I found the
13 WPM test a breeze. I am now working for the 20 WPM test. I'll
give it a try in June.

I have been mainly using Morse Academy and have found out that the
sample CW tests, that it generates, are very close to what you
will hear on the actual test. When I tested, I felt like I was
just sitting at home in from of my PC.

I vaguely remember trying NuMorse, but I don't remember why I
chose Morse Academy over it.

Martin

--
Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS martin.e.meserve
Engineer, Program/Project Specialist AT
Lockheed Martin M&DS - Reconnaissance Systems lmco.com

I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

2875. A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <372EFD52.75744FF1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>...that will be the end of all our problems with this
> individual. But there will be someone else with
>an axe to grind to take his place. 73s

You may call yourself a "lowly CBer," but it looks
like you have more sense then a lot of hams these days.

Radio loonies have been around since spark and
will be around as long as mankind warms the ether.
The names and frequencies change but one thing
forever remains the same:
They are only as big a problem as we make them.

The vast, vast majority of QSOs on the ham
bands are "straight," normal conversations.
Did you ever see a thirty-post long
thread on those good operators?
No- but Rich and Doc
get more press then Kosovo, for God's sake!

By focusing attention on the few nut cases,
we make a minor annoyance into a major problem
and give them the infamy and attention they crave.
Stop making them the "stars" of ham radio
and they will dry up and blow away.

Go listen to a good technical conversation on 3768 KC.
Talk with someone about weak signal work on 189 KC or 432 MC.
Do ANYTHING but sit on 14.313
wringing your hands over Rich and Doc.
In the big picture, they're less then nothing.
Stop wasting the precious, irreplaceable minutes
of your life worrying about them.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

And I still say we are going to rue the day
we demanded the Feds step in
and wipe our snotty noses for us.

2876. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7gmui1$mfv@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 144018

In <19990503190137.19127.00001847@ng-ce1.aol.com> kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO) spewing venom writes:
>
>Damn well said. I"m glad others also see what this "So Called" net on 3950 is
>about!

Ah, The Minister of Propaganda has been heard from. Which "So Called" net would that be Timmie? Perhaps you are refering to "Sid's Stooges" AKA the SS they were the ones misbehaving?

BTW Timmie where were you? Since what you do isn't jamming why didn't you give Mr. Hollingsworth a little sample?

Now I know not only are you a putz but you are a gutless putz.

2877. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <372EFF3C.2E753F0A@dimensional.com>
Source record: 144019

Martin Meserve wrote:

> BD wrote:
> >
> > Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
> > wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
> > Hmm...
> > And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
> > If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
> > for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
>
> Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
> the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
> to for the 20 WPM test!!
>

If I remember correctly the 20 WPM test is sent at 20 WPM character speed, so it is not as daunting as it sounds. If I may throw my 2 cents worth in, the W1AW code broadcasts and on-the-air QSOs are also great preparation for the tests. Good luck!

73,

Marv
AB0IO

2878. Re: More Worthless Tips from W4ZV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Tippett <btippett@ctc.net>
Message-ID: <372EF353.2564A627@ctc.net>
Source record: 144020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Doesn't take much to justify his 25,000 dollar antenna array.

Say what? 180 feet of Rohn 45 costs $25K? I'll be happy to take it down and even install it
at your trailer park for $15K (BTW, it cost me under $2K as I accumulated it over the years).

> Yes Bill, we're all too stupid to find it on a map and need you to educate us.

If you take the $10K I saved you above, you can then complete your GED and buy a diploma!

> Since you spend so much of your income on radios, you MUST be more intelligent
> than the rest of the hams.

Oh, are you a ham? I didn't notice your callsign. You must be one of those anonymous jammers I
hear a lot of these days. Too bad it isn't as easy to put out a good RF signal as it is to write garbage
here on the Internet!

73, Bill W4ZV

2879. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: noUCE@netFour.org
Message-ID: <noUCE.3.02D78200@netFour.org>
Source record: 144021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <372E6AF4.9F9778AE@innocent.com> Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> writes:

>Mr. Hollingsworth's attention to 3950, which he evidenced by
>checking in with the legitimate participants (and which, by the way,
>got him an in-the-face obscene tirade by one of the jammers, Timmy's
>friend W9ART), is welcome and is something that has been needed for
>quite some time.

It appears that his observations and conclusions are probably similar to mine:
As long as a small group of malcontents such as your "Liberty Net" operates
with the primary intent of pissing people off and using amateur radio
frequencies for a broadcast soap box of political opinion, there
will *always* be catcalls, comments and jammers. Kooks attract other kooks.
The might bust a loonie, who's likely to be replaced by another, ad nauseum.
You certainly wouldn't want our taxpayer money wasted like that, would you?

>By the way, the following article shows that the jamming of the
>Liberty Net has garnered some media attention -- a federal medium,
>no less:

The appropriate medium should be the Jerry Springer show.
Perhaps they also have a ham on staff who could bring a potential story to
their producers.

Anyone else ever notice that in spite of attention to the 3950 kooks, it's the
same old miniscule crowd that appears to participate? On the other hand,
dozens of hams came out of the woodwork to assist emergency traffic handling
for the tornado-stricken towns in Oklahoma last night on 3900, with no
publicity and needing no expenditure of government resources.
And their efforts made the broadcast and printed media, but instead putting our resource in an entirely different light than the Liberty Net creeps and their jammers do.
I spent several hours last night there just reading the mail in case someone
needed health and welfare traffic posted into my area. What were the members of the
Liberty Net doing, besides jerking off at a picture of Ayn Rand?

Dn't overstate your own importance. Your self-serving boneheads aren't a pimple on most anyone's ass, even the Commission's.

2880. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <372F044D.5329643C@hotmail.com>
Source record: 144022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.space

CW is the same as riding a bicycle. Once learned, it is not easily
forgotten.

Not quite. A language not used is easily forgotten. And according to the
threads here CW is just another language.

2881. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Sailer <msailer@msailer.rhic.bnl.gov>
Message-ID: <372F0A38.B02CD8DD@msailer.rhic.bnl.gov>
Source record: 144023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CommQuart wrote:

> 1. How many new hams will join the ranks when the
> code is abolished?

Probably not too many. The Internet has more of an attraction.
You can communicate any where world wide, on a whim.
No Technical experience required... sad to say.

> 2. How many new hams are mandated to "SAVE"
> amateur radio from oblivion??

No number of people will save it. From the looks of things, IMHO,
The bands above 2M will probably be sold off to the highest bidder.
It's a matter of $$$ and demand. We don't put any $$$ into the
Gov'ts coffers.

> 3. What happened to all of the new hams licensed since
> the VHF no-code license was introduced?

They got licenced, got snubbed by the HF snobs and went to the
internet. No license needed there and you can communicate in
any form to anyone, with virtually no restrictions.

> 4. What "AWARD" did the amateur service receive from
> congress or the FCC in recognition of the influx
> of new hams from the new no-code licenses?

AWARD??? We are a service, not really to be classifiied as
as hobby. There are services we are actually supposed to provide
to keep the FREE frequencies we use. We don't get awards.

> 5. Does anyone really believe that CW is the real cause
> behind the decline of Amateur Radio?

It's part of the cause. The primary reason is the Internet. Again,
free communication to anyone worldwide with no restrictions and no
technical requirements needed.

Think about this, if all the rules would allow such a senerio......
You can probably get your DXCC in about an hour with AOL Instant
Messenger.
Send your QSL cards to each other via Email and Email them
to the ARRL. Have them checked and back to you all in the same day with
your Certificate.
No expensive Equipment, no putting up antennas, no tests,
state-of-the-art graphics with

sound..... hey I can even talk to and see the other person in realtime video. Can't so that
with SSTV. Certainly faster the 1200 baud packet, on a keyboard to keyboard QSO.

I did some thing similiar to this in the 80's with packet. I accumulated enough replies to a
World-Wide message, that it amounted to a DXCC. Took about a week.

Tell me where is the attraction, to people with limited technical knowledge or
no interest in radio communications?

Just my opinion.

Mark
N2JTW

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Mark Sailer
BNL- RHIC/RCF
516-344-7448

2882. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37305790.9D354B34@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Michael Ruther wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
> > Eliminating outdated requirements will leave more time for learning
> > relevant subjects.
>
> like learning to built a stable VFO? har harmike aa7qa

What's wrong with that? I built one two weeks ago for
my QRP rig.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
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2883. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373057A4.F01DFE15@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143725

I thought Polly *was* a cracker?

2884. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <2BC94DBCEEE8887C.BCFC32B2F480349A.61658A7DC8803525@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey, I was doing good for only two hours of sleep. :)

: We could the HF bands? Mr. "Could contribute" won't you shake hands
: with Mr. "If". "If" is a mighty big word for one who hasn't obtained
: the license. If we had some meat, we could make sandwhichs (if we had
: some bread).

2885. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <FC86D2D9A5400070.206302C9C04F7E92.69C2D1F813CABC12@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: Bullshit. I suspect that lives were saved by Ham radio within
: the last 48 hours here in the US but it was not based on Code skill. I
: know that hams were ready to do the same here in Illinois

What a joke.
I would feel more comfortable looking for someone with a Cel Phone than a HAM.
Oh yeah, just look for the real ugly looking fat guy with 500 radio's hanging off him and a morse key between his butt cheeks, typical HAM.
In this modern day, A HAM is like a security guard, nothing but a policeman wannabee.

2886. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <A21B7A1A7EAF39E0.F39F87DEAF298DC7.799D981C0289E4AF@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: When I look at what Ham Radio has done in the past, and what Ham
: radio could do in the future, I find that Ham Radio has so much potential.
: I, for one, am the last person who wants to see it die.

But HAM is doing nothing now except a bunch of old farts talking about "the good ole days" and inviting each other to visit their web pages.
There is nothing being done worth doing on HAM anymore and a bunch of people who are happy with the death of HAM as long as no one works THEIR frequencies.

2887. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <E3236EC7676DBFCD.A2FEAC8D2DB3A30B.D02CBB96DE4BBC7D@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: I though Pepsi only rotted teeth, but I see it can rot a brain as well. Or
: maybe your teeth are your brain?

No, CW did that for you years ago, HAMboy.

2888. Re: Sound Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3730589C.17D68AA2@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143730

If you simply want to generate a .WAV file, try my morse training program on
www.qsl.net/oz1kto/Ham
it can generate a wav file with 2 tones in each channel. Is that what you
need ?

Jesper
W6KTO

G. G. Higgs wrote:

> Hi all,
>
> Looking for a computer program that will allow me to inpute a tone
> frequency, say 700 Hz , and a duration for up to three tones and play it
> back.....be useful in making up some custom courtesy tones for my
> repeater.....if someone can point me in the right direction or has such a
> program....please let me know....thx.....73
>
> G. G. Higgs
> n5xed@flash.net

2889. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <08F67211579AA5E2.BA013A1B3A1CC641.E74F0E3F509EADC6@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143731
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

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: What has happened with code is a reflection of todays society instant
: gratification culture mixed with a dumbed down educational system.

I take it you are either an old fart or a disfunction torch bearer for old farts.
Welcome to "today's" society.
Hey, don't blame me for you or your relative having to live in the great depression, you
did it to
yourselves.
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2890. Re: Sound Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7gpqc0$o0o$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143732

In article <ahLX2.619$161.1123@news.flash.net>,
"G. G. Higgs" <n5xed@flash.net> wrote:
> Hi all,
>
> Looking for a computer program that will allow me to inpute a tone
> frequency, say 700 Hz...

Cool Edit.
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Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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2891. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gploc$nd0$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, pepsi@cola.org (Pepsi) says:

>Nah, just update the tests to reflect current technology instead of =
>forcing us to learn
>useless stuff like CW and vacuum tubes.
>
>: I've made the suggestion before, and I'll repeat it again -- for those
>: concerned that removing the CW requirement will turn ham radio into
>: another CB circus, the solution is to retain the CW tests at each code
>: speed, but offer a corresponding optional written test that can be
>: taken instead.
>
>

I understand how you feel, but I think the idea is a more than
reasonable compromise.

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

2892. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpjvq$pd8$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, commquart@erols.com (CommQuart) says:

>Athough I don't fully agree with Trent's stance in total,
>my hat is off to him for giving honest and well reasoned
>responses to the issues on hand. My feeling is Trent is
>a chap open to both sides of the issue, and I would be
>willing to hear his side of the story.
>
>Peter

I just don't think that CW should be the decisive factor in issuing
a ticket. Which is more important, 13+ WPM CW or knowing more theory and
practice ? I lean towards getting rid of CW tests, but I could see a 5 WPM
across the board CW test.

But the worst danger is when a young person checks out Ham Radio,
perhaps has an opinion, and gets slandered and insulted. This is what is
turning the kids off.
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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
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2893. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpk8g$pr1$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, jeffj@scott.net (Jeff Johns) says:

>W6RCecilA writes:
>
>> And nobody is advocating that you not be allowed to do just that, Richard.
>> Nobody is talking about eliminating CW - just about eliminating Morse
>> code testing. Do you think that CW is such an undesirable mode that nobody
>> would continue to use it after the requirement is dropped?
>
>I can't help but wonder what hams debated about 50 years ago? The internet
>has allowed us to exchange ideas and thoughts in an almost instananeous
>manner, sometimes I also wonder if this is good or bad :-/
>
>73 Jeff W4JEF
>
>
> *--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
> |jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
> | Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
> |200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
> *---*
>

I think 50 years ago was SSB vs. AM.

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
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2894. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpke1$q85$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

IMPORTANT CORRECTION !!!!

I wrote "..now every pro-code...is a Fuddy Duddy...".

I meant "..NOT every pro-code...is a Fuddy Duddy...".

This, of corse, the spell checker did not catch. Sorry for the typo
=-)

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
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2895. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpl37$re1$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, dogbert@mindless.com (Woofle) says:

>On 4 May 1999 15:36:17 GMT, jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent
>Phillips) wrote:
>
>>
>>
>> As I see it, it comes down to this...
>>
>>
>>
>> While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
>>like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is, by
>>far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side of
>>the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is
^^^

This is a typo...should be "not".

>>stuck in the 50's.
>
>A sensible take on things I'd say.
>
>I've made the suggestion before, and I'll repeat it again -- for those
>concerned that removing the CW requirement will turn ham radio into
>another CB circus, the solution is to retain the CW tests at each code
>speed, but offer a corresponding optional written test that can be
>taken instead. The questions on this test should focus on good
>operating practices, technical knowledge from the next licence grade,
>emergency and net operating procedures instead of just FCC rules and
>regulations. I know the FCC doesn't regulate some of these areas, so
>perhaps HAMS would write these tests with an eye to what they want
>all hams to know. :)

I agree, that would be a great idea. Just about solves the whole
"CB" problem.

>
>>
>> The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors
>>of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into
>>Ham Radio.
>>
>Yup.
>

>> First of all, anyone who has a problem with the code, or would
>>rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
>>"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogether. I guess having dyslexia
>>makes me lazy. In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
>>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.
>>
>You seem to have overcome your dyslexia in this forum perfectly well.

If I remember to, I use a spell checker. But also, it was a LOT of
work to learn how to type, write or even tie my shoes when I was a kid.

Imagine, "Use your right hand to...Your Left hand to..." when
"Left" and "Right" are almost alien concepts ! As a kid, it took a lot of
work.

Oh well, guess a minor (there are so many people with so much
bigger problems) CNS flaw makes me lazy =-)

>
>> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
>>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because I
>>am a no-code tech.
>
>I suspect that even if the code requirement were abolished tomorrow,
>this attitude would persist for many years to come.
>
>CW is almost an aesthetic pleasure for some, who can't imagine that
>there might be those who would not thrill to this rather amazing form
>of communication. And of course, hard-core DXers and QRP'ers will
>remain around forever. CW may never die, regardless of technology.

My dad (WB8ETH, silent key) could go over 20 WPM. While I thought
it was cool, I just am not able. These things happen. I think CW has a
place, just not the same place it did 30 years ago.

I see your point quite well.
>
>> Gee, with all of this going on, you wonder why more kids are not
>>getting into Ham Radio ? Unless you fit into some kind of cookie-cutter
>>definition of "RealHam (TM)", you get dumped on coming or going.
>>
>> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time. It's
>>rewards, while at times a bit more modest, tends to come at a much more
>>reasonable price.
>>
>> There was a time when SWL's where the best group for Hams to recruit
>>out of, but that time has come and gone. Ham radio now needs to ask why so
>>many SWL's are voting with their feet.
>>
>
>I started with SWL, got interested in ham radio, and got a licence
>quite some time ago. Now, I barely ever get on the air, but still

>come back to shortwave listening over and over.

There is an article in an old issue of Ham Radio Horizons that I
read. It was about a group of top flight Hams who hid a secret. Turns out
they where trying to out do each other in working the world bands on one
tube gennys =-). I wonder how many hams might be closet SWL's (ie: Wayne
Green types who might swing their VFO over to 25 Metres once in a while,
but too afraid to admit it) are out there.

>
>> The civil war in Ham Radio is only acting to turn many people away.
>>I for one do not look for strife, insults, abuse, judgment and childish
>>behavior in a hobby, I look for fun. Myself and others are willing to put
>>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
>>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.
>>
>> Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could
>>easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it to enter a
>>hobby where anyone who dares disagree with "RealHams (TM)" is lazy, a
>>crybaby, a spoiled cyberkid, etc. ?
>>
>> Ham Radio has only one place to look for the source of it's
>>problems. It's called a mirror. People are voting with their feet, my
>>friends. I am the last person in the world that wants to see Ham Radio die,
>>but the choice is not mine-
>>
>> It's all up to the hobby.
>>
>> When AM came along, many where opposed.
>>
>> When SuperHet. receivers came along, many where opposed.
>>
>> When SSB came along, many fought it.
>>
>> Change is always coming, why fight it ?
>>
>> The issue is bigger than CW. The real issue is what kind of hobby
>>Ham Radio has become, or rather, what it has degenerated into. While SWLing
>>has it's share of silly moments, it has not degenerated into the sort of
>>malicious, snotty behavior that now appears (from the outside at least) to
>>be slowly permeating Ham radio.
>>
>> Perhaps it's because SWL's listen ?
>>
>>
>>--
>>"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
>> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
>> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
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2896. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gplmj$59$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, pepsi@cola.org (Pepsi) says:

>: Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
>: the community.
>
>That's the point.
>It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
>like playing video games is.
>There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing worth
>getting "community" attention for.
>HAM's importance is now in the minds of old men, no longer in reality.
>
>

Ham radio still has the distinction of being the best way to get
comms going in case of natural disasters and other emergencies. No question
about it. The military is the only group of people who can beat them, but
the hams are a much mroe practical tool for the job.

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itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
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2897. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <373067A4.22072D60@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Pepsi wrote:

> : I though Pepsi only rotted teeth, but I see it can rot a brain as
> well. Or
> : maybe your teeth are your brain?
>
> No, CW did that for you years ago, HAMboy.

That's right, bub, I'm HAMboy, sidekick of Electromagnetic Man, and we
can kick your butt. :-)

Marv
AB0IO

2898. screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gpst1$qf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143740

This is a good place for you, AF2Y in the Deja News loony bin. At least you are not on the ham bands interfering with decent people. Mr Hollingsworth has you in his list to deal with like he has the windbag WB2OTK!!!!!!!

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2899. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gpugh$s41$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143741

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Oh yeah, DR HATE now wants us to believe he respects Christianity. If this is
so, why did DR HATE "LOWER HIMSELF" to broadcast on Easter morning 1993 the
following. "You should choke on your wafer, and may your wine turn into
hydochloric acid". So much for Dr Hate "not lower myself to any religious
slurs". The aforementioned quote is on a digital recording that Might be
broadcast on several frequencies in the near future to prove what a liar you
are DR
HATE.>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>

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>>>>>> In article <19990504221946.18439.00002323@ng-fd1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Man is he mad at me. Everything coming out of his word processor is "Jew this"
> and "Jew that." One knows when one is crushing the enemy by watching his
> tactics and poor "Donkeyboy's" got nothing left but anti-Semitic crap.
> Meanwhile allow me to go on record by saying that I respect Christianity and
> would never lower myself to any religious slurs. I tell it like it is....fact
> and the "Donk" can't take it. He's so upset over my making KV4FZ miserable,
> that miserably felonious lying creep. Sorry "Donk," Herbie's a goner and we're
> gonna have a hell of a party when he gets that cease and desist. You're
invited
> but leave your Swastikas home. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2900. Hoibie is a hero?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505122318.22977.00002472@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 143742

Lloyd Davies wrote an excellent and eloquent piece about Herbie Schoenbohm, KV4FZ. I read it from A to Z. Lloyd forgot to mention that FZ is a liar,thief and convicted felon. Oh perhaps he skirts the issue, but I'm pinpointing the man's lack of attributes. FZ concocted the entire rationale for attacking Intercon; that net's been on since 1960 and has done a great job saving lives. In the meantime, Herbie and his halfwits tried to prevent a rescue operation to the vessel TIKI and medical assistance to a dying child in El Salvador. Schoenbohm and his rats have done everything to disrupt amateur radio and one of their most sinistere methods has been to state that Intercon was run by Jews in order to steal money from phone companies. Then FZ goes out and steals access numbers from the Caribbean Automated Long Lines System in order to make long distance calls while having others pay for them. That's fraud which brought in the Secret Service and the rest is history. The man's a convicted felon who has always refused to take any of the responsibility for his own deceitful actions and by lying to Administrative Law Judge Edward Luton, he sealed his fate in amateur radio. The clock is ticking and it's just a metter of time before the Appellate Court in D.C. upholds the FCC's decision to not renew and it's goodbye Hoibie. Either Rich or I will be holding a farewell barbeque for the s.o.b. and Mr. Davies is invited, AF2Y Doc
radiosigs@aol.com

2901. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gpv1asli1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143743

In article <19990504221946.18439.00002323@ng-fd1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Man is he mad at me. Everything coming out of his word processor is "Jew this"
> and "Jew that." One knows when one is crushing the enemy by watching his
> tactics and poor "Donkeyboy's" got nothing left but anti-Semitic crap.
> Meanwhile allow me to go on record by saying that I respect Christianity and
> would never lower myself to any religious slurs. I tell it like it is....fact
> and the "Donk" can't take it. He's so upset over my making KV4FZ miserable,
> that miserably felonious lying creep. Sorry "Donk," Herbie's a goner and we're
> gonna have a hell of a party when he gets that cease and desist. You're
invited
> but leave your Swastikas home. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
> They are all mad, Doc.thats the problem...It's called Malcontent. Don't we
know someone in the VI with the same disorder?

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2902. Re: Sound Program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. Buckley" <cwbuckle@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <7gps98$2h2$2@campus1.mtu.edu>
Source record: 143744

On Tue, 04 May 1999 23:20:38 GMT , G. G. spewed forth to rec.radio.amateur.misc:
:G G H>Hi all,
:G G H> Looking for a computer program that will allow me to inpute a tone
:G G H>frequency, say 700 Hz , and a duration for up to three tones and play it
:G G H>back.....be useful in making up some custom courtesy tones for my
:G G H>repeater.....if someone can point me in the right direction or has such a
:G G H>program....please let me know....thx.....73

If you can find a copy of QBasic (It came on pretty much all the
old DOS machines, and in some Windows Versions have it on the CD)

That will have a command that will let you generate a tone for
a certain period of time through the computer speaker. I believe
it was something like:

sound 1000,2000

which would put out a 1000Hz tone for 2000ms. I'm not sure, but
the help file should be just peachy in pointing out the syntax
for the command.

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Long live Microsoft.
(This is not sarcasm)

2903. Re: K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gpvu6teh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143745

In article <7gpfhqdlj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
richwhiten@aol.com wrote:
> In article <19990504213444.10948.00002301@ng-cm1.aol.com>,
> richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
> > The Moron is running double sideband on 3894.5, his signal is up as far as
> > 3903. The FCC has declared 3900 for traffic use, because of the Tornado
> damage.
> > Wonder where Riley is now?
> Rich you are just mad that KO4KA just thought of it first and dont worry i am
> sure riley is still thinking of ways to nail your ass.
>
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> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
Yes boy's and girl's....here are the BARF/Stumpers totally ignoring the
content of the post. All they are interested in doing is attacking Rich.
Never mind that it has NOTHING TO DO WITH THE POST AT ALL. But then we
have all come to expect this sort of thing.

For what it's worth, yes indeed Al, K4OKA was running DSB and a rather
high level of carrier. Would you believe....double sideband Amplitude
Modulation?. And he was indeed splattering. Why did he do this? Simple,
the group on 98 had the audacity to move to 97, so they could NOT BOTHER
the on-going traffic on 3900. This happened long before Al showed up on
94.5. So why did he go to AM? Do we really need a answer? I dont think
it takes a rocket scientist to figure what he had in mind.

73 boys and girls.

Dan/W4NTI

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2904. Re: WTD: INFO ABT RF PROOF PHONES??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gq0ji$u18$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143746

In article <#$ytCcql#GA.284@cpmsnbbsa03>,
"GREGORY HEATH" <kb2qqm@email.msn.com> wrote:
> Does anyone out here have any info on manufacturers of rf proof telephones?
> I live near a commercial broadcast station and have had the phone company
> come out and put filters on the lines but nothing works. Not that I object
> to Nat King Cole...but I can't hear incoming calls. One phone is a 46mhz
> cordless which is useless. I did expect that.. but the other is a line
> phone. The broadcast station is about 1000 feet away and broadcasts AM and
> FM, 24 hours a day. I am not sure of their output pwr yet. Any help that
> can be provided would be helpful. Thanks. Greg.
>
>
Hey Greg,

Gess ur just gonna have to move..hi. I have had good success with a older
Radio Shack phone. (RS 43591). Looks like the old princess and costed about
20 bucks each. Also if you can get a older ATT cradle phone and stick a
.01 cap across the MICROPHONE element, that may do the trick. These new
phones are crap and your right, forget the cordless unless you go to the
900mhz jobbers.

Good Luck

Dan/W4NTI

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2905. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <EA762F13985855F8.085B361E4813EB17.FBD530F3CD5470E9@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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: That's right, bub, I'm HAMboy, sidekick of Electromagnetic Man, and we
: can kick your butt. :-)

Lay off the microwaves dude :)
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2906. K4OKA jamming 3.900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505130413.22977.00002478@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 143748

If you are sick of that Hickory, NC drunken reprobate's jamming an FCC announced emergency Tornado frequency of 3.900, then send your complaints via E-mail to.....

fccham@fcc.gov

DO IT NOW. THE PEOPLE IN THE MID-WEST NEED ALL THE SUPPORT THEY CAN GET!
Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2907. FCC Trying to Work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373079F9.7BA5@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143749

COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION ACTION - FCC DECLARES AN EMERGENCY DECLARATION
IN THE AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE - REPORT NO. CI 99-20. Because of the recent violent torandos and other severe weather expected in the midwest,
at the request of the American Radio Relay League Section Manager in Oklahoma, the Commission has issued an Emergency Declaration in the Amateur Radio Service. CIB Contact: News Media Contact: Arlan van Doorn
at (202) 418-1105.

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2908. Re: FCC Trying to Work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37307D49.488@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143750

Oris wrote:
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> COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION ACTION - FCC DECLARES AN EMERGENCY
> DECLARATION
> IN THE AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE - REPORT NO. CI 99-20. Because of the
> recent violent torandos and other severe weather expected in the
> midwest,
> at the request of the American Radio Relay League Section Manager in
> Oklahoma, the Commission has issued an Emergency Declaration in the
> Amateur Radio Service. CIB Contact: News Media Contact: Arlan van
> Doorn
> at (202) 418-1105.
>
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
We amateur radio operators are to stay off of 3.900 MHZ and 7.282 MHZ
until May 7 1999 at 2100. This is the information that came directly to
me from the FCC.
73 from Oris
Just trying to help

2909. FCC Closes Porkbutts Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37308066.3873@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143751

HA HA HA HA They have now made it illeagal for PORKBUT to use his wide signal on 3.901 HAHAHAHA! HAHAHAAHA! HAAHAHAAHAHA! poorpoor PORKBUTT! Where is going to operate now. He isn't welcome anywhere! HAHAHAHAHA! AHAHAHAHAHAHAHA! HAHAAHAHAHAAHA! poorpoor PORKBUT! I bet it ain't Al I bet its a mad PORKBUT! I bet the FCC picked 3.900 MHZ just because of PORKBUT HAHAHAAHAHAHAHAAHA! He is so important! poorpoor PORKBUT!

2910. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <37307F7C.1CFBAE39@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 143752

Tom@astro.net wrote:
>
> In article <372EFAC3.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>, Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
wrote:
> >BD wrote:
> >>
> >> Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
> >> wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
> >> Hmm...
> >> And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
> >> If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
> >> for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
> >
> >Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
> >the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
> >to for the 20 WPM test!!
>
> The ARRL 13 is sent at 18 with probably 13 for spacing. I know,
> I took my General tests April 27th and passed the written but
> failed the code because of that very reason.

I'm sorry you didn't pass the test, but that does bring up
a few things that should probably be mentioned, for others that
may be following this thread.

First, not all testing sites are the same. You need to get in
touch with someone, at the site you are going to be testing,
before you go there. They will tell you exactly how the test
is administered. Probably, the advantage I had was, knowing in
advance exactly how the test was going to be given and that's
what I studied to. I have no doubt that, now that you are armed
with this information, you will have no trouble with the test,
the next time.

The ARRL web site, "http://www.arrl.org", has a information page
where you can find a listing of all testing stations in your
area.

Another thing to know about the CW test is that, after you are
done with copying the code, you will have to answer a 10 question
test. Get seven questions correct, and you passed. There are two
kinds of tests. "Multiple choice" and "fill in the blank". With
the "multiple choice" test, you can miss a lot of characters and
still figure out the right answer. By far, the easier of the two.
With the "fill in the blank" test you need to concentrate when

call signs, names, and other information is being sent.

But there is also no secret about the content of the test. Knowing this in advance also helps out. For example, after the initial group of "v"s, there are going to be 2 call signs sent. Copy these as best possible, but know that these very same call signs are going to be sent again, at the end of the test. If you miss a letter or two, the first time, you can pick them up the second time. There are lots of things that you know are comming. The senders name, the receivers name, the RST, the weather report, type of rig, etc.. There are a couple of key word to listen for, like the the word "my". Every time you hear it, you know there is something important comming, such as "my name is..", "my qth is..", or "my rig is..".

One thing people worry about is the puncuation, the comma, period, and slash. The period is an easy one, but the comma and slash may give you pause. Well, probably you will only hear each one of them once, and you know where there going to happen. The comma is only going to happen when the QTH is being sent, to seperate the city and the state. The slash is most likely only going to happen in the call signs, and you have two chances at them.

Knowing what to expect is half the battle. Other than the word speed, the only difference between the 5, 13, and 20 WPM test is the amount of information. The test is only going to last 5 minutes so there's not a lot of time to fit in much.

Last, but not least, only go for the test when you are fully awake. In my area, there were two testing stations, about the same distance from my home. One gave the tests starting at 7:30 in the evening and the other gave the tests as 8:30 in the morning. I'm a morning person, so I chose the place that gave the early morning test. It makes a big difference.

> I don't agree with
> that way of doing the code test. If I'm copying fine at true 13
> at home and then go and hear it coming out at 18, well
> it sure screwed ME up. I'll bet it screws most people up
> as well. Another guy at the same session said the same thing
> I did, "That was NO 13wpm". I should have passed that test if
> it was sent at 13wpm. But it was not.

You are welcome to you opinion, but for me it was a god send. The character speed of 18 WPM forced me to stop decoding each character and to listen to the sound of it. The extra space between the characters gave me that little bit of extra time, I needed, to process the sound.

> >But in reality the Farnsworth speed, for the 5 and 13 WPM test,
> >I believe is 18. I can't say for sure about the 5 WPM test, because
> >I never took it, but I did take the 13 WPM test in the beginning

> >of March and it was 18/13. I would recommend that you actually
> >get proficient at 18/15, however. This gives you a little bit
> >of an edge. There is always a nerviousness factor when you sit
> >down for the test and this gives you a little bit of an advantage.
>
> I agree, anyone who is about to go for the General code test
> better be copying at at least 18wpm or forget it. I believe it's
> wrong to do it that way. It's a 13 wpm test, not 18. I don't
> care HOW far the spacing is. Now I'm practicing my ass off to
> get my speed up to at least 17wpm. Shouldn't have to though.
>

It's still a 13 WPM test, it's just not sent at a 13 WPM character
rate. I found that being able to comfortably copy 15 WPM, at a
18 WPM character rate, was sufficient for me. Others may need a
little more, due to nerves

> >I was never very good at CW, until I started studying with the
> >Farnsworth method. After only 2 months of practice, I found the
> >13 WPM test a breeze. I am now working for the 20 WPM test. I'll
> >give it a try in June.
>
> Congrats on the upgrade! Good luck on the 20, better copy at
> least at 25wpm though.
>

Thank!

I do my studying at 23 WPM, currently, and can always jot down
all the pertinent information. I have found out though, I can't
write that fast. So the solid copy option is probably out for me.

> >I have been mainly using Morse Academy and have found out that the
> >sample CW tests, that it generates, are very close to what you
> >will hear on the actual test. When I tested, I felt like I was
> >just sitting at home in from of my PC.

OOPS! a typeo ------------^^^^

Should have been "front".

> Supermorse is another great program. Generates code tests as well.
>

You are correct, Supermorse is another good program. One of the things
I liked, about Supermorse, is that I can be built on a Unix machine,
as well as a PC. It works just great, on my Ross Hyperstation 20.

Well, talk to you later. Must go practice my CW.

Martin

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Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS martin.e.meserve

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2911. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505135709.22977.00002493@ng139.aol.com>
Source record: 143753

<< m
Date: Wed, May 5, 1999 4:50 PM
Message-id: <7gpst1$qf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>

This is a good place for you, AF2Y in the Deja News loony bin. At least you are not on the ham bands interfering with decent people. Mr Hollingsworth has you in his list to deal with like he has the windbag WB2OTK!!!!!!!

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>>WOW, are you brave hiding behind anonymity. Be a man for once in your life and state your callsign and name. You're no REALDEAL. You're a REALPUTZ. Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2912. Re: FCC Closes Porkbutts Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: john1952@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gq45l$1et$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143754

In article <37308066.3873@dirtball.com>,
Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> HA HA HA HA They have now made it illeagal for PORKBUT to use his wide
> signal on 3.901 HAHAHAHA! HAHAHAAHA! HAAHAHAAHAHA! poorpoor PORKBUTT!
> Where is going to operate now. He isn't welcome anywhere! HAHAHAHAHA!
> AHAHAHAHAHAHAHA! HAHAAHAHAHAAHA! poorpoor PORKBUT! I bet it ain't Al I
> bet its a mad PORKBUT! I bet the FCC picked 3.900 MHZ just because of
> PORKBUT HAHAHAAHAHAHAHAAHA! He is so important! poorpoor PORKBUT!
>
The FCC didn't pick 3900 just because of "Porkbut." 3900 has been used by
Oklahoma hams for emergencies for years. Why are you so obsessed with Porkbutt
anyway?

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2913. Some Thoughts about Sporadic E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5agz@dc.cis.okstate.edu
Message-ID: <7gq3hjglf1@lotus.onenet.net>
Source record: 143755

One of the popular theories about what causes Sporadic E is that wind sheer and thunderstorm activity ionize the E layer which accounts for the routine Sporadic E openings this time of year.

I have heard this theory from people who know far more about atmospheric physics than I ever will and it makes sense, but the weather we had on Monday May 3 does not seem to have generated any Sporadic E at all. Has anybody else who may live on the coasts or in Canada or Mexico noticed a tremendous opening this week?

I live about 80 miles North of the devastated part of South Oklahoma City and its suburbs and, on a routine evening, it is possible to weakly hear emergency service signals plus several 2-meter repeaters in the Northern part of OKC. Last Monday evening, the only thing that was unusual from a radio standpoint was a lot of fading in and out of the signals from Oklahoma City. This is fairly normal for unsettled atmospheric conditions, so one would not have known anything was wrong if not for the frantic nature of many of the transmissions being heard at the time.

According to National Weather Service personnel, this storm system had cloud tops well above 60,000 feet and was a monster by every possible measure. I think that if any storm system could generate Sporadic E or any other odd propagation, this one should have.

I think that there is still at least one more ingredient to the generation of Sporadic E that we haven't nailed down yet. We should be thankful that we do not get to have such a giant meteorological laboratory set up for us any more often than it happens, but such terrible things do push the limits and the fact that we seem to have had no E(s) tells me that either some factor is missing that would help generate a charged layer or there is some factor that acts to spoil or discharge the atmosphere.

Martin McCormick WB5AGZ Stillwater, OK
OSU Center for Computing and Information Services Data Communications Group

2914. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <37309148.B2FB42F3@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143756

Where I took the test the different speed is
5WPM = character 13PWM with looooooooong space between
13WPM = character at 18WPM and the space timed so the overall speed is 13.
20WPM = 20WPM.
I practiced 20wpm / 18wpm space 1 week before I went for the 13WPM test, and passed, and then I gave
it a shot for 20WPM, and passed.
One thing I missed was the callsign because of the slant bar. It was a VE3XXX/W6, and that "/"
confused me both times. Another miss was the
temp. I read it as 23, and on of the answers was 23 and another 33, so watch out for the numbers. (I
stille have problems with 2,3 and 7,8).

Jesper
W6KTO

2915. Re: GPS signal jamming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925931479.361.99@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143757

Not that this is of much consequence to hams... I believe the munitions, cruise missiles more precisely, use onboard inertia guidance systems. I get this from watching TDC, possibly from reading Clancy also, so its far from authoritative.

Michael.

Alan Rishel <gekkko@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message news:7go90qdco1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> Just a random thought with all the radio-guided ordnance being
> hurled about in the Balkans.
>
> GPS signals are quite low in SNR. How easy would it be to broadcast
> a blanket jamming signal that would prevent a guided munition from
> using the GPS effectively?

2916. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925932074.270.78@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

Both, if you wish. I'm also interested to hear about the antenna;
r.r.a.antenna would also be a valid place to post.

Michael.

H. Adam Stevens <alien@jump.net> wrote in message
news:372FACBC.3B2281C2@jump.net...
> Well I once operated a kilowatt on 20 meters from the Tektite II
habitat on
> the bottom of Lameshur Bay in the USVI. Do I post about it in
rec.scuba or
> rec.radio.amateur.misc or both?
> H.
> WA5IGW

2917. WA2EXQ's fruit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505152640.03557.00002754@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143759

Don't get me wrong-I'm not disparaging anyone but why is it that hams I know in the Hyannis area are constantly seeing Lloyd Montcalm buying bananas? Does someone in his family have a potassium deficiency or is it somehow a staple? Also if someone has back issues of QST, I'm positive that you'll find where the Jolly Green Nazi got hit with a $1,000 fine for intentional jamming. I believe it was in the very late '80s or early '90s when he was hot to trot for his master KV4FZ's plan to disrupt and destroy Intercon. If anyone can come up with that QST piece, I'd be willing to pay big bucks for a reprint., like fifty cents if demanded. Thanks for your attention. If you're a friend I say God bless. If you're not, then I say "gay cockin afinyamin." AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

2918. webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Webmaster <Webmaster@hovac.com>
Message-ID: <37309da3@news3.newsfeeds.com>
Source record: 143760

http://www.hovac.com/wa4pgm/

Thanks everyone!!!
73,
Kyle
wa4pgm@hovac.com

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2919. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505154230.03557.00002761@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143761

<<
I thought Polly *was* a cracker?
>>
No Dave. He's a pious Methodist who wears vestments at church because of his superior position in the community and church. Can you beat that? If anyone tells me that ALL religions don't smack of hyprocrisy(and I see it in my synagogue), then he needs a shrink.
73, Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2920. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3730A262.372A@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Wed, 05 May 1999 09:41:00 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >>
> >> On Mon, 03 May 1999 20:08:03 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> >> wrote:
> >>
> >> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >> >
> >> >> The
> >> >> Burden involved in learning code clearly increased in today world. The
> >> >> need for doing as declined. these are simple facts (the debate comes
> >> >> when you try and say how much)
> >> >
> >> >The debate is now whether you can verify this increased burden and the
> >> >decline in necessity. You invented your simple "facts".
> >>
> >> You dsipute that Code is less nessary today than when it was
> >> the on;ly mode in extence? Gee I admit I thank that was pretty plain
> >> do really disute it. You also deny that world operates at a different
> >> and fastre pace leaving most people less therefore Morse Code is more
> >> of a burden, Gee are you sure you get out at all?
> >
> >Again, Mark, you lack reading comprehension. I made no claim regarding
>
> No you lack mthe reading comprhension. since Iam refering to the days
> when CW was the only mode, I am right in saying it less important now
> than then. That is a fact

Mark, In order for me to comprehend it, you have to write it. You
didn't write what you are now saying. You tacked it on later.

> I wioll not bother with the rest of the drivel of a bigot that thinks
> the spanish speakers should bann from the ARS in america

Again you've managed to say something which I never stated. Reading and
writing are going to be far bigger challenges to you than morse testing
since you'll likely need those skills daily.

You seem to think I dislike a certain group of people. That's not the
case. It is YOU I don't care for. You're THE classic whiner looking

for a hand out. You aren't looking for equality of opportunity. You're looking for a special case to be made for you.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2921. Re: K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505155941.03557.00002775@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143763

Dan Jeswald is absolutely right. The FCC never should have allowed that drunken crazy sonovabitch Abernethy to ever get on ham radio again because his sole reason for holding a ticket is to intentionally jam. He lost his license once and here's hoping it happens again....FOR KEEPS!
Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.co,

2922. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <925935342.448.42@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mickey McInnis <mcinnis@babe01.austin.ibm.com> wrote in message
news:7gno57$1b4i$1@ausnews.austin.ibm.com...
> What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
> is the all too prevelant attitude that CW operators are better than
> non-CW operators, even when working voice,
> and that some folks feel they "deserve" extra priviliges because
> they have a skill that is largely irrelevant to ability to use
> HF frequencies and serve the public interest well.

Are you so wrapped up in yourself that you worry what your CW speed says about you? For heaven's sake, grow a skin, learn the code, pass the test, and get on with your life! You're not going to change "the attitude" with whining. I might dare a guess that it's the whining that's objectionable, not so much the actual thought of changing the CW requirements.

To tell the truth, I'm pleased to find a lid bigger than I. I feel I might be able to help him, as others have helped me.

So, who's preconceived notion is stopping you from getting your ticket?

Michael.

2923. Re: FCC Closes Porkbutts Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11043-3730A278-58@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143765

Oris...you are projecting yourself as a total idiot! Are you ok? K4RUB

2924. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <uJ1Y2.279$3y3.491796@news.abs.net>
Source record: 143766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan has written:

>I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are
>either lieing or don't know what you are talking about

Judging from this and other hints, I gather that you must be at least 30 years old.

> Do you know why I read this dreck Dave. let me tell you. the
>fact you ProCoders can only respond by attacking my duslexia and not

Granted, dyslexia was probably not recognized as you were growing up. However, since then great strides have been made in treatment and training. My niece (who is 10) has an extremely bad case of dyslexia, yet she handles it better than you do.

Since you are aware of your problem and do not choose to use a spell-checker or any effort to make your messages clear, you are showing a) disrespect for yourself, b) disrespect for your correspondents; and c) giving the distinct impression that you are hiding behind the dyslexia as a shield.

2925. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7gq977$bl9$1@east44.supernews.com>
Source record: 143767

In article <37307F7C.1CFBAE39@my-dejanews.com>, Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
wrote:
>Tom@astro.net wrote:
>>
>> In article <372EFAC3.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>, Martin Meserve
> <meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>> >BD wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
>> >> wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
>> >> Hmm...
>> >> And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
>> >> If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
>> >> for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
>> >
>> >Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
>> >the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
>> >to for the 20 WPM test!!
>>
>> The ARRL 13 is sent at 18 with probably 13 for spacing. I know,
>> I took my General tests April 27th and passed the written but
>> failed the code because of that very reason.
>
>I'm sorry you didn't pass the test, but that does bring up
>a few things that should probably be mentioned, for others that
>may be following this thread.
>
>First, not all testing sites are the same. You need to get in
>touch with someone, at the site you are going to be testing,
>before you go there. They will tell you exactly how the test
>is administered. Probably, the advantage I had was, knowing in
>advance exactly how the test was going to be given and that's
>what I studied to. I have no doubt that, now that you are armed
>with this information, you will have no trouble with the test,
>the next time.
>
>The ARRL web site, "http://www.arrl.org", has a information page
>where you can find a listing of all testing stations in your
>area.
>
>Another thing to know about the CW test is that, after you are
>done with copying the code, you will have to answer a 10 question
>test. Get seven questions correct, and you passed. There are two
>kinds of tests. "Multiple choice" and "fill in the blank". With

>the "multiple choice" test, you can miss a lot of characters and
>still figure out the right answer. By far, the easier of the two.
>With the "fill in the blank" test you need to concentrate when
>call signs, names, and other information is being sent.

Hi Martin,
This much I know already. The local team uses the ARRL tests, with fill in the blanks. That doesn't bother me actually. It's a better test to see how well you DO copy.

>But there is also no secret about the content of the test. Knowing
>this in advance also helps out. For example, after the initial
>group of "v"s, there are going to be 2 call signs sent. Copy these
>as best possible, but know that these very same call signs are
>going to be sent again, at the end of the test. If you miss a letter
>or two, the first time, you can pick them up the second time.
>There are lots of things that you know are comming. The senders
>name, the receivers name, the RST, the weather report, type of rig,
>etc.. There are a couple of key word to listen for, like the
>the word "my". Every time you hear it, you know there is something
>important comming, such as "my name is..", "my qth is..", or
>"my rig is..".

I noticed that the calsigns were sent right away. This through me off bit.
I expected a couple of CQ's first. The rest I knew about.

>One thing people worry about is the puncuation, the comma, period,
>and slash. The period is an easy one, but the comma and slash
>may give you pause. Well, probably you will only hear each one
>of them once, and you know where there going to happen. The comma
>is only going to happen when the QTH is being sent, to seperate
>the city and the state. The slash is most likely only going to
>happen in the call signs, and you have two chances at them.

>Knowing what to expect is half the battle. Other than the
>word speed, the only difference between the 5, 13, and 20 WPM
>test is the amount of information. The test is only going to last
>5 minutes so there's not a lot of time to fit in much.
>
>Last, but not least, only go for the test when you are fully
>awake. In my area, there were two testing stations, about the
>same distance from my home. One gave the tests starting at
>7:30 in the evening and the other gave the tests as 8:30 in
>the morning. I'm a morning person, so I chose the place that gave
>the early morning test. It makes a big difference.

I did mine at about 10:00am, I was wide awake. Good point.
Next try I will tune up a bit just before the test as well. A few minutes of practice. I know they give you a minute of practice prior though.

>> I don't agree with
>> that way of doing the code test. If I'm copying fine at true 13

>> at home and then go and hear it coming out at 18, well
>> it sure screwed ME up. I'll bet it screws most people up
>> as well. Another guy at the same session said the same thing
>> I did, "That was NO 13wpm". I should have passed that test if
>> it was sent at 13wpm. But it was not.
>
>You are welcome to you opinion, but for me it was a god send.
>The character speed of 18 WPM forced me to stop decoding each
>character and to listen to the sound of it. The extra space
>between the characters gave me that little bit of extra time,
>I needed, to process the sound.

I see your point.

>> >But in reality the Farnsworth speed, for the 5 and 13 WPM test,
>> >I believe is 18. I can't say for sure about the 5 WPM test, because
>> >I never took it, but I did take the 13 WPM test in the beginning
>> >of March and it was 18/13. I would recommend that you actually
>> >get proficient at 18/15, however. This gives you a little bit
>> >of an edge. There is always a nerviousness factor when you sit
>> >down for the test and this gives you a little bit of an advantage.
>>
>> I agree, anyone who is about to go for the General code test
>> better be copying at at least 18wpm or forget it. I believe it's
>> wrong to do it that way. It's a 13 wpm test, not 18. I don't
>> care HOW far the spacing is. Now I'm practicing my ass off to
>> get my speed up to at least 17wpm. Shouldn't have to though.
>>
>
>It's still a 13 WPM test, it's just not sent at a 13 WPM character
>rate. I found that being able to comfortably copy 15 WPM, at a
>18 WPM character rate, was sufficient for me. Others may need a
>little more, due to nerves

I need a little more I think. I'll get to about 16 or 17 then go for the
test.

>> >I was never very good at CW, until I started studying with the
>> >Farnsworth method. After only 2 months of practice, I found the
>> >13 WPM test a breeze. I am now working for the 20 WPM test. I'll
>> >give it a try in June.
>>
>> Congrats on the upgrade! Good luck on the 20, better copy at
>> least at 25wpm though.
>>
>
>Thank!
>
>I do my studying at 23 WPM, currently, and can always jot down
>all the pertinent information. I have found out though, I can't
>write that fast. So the solid copy option is probably out for me.

>
>> >I have been mainly using Morse Academy and have found out that the
>> >sample CW tests, that it generates, are very close to what you
>> >will hear on the actual test. When I tested, I felt like I was
>> >just sitting at home in from of my PC.
>
>OOPS! a typeo -------------^^^^
>
>Should have been "front".
>
>> Supermorse is another great program. Generates code tests as well.
>>
>
>You are correct, Supermorse is another good program. One of the things
>I liked, about Supermorse, is that I can be built on a Unix machine,
>as well as a PC. It works just great, on my Ross Hyperstation 20.
>
>Well, talk to you later. Must go practice my CW.

Me too!

>Martin

73,
Tom - KB2SMS

2926. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Klingman <karl@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3730AAAB.3A3404EF@mindspring.com>
Source record: 143768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

That's why we have CB radio.

Sir wrote:

> What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
> how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
>
> What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
> other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
> learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
>
> Some people want to get into the hobby of radio to talk on the radio.
> They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
> the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
> to go ahead and use voice.
>
> Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

2927. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11045-3730A412-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143769

Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>

2928. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <11045-3730A88D-21@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143770

Doc, who are these masked men? Seems none have the guts to identify themselves. I did notice KC1ZQ calling himself Grit? hahaha, Must have thought no one would recognize him:~)<K4RUB>

2929. Re: K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqeo5$bq9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143771

In article <19990504224914.18700.00003140@ng-ca1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> >Wonder where Riley is now?
>
> Working on busting your pitiful little ass...
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
> Boy, he's proud of that Radio Shack crap..... 28 year old No nothing, that's
wating on the FCC to make it easier to get a General class ticket!

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2930. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqf28$c74$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143772

In article <11045-3730A412-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
> and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>
>
> You have that correct Rube, WTIA living in ALa. Need we say more? I think
they would like us to say more, they live for it. Poor little malcontents.

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2931. Re: K4OKA jamming 3.900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqfbuccg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143773

Hey DONKEY DUNG, how do you know it's K4OKA ?? Did Porkus Maxamus tell you
that ?? You are really a simple minded slob!!!!
>>>
>>>>>In article <19990505130413.22977.00002478@ng139.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> If you are sick of that Hickory, NC drunken reprobate's jamming an FCC
> announced emergency Tornado frequency of 3.900, then send your complaints via
> E-mail to.....
>
> fccham@fcc.gov
>
> DO IT NOW. THE PEOPLE IN THE MID-WEST NEED ALL THE SUPPORT THEY CAN GET!
> Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2932. Re: The 3.950 disorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqfmb$co7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143774

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The only one we know of with a disorder is AF2Y aka THE DONKEY DUNG of Amateur
Radio.
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>In article
<19990504183217.00118.00002087@ng124.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Gentlemen;
> If you're over 50, it's time to see your urologist if you
suffer
> from split Strom.
>
> Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2933. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kypg3@ibm.net
Message-ID: <7gqfstcpt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

In article <372FACBC.3B2281C2@jump.net>,
"H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net> wrote:
> Well I once operated a kilowatt on 20 meters from the Tektite II habitat on
> the bottom of Lameshur Bay in the USVI. Do I post about it in rec.scuba or
> rec.radio.amateur.misc or both?
> H.
> WA5IGW
>

WA5IGW, wow old fart eh? don't take any crap from these "punks"

regards...wb4ptc Dave Scott 35wpm on the vibroplex, kyn & 9rn (emergency traffic)chronic from '70 to 72, then i discovered alcohol and women at the tender age of 18.

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2934. Re: WA2EXQ's fruit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqg67$d5p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143776

As usual, DONKEY DUNG AF2Y has to use his bigotry to attack peoples family.
Again BANANAS = a BIGOT
>>In
article <19990505152640.03557.00002754@ng123.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Don't get me wrong-I'm not disparaging anyone but why is it that hams I know
> in the Hyannis area are constantly seeing Lloyd Montcalm buying bananas? Does
> someone in his family have a potassium deficiency or is it somehow a staple?
> Also if someone has back issues of QST, I'm positive that you'll find where
the
> Jolly Green Nazi got hit with a $1,000 fine for intentional jamming. I believe
> it was in the very late '80s or early '90s when he was hot to trot for his
> master KV4FZ's plan to disrupt and destroy Intercon. If anyone can come up
with
> that QST piece, I'd be willing to pay big bucks for a reprint., like fifty
> cents if demanded. Thanks for your attention. If you're a friend I say God
> bless. If you're not, then I say "gay cockin afinyamin." AF2Y Doc
> radiosigs@aol.com
>

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2935. Re: kenwood r1000 worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JB <jbgeer@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3730BECD.663F@swbell.net>
Source record: 143777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Butch Bussen wrote:
>
> I am looking at a kenwood r1000 rcvr. The guy wants $200. I think this
> is a bit high. What is going price for these. Thanks.
> Back in late 70s or 80, I had an analog kenwood receiver. Just your basic
> short wave and am band receiver. I can't remember the model, but amybody
> got something like this for sale.
> THanks.
>
> 73s
> Butch WA0VJR
Have seen them at Texas area swapfests for $225-$275.

2936. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqjveghu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143778

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Ah, now we have the absolutely dumbest Amateur giving his 2 cents worth along
with PORKY himself. Yep,thats right Rich! Yeah Rube, your 'zackly right. Two
pots calling the kettle black. "YEP, YEP, I,I,I, and all that
crap">>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>

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>> In article <7gqf28$c74$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <11045-3730A412-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
> RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> > Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
> > and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>
> >
> > You have that correct Rube, WTIA living in ALa. Need we say more? I think
> they would like us to say more, they live for it. Poor little malcontents.
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2937. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: markv@pixar.com
Message-ID: <7gqkdl$h1j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143779

In article <37285D20.AB574B2A@fallschurch.esys.com>,
akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com wrote:
> If you do not think Morse code has at least some of the aspects of a
> language, then you are either not proficient, or just nit-picking, or
> both! Almost anybody who has attained real proficiency in Morse (>25
> wpm) is well-acquainted with my claim; anyone who has not cannot be
> expected to believe this! I mean this as a simple statement of my
> experience and that of others I know.

A roller skate has some of the aspects of a car, but that doesn't mean that a roller skate is a car. Languages have both vocabulary and grammar, Morse has neither. It isn't a language, it is a code. Hence the term "Morse code", as opposed to "Morse Language".

Mark
> 73 de W1AEL
>
>

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2938. Re: Bucket mouth sponge boy returns

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqkl2$h5p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143780

Could it be W4WAM ?? Did he get throat cancer from pulling his voice on KA4MUJ
?? The ghost of Michael Galego will now get even.
>>>
>>In article <7gnfsenlp1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>
> It looks like a certain low level officer of the law in a small eastern
> city Known as "Bucket Mouth Sponge Boy" is sending messages of support for his
> master Wb2otk. This is the same "Bucket Mouth Sponge Boy" who spent a lot of
> time on 14313 interfering and talking really nasty. Take up for your master
> "Bucket Mouth" You are as big a radio rat as OTK. Go Mr Hollingsworth
> go!!!!!!!!!
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2939. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqlfe$i05$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143781

Here we go again. AF2Y, the infamous DOCTOR HATE, making bigoted remarks about
someones religion when in fact he knows nothing about it. DONKEY DUNG IS AT IT
AGAIN !!
>>>
>>>
>>>>>In article <19990505154230.03557.00002761@ng123.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<
> I thought Polly *was* a cracker?
> >>
> No Dave. He's a pious Methodist who wears vestments at church because of his
> superior position in the community and church. Can you beat that? If anyone
> tells me that ALL religions don't smack of hyprocrisy(and I see it in my
> synagogue), then he needs a shrink.
> 73, Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>
>

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2940. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mdf@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqljq$i21$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143782

jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:

> You could say that any language is an encoding scheme for English.

Anyone who claims this is making a mockery of the notion of "language".

> While in first year Vietnamese, upon hearing the word "hai" I would
> have to mentally translate to the English "two."

So apparently we have the makings of a universal translator device here.

Suppose we have a block of Russian that we need to be translated into English. All we do is have a computer send the Russian in CW and let Mr. Herman receive it. Out will come -- must come -- a perfect English translation.

Even more dramatic: an archaeologist unearths a tablet of some ancient language. Rather than waste years of effort and careful analysis, this archaeologist keys up his radio and sends the text to Mr. Herman. A moment later, the history and life of this long lost culture is revealed!

Yet that pales in comparison to this feat: the NSA is intercepting some CW communication from a terrorist ring leader to his cohorts around the world. They can receive the message and set their super computers to work on the problem for the next 50 years. Or DIRNSA can call Mr. Herman and (politely) ask him to tune in and provide the plaintext. In real time.

CW is, after all, a language. And Mr. Herman claims he can understand this language.

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2941. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqlq5$i5v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143783

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Duh, DUH, that's right Rich! Duh, Duh,
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>>> In article <11045-3730A412-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
> and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>
>
>

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2942. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505190621.14220.00002354@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 143784

>Doc this sounds very much like a death threat to me and goes way beyond what
>this aguring is about so i think you and richard need a nice long stay in a
>rubber room.

I agree 100% John!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

2943. Re: Whiten, Dork Hate and Misek Shut Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pharmacodynamics splayfoote <head404n@dincol.edu>
Message-ID: <01be974b$66f92d20$c3a22399@a8974a789cf8643>
Source record: 143785

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote in article <7goabu$em9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
> This is too good to stay hidden on "Bill Mather" WA2EXQ's web site.
> Misek at the Mic
> A Ballad of the Republic, Sung in the Year 1999

(SNIP)

Probably one of the FUNNIEST bits I've read in this NG in awhile.
All the more relavant as SWL'ing these frequencies adds to the color.
Thanks whoever wroth this bit! It should be etched in bronze and
displayed under glass at ham swap meets like Dayton Ohio.

2944. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio ! (baaa ha ha ha!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: pharmacodynamics splayfoote <head404n@dincol.edu>
Message-ID: <01be974a$a532da60$LocalHost@a8974a789cf8643>
Source record: 143786

ljutefisk@yahoo.com wrote in article <MPG.11995b2c3e574989690@news.vais.net>...
> In article <slrn7iv36h.4u.root@wild.net>, root@warez.phantom.com

> I'd put money on the fatboy being a ham.

A sure bet. Although I am an SWL, and have NO desire to go for
a ham licence as long as stooo-pid code is required for HF, I have
been to several ham radio swap meets and I've never seen more
fat-assed, chain-smokin porkies waddling about like bloated ducks in any one
place bar none! What is good about this is most of these Fatso's
will probably be dead of heart failure in short time and I'll be able to
pick up their radio gear for HF SWL use on the cheap from their
wives who will no doubt be glad to get all that %@^(+! junk out of the house.
Case in point I paid a visit to a recently ex-pired ham's place and picked
up about 3 Grand worth of HF/VHF gear from his ex who let me have the
whole lot for $400.00 (including a new-in-the-box Yeasu FT-100)

Just keep a-droppin like flies all U fatso with portables on your stretched belts!

2945. Amateur Radio Jammers Become USENET Spammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505195438.04645.00001398@ngol04.aol.com>
Source record: 143787

If there was any question as to the effectiveness of Riley Hollingsworth's recent campaign to clean up the Amateur Radio Service, one has to look no further than the recent activity on this Internet newsgroup. Most of the "top troublemakers" of 20 and 75 meters have surfaced here, many within the last several days. I need not mention any names or callsigns; it's plainly obvious as to whom I'm making reference to.

Look around. The prime violators, many of whom have been specific targets of recent FCC investigation and/or enforcement efforts, are now carrying on their personal vendettas via the Internet. Coincidence? Hardly. Expect more of these familiar "problem children" of the airwaves to surface here in the coming weeks as Mr. Hollingsworth's noose tightens around their collective necks and puts a long-overdue end to their illegal activities on amateur radio.

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

2946. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio ! (baaa ha ha ha!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3730DAC7.30A0C9F9@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143788

pharmacodynamics splayfoote wrote:

> ljutefisk@yahoo.com wrote in article <MPG.11995b2c3e574989690@news.vais.net>...
> > In article <slrn7iv36h.4u.root@wild.net>, root@warez.phantom.com
>
> > I'd put money on the fatboy being a ham.
>
> A sure bet. Although I am an SWL, and have NO desire to go for
> a ham licence as long as stooo-pid code is required for HF, I have
> been to several ham radio swap meets and I've never seen more
> fat-assed, chain-smokin porkies waddling about like bloated ducks in any one
> place bar none! What is good about this is most of these Fatso's
> will probably be dead of heart failure in short time and I'll be able to
> pick up their radio gear for HF SWL use on the cheap from their
> wives who will no doubt be glad to get all that %@^(+! junk out of the house.
> Case in point I paid a visit to a recently ex-pired ham's place and picked
> up about 3 Grand worth of HF/VHF gear from his ex who let me have the
> whole lot for $400.00 (including a new-in-the-box Yeasu FT-100)
>
> Just keep a-droppin like flies all U fatso with portables on your stretched belts!
>

Taking advantage of widows, eh? Wishing strangers drop dead? What kind of worthless asshole are you, anyway?

Marv Luse
AB0IO

2947. Needed -- ride to Dayton, from Cleveland

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb8foz@apk.net
Message-ID: <7gqohn$ap1@junior.apk.net>
Source record: 143789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,cle.general

Help a poor soul not miss the Hamvention...

A friend needs a ride down Friday morning. He'll
meet you whereever in the Cleveland area you agree on.
(We go Thursday & he can't make it then...)

2948. Re: Watkins Johnson HF1000 or Racal 6790GM -Which is better?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. S. Platt" <jeepp@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3730EC45.2CC122E@erols.com>
Source record: 143790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Now that's about the best dialog I've read on this subject! My close friend was a tech writer then salesman for WJ and he has told me that that receiver is mediocre, at best. He said one Fed agency got fed up and bought Icom R72's (?). Look very hard at the construction, then look at the "competition". It's dramatic! Maintenance is a nightmare as is the cost of replacement parts. He has one but its sits there, covered with dust!!

Michael wrote:

> Al Klase wrote:
>
> > There are some serious problems with exotic commercial receivers for people
> > who are not extremely technically qualified or not made of money.
>
> > Al Klase - N3FRQ
>
> I will have to agree with Al's well reasoned posting. I have owned some
> of the exotic equipment. I now have a very good, but very common, Drake
> R8B. There are several problems with the exotics. The first is that they
> were never intended for general use and, thus, often have terrible
> ergonomics or sound quality. These are acceptable traits in monitoring
> equipment which is intended to always be computer controlled, but
> maddening characteristics for the general listener. Secondly, if the
> exotic was primarily designed for use by a governmental agency, the cost
> of commonly replaced parts can be absurd. This is often not a result of
> government purchasing excesses, but rather an inevitable product of
> limited production and low economies of scale; but the result for the
> consumer is the same ($100.00 plus LCD screens). The third, and worst,
> problem with the exotics is that they are sold in very limited numbers,
> often for a short time period. This means that few people are familiar
> with them or can service them, parts are not generally available, and a
> spare parts chassis will never be found. After some years, it will
> become difficult, and then impossible, to keep it working.
>
> If you want one for the bragging rights, fine. Or, perhaps, you might
> want one as part of a collection where its design, if not its use, would
> be important. However, you had better be a fully qualified technician to
> service it; and you must realize that the performance advantage the
> exotic has is probably in a range or function that you will never use,
> and the guy down the street with the Japan Radio Corp. set or the Drake
> is actually getting better actual results in the type of listening you
> are actually doing.
>
> For what it's worth.

>
> 73's de
> Michael K.

2949. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3730F757.BEA9A69A@jump.net>
Source record: 143791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba,rec.radio.antenna

OK
I did this with Jerre Ferguson, W2YRQ who was an Engineer who worked for
GE.
GE built the Tektite habitat. Tektite II was an undersea experiment
where people lived on the bottom (50') for weeks in nitrogen saturation.
This was Summer 1970 on St. John, US Virgin Islands. Doing ham radio
during a break between missions was Jerre's idea. I got to operate too,
increasing the possible number of contacts. The rig was a KWM2 and
SB220. We hauled the gear down in paint pots and ran the coax out the
hatch and up to a support barge on the surface. On the Barge was a Hy
Gain 14AVQ trap vertical. we also dropped some unwrapped wire cable in
the salt water to help the "ground". So we have this vertical sitting on
a steel barge in the Caribbean. As I recall it worked quite well, but
decompression limits kept operation to an hour a day apiece.
H.
WA5IGW
NASDS

Michael Young wrote:

> Both, if you wish. I'm also interested to hear about the antenna;
> r.r.a.antenna would also be a valid place to post.
>
> Michael.
>
> H. Adam Stevens <alien@jump.net> wrote in message
> news:372FACBC.3B2281C2@jump.net...
> > Well I once operated a kilowatt on 20 meters from the Tektite II
> habitat on
> > the bottom of Lameshur Bay in the USVI. Do I post about it in
> rec.scuba or
> > rec.radio.amateur.misc or both?
> > H.
> > WA5IGW

2950. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3730F8CF.42A3EF9B@jump.net>
Source record: 143792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

waited that long huh?
which came first? women or booze?
I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)
H.

kypg3@ibm.net wrote:

> In article <372FACBC.3B2281C2@jump.net>,
> "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net> wrote:
> > Well I once operated a kilowatt on 20 meters from the Tektite II habitat on
> > the bottom of Lameshur Bay in the USVI. Do I post about it in rec.scuba or
> > rec.radio.amateur.misc or both?
> > H.
> > WA5IGW
> >
>
> WA5IGW, wow old fart eh? don't take any crap from these "punks"
>
> regards...wb4ptc Dave Scott 35wpm on the vibroplex, kyn & 9rn (emergency
> traffic)chronic from '70 to 72, then i discovered alcohol and women at the
> tender age of 18.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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2951. Re: "Donkeyboy"..where are you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3731042A.A61FA30B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143793

Don't be so quick to congratulate yourself, Doc.
I've had some talks with him in private email,
asking him to knock-off the hate speech.
He's decided to take a breather and cool down
so he can present his facts without the inappropriate rancor.
Maybe he'll chill and maybe he won't.
But he's trying to cool his anger enough to talk sense.

His anger at you, personally, stems from several instances
of jamming he alleges you've done. More important is his deep
anger against all jewish people. He has been the target of
extreme abuse and physical attack by gangs of jewish
youths while attending a school dominated by jewish,
hispanic and black kids. They assaulted and nearly
blinded him-- because he was a white european.
Because he's "goyim"- which your sacred texts teach
is lower then a worm and without rights of person or property.

Well... It's not your fault that Hebrew religious texts
have some garbage in them; I'd hate to be held to
some of the junk in the Christian scriptures.
But some people- Jew, Christian, Muslim, whatever-
will use the junk as an excuse to vent their sadistic urges.
His anger may be improperly aimed at all jewish people,
but it's very understandable.

So not so fast, Doc.
The guy is just trying to clean up his act before
giving you another salvo.

Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

2952. Re: FCC Closes Porkbutts Freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3731002E.29C6@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143794

john1952@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <37308066.3873@dirtball.com>,
> Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> > HA HA HA HA They have now made it illeagal for PORKBUT to use his wide
> > signal on 3.901 HAHAHAHA! HAHAHAAHA! HAAHAHAAHAHA! poorpoor PORKBUTT!
> > Where is going to operate now. He isn't welcome anywhere! HAHAHAHAHA!
> > AHAHAHAHAHAHAHA! HAHAAHAHAHAAHA! poorpoor PORKBUT! I bet it ain't Al I
> > bet its a mad PORKBUT! I bet the FCC picked 3.900 MHZ just because of
> > PORKBUT HAHAHAAHAHAHAHAAHA! He is so important! poorpoor PORKBUT!
> >
> The FCC didn't pick 3900 just because of "Porkbut." 3900 has been used by
> Oklahoma hams for emergencies for years. Why are you so obsessed with Porkbutt
> anyway?
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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I know I thought that it was funny and I know how porkbut thinks. Also
with his current problems with the FCC he would think that they did it
because of him. I guess nobody else saw the sarcasium.
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2953. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jack C Empson Jr <empson@acsu.buffalo.edu>
Message-ID: <3731021D.1B1E6B11@acsu.buffalo.edu>
Source record: 143795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

That's ok we can argue all we want about keeping the code test, but something needs to be done to bring people into amateur radio not keep them out. Soon enough all the brass pounders will be gone and then the FCC can sell of the rest of the ham spectrum. How soon we have forgotten about 220 MHz.

****
* Jack Empson Instructional Support Technician *
* State University of New York @ Buffalo *
* 10 Norton Buffalo, New York 14260 *
* Voice 716.645.3518 Fax 716.645.3198 *
****

186000 mps it's not just a good idea, it's the law!

2954. Tower Construction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: gandalf@tpgi.com.au
Message-ID: <372fd0e3.30338916@ayr-news.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 143796

Does anyone have plans for a crankup tower or know where I can obtain
that information, any help would be grateful.

2955. Greetings from Alaska!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dale <kooshman@gci.net>
Message-ID: <373144fa.0@pavlof.gci.net>
Source record: 143797

I'm interested in getting involved in amateur radio since I am an electronic tech in audio-video equipment with a field of work that is basically replace instead of repair now. Any info would be greatly appreciated. Thanks!!!

2956. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Waldron <bogart@nationwide.net>
Message-ID: <373107F0.F37D3132@nationwide.net>
Source record: 143798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I always thought they were more like little pimple things...cuz they're
'outies' instead of 'innies'.

BTW, isn't it odd that they have Braille on a drive-up teller machine? :)

William Lee wrote:

> Hey Mark,,,,, I know braille. That's those little dimple things I see on
> the drive up teller machine at my bank. (think about it) I can't decode them
> yet but that is OK beause I can see..... See?
>
> William Lee N5WRX

2957. Kehnwood DG5 Svc, Man.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmiller@fix.net
Message-ID: <372fe509.343325@news.fix.net>
Source record: 143855

I
I have a copy of the DG5 Service Manual complete wity
scematic, wave forms, trouble-shooting hints, parts list,
etc. Price $7.50 mailed.

If interested, email me hmiller@fix.net

Tnx es 73, Harry Miller KB6CGG in sunny California.

2958. Ham Radio & Electronics Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <7go735bpl1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143856

Hello All,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
Please check out my Ham Radio & Electronic Resources Page.
It has info on Satellites, Satellite Tracking, Yaesu,
FT-847, FT-50R, HF/VHF/UHF, and tons of useful Resource Links.
The URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

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2959. Re: Revive Expired License ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Terry West <twest@mindless.com>
Message-ID: <372F9253.EECF19A2@mindless.com>
Source record: 143857

According to QRZ, your license expired in april 98. I'm not sure, but I
think you can still renew

Bill Rodgers wrote:
>
> I got my tech license about 12(?) years ago. I believe it had to be renewed
> after 5 years which I did not do. I don't mind re-learning all the
> information including the code (it was quite a different nut to crack...kind
> of fun). If I became proficient again and took the relevant tests, could I
> get my old callsign (N8JJK) back? I now live in Colorado, not Ohio.
> Thanks, Bill

2960. Looking for a Standard EPROM Burner (A3400)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Crann <bcrann@nf.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <372f9395.0@209.128.1.3>
Source record: 143858

I am looking for an EPROM Burner that will work for my Standard GX3000 VHF radio.

2961. Re: Amateur Transceiver - TS120V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Langdon <tlangdon@atctraining.com.au>
Message-ID: <372F98E7.A2876588@atctraining.com.au>
Source record: 143859
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org> wrote:
> >I'm looking for an HF transceiver to use as a beacon transmitter.
> >Make me an offer I can't refuse! I am in New Zealand.
>
> Okay, how about just building a crystal-controlled transmitter? No
> need to consign an expensive transceiver to beacon duty.
> 73, Jeff KH6O

This would seem to be the best option, a crystral controlled transmitter will be cheaper, and likely consume less power, if optimised for the purpose. Also, less complexity means less things to break while it's stuck on its site. :-)

<followups trimmed>

2962. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372F9749.392C8176@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> ...Or is it some other group that you fear?

Ever hear of criminals, Bob? Ever been mugged? Ever had your
home violated?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2963. GPS signal jamming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Rishel <gekkko@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7go90qdco1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143861

Just a random thought with all the radio-guided ordnance being
hurled about in the Balkans.

GPS signals are quite low in SNR. How easy would it be to broadcast
a blanket jamming signal that would prevent a guided munition from
using the GPS effectively?

Alan
alan@rsawx.$#@!%spammers.com

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2964. Re: WB2OTK/W2OTK Racist Bigot Explained....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7go98cdmc1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143862

In article <19990504110405.18144.00001771@ng61.aol.com>,
richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
> The truth always wins out in the end.
>

Maybe you can move to Israel, jump on a bus in Gaza and meet some lovely girl
who loves Hamas and Semtec more than life itself.

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2965. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504212032.18698.00003229@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 143863

>
>Gentlemen..gentlemen.. you're all in a tither over Riley's sitting on 3.950.
>In
>fact, you're mistaking it for approval. Allow me to explain since the
>run-of-the-mill 3.950 adherent isn't capable of tying his own shoelaces.The
>man's a patriotic American, not a bottom- feeding subversive as you are. He
>was
>there to assure that freedom of speech is part of amateur radio even if he
>had
>to barf listening to you fruitcakes. Also he made sure that you too, who
>under
>the guise of patriotism would silence all Hitlerite talk,were allowed to
>jump
>around in your shiny black jackboots,starched brown shirts and wave your
>Hakenkreuz Fahnen. Yes, in this wondeful land of ours, even Nazism and other
>sordid maniacal political expressions are allowed to be seen and heard. I
>don't
>know the man personally but I believe I can testify to the fact that he
>TOLERATES but doesn't like you,so my suggestion is to get off your high
>horses
>and face facts. You 3.950ers are abominations..pariahs to both ham radio
>specifically and to America in general. And let me toss in guttersnipes
>also...for good measure. The good thing about 3.950 is that it keeps kooks in
>one place instead of allowing you to run around defacing temples and
>cemetaries, hanging AfroAmericans and all the rest for which you turkeys are
>noted. Question:how can you look yourselves in the face knowing how
>disgusting
>you are?
>AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

THIS eruption of pure hate has spewed forth from a
supposedly "poor, innocent, persecuted, self-chosen Jew"?

Innocent and persecuted my ass! Let us never forget this
pus bag's Khazar Bolshevik ancestors who gave us close
to a century of murderous, evil, satanic COMMUNISM,
which, by the way, has resulted in the murder of so many
White Christians that it makes the so-called Holocaust (tm)
look like a tea party!

Is it any wonder the Nazis hated the Jews? Can't say I blame
them, either.

AF2Y, take your hate-filled, anti-Christian Talmud and shove it up your ass! (Assuming your boyfriend has vacated said orifice for the time being).

2966. Re: Waldheim Missed a Few

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504213410.18443.00002136@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143864

Hey "Donkeyboy," don't you have a good Jewish delicatessen in Atlanta? If so, go in and get a bowl of matzoh ball soup, a hot pastrami sandwich and a bottle of Dr.Brown's celery tonic; sit back, eat hearty, grepz a few times and forget about your so called "Jewish menace." Regadring Waldheim, he's a footnote to history; a shamed disgraced guy who had to step down from public office in Austria. That's your hero? Remember that for every Jew murdered in extermination camps, a German civilian lost his or her life in either allied bombing raids or by artillery fire. Look it up-6,000,000 Deutschen bit the dust. And you recall the old days in Madrid? Don't make me laugh. You weren't around in 1936. In fact, you're missing now! Go to church "Donkey" and pray for forgiveness. I'm sure that one cleric out there must think you're worthwhile enough to save. I don't. And I know where you live...what's your call, coward?
Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

2967. K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504213444.10948.00002301@ng-cm1.aol.com>
Source record: 143865

The Moron is running double sideband on 3894.5, his signal is up as far as 3903. The FCC has declared 3900 for traffic use, because of the Tornado damage. Wonder where Riley is now?

2968. Whiten, Dork Hate and Misek Shut Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7goabu$em9$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143866

This is too good to stay hidden on "Bill Mather" WA2EXQ's web site.

Misek at the Mic

A Ballad of the Republic, Sung in the Year 1999

The outlook wasn't brilliant for the Hudson nine that day; The score stood four to two with but one inning more to play. And then when Whiten died at first, and Doc Hate did the same, A sickly silence fell upon the patrons of the game.

A straggling few got up to go in deep despair. The rest Clung to that hope which springs eternal in the human breast; They thought if only Mad Misek could but get a whack at that-- We'd put up even money now with Misek at the bat.

But Whiten preceded Misek, as did also good Doc Hate, And the former was a lulu and the latter was a cake; So upon that stricken multitude grim melancholy sat, For there seemed but little chance of Misek's getting to the bat.

But Sid let drive a single, to the wonderment of all, And "Them Faggots", the much despis-ed, tore the cover off the ball; And when the dust had lifted, and the men saw what had occured, There was Whiten safe at second and Doc Hate hailing the Third.

Then from 5,000 throats and more there rose a lusty yell; It rumbled through the valley, it rattled in the dell; It knocked Misek, mighty Misek, was advancing to bat.

There was ease in Misek's manner as he stepped into his place; There was a fix on Misek's bearing and a smile on Misek's face. And when, responding to the cheers, he lightly doffed his hat, No stranger in the crowd could doubt 'twas Misek at the mic.

Ten thousand eyes were on him as he rubbed his hands with dirt; Five thousand tongues applauded when he wiped them on his shirt. Then while the writhing Riley ground his fists into his desk, Defiance gleamed in Misek's eye, a sneer curled Misek's lip.

And now the chrome-covered mic came hurtling
through the air, And Misek stood a-watching it in
haughty grandeur there. Close by the sturdy batsman
the ball unheeded sped-- "That ain't my style," said
Misek. "Strike one," the umpire said.

From the benches black with people, there went up a
muffled roar, Like the beating of the storm-waves on a
stern and distant shore. "Kill him! Kill the umpire!"
shouted some one on the stand; And it's likely they'd
have killed him had not Misek raised his hand.

With a smile of Christian charity great Vic's visage
shone; He stilled the rising tumult; he bade the game
go on; He signaled to the pitcher, and once more the
spheroid flew; But Misek still ignored it, and the
umpire said, "Strike two."

"Fraud!" cried the libertarians, and echo answered
fraud; But one scornful look from Misek and the
audience was awed. They saw his face grow stern and
cold, they saw his muscles strain, And they knew that
Misek wouldn't let that mic go by again.

The sneer is gone from Victor's lip, his teeth are
clenched in hate; He pounds with cruel violence his
fist upon his plate. And now the fed holds the balls,
and now he lets it go, And now the air is shattered by
the force of Misek's blow.

Oh, somewhere in this favored land the sun is shining
bright; The band is playing somewhere, and
somewhere hearts are light, And somewhere men are
laughing, and somewhere children shout; But there is
no joy in Hudson-- Mad Misek has struck out.
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2969. the roots of hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504214051.18443.00002142@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143867

Want to see something abominable? Want to know from where these 3.950 ameoba draw sustinence? Want to see what kind of America these creeps are hoping for? Log on to.....

http://www.bcpl.lib.md.us/~rfrankli/hatedir.htm

And yes indeed, you will find 3.950 listed as a subversive group as expected. Go have yourselves a good puke and see what kind of freedom of speech your fathers and uncles and brothers died for.
AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

2970. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7goc5e$g6t$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <372F9749.392C8176@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > ...Or is it some other group that you fear?
>
> Ever hear of criminals, Bob?

Sure I have...but it is not my job to gun them down. It is the job of paid and trained law enforcers. I am not a vigilante or a gardian angel myself.

>Ever been mugged? Ever had your
> home violated?

To tell the truth no on mugging...I was not exactly mugged myself. A drunken Army "buddy" put a loaded .45 to my head but I don't consider that to be a mugging. He was not exactly a criminal and I won't give you the details about what he wanted. My father was a NYC taxi driver and he was mugged many times. He preferred to surrender his money and not carry a gun. IMHO it is better to give free-lance desperate robbers money than to donate it to organized charities or pay doctor bills. It can also be a tax deduction if promptly reported to the police. My oldest son was mugged when he went to see a hockey game in NYC. He was a minor at the time [16 years old] and I wouldn't have let him carry a gun, even if he wasn't. If you can get mugged without getting hurt or hurting anyone IMHO you have shown that you know how to take care of yourself. We call that being "street-smart". Some bad local middle class suburban kids used to paint my home with eggs and spray paint every halloween, Easter, Christmas and also on other recognized holidays. Once they boke the windows on my garage door. They broke antennas and wind-shield wipers off my cars. They eventually grew up to be respectible citizens. I replaced the windows with wood panels and installed automatic lighting and an alarm system. I'm glad I never shot any of the "bad" kids. I now live in peace with their families and the kids, who now have their own children, tell their younguns to respect my property. An old aunt of mine was mugged years ago and fought the mugger. She would not let go of her pocketbook until she received a big gash across her stomach. When I visited her in the hospital she said she was sorry that she didn't let go sooner...but not sorry that she didn't have a gun. She didn't trust herself with a gun...ever since she tried to clean out an AC receptical with a hair pin she figured that anything as complicated as a gun might be as electrifying as that hair pin was in her hands.

> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
>

73, Bob w2ilp (I Live Peacefully)
Life Member IEEE Member Mensa

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2971. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372FA898.FD35C61A@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Richard Kunert wrote:
> I believe in an emergency situation I could hack together some sort of CW
> transmitter out of practically any electronic components that were on
> hand; ...

And nobody is advocating that you not be allowed to do just that, Richard.
Nobody is talking about eliminating CW - just about eliminating Morse
code testing. Do you think that CW is such an undesirable mode that nobody
would continue to use it after the requirement is dropped?
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2972. Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504221946.18439.00002323@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143870

Man is he mad at me. Everything coming out of his word processor is "Jew this" and "Jew that." One knows when one is crushing the enemy by watching his tactics and poor "Donkeyboy's" got nothing left but anti-Semitic crap. Meanwhile allow me to go on record by saying that I respect Christianity and would never lower myself to any religious slurs. I tell it like it is....fact and the "Donk" can't take it. He's so upset over my making KV4FZ miserable, that miserably felonious lying creep. Sorry "Donk," Herbie's a goner and we're gonna have a hell of a party when he gets that cease and desist. You're invited but leave your Swastikas home. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

2973. Amateur Radio Discussion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: hskost@hskost.com
Message-ID: <3730a68a.4643104@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Amateur Radio Discussion Board
http://www.k1hk.org/bb.html

2974. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <g9OX2.16847$Dx6.334210@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message

> snip
>I figure that the odds of me needing a gun and being able to protect myself
or anyone else or my property with the gun is almost as farfetched as it
would be to have a microwave dish ready for ET Saturday night comedy
broadcasts.
> snip

There are thousands of citizens every year who prevent and/or deter a
violent crime against themselves or another. They are able to do this
because criminals are scarred as hell of a citizen with a gun because they
know that the citizen will use it. The criminals laugh at the cops because
they know if a cop shoots them, then they, or their family, just hit the
civil lottery...

The bottom line is that if you are the one out of four persons who is the
victim of a criminal attack each year, and you do not posses the will and/or
the means to stop the attack, then you will suffer the results. The police
cannot prevent an attack, but they are pretty good at figuring out who
killed you.

As the saying goes, the difference between a liberal and a conservative is
that the liberal hasn't been mugged yet...

73 de KF6KNB
* An armed man is a citizen, an unarmed man is a subject. *

2975. Re: K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504224914.18700.00003140@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 143873

>Wonder where Riley is now?

Working on busting your pitiful little ass...

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

2976. ACS Newsletter for 03 May 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gob9u$ek9@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.info,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!

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>From the Editor's Desk:

Just as the Newsletter was going to press Monday night, we received word that tornadoes had touched down in several parts of Kansas and Oklahoma, causing a trmendous amount of destruction. To keep abreast of the situation, see the FEMA link under the 'What's New on the Web' section.

We have had some problems recently with the harthaven.com server (an equipment failure on the part of the telephone company -- no fault to Listmaster Mark Hartman...) If, for some reason you don't receive your copy of the Newsletter, go to the ACS Website at http://acs.oes.ca.gov and click on the 'EMCOMM Bulletin button'. Our current editions of the Newsletter and EMCOMM Bulletin, as well as archived editions dating back as far as 1985.

Stay safe, everybody -- see you next week ! Dave Larton, Editor

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Please Welcome:

Alan Painter, WA4QCH <alan@painter.com>
Rossville, Georgia
Disaster Chair American Red Cross

David W. Barrow III/ N9UNR <n9unr@execpc.com>
Cedarburg, WI
I am the EC for Ozaukee County, WI. Our QZARES group is 54 members strong. We meet the 4th Thursday of each month in the Emergency Management office space.
My past experience is with CAP and USCG-Auxiliary

El Kingston - KC6WVP <kingston@mscomm.com>
Victorville, CA
Assistant Radio Officer for City of Victorville R.A.C.E.S.
Our group works closely with the Victorville Fire Dept, particulary during local emergencies, such as flooding. We use events such as the March of Dimes WalkAmerica, and the Victorville annual Christmas Parade as supplemental exercises, to keep us involved in the community. Last year we provided radio communications for the Air Show at the former George Air Base.

Sean Inggs ZR5BBL <sean.i@webmail.co.za>
Pinetown, KZN, South Africa
Hi there, my name is Sean Inggs and am an official of an amateur radio emergency communications organisation in South Africa. The name is HAMNET incase anyone reading this has heard of it. HAMNET works closely with the Disaster Management Centre in the co untry but also in any national/state disaster any government agency vested with similar aims in times of emergency we are at the disposal of them. HAMNET also has a caravan which can be mobilised virtually anywhere by road equiped with HF, VHF, UHF, compu ters, government radios if needed to communicate with disaster management etc. and more. Some of our members also have the latest radio's, GPS's and visual electronic comms, which help alot for certain operations. We have a website http://welcome.to/hamnetkzn if you are interested in our operations and how we go about them & visit our guestbook. Thank-you kindly.

Cheers and keep well
Sean ZR5BBL
HAMNET Official - Online Media Manager HAMNET-KZN

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>From the Mailbag:

From: "Ed Ryan - N7VEX" <wvdisast@crossnet.org>

Dave, My heart goes out to the folks at the Jefferson County Comm Center. I had some tough events during my 30 years in the business, but nothing like those that have occured during the past eight years. Thanks for the info on the Cal Aggies (UCD)

Vet School support of Yolo County Emergency Management. Our county's Division of Emergency Management has been working with the Humane Society and County Animal Control to handle household pets; but exotic pets and those of a larger size still pose problems. The bulletin pointed out how to construct an emergency kit for your pet. but pets ARE NOT allowed in Red Cross Shelters. We here are trying to arrange co-located people and pet shelter areas. When people are advised of an emergency evacuation order, they usually only think of the "Four P's". Do you know the four "P's" of Evacuation?

Pets, Pictures, Pills ,P.C.'s

(Courtesy of LTC Dave Loehr, Operations Officer, AZ Army National Guard)

In addition to the information posted in EMC 181, the Red Cross brochure "Pets and Disasters: get Prepared", stock # 321355 should be available at your local Chapter house. s/ Ed Ryan - N7VEX Disaster Specialist, Central AZ Chapter

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Current Events:

Washington May 4, 1999 - Eleven Oklahoma counties ripped by a swarm of deadly tornadoes have been designated for federal aid by the head of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) under a major disaster declaration issued for the state today by President Clinton.

FEMA Director James Lee Witt said the President authorized the assistance immediately following a review of the agency's analysis of the state's expedited request submitted this morning for federal relief. The declaration covers damage from severe storms and tornadoes that hit the state May 3-4.

"The President is deeply concerned about the tragic loss of life and destruction caused by these devastating storms," Witt said. "He has acted quickly in committing all necessary federal resources, and we will work as fast as humanly possible in aiding all those in need."

Witt, who arrived in Oklahoma City today, reported that two advanced teams of FEMA disaster specialists and seven Civil Air Patrol ground assessment units were deployed to assist state and local emergency operations. U.S. military aircraft, as well as federal public works and health and medical resources, also have been activated to support immediate response efforts.

The 11 counties designated by Witt for federal aid to tornado-stricken residents and business owners include Caddo, Cleveland, Creek, Grady, McClain, Oklahoma, Kingfisher, Lincoln, Logan, Pottawatomie and Tulsa.

The assistance, to be coordinated by FEMA, can include grants to help pay for temporary housing, minor home repairs and other serious disaster-related expenses. Low-interest loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration also will be available to cover residential and business losses not fully compensated by insurance.

Additionally, Witt said federal funds will be provided for the state and affected local governments in the 11 designated counties to pay 75 percent of the eligible cost for debris removal and emergency services related to the disaster. The declaration also makes cost-shared funding available to the state for approved projects that reduce future disaster risks.

Witt indicated that more counties and additional forms of assistance for state and local government agencies may be designated later based on the results of further damage assessments. He named Robert Hendrix of FEMA's regional office in Denton, Texas, to coordinate the federal relief effort.

Hendrix said residents and business owners who sustained losses in the designated counties can begin the disaster application process by calling 1-800-462-9029, or 1-800-462-7585 (TDD) for the hearing and speech impaired. The toll-free telephone numbers will be available starting Wednesday, May 5, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (CT) seven days a week until further notice.

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
Office of Emergency Information & Public Affairs --- Washington, D.C.

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... via fax-on-demand: phone in the U.S.A. (202) 646-FEMA
... via digital audio for broadcasters & print: eipa@fema.gov
and listen to the FEMA Radio Network on the FEMA Website
using RealAudio

ACS PERSONNEL SUPPORT DISASTER REGISTRY FIELD EXERCISE

The San Francisco Disaster Registry Program (DRP) for Seniors and Persons with Disabilities passed a milestone on Saturday, April 17th, when the field response component of the program went through its first field exercise. The exercise included volunteers from the American Red Cross, the Auxiliary Communications Service, San Francisco Neighborhood Emergency Response Teams (NERT), and the Volunteer Center of San Francisco. In an unprecedented collaboration between these volunteer agencies, the Dept. of Public Health, and the Mayor's office of Emergency Services, the exercise was conducted to simulate the actual response activities that would be needed in the event of a major disaster affecting Disaster Registry enrollees.

This was the first-ever use of ACS volunteers to provide communications support of a field exercise for the Disaster Registry. The Registry program is specifically designed for San Francisco resident seniors, aged 60 and over, and persons with disabilities who've enrolled to be checked on after a major disaster. Experience from the Loma Prieta earthquake and similar events has shown us the the need to include ACS volunteers in an organized response effort. The April 17th exercise clearly demonstrated the value of ACS as a part of a disaster communications system with redundancy, and therefore, disaster resiliency.

In continued collaboration with local ACS personnel, the DRP coordinates a number of activities that seek to minimize disaster vulnerability, while at the same time maximizing the ability to effectively respond to the targeted populations. Some of these activities include: Expansion of Disaster Registry exercise plans to include all 46 San Francisco NERT's and, hopefully, all the ACS volunteers needed to support such a grand undertaking. Broadened collaboration in response planning among regional ACS resources that could conceivable become involved in disaster response to San Francisco seniors and persons with disabilities.

For further information:

If you would like to more information about the Disaster Registry program, contact Ron Lopez at 415-554-9732.

A San Francisco Bay area American Red Cross worker is headed to Oklahoma today to assist victims of a series of tornadoes and funnel clouds that hit the region Monday killing several dozen people. Gregory Smith, disaster director for the Bay Area Chapter, will work with other relief workers to provide shelter, food, solace and health care to victims' families and emergency workers. Over the next few days, 15 to 20 other workers from the Bay area will be deployed to the region.

Thirteen shelters were set up by the Red Cross Monday night in Oklahoma and Kansas to care for more than 2,000 people who were left homeless.

``Because tornadoes are an unfortunate fact of life in this part of the country, the Red Cross has a plan in place to respond to exactly this type of tragedy,'' Smith said. ``We will be there until everyone's emergency needs are met.''

Bay area residents who have been unable to contact friends and family in Oklahoma and Kansas can contact the Bay Area Chapter at (415) 427-8000 for help.
CONTACT:Chris Thomas, Bay Area Chapter (415) 427-8181

Robert W. Sanford WB6NYC

Ham radio operators have had a role in the aftermath of two recent incidents of random violence--the Columbine High School killings in Littleton, Colorado, and the shootings in a Salt Lake City, Utah, library where three people died a few days earlier.

Since the mayhem that left 15 people dead April 20 at Columbine High School, Amateur Radio operators have supported Salvation Army canteens set up for law enforcement, the media, and the thousands of other visitors. East Slope Emergency Coordinator Larry Cerney, K0ANI, said Amateur operators provided communication between facilities around Columbine High School, adjacent Clement Park, and the site of a makeshift memorial for the victims. Other operators supported the American Red Cross.

Cerney says he felt a personal involvement in the tragedy. He lives two miles from Columbine High, and many of his fellow workers have children that attend there. "It's still hard to look back over the last week or so," Cerney said. "This tragedy really has broken the hearts of this enlarged community."

Cerney said the support continued throughout last weekend's memorial services attended by Vice President Gore and other VIPs. "It seems that the local hams just had to help," he said. He said 25 to 30 operators worked three six-hour shifts from 6 AM until midnight, providing what Cerney described as mostly routine, logistical communication.

"I know all disasters are devastating to those involved," he said. Hurricanes and tornadoes may kill people and destroy homes and property, but the killing of kids by kids is something that I just cannot comprehend, no matter how far away or close to home."

Colorado Section Manager Tim Armagost, WB0TUB, expressed similar sentiments. "We Amateur Radio communicators like to believe we are prepared, but no one could be prepared for the tragic events at Columbine High School on April 20," Armagost said. "The Colorado Section Amateur Radio operators join the community in expressing our shock, sorrow, and sympathy for those affected by this tragedy."

In Salt Lake City on April 15, a gunman walked into the Family History Library and started shooting, killing two and wounding five before police shot and killed the gunman. Two building employees and hams--Utah Amateur Radio Club member Spencer Wood, KB7KGE, and Davis County resident Dave Oswald, KD7DHO--put ham radio to use to help evacuate the building.

Wood, the assistant emergency coordinator for the library says he and Oswald--a floor emergency captain--spread the call to clear the building and used an amateur simplex channel to exchange information on the evacuation. After Wood had to leave

the building, Wood relayed to police what he was hearing from Oswald inside the building. Wood credits ham radio with helping ensure an orderly evacuation. (The ARRL Letter)

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What's New on the Web:

Through Assembly Concurrent Resolution 21, the Legislature and Governor of the State of Nevada have honored amateur radio operators by declaring the last week in June as Nevada Amateur Radio week. The text of this resolution is included below; it is also available through the Legislature's web site at:

http://www.leg.state.nv.us/70th/bills/ACR/ACR21_EN.html

73,
Matt Parker, N7TOD
Training Officer/Net Administrator
Northern Nevada Amateur Radio Services

Visit the NNARS Home Page at http://www.qsl.net/nnars

From: Hank Linscott <loghead@PACBELL.NET>

For the latest information on the Plains Tornados, visit:

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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC182 Disaster Worker Stress 1/2
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

EMC182 Disaster Worker Stress 1/2 For release 5/3/99

Articles in the Huntington Beach CERT newsletter has been quoted several times in the bulletins. Again we find their November 1995 Newsletter gave an outstanding view of a sensitive aspect.

"Disaster work can be a unique, rewarding, and demanding experience. Under disaster conditions people get to know one another more quickly than under usual social circumstances. In disasters, workers often becomes like a family--working, eating, and literally living together. A strong sense of adventure and excitement exists, as well as a sense of meaning and purpose. Stress is inherent in disaster work. A certain amount of stress is present in your everyday life, but can become more intense during disaster work. Experiencing stress is normal and expected

in these types of situations. You may find answers to the following questions helpful.

How am I affected by stress during a disaster operation?

- You may experience physical symptoms associated with stress such as headaches, upset stomach, diarrhea, or have poor concentration, and feelings of irritability and restlessness.

- You may become tired of the disaster and prefer not to talk about it, think about it, or even associate with co-workers in your time off. You may become tired of continual interaction with victims and may want to isolate yourself in your time off. You may be feeling frustrated or guilty because you miss your family, but are unavailable to them both physically and emotionally due to your psychological involvement in the disaster, fatigue, and so forth.

- Phone calls home can be both frustrating and rewarding. You may feel your families and friends simply cannot understand the disaster experience. If they become irritated, it can compound the problem, and temporary isolation and estrangement can occur.

Part two, bulletin EMC183, continues next week.

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Please let others in the emergency services field know of the newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions, suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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2977. KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504232939.07592.00000996@ngol06.aol.com>
Source record: 143875

KV4FZ has been an active amateur radio operator since 1954 when he was first licensed in the Midwest as W0VXO. While working his way through college (1960-64), he spent summers teaching at several camps for the physically handicapped. He was highly successful in teaching seriously disabled campers about the potential of amateur radio. Many of these campers went on to fully qualify for their amateur radio licenses.

His father, W.B. Schoenbohm, was the founder of Courage Center in Minneapolis. Herb was a major force in pushing for the initiation of the Handi-Ham program, which is now widely recognized as the premier service organization for disabled radio amateurs. After college, Herb worked as a international sales representative for Gates Radio, Harris Corp, and Collins Radio. He sold and distributed broadcast equipment to the international market, primarily Latin America. In 1968, he moved to the U.S. Virgin Islands with the intent of better serving his customers. His wife Monika was, at that time. a service representative for Pan AmericanAirways. KV4FZ was very active in DX work and, as a frequent traveler, put many new countries on 160 meters. He was instrumental in getting Stew Perry, W1BB, the necessary countries to be the first ham ever to get DXCC on 160 meters. He also gave G3IOR the last country he need (VP2EFZ, Anguilla) for the first ever DXCC via satellite (Oscar 7).

During the 1970's, KV4FZ was able to set CQ World Wide records 160-10 in almost ever category except 40 meters. He was also very active in supporting the IARU Intruder Watch after encountering frequent yachts in the area that had acquired licenses of convenience for a fee. At that time, FCC Commissioner Margita White appointed KV4FZ as the Virgin Islands SECC. The SECC has responsibility to plan and manage the operation of radio communications resources during island emergencies. Herb fulfilled that role magnificently and was named a Virgin Island "Hero" after Hurricane Hugo destroyed most of St. Croix in 1989. Herb received this award for keeping vital communications circuits open during the crisis.) Herb also took a detailed interest in how most of these "pirates" has a close association with the so-called "service nets" on the top end of 20 meters. He joined the net and attended several of the hamfest functions. Only then did he learn how deliberate and sordid was the manner in which net members misused the amateur spectrum as a means to provide an international telephone toll by-pass service. One of the most flagrant of all these operations was the "INTERCON" network operating, for the most part, on 14.313 MHz. Herb began detailed monitoring of their operation and intercepted many communications that were appalling to say the least. In 1979, KV4FZ listening to what appeared to be a "business connection" between WB6MID/8R1 in Jonestown, Guyana and WB6MID in Ukia, California.
Herb broke in and informed the net personnel that this type of operation on an amateur frequency was illegal. Furthermore, Herb stated that their

communication constituted international business communications related to funds transfers and the procurement of equipment and supplies. The net hierarchy reacted by excoriating him for his "embarrassing comments" and ignoring the violations. The net bluntly told him that the Jonestown Operation was a missionary group and that they had special permission from the Carter administration to use ham radio to further their "worthy cause". Herb persisted with his concern and was quickly declared 'PERSONNA NON GRATA" by Robert Sternberg, AA4EE, a tax attorney who claimed to be the nets legal advisor. Herb expressed his concerns to other net operators participating in the companion "Maritime Mobile Net" such as Dick Eastman, N5FX and Mike Galego, KA4MUJ. Several Maritime Net members agreed that some of the more criminal practices, such as one ringers and "maintenance charges" for providing long distance toll free connections practically anywhere in the world, must be curtailed.

Some of the net cabal hierarchy rebuffed all attempts to institute reform and a nasty power struggle ensued. Eastman and Galego were "ex-communicated" by Ruth Hoffman N4LMC, Eddie Ricca K4PT and Art Candell N4PCK. The latter began a propaganda campaign, replete with false stories and personal attacks, that promised to destroy any net opposition that sought reform. The net members objected to the lively participation of KV4FZ, KA4MUJ, and N5FX (a former net director) who frequently brought to the attention of net participants certain stations whose conduct violated the FCC and International Rules.

During the 1980's, net members began a campaign of coordinated complaints to the FCC claiming that the aforementioned three were causing willful and malicious interference to the net. N5FX and KV4FZ both received prefabricated FCC citations at the behest of the net command. Both were able to get the FCC to nullify their actions based on the fact that their constructive comments did not constitute "malicious interference" and that certain members of the net themselves were engaged in a premeditated campaign of harassment and interference.

Several members of the net were subsequently caught interfering with the communications of KV4FZ and KA4MUJ. They include K2BFI and AA5LY. AA5LY later gave the FCC, and supporters of KV4FZ and KA4MUJ, a complete and accurate accounting of the plot by disgruntled net members to "settle the score". That plan included a vigorous campaign of letter writing to politicians in Washington in an attempt to pressure them into punishing the net detractors.

N4PCK had his own reason to get even. He had known Herb while he was operating in Haiti as HH2A and was very active on the INTERCON net. Herb had learned, through his contacts in Haiti, that Candell had a serious problem. He would solicit young pre-teen boys and pay them a quarter to perform sex acts on him. A prominent Haitian administrator was told, by his son, that the young boy had been abused and sodomized by Candell. There was no arrest or trial. But the arrival of the outraged local citizenry at Candell's hillside villa dictated that Candell receive an armed escort to the airport. Candell then appeared in the Orlando, Fl area, illegally using the call HH2A/W4 and actively engaging in net activities. The net

watchdogs, now known as the B.A.R.F. (The Better Amateur Radio Federation), pointed out that Candell was not eligible to use a Haitian call sign in the United States unless he was a Haitian citizen and had been granted a proper permit from the FCC.

Again the net members supported Candell and sought to silence Herb. However, the FCC ruled that Candell could no longer operate from Florida unless he obtained a valid U.S. amateur radio license. Candell later paid off a VEC in Silver Springs, Fl to fraudulently give him a passing grade on a General Class license examination. The VEC was later sanctioned but Candell was neither removed from the air nor required to be re-examined. In 1989 Candell was finally arrested and convicted of multiple incidents of child molestation. He was given a suspended sentence that was partially based upon INTERCON's assertion that he had been rehabilitated by amateur radio service in their net. (Candell was arrested and convicted again in 1994 for carnal assault on several boys between 8 and 10 years of age whom he had invited into home under the pretense of showing them his ham station. He has been institutionalized for several years but his ham license was, nonetheless, renewed in 1996 for another ten years.)
In 1990, Candell continued with his plot to destroy and discredit KV4FZ in retaliation for Herb's alleged "interference" with the net's "business". Candell actively leagued with other enemies of KV4FZ such as Pat Miller, KP2J in St. Thomas, and Richard Whiten, WB2OTK. Miller supplied Whiten the so-called "proof" of a crime by playing a recorded tape on both 20 and 75 meters. Miller introduced Candell to the operator of a long distance resale service that KV4FZ briefly subscribed to in 1987. Some of the users of the CALLS (Caribbean Automated Long Line Service) system (a six digit access code system on which half the possible combinations of digits gained the caller access to a WATTS line) had been illegally abusing the CALLS scheme. Malcolm Ford had claimed losses to the tune of $200,000 and needed a scapegoat. Thereupon, it was decided that a criminal case should be manufactured against Herb, KV4FZ.

Ford needed this falsification to support his ludicrous claim that the impending bankruptcy of CALLS was not due to his inept management. Instead, it proffered that somehow Herb had caused his business to fail. This was vital to Ford because he was still salaried as the GM of CALLS even though they were in receivership. Ford's efforts failed and he was physically removed from the operation after the Federal Bankruptcy judge found him raiding the treasury and assets of CALLS.

However, all during this time, Ford was fabricating evidence in an attempt to establish a connection between CALLS financial failure and KV4FZ. Yet the Department of Justice continually refused to prosecute Herb. This resulted in even more acrimonious letters to officials and politicians in a further attempt to implicate Herb as the culprit.

Malcolm Ford, the previous owner of CALLS, was then under investigation for bankruptcy fraud. In an attempt to escape indictment, Ford hired John Ackley, KP2A, to fabricate various reports that would designate Vitelco(a local phone service), STSJ Long Lines, ITT and Herb as coconspirators who

were attempting run him out of business. While this was going on, Ackley was attempting to buy the nearly defunct company for ten cents on the dollar. (Ackley failed but STSJ was able to get the company back on its feet.) Miller, Hoffman, Candell and others intensified their letter writing campaign to hundreds of politicians in Washington urging them to investigate. They even began writing letters to newspapers, claiming that politicians were shielding KV4FZ from prosecution. In these hate letters to public officials, Herb was equated with organized crime, drug trafficking, and high level political corruption. In 1991, KV4FZ was writing a hard-hitting column for the St. Croix Avis newspaper. Herb frequently attacked political corruption so it stood to reason that he might have some enemies in government. Herb had articles published about the check kiting and House Banking fraud perpetrated by the Virgin Island Delegate to Congress, Ron Delugo. Outraged and distraught, Delugo (who had designs upon becoming the next governor of the Virgin Islands) assigned a full time staff attorney (Sylvester Julian) to explore methods of pressuring the FCC, the Secret Service, and the Department of Justice into investigating Herb and "putting a 'severe hurting' on him".

However an obstacle remained in the path of their plan to annihilate KV4FZ. Some at the FCC supported Herbs activities on behalf of the amateur radio service. Additionally he was elected as Vice Chairman of the Virgin Islands Republican Committee, which made him a frequent delegate to the GOP Conventions. Furthermore, Herb was personally acquainted with President Bush. Herb's father had served on the President's Commission for the Handicapped.

Initially, each and every involved agency claimed there was not enough evidence to support a charge against Herb. Subsequent to this, John Ackley, KP2A, manufactured a list of 660 telephone calls that were prearranged to add up to $1,047 in value. This was exactly forty-seven dollars over the amount needed to achieve the threshold of prosecution. Delugo wrote threatening letters to various government agencies threatening that he would see to it that their funding was severely curtailed if he did not receive figuratively receive Herb's head on a silver platter. Ruth Hoffman constantly badgered the acting U.S. Attorney for the Virgin Islands, Terri Halpern. This continued to the point that Hoffman was finally ordered to stop harassing Halpern. However, as a Congressman to the VI, Delugo was in a position convince colleagues not to block Halpern's confirmation. Delugo reportedly told Halpirn that, unless she prosecuted Herb Schoenbohm, she would never become U.S. Attorney. (Halprin was fired in 1992 by the DOJ for ethical lapses after the Office of Professional Responsibility investigated the severe criticism, from the 3rd Circuit Court of Appeals, that Halpern received for the "knowing use of false evidence" to secure a conviction. Nevertheless, the trial prosecutor was cleared by OPR because they were unable to prove that the prosecutor actually knew the evidence used was false.)

Herb's trial took place in April 1991 (four months past the five-year statute of limitations). Both Ackley and Miller testified, under oath, as to the veracity and accuracy of the incriminating evidence they had assisted in concocting. (Miller offered his so-called "caught in the act" tape of Herb dialing "illegal access codes". Ackley presented his list of random numbers that he verified, as a government expert witness, were all

telephone numbers dialed by defendant Schoenbohm.

The puzzled and confused jury convicted Herb on all three counts of Title 18, SS 1029(a): 1,2 and 3, which is, in reality, an illegal credit card statute. This statute has been used infrequently to curb the illegal use of cloned cellular telephones. After trial, Schoenbohm with the help of Bob Sheron, W4ASX, closely scrutinized the evidence and began tracking down the parties that Ackley had claimed, under oath, that Herb had illegally called. A most amazing discovery unfolded: most of the persons contacted did not know Herb Schoenbohm or had never had a telephone conversation with him. Amazingly, they had already given statements confirming this fact to the Secret Service investigators. Most had even identified persons, other than Schoenbohm, whom had called them from the Virgin Islands during the timeframe in question (1987). Interestingly, the court refused to allow Schoenbohm to verify the numbers before trial.

The court incredibly claimed that it needed to protect the potential witnesses from pre-trial disclosure! After trial, armed with affidavits from the persons alleged to have received Herb's "illegal" calls, Herb moved for a Judgment of Acquittal not withstanding the jury verdict. The court granted the motion on all counts but one (Possession or Use of a Counterfeit Access Device). The court maintained that the Miller tape proved that something was amiss and the jury could correctly deduce from this that the law had been broken. This court decision differs from the previous decision in that the device is similar to, but not exactly the same as, a valid device and does not require the threshold of over $1000 in use. (The irony in this entire matter is that Herb freely admitted to using the service briefly in 1987. He was a bona fide customer and the total actual use amounted to $106. CALLS finally was required by the court to produce Herb's check for $104 that they had received in1987. They admitted that they did not cash the check but, instead, held it as an aid in the plot to entrap KV4FZ.) When the court vacated the judgment requiring two months prison time, Herb's detractors were enraged and, once again, began the political letter writing campaign. Now the claim was that Herb had used amateur radio in the commission of a crime and should be taken off the air. They sent the highly doctored Miller Tapes to the FCC in an attempt to prove their incredible theory. Their letters were full of outrage over the fact that Herb had once more cheated Madam Guillotine and he still on the air making waves. Some were furious due to the fact that they had given financial support to certain political candidates and nothing permanent had been done to rid the airwaves of this "pest", KV4FZ. (Ruth Hoffman even conveyed gifts to officials at the FCC in attempt to bribe public servants. One such official, William Cross, was investigated for leaking internal information to Ruth Hoffman in the KV4FZ matter. Hoffman then disseminated this information for use in the hate campaign against Herb.)

KV4FZ then was subsequently forced to embark upon a long and costly struggle for justice. He has had to fight the refusal to renew his amateur license by demanding a hearing before the FCC. (The refusal to renew is rarely used as a procedure and has been given the title: "The FCC Death Penalty" because the entire burden of proof is placed upon the licensee.)

At the first FCC hearing, Administrative Law Judge Luton ruled against KV4FZ. However, upon higher review, the FCC General Counsel refused to accept Judge Luton's findings and remanded the matter for reconsideration. The principle issue is whether or not KV4FZ had used amateur radio in the furtherance of the commission of a crime. This time the ALJ ruled that there was nothing in the evidence (The Miller Tape) that was illegal in any way. The concluded that Schoenbohm actually was dialing ordinary and valid Virgin Islands telephone numbers. He was not entering illicit access codes to make long distance calls.

The ALJ did, however, agree with the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau (WTB) assertion that, by giving out the telephone number, in 1994, of Herb's future boss, Congressman Frazer (whom, incidentally ran Delugo out of office), Herb was violating a solicitation restriction of ex-parte rules. This was despite the fact that WTB had conceded that no actual ex-parte violation had taken place. The ALJ ruled that, by attempting to explain his conviction as a De Minimus violation rather than a crime of major impact, he was trying to mislead the trial of fact. (In administrative law, the assertion of innocence is a crime even if the accused is actually innocent! It is akin to Hobson's Choice or the Salem witch trials whereupon, if the tied woman is thrown into the pond, and she does not drown, then she must surely be a witch and, thus, must be burned to death.

Herb had been fighting the remaining count through the Federal Courts and has even succeeded in convincing the courts to severely criticize the DOJ for their handling of the case. Nevertheless, they refused to reverse the remaining conviction because of the nearly impossible to define "standard of harmless error". The appellate court ruled that the motion for Judgment of Acquittal had been filed too late even though the trial judge had granted an extension based on the emergence of irrefutable proof that the prosecution had used false evidence. As a result they were barred from considering the sufficiency of evidence matter at this late date under the rigorous standards of Habeas Corpus review. However, a positive revelation in the latest FCC decision is that it clearly vindicates Herb on the original charge of using ham radio in the commission of a crime. It also conclusively proves that his detractors engaged in perjury before a Federal Grand Jury and Petit Jury trial.

Many on the local scene recognized the truth. The Trial Judge, The Honorable Ann Thompson, wrote a letter of support and praise on Herb's behalf. The Governor of the Virgin Islands did not simply restore Herb's government career. He elevated Herb to a position of higher authority with more responsibility to the island and a significantly higher salary. He was also employed, as a part-time field representative, on the congressional staff of newly elected Congressman Frazer.

The FCC WTB attorneys characterized these as "political jobs", unworthy of consideration as a mitigating factor in Herb's "rehabilitation"!) Although Herb had a Congressional Floor Pass, granting him direct access to the ears of the politicians, there is no evidence that he ever abused his position to lobby House members against the FCC. This is in spite of the fact that the bureaucrats inside the FCC are very much afraid that Herb might just whisper in

the ear of someone who controls their finances. Because of this, Herb is not allowed to take his case to the very people who would be horrified to learn the truth about how he has been treated. These are the people who could finally put a stop to this travesty of justice. Yet, Herb's detractors are on the phone daily, pushing those in power to get him off the air, one way or another. When will the voice of reason and justice be heard?

Some of us do not like the odds and are willing to help end this fiasco. Herb's legal bills are soaring but he continues the fight. His attorney, Larry Colby (a licensed ham), has stated that when this issue gets into the proper arena, Herb will be totally vindicated. But this can only happen if Herb is allowed to fight on and get his case into the proper arena. Right now, it is still in a forum where all the rules are stacked against the licensee. When the matter gets out of the FCC, and into the D.C. Circuit Court, then the playing field is closer to being balanced. There, the Feds don't have the automatic upper hand that allows them to do what their political puppet-masters demand.

A small donation of $25, $50 or $100 will go a long way in continuing the fight for justice. There is an underlying principle that must be preserved. It is not keeping Herb on the air that drives his supporters. It is the realization that if they can deprive KV4FZ of justice then they can deprive any of us of justice. Today they are persecuting KV4FZ. Tomorrow it could be you. You could be railroaded just because somebody doesn't agree with your position on the nets, phone patching, or apple pie. Herb is working vigorously to get the funds together for his appeal. His attorney Larry Colby is attempting to get an extension of time to file exceptions. If you can help in anyway, please contact John Dillenger, K4GFM, who is the custodian of the Defense Fund.

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2978. Re: The Liberty Net and Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504232940.07592.00000997@ngol06.aol.com>
Source record: 143876

In article <slrn7ippt8.ua.root@wild.net>, root@warez.phantom.com (Dave) writes:

>When you stop posting from behind a pseudonym, maybe people will take you
>more
>seriously. Until then, you're just more noise to be filtered out.
>
><plonk>
>

Who died and made you the Net cop???
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2979. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <199904042239.PNR03922@scott.net>
Source record: 143877
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA writes:

> And nobody is advocating that you not be allowed to do just that, Richard.
> Nobody is talking about eliminating CW - just about eliminating Morse
> code testing. Do you think that CW is such an undesirable mode that nobody
> would continue to use it after the requirement is dropped?

I can't help but wonder what hams debated about 50 years ago? The internet
has allowed us to exchange ideas and thoughts in an almost instananeous
manner, sometimes I also wonder if this is good or bad :-/

73 Jeff W4JEF

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
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200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA

2980. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfoutput@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504234917.06415.00001171@ng16.aol.com>
Source record: 143878

Sounds like someone hit a nerve in ol' donkeyboy!

>It's pretty damned funny reading your conjecture about what might be in the
>mind of Riley Holingsworth.

The same applies to the "conjecture" put out by the libertynet gang.

> When did you ever meet him? How often do you
>talk to him? How would have any idea what he thinks.

he has expressed some thoughts to me in writing but we'll leave that rest. I
WILL say that for the most part radiosigs is correct.

>You'll have a yarn spun that
>makes Riley out to be another counterfeit jew like Porkbutt.

You libertynetters have been SPINNING one like he's a libertynetter. What a
Laugh! Ha Ha

>You have no
>idea what Riley will put up with or won't put up with.

Try some more nazi propaganda and lets see. OK?

>How many people from the Liberty Net got
>letters like you and your jew thugs received?

Five and one of them is suspended for 6 long months.

>The FCC uses your response on their internal joke line.

You should here the one about the licka-crotchy net! Have you heard that one?

>You are the king of back stabbing and gossiping.

Good netter description.

Why the mark of the beast in your internet name DonkeyBoy. Does 666 mean
something to you?

2981. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: freqpolice@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504235044.25107.00001475@ng40.aol.com>
Source record: 143879

> As I see it, it comes down to this...

You can't lean the code. How about your phone number, have you learned that? Do you know your address? Do you keep a check book, or a J.O.B.??

> In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.

Well, at least you have considered the alternative. Is it expensive because you'd have to find a doctor you could bribe? And, how do you explain all the college educated folks out there who also have dyslexia? This is not a condition that it is impossible to overcome.

> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because I
>am a no-code tech.

You don't hear so much of this discussion amoungst the non-coded hams. My guess is that even you know, deep down, that you would be "lacking."

> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time

>Myself and others are willing to put
>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.

How tough can it really be, if nearly every ham before the no code Tech did it? This is the easiest "gauntlet" I've ever seen. I think you're just afraid of failure, so you'd rather not try.

>Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could
>easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it

Excuse me if I have just a touch of disbelief.

Lets just summarise. Ham radio is dying because a group of technically competant, code-loving fuddyduddies are keeping the "good people" out by criticising the abilities of the potential ham who objects to being held to the same standards as the hams that came before. The "civil war" you see in ham radio isn't really so much between hams as it is between the hams, and the wannabes, like you.

I guess you're right. The best thing we can do for the future of ham radio is to put a new RCI rig, an Antler 99 vertical, a free ham license, and a block of that gubmint free cheese into every new mobile home sold!

Oh, but wait, wouldn't that just be more FREEBANDERS? Hey, who's got the MODS??

2982. Re: The Liberty Net and Mr. Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990504235818.06414.00001333@ng16.aol.com>
Source record: 143880

Noone needs to be a net cop to state the truth Lloyd. You see you give you name and call. Others with something to hide do just that, hide, either behind the mic with no call or the typewriter with no name.

>In article <slrn7ippt8.ua.root@wild.net>, root@warez.phantom.com (Dave)
>writes:
>
>>When you stop posting from behind a pseudonym, maybe people will take you
>>more
>>seriously. Until then, you're just more noise to be filtered out.
>>
>><plonk>

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2983. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505000228.06414.00001334@ng16.aol.com>
Source record: 143881

I noticed the anti-semitic tirades also. what's with that. ??

>From: radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs)

>Man is he mad at me. Everything coming out of his word processor is "Jew
>this"
>and "Jew that."

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2984. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <372FB5E3.2750@no.net>
Source record: 143882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Michael Young wrote:
>
> charles copeland <charles1@netcom.com> wrote in message
> news:charles1FB82tq.83w@netcom.com...
> > I wasted my time learning CW and getting a general lisense. HF is
> > overwhelming used by fuddy-duddies who use it to talked about health
> > problems. Or re-re-re-hash tales of WWII. What a bore.
> >
> > The fellow is smart to stay away till the CW requirement is dropped.
> > Yes, things will change when HF priviledges are GIVEN away, thank god.
>
> You think that's something? You should see the re-re-hash of
> code-no-code in the internet newsgroups.
>
> Do what I do, Charles, keep turning the knob, and don't key the mike
> until you have something to say!
>
> Michael.

That's just it, most new hams have nothing useful to say.
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2985. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <372FC607.41DA1FB0@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Sure I have...but it is not my job to gun them down. It is the job of paid
> and trained law enforcers. I am not a vigilante or a gardian angel myself.

I'm not a vigilante either, Bob. I have been trained and licensed to carry
concealed handguns by two states because trained law enforcers and guardian
angels are not dependable enough for me. Your mileage may vary.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

2986. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: dogbert@mindless.com
Message-ID: <372fbd19.186983537@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 4 May 1999 15:36:17 GMT, jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu (Trent Phillips) wrote:

>
>
> As I see it, it comes down to this...
>
>
>
> While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
>like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is, by
>far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side of
>the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is
>stuck in the 50's.

A sensible take on things I'd say.

I've made the suggestion before, and I'll repeat it again -- for those concerned that removing the CW requirement will turn ham radio into another CB circus, the solution is to retain the CW tests at each code speed, but offer a corresponding optional written test that can be taken instead. The questions on this test should focus on good operating practices, technical knowledge from the next licence grade, emergency and net operating procedures instead of just FCC rules and regulations. I know the FCC doesn't regulate some of these areas, so perhaps HAMS would write these tests with an eye to what they want all hams to know. :)

>
> The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors
>of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into
>Ham Radio.
>
Yup.

> First of all, anyone who has a problem with the code, or would
>rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
>"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogether. I guess having dyslexia
>makes me lazy. In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.
>
You seem to have overcome your dyslexia in this forum perfectly well.

> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because I

>am a no-code tech.

I suspect that even if the code requirement were abolished tomorrow,
this attitude would persist for many years to come.

CW is almost an aesthetic pleasure for some, who can't imagine that
there might be those who would not thrill to this rather amazing form
of communication. And of course, hard-core DXers and QRP'ers will
remain around forever. CW may never die, regardless of technology.

> Gee, with all of this going on, you wonder why more kids are not
>getting into Ham Radio ? Unless you fit into some kind of cookie-cutter
>definition of "RealHam (TM)", you get dumped on coming or going.
>
> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time. It's
>rewards, while at times a bit more modest, tends to come at a much more
>reasonable price.
>
> There was a time when SWL's where the best group for Hams to recruit
>out of, but that time has come and gone. Ham radio now needs to ask why so
>many SWL's are voting with their feet.
>

I started with SWL, got interested in ham radio, and got a licence
quite some time ago. Now, I barely ever get on the air, but still
come back to shortwave listening over and over.

> The civil war in Ham Radio is only acting to turn many people away.
>I for one do not look for strife, insults, abuse, judgment and childish
>behavior in a hobby, I look for fun. Myself and others are willing to put
>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.
>
> Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could
>easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it to enter a
>hobby where anyone who dares disagree with "RealHams (TM)" is lazy, a
>crybaby, a spoiled cyberkid, etc. ?
>
> Ham Radio has only one place to look for the source of it's
>problems. It's called a mirror. People are voting with their feet, my
>friends. I am the last person in the world that wants to see Ham Radio die,
>but the choice is not mine-
>
> It's all up to the hobby.
>
> When AM came along, many where opposed.
>
> When SuperHet. receivers came along, many where opposed.
>
> When SSB came along, many fought it.
>
> Change is always coming, why fight it ?

>
> The issue is bigger than CW. The real issue is what kind of hobby
>Ham Radio has become, or rather, what it has degenerated into. While SWLing
>has it's share of silly moments, it has not degenerated into the sort of
>malicious, snotty behavior that now appears (from the outside at least) to
>be slowly permeating Ham radio.
>
> Perhaps it's because SWL's listen ?
>
>
>--
>"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
> itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
> and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
>----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

2987. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7goitd$jrv@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143885

Dave Martindale <davem@groucho.cs.ubc.ca> wrote:
>jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) writes:

>>You say that because you never got your code speed up, Gary. You still
>>hear individual letters being sent. Get your speed up and you'll hear
>>words; you won't have to go through the translation process.

>But that isn't what makes a distinct language!
>
>When I read written English, I read whole words - not individual
>letters. That doesn't make written English a different language
>than spoken English. Nor is English transmitted by Morse code anything
>other than English.
>
>Now, on the other hand, French *is* a different language. Different
>vocabulary, entirely different grammar. Two people can communicate
>in French using spoken words, written words, or even Morse code - and
>it's still French. It's also still French if you're a beginner and
>have to figure out individual letters or syllables, or if you're fluent
>and recognize whole phrases without thinking about it.

You could say that any language is an encoding scheme for English.
While in first year Vietnamese, upon hearing the word "hai" I would
have to mentally translate to the English "two." Similarly, hearing
"..---" the novice has to go through the same translation process.
During the second year of VNese and Morse, no such translation is
necessary; one begins to think in his new language without having
to carry out any inter-language word association. Those who disagree
are still in the "hai = two" Morse stage. Come back when you're past
25 WPM, then I might listen to what you have to say concerning this
subject.

73, Jeff KH6O

2988. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7goj58$jtb@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <372D1073.14B2@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>Why don't Handicaped people have to pass a code test, yet get HF
>licenses?

Why don't you cease cross-posting this to the .scanner, .shortwave,
and .dx NGs?

Two possible reason why such hams didn't have to pass anything
greater than a 5 WPM code exam:
1. Our government is altruistic, or
2. A lawsuit was filed and a judgement against the government was made.

Jeff KH6O

2989. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wa2ise@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wa2iseFB8u4J.ALn@netcom.com>
Source record: 143887

In article <7gmt34$5vo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com> writes:
> As you progress you will notice a "plateau" of about 7 and 12, 18, etc.
> When you pass these levels you will notice your speed will jump faster and
> faster until you reach the next plateau. Beleive it or not, if you keep at
> it, 20 will seem slow to you.
>
Wouldn't it be more efficient to just start with code speeds of 20wpm
and learn from that? Or maybe 20wpm characters spaced at 5wpm intervals?

2990. Re: ARRL Propaganda Machine Spins On (Letterman)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBT1 <ObtuseOne@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7gooq1$2f9$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.fan.letterman

<w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7gnem1$mj1$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com...
> In article <7glvabdau1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Hams can not expect to get much attention from being on the Letterman
Show.
> My suggestion is that some No-Code and some Pro-Code Hams get themselves
> invited to the Jerry Springer Show. Jerry is sure to instigate a fist
fight
> and the public might take some interest in the CW exam debate if the Hams
> involved tear each others clothing off! Even this might go unnoticed
unless
> the Hams wear colorful underwear and have ARRL tattoos on their butts!
>

Not interesting enuff, Jerry would have to do a show where five HAMs have to
prove which one of them really has the most "Blood in my Stool.."

2991. Emergency Oklahoma Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <372FA322.A4A2C1CC@qsl.net>
Source record: 143889

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2992. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <4C26F16801B0B583.62AE288F9E1B24AB.45CF53B571B0C241@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: That's just it, most new hams have nothing useful to say.

And Talking about hating "Niggers" and talking about your bowel cancer,
and talking about CW when your hands are rotting off from arthritis is useful?
Get real hypocrite.

2993. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <214F4B22F87EE1F2.49C38BEDD846D966.029D74D6F37B2B21@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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: Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
: the community.

That's the point.
It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
like playing video games is.
There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing worth
getting "community" attention for.
HAM's importance is now in the minds of old men, no longer in reality.
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2994. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pepsi <pepsi@cola.org>
Message-ID: <6ED01EA2028AE8F6.94FD318250F9574C.CBF5E1BBB5F8A35B@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Nah, just update the tests to reflect current technology instead of forcing us to learn useless stuff like CW and vacuum tubes.

: I've made the suggestion before, and I'll repeat it again -- for those
: concerned that removing the CW requirement will turn ham radio into
: another CB circus, the solution is to retain the CW tests at each code
: speed, but offer a corresponding optional written test that can be
: taken instead.

2995. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3730058e.160067377@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 5 May 1999 04:58:16 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>In article <372D1073.14B2@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>>Why don't Handicaped people have to pass a code test, yet get HF
>>licenses?
>
>Why don't you cease cross-posting this to the .scanner, .shortwave,
>and .dx NGs?
>
>Two possible reason why such hams didn't have to pass anything
>greater than a 5 WPM code exam:
>1. Our government is altruistic, or
>2. A lawsuit was filed and a judgement against the government was made.

but still it prooves that the government belives that code is
depesable. the wiaver prooves that. wether it is granted by the means
that you describe or not. The government does not waive any truely
vital requirment on the basis of hannicapped status.

BTW if it were number then it would be a case of the Courst ruling
that Code tests were not required. in which case I don't think we'd
have them at all
>
>Jeff KH6O

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

2996. FS Dentron Clipperton L HF amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37300FD9.4415@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello all,
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new
572b's, new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes
have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired
for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters.
The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500bucs
plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line. You
can see a picture of the amp as well as my station by clicking
here. http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 and thanks for reading
Oris N3CND

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

2997. Re: wire ant./new ham info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37301062.132D@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143895

Tom B. wrote:
>
> Hi Joseph! It looks like you can't ask a question out here without
> someone giving you crap. You don't get what you don't ask for. You are
> one of the most enthusiastic new guys I have run across. I was impressed
> by your interest in the Code. Keep asking any questions you want and
> don't let those Fone Ops run you off. We CW guys will make sure you get
> off to a smooth start. Soon you will be the guy answering the questions.
> I can think of times when I didn't ask, and I missed out.
>
> Hang in there
>
> Tom
Joseph
There are allot of idoits in here don't let em get to you. Tom is right
the only way you are going to know the answer to a question is ask.
73 and don't let the idoits get to you
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

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2998. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3730122C.6658@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Mon, 03 May 1999 20:08:03 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >
> >> The
> >> Burden involved in learning code clearly increased in today world. The
> >> need for doing as declined. these are simple facts (the debate comes
> >> when you try and say how much)
> >
> >The debate is now whether you can verify this increased burden and the
> >decline in necessity. You invented your simple "facts".
>
> You dsipute that Code is less nessary today than when it was
> the on;ly mode in extence? Gee I admit I thank that was pretty plain
> do really disute it. You also deny that world operates at a different
> and fastre pace leaving most people less therefore Morse Code is more
> of a burden, Gee are you sure you get out at all?

Again, Mark, you lack reading comprehension. I made no claim regarding morse testing when CW was the only mode. Morse testing was required when I was first licensed in '63 and it was required when I passed the Extra exam in '77. You've asked if I deny that the world operates at a faster pace than it did years ago. Yes, I deny that times passes any more quickly than it did eons ago. My perception of it might be different. Your days are as full or as empty as you wish them to be. Asking a guy who travels the globe for a living if he gets out at all is pea-brained.

> >
> >> No we are not equal, because you are being allowed to use your
> >> modes on HF and I am not, thereforeyou have been rights beyond those I
> >> have, therefore we don't have equal rights.
> >
> >> BTW while I do think that Morse Coded Cw is as anet thing bad
> >> for the ARS. I don't seek to impose that position on those that
> >> disagree. You as close to a first thought suggest baning other
> >> peopples Modes. Another Common systom of the ProCoders wanting to
> >> control others. You want me to spend my time as you like, but I don't
> >> seek to impose my views on you. I merely ask, nay I demand the same
> >> rights in Public airwaves that you have
> >

> >Forsooth, Mark! You already have the same rights. The opportunity to
> >pass the same exams I passed exists for you. You get no guarantee of
> >success. Your demand only makes you look silly.
>
> To you of course it does. but then you refuse to admit you ursurp thmy
> rights to that airspace IT is mine by right, and rescrition made on my
> access must by be needed, Th at burdern is on you to prove that Morse
> Code is needed, not on me to prove it is not. I may look silly to you,
> but your claim that you have right to have your mode exaglted ablive
> all others makes you look like well a thief, a bigot, and indeed to me
> down right unamerican even antiamerican. It is all a mater of point of
> view

It's a mother of a point of view, alright. You seem to claim rights not addressed by the Constitution. You have no birthright to an amateur license at all. No one does. You have no HF access because you haven't passed the exam. I have them because I passed the exam. At various points in time during my nearly 36 years on the air I've held only partial HF access when I held Novice, General and Advanced Class tickets. Now, as an Extra, I have all the FCC permits. Did I know somebody or bribe somebody? Nope. I passed the exams.

You are right about your looking silly to me. Yes, I refuse to admit usurping "your" airspace. Your ridiculous claims that I'm a thief or bigot or calling into question my patriotism make you look more pea-brained than the "do you get out at all?" query.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

2999. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <LqUX2.17630$Dx6.372399@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message

> SNIP
>My father was a NYC taxi driver and he was mugged many
>times. He preferred to surrender his money and not carry a gun. IMHO it is
>better to give free-lance desperate robbers money than to donate it to
>organized charities or pay doctor bills.
>SNIP
>If you can get mugged without getting hurt or hurting anyone IMHO you have
shown >that you know how to take care of yourself.

That's the big question, IF you can get mugged WITHOUT being hurt or killed. However, national statistics show that if you offer an attacker no resistance, you will have a 3.7 in 5 chance of being hurt or killed. However, those who do offer armed resistance reduce their odds to less than 1 in 5. (source - 1997 FBI Uniform Crime Statistics Report)

If you care to gamble with you or your loved one's lives then you wouldn't be concerned with your poor odds. Myself, I place a high value on my life and the lives of my family members. Your dad was fortunate enough to beat the odds, I wish you the best of luck also...

I look at it much like home or car insurance. I pay a lot of money to buy it and pray that I never need to use it. But if my car is ever stolen, or my house burns down, I'll be damned glad that I spent the money. It's funny how many people will insure themselves against monetary loss, but will trust their own safety to fate.

73 de KF6KNB

3000. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3730148D.114A@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Pepsi wrote:
>
> : : We could certainly use more sharp fellows like you, Charles. What do
> : you like to discuss--computer games? music videos? navel piercings?
> : How do you propose we limit the content of conversations? You must have
> : several proposals for accomplishing that.
>
> We could the HF bands to laugh about how you old guys are all dying off from health
> problems, that's what we could contribute. :)

We could the HF bands? Mr. "Could contribute" won't you shake hands
with Mr. "If". "If" is a mighty big word for one who hasn't obtained
the license. If we had some meat, we could make sandwhichs (if we had
some bread).

Dave 5H3US, K8MN

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http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3001. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <37301506.A70@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143899
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Pepsi wrote:
>
> : Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
> : the community.
>
> That's the point.
> It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
> like playing video games is.
> There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing worth
> getting "community" attention for.
> HAM's importance is now in the minds of old men, no longer in reality.

...and, Mr. Troll-of-the-week, how would you know?

I guess it's back to baiting the Zen-Buddist newsgroup, huh?

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3002. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7gp5gt$7c9$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey Mark,,,,, I know braille. That's those little dimple things I see on the drive up teller machine at my bank. (think about it) I can't decode them yet but that is OK beause I can see..... See?

William Lee N5WRX

3003. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373017a1.164695410@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 5 May 1999 02:17:18 -0500, "Pepsi" <pepsi@cola.org> wrote:

>: Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
>: the community.
>
>That's the point.
>It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
>like playing video games is.
>There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing worth
>getting "community" attention for.
>HAM's importance is now in the minds of old men, no longer in reality.

Bullshit. I suspect that lives were saved by Ham radio within
the last 48 hours here in the US but it was not based on Code skill. I
know that hams were ready to do the same here in Illinois
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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deemed aceptance of these terms

3004. Re: the roots of hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: helmsman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37331b85.1582010@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143902

On 5 May 1999 01:40:51 GMT, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
>Want to see something abominable? Want to know from where these 3.950 ameoba
>draw sustinence? Want to see what kind of America these creeps are hoping for?
>Log on to.....
>http://www.bcpl.lib.md.us/~rfrankli/hatedir.htm
>And yes indeed, you will find 3.950 listed as a subversive group as expected.
>Go have yourselves a good puke and see what kind of freedom of speech your
>fathers and uncles and brothers died for.
>AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
They're is an old saying:
I may not like what you say but I will die to preserve your right to
say it! That is American.
Anything else is subversive anti American crap.
You have a choice, Free Speech (which in a free country you don't
have to listen to) or NO FREE SPEECH!
(Those who would give up essential liberty to purchase a little
temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety. - Ben Franklin)

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http://www.mindspring.com/~helmsman

Like Sailboats?
http://www.Spartite.com

3005. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lovas@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gpamq$993$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

What has happened with code is a reflection of todays society instant gratification culture mixed with a dumbed down educational system. I agree that in commercial communications code may be obsolete but one of the most important duties of a ham radio operator is to help and sometimes be the only emergency communications means. Under heavy interference by other services or even in low power, code still remains an effective means of communications. I cannot see the problem in learning code except that of a little extra effort. Maybe 13 WPM should be the maximun requirement for the upper licenses. It is true that hams are no more in the forefront of technological developments in radio communications but we still remain as a viable reserve of trained radio operators with knowledge in the radio communications field well beyond that of the laymen.Nonetheless, if the requisites for licensure continue to be dumbed down to a ridiculous level, we will just as well merge with the already chaotic 11 meter band which is our best example of what happens when some controls are not present. Some insist that ham radio has always been elitist because of its requirements.In reality ham radio has been blessed with people from all walks of life and all the socioeconomic levels. The common factor has been a real interest in learning the minimun technical and communication skills and putting up that little extra effort to just do it.

Guido KP4FAR

> Personally, I have never had a problem with the no-code
> license, or the elimination of the CW requirements from the
> ham exams. What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
> is the all-to-prevelant attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
> and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license
> with no effort on their part.
>
> Regards
>
> Peter, K1ZJH
> "The Radio Connection" Popular Communications Magazine
>
> Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gn45hlao1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
> >
> >
> > As I see it, it comes down to this...
> >
> >
> >
> > While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
> >like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB. But this is, by
> >far, nothing less than a tiny minority of the people on the no-code side of

> >the debate. Likewise, now every pro-coder is an old Fuddy Duddy who is
> >stuck in the 50's.
> >
> > The real problem, that only a few are addressing (like the editors
> >of PopComm), is how this plays to the people who are looking to get into
> >Ham Radio.
> >
> > First of all, anyone who has a problem with the code, or would
> >rather skip it, is simply pelted with insults. I, for one, was called
> >"lazy" because I was for skipping code altogetherLIVES !-------------
>
>

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3006. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: lpdavies@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7gp7cf$9km@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 143904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Come on, guys! I rember how
Carl and Jerry used CW when
their car went into the ole
ravine, and the following
month when they lost their
prop, they sent spark-plug
CW off'n the Evinrude, and
the following month they
used a reflective belt-
buckle... and...and... don't
youse 'member? Sheesh!

GL
--
Paul W2SYF/4 Ft Lauderdale
"Heisenberg may have slept here... "
Leslie Paul Davies
lpdavies@bc.seflin.org

3007. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373022e3.167577497@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 05 May 1999 09:41:00 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On Mon, 03 May 1999 20:08:03 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Mark Morgan wrote:
>> >
>> >> The
>> >> Burden involved in learning code clearly increased in today world. The
>> >> need for doing as declined. these are simple facts (the debate comes
>> >> when you try and say how much)
>> >
>> >The debate is now whether you can verify this increased burden and the
>> >decline in necessity. You invented your simple "facts".
>>
>> You dsipute that Code is less nessary today than when it was
>> the on;ly mode in extence? Gee I admit I thank that was pretty plain
>> do really disute it. You also deny that world operates at a different
>> and fastre pace leaving most people less therefore Morse Code is more
>> of a burden, Gee are you sure you get out at all?
>
>Again, Mark, you lack reading comprehension. I made no claim regarding

No you lack mthe reading comprhension. since Iam refering to the days
when CW was the only mode, I am right in saying it less important now
than then. That is a fact

I wioll not bother with the rest of the drivel of a bigot that thinks
the spanish speakers should bann from the ARS in america
Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3008. Re: Hollingsworth checks into 3950 Liberty Net !!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: josumer@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7gpf8i$d9j$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143906

In article <19990504135332.03557.00002211@ng123.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Just keep this in mind, you subversive anti-Semitic bastard. The FBI is
> listening and so are other federal agencies. Your 3.950 assembly is on record
> as a hate group. So sit on your haunches and bitch and moan about America and
> our people and the various religions and heritages. Try and take action
against
> us and you'll meet up with a salvo of bullets that'll end your miserable
lives,
> the same way our men and women took bullets during warfare to protect us, even
> you lowlife scumbags who revere Hitler. So just talk and do no more. Your life
> depends upon it. That is unless you want to keep Timothy McVeigh company in
> hell in due time. AF2Y "Doc" radiosigs@aol.com
Doc this sounds very much like a death threat to me and goes way beyond what
this aguring is about so i think you and richard need a nice long stay in a
rubber room.

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3009. Re: K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: josumer@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7gpfhqdlj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143907

In article <19990504213444.10948.00002301@ng-cm1.aol.com>,
richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:
> The Moron is running double sideband on 3894.5, his signal is up as far as
> 3903. The FCC has declared 3900 for traffic use, because of the Tornado
damage.
> Wonder where Riley is now?
Rich you are just mad that KO4KA just thought of it first and dont worry i am
sure riley is still thinking of ways to nail your ass.

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3010. Re: More Lies From Dr. Hate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: josumer@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7gpggq$ed3$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
Source record: 143908

Hey white power ranger moron attack me you damm coward, you are the scum of
the earth so come on you pussy try and get me.

> That's all well and good. Just remember that the only reason you won't be
> attacked on a personal level by Dr. Hate is because I stood up for you. If
> he starts a hate mail war against you now it will only vindicate everything I
> said. So he won't. You don't see Dr. Hate denying that he has waged hateful
> mail and phone vendettas against people he doesn't like. He can't deny it
> because too many people have the hard copy to prove otherwise. If you
want
> to be a doubter that's your business. Whether you like me or not makes not
> one iota of difference to me. This is not a popularity contest. If you had
> been on the receiving end of Dr. Hate's mailings then you might feel
> differently. You ought to be thankful you weren't. Since you weren't, you
> can form any opinion you like. You should at least check out what I
said to
> see if it is true or not. That is how one human being treats another.
It's
> easy to say that what a man is born has nothing to do with he does and says
> in life. If that is your belief then you have my sympathies. Everyone is a
> product of genetics and environment. Were you taught to disbelieve in
> genetic factors peculiar to a race? It would be damned hard to convince you
> of the reality of sickle cell anemia in that case. I hope you never do find
> out what Dr. Hate is capable of doing when he starts losing one of his hate
> wars.
>
> Nate
>
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3011. kenwood r1000 worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Bussen <butchb@ols.ols-inc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.10.9905050745570.7601-100000@ols.ols-inc.com>
Source record: 143909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

I am looking at a kenwood r1000 rcvr. The guy wants $200. I think this
is a bit high. What is going price for these. Thanks.
Back in late 70s or 80, I had an analog kenwood receiver. Just your basic
short wave and am band receiver. I can't remember the model, but amybody
got something like this for sale.
THanks.

73s
Butch WA0VJR

3012. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <373145ca.2992243@news.erols.com>
Source record: 143910

On 5 May 1999 03:50:44 GMT, freqpolice@aol.com (Freqpolice) wrote:

>> As I see it, it comes down to this...
>
>You can't lean the code. How about your phone number, have you learned that? Do
>you know your address? Do you keep a check book, or a J.O.B.??

What's that got to do with this discussion?

>> In order to get a waiver from the code, I would have to
>>spend big money doing to doctors for the paperwork.
>
>Well, at least you have considered the alternative. Is it expensive because
>you'd have to find a doctor you could bribe? And, how do you explain all the
>college educated folks out there who also have dyslexia? This is not a
>condition that it is impossible to overcome.

Again, what's this got to do with anything?

>> Or, I could go no-code. While I am not interested in VHF, I am also
>>uninterested in hearing about how I would not be a "RealHam (TM)" because I
>>am a no-code tech.
>
>You don't hear so much of this discussion amoungst the non-coded hams. My guess
>is that even you know, deep down, that you would be "lacking."

Hear this: I hold an Extra Class Amateur Radio License. I was first
licensed in 1975. I know the code. I still use the code. I can copy
W1AW bulletins at 18 WPM and typically run speeds of 30 WPM in
contests. I think that requiring morse code proficiency as an entrance
requirement to HF is ridiculous.

This very discussion IS taking place among the "coded" hams precisely
because we are concerned with the future of this hobby. Ossified
requirements such as morse code proficiency should have been removed a
long time ago. Others should replace them. I wish one of them could
be civility, but that would eliminate you and we need all the folks we
can get.

>> SWLing looks a lot better as an alternative all the time
>
>>Myself and others are willing to put
>>forth the effort. But there is a distinct difference between meeting
>>requirements and running a gauntlet of frat-house like initiations.
>
>How tough can it really be, if nearly every ham before the no code Tech did it?
>This is the easiest "gauntlet" I've ever seen. I think you're just afraid of

>failure, so you'd rather not try.

Some folks have a perfect sense of pitch. Others are tone deaf. Why
is it so difficult for you to understand that some have more
difficulty with morse than others. If morse code proficiency were
relevant, I could see keeping the requirement. As things stand today,
Ham Radio is one of the last radio services to use morse code. Morse
code has been replace by better technology. Get over it.

>>Yeah, I could pass every technical part of the tests, I could
>>easily learn the proper operating rules. But is it worth it
>
>Excuse me if I have just a touch of disbelief.
>
>Lets just summarise. Ham radio is dying because a group of technically
>competant, code-loving fuddyduddies are keeping the "good people" out by
>criticising the abilities of the potential ham who objects to being held to the
>same standards as the hams that came before. The "civil war" you see in ham
>radio isn't really so much between hams as it is between the hams, and the
>wannabes, like you.

I guess I'm the exception to that rule.

>I guess you're right. The best thing we can do for the future of ham radio is
>to put a new RCI rig, an Antler 99 vertical, a free ham license, and a block of
>that gubmint free cheese into every new mobile home sold!
>
>Oh, but wait, wouldn't that just be more FREEBANDERS? Hey, who's got the MODS??

Get real. This hobby is losing people. The reason people can find
the technical knowhow to put together a Freebander station and use it
is mostly because they're turned off by the ridiculous morse code
requirement. You should see what some of these folks can do.

Tell me: Since you're so pro-code, could you pass your code test for
your license tomorrow?

Why NOT?

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

3013. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gpgt1$e09$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

REALLY thoughtful and insightful post Mr. Lee.

EXACTLY the attitude that keeps this debate going.

William Lee wrote in message <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>...
>
>Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?

3014. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gph44$e5m$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You saved me from responding directly!

This is ridiculous.

Both sides are spouting bullshit now, and trying to get the issue to
black
and white, on and off, left and right. Neither side seems to grasp the
truth of the other side, and that 99% of the people are not at the
extremes.

CW is useful.

CW is neat.

CW is fun.

CW is NOT a lid filter.

CW should NOT be a gating factor.

CW should NOT be required.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

Mark Waldron wrote in message <372FCB7B.5E3AE052@nationwide.net>...
>Boring.
>*YAWN*.....zzzzzZZZZZ.....
>
>Oops, I'm sorry...were you trying to say something?
>*YAWN*....zzzzZZZZZzzzzz.....
>
>
>
>JJ spake thusly, from his anal orifice:
>
>> That's just it, most new hams have nothing useful to say.
>

3015. Re: GPS signal jamming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <37324a25.4108319@news.erols.com>
Source record: 143913

On Wed, 05 May 1999 02:05:15 GMT, Alan Rishel <gekkko@my-dejanews.com>
wrote:

>Just a random thought with all the radio-guided ordnance being
>hurled about in the Balkans.
>
>GPS signals are quite low in SNR. How easy would it be to broadcast
>a blanket jamming signal that would prevent a guided munition from
>using the GPS effectively?

It's not as easy as it would first appear. GPS is a military system
and it was designed from the start to be difficult to jam.

However, there are places where jamming experiments have been tried.
Just ask any pilot whether the RAIM light on their GPS has been lit
while flying over New York State. The folks doing the research over
there have a nasty habit of not notifying the FAA in time to issue a
NOTAM.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

3016. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gphsjequ1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Exactly!!

But how much CW was useful or used?

This arguement is 100% for the elimination of CW as a requirement. If
it's strictly a question of providing trained operators for emergencies
(a VERY valid arguement) then CW should GO IMMEDIATELY. Numbers
of properly trained operators is NOT provided by blocking out otherwise
desirable people with an artificial gating factor.

And I know, CW skills teach proper traffic handling techiques. That I
will agree with. CW operators DO know how to 'share' a spot in the
spectrum, and CW traffic handlers SHOULD have the techniques
and operator awareness to operate in a congested traffic situation.
But that's BULLSHIT to apply it to traffic handlers today. Not when
packet is much more efficient in an emergency. Or voice when
used properly. The days of a CW operator holed up being a link to
the outside world disappeared a long time ago. (Unless the Russian
and Chinese missles all fire on Jan 1, 2000.)

And (I'm ready for another flame war here!) todays traffic operators
are a farce. OK, 99.999% of the operations are a farce. I hear ZERO,
ZILCH, NADA traffic handling on simplex. They squat on repeaters
to run their traffic nets, and have little or no training in simplex
where
they need to develope skills and most importantly operational attitudes.
If an emergency really hit, and the pool of local repeaters was reduced,
(heck, even it they didn't loose a single repeater) those that 'stayed
up'
would probably be immediatly restricted to emergency service. So
what are the traffic people going to do with their flood of non-critical
health and welfare messages? Panic and break down, that's what!
They're spoiled by the low turnouts and light load on their repeater
traffic nets, and the discipline would crumble in a heavy traffic load
on simplex.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

Mark Morgan wrote in message <373017a1.164695410@nntp.one-eleven.net>...
>On Wed, 5 May 1999 02:17:18 -0500, "Pepsi" <pepsi@cola.org> wrote:
>
>>: Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
>>: the community.
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>>That's the point.
>>It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
>>like playing video games is.
>>There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing
worth
>>getting "community" attention for.
>>HAM's importance is now in the minds of old men, no longer in reality.
>
> Bullshit. I suspect that lives were saved by Ham radio within
>the last 48 hours here in the US but it was not based on Code skill. I
>know that hams were ready to do the same here in Illinois
>>
>
>Mark Morgan
>kb9rqz.
>
>Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
>Unsolictied email will be published forwared
>or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.
>
>sending unsolitcied Email will be
>deemed aceptance of these terms

3017. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpiev$ms0$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, pepsi@cola.org (Pepsi) says:

>: What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion, is the all-to-prevelant =
>attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
>: and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license with no =
>effort on their part.
>
>There is no honor and glory of being a HAM anymore, it is just now a =
>hobby for nostalgia sake.
>Therefore we all deserve to be HAMS as there is nothing to gain from =
>using HAM anymore and there
>is nothing special about HAM's anymore except inheriting a bunch of =
>narrow minded old farts for new friends/enemies.
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To be fair...

When I look at what Ham Radio has done in the past, and what Ham
radio could do in the future, I find that Ham Radio has so much potential.
I, for one, am the last person who wants to see it die.

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"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

3018. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <37304E34.8AF2C745@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 143916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA wrote:

> Michael Young wrote:
> > How will relaxing licensing
> > requirements help achieve the self-education objective?
>
> Eliminating outdated requirements will leave more time for learning
> relevant subjects.

like learning to built a stable VFO? har harmike aa7qa

> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3019. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gpi6c$f3i$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Now wait a minute, tubes can be justified. Much more easily than CW.
(Can you tell I own an old Swan?) Tubes are still the only practical
way
to get into the mega-power arena easily. Solid state amps over 100W
are just too fragile....

I'm not saying everyone should know how to design tube projects, but
they should at least have a basic understanding of tube theory. Then if
they need to do anyting with a tube, they look it up in a book. (I may
get flamed for that, but hey, I still look EVERYTHING up when I design
something. My old TI TTL Data Book is falling apart from use!)

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

Pepsi wrote in message
<6ED01EA2028AE8F6.94FD318250F9574C.CBF5E1BBB5F8A35B@library-proxy.airnew
s.net>...
Nah, just update the tests to reflect current technology instead of
forcing us to learn
useless stuff like CW and vacuum tubes.

: I've made the suggestion before, and I'll repeat it again -- for those
: concerned that removing the CW requirement will turn ham radio into
: another CB circus, the solution is to retain the CW tests at each code
: speed, but offer a corresponding optional written test that can be
: taken instead.

3020. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37304FB2.5C951EC8@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Pepsi wrote:

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> : the community.
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> like playing video games is.
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> getting "community" attention for.
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I though Pepsi only rotted teeth, but I see it can rot a brain as well. Or maybe your teeth are your brain?

Marv
AB0IO

3021. Re: More Lies From Dr. Hate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37305081.A969EF7E@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143919

dOnKbOy666@yahoo.com wrote:

> How about taking your jew carcass somewhere else? Who cares what you are
> tired of? These posts are not off topic. They are addressing the problem
> amateur radio is having with jews like Dr. Hate and Porkbutt. If you want to
> defend them be my guest. Otherwise keep your garden variety jew censorship
> to yourself. I think every ham needs to know what these jews are doing in
> ham radio. I'm not talking about every jew in ham radio. I'm talking about
> certain jews. They know who they are. If my posts are not to your liking
> then put me in your kill file. This is the only screen name I use. Or is
> that too much like work for a lazy jew? Aren't we allowed to discuss the jew
> problem on ham radio in this news group? Do the jews write the rules in
> here? I wouldn't be a bit surprised to find that out.
>
> Nate
>
> Nate
>

Tell me, Nate, I'm curious... are your mom and dad related?

Marv
AB0IO

3022. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpj8h$o4r$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, commquart@erols.com (CommQuart) says:

>Greetings Trent
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>You get an A+ for reasoned, well-thought out replies in my
>book.
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>Personally, I have never had a problem with the no-code
>license, or the elimination of the CW requirements from the
>ham exams. What is a complete turnoff, in my opinion,
>is the all-to-prevelant attitude that CW is dead and obsolete,
>and that some folks feel they "deserve" an amateur license
>with no effort on their part.

I do not think CW is without it's applications. It is obsolete in
the sense that it is not nearly as important as it once was, it is by far
not the only mode on the block. But it is not nearly so obsolete as to be
without a number of applications where it does the job just fine.

I would even go so far as to say that there should be at least
some bands reserved for CW !

Where I differ is where I see CW's place.

For example, to get a higher liscence, your code has to be faster.
Code speed is just not important enough anymore to be a deciding factor in
giving a higher level of liscence.

Thanks for taking a moment to remove the personalism that is the
biggest threat to Ham Radio today.

>Regards
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>Peter, K1ZJH
>"The Radio Connection" Popular Communications Magazine
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3023. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gpjkpius1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, willee@interconnect.net (William Lee) says:

>Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to become
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Noone gave me what I know, I had to go out there and learn it. I guess if I
don't see things the same way, I am lazy.

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slings mud, you have won.

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3024. Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio Rambo <stumpjumpers@are.stupid.com>
Message-ID: <7gpi62vpm1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 143922

yb&
archive: on&

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote in message: Does
Polly want a cracker?

3025. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: CitySlicker <mannod@concentric.net>
Message-ID: <7gpk5u$pg2@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 143923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Is there a reason for this thread to be cross-posted to a scanner NG.
Someone explain the relevance.
Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gpj8h$o4r$1@alexander.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
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3026. Re: Family Radios In Israel and Egypt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Snowman <tzchang@mailbox.syr.edu>
Message-ID: <OLiEWrEm#GA.239@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 143574
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.family,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote in message news:7gsg5m$51u$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> miles@mail.utexas.edu wrote:
> > Does anyone know if these radios can be taken by vacationers into Israel
> > and Egypt? If they cannot be used in one of these nations, can they at
> > least be taken through it without trouble in Customs, to use in the other
> > nation?
> Mike,
> Don't even consider it! They are legal only in the US.

They are also legal in Taiwan. But since the FRS use a little
different frequency in Taiwan, only 8~12 channel will be
legal to use. BTW, under Taiwanese regulation, the output
is up to 1000 mw.

FRS Channel frequency in Taiwan:
CH1==>467.5125
CH2==>467.525
CH3==>467.5375
CH4==>467.550
CH5==>467.5625
CH6==>467.575
CH7==>467.5875
CH8==>467.60
CH9==>467.6125
CH10==>467.625
CH11==>467.6375
CH12==>467.650
CH13==>467.6625
CH14==>467.675

3027. FS: Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uF9tn7Em#GA.315@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 143575
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

1 Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz 16Ch Conv w/Scan $150.00 + Shipping
2 Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz 16Ch Conv w/o Scan $100.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3028. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: heliox <heliox@aa.net>
Message-ID: <7gu03q$pg5$1@slave2.aa.net>
Source record: 143576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

WA6CTQ from 1969 to 1982,
N7CJE from '82 to present
Certified in 1969 active ever since in both ham radio an diving ever since.

I was an ET and a NOAA DM on the Aquarius undersea lab in Key Largo a few years back. I did manage to get at least a 2M rig in to the lab. Sadly, no HF.

Both technologies gave me skills to make me a reasonable living in the marine science/engineering fields even to today.
Who says what you do as a teen doesn't apply to adulthood?

Randy

3029. HELP! Icom IC2000H part identification

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lynn <lynnc@sos.net>
Message-ID: <3731FD75.FA97AC1F@sos.net>
Source record: 143577

Main pcb has two surface mount ("transistors"?) broken off one corner.
(it's a long story) There isn't enough left to test for identification.
Can anyone help? A JPG attachment shows the manufacturer's
identification markings. A schematic or board "call out" number would be
cool, but I haven't either. My wild guess is a transistor, but nothing
says it can't be a FET, dual diode, Please help! Thanks in advance!
Lynn, W7LTQ since 1947

3030. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gslo9$2n6$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gpjkpius1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
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>slings mud, you have won.

OK Trent..... I slung the mud so you win.
What is your new Ham call?

William Lee N5WRX

3031. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com>
Message-ID: <3731DFA9.12D7@ixpres.com>
Source record: 143625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Marv Luse wrote:

> Brass pounders will always be around, and in large numbers too. As for new blood in
> Amateur Radio, there is plenty of that too. Where did the notion that Amateur Radio
> is dying come from? At my extra class exam (recent) there were about 5 youngsters
> aged about 10 taking the 5 WPM code test. Come to think of it, there were kids
> testing at every one of the test sessions I attended.
>
> I think we need to worry more about the F layer falling.
>
> 73,
>
> Marv
> AB0IO

Marv OM,

I agree with you. I don't see ham radio 'dying' at all. I operate in excess of 12 hours a week on the air, basically all CW. Over half of that is mobile CW. The CW bands have plenty of ragchewing going on all the time. I know, I am one of them. And I spend almost all my time on only one band: 40M. A while ago I worked a 16 year old in Phoenix who was running homebrew TUBE-TYPE gear he had made himself, from old handbook articles. Said he just wanted to play around with tubes is all. Have worked several newer hams, some in their teens, who started with codeless techs, then discovered (some to their total amazement) that CW is an excellent ragchewing mode, and works very well. Some are excellent CW ops, know procedure, know how to listen, with less than 2 years experience in ham radio. They try to spread their enthusiasm to some of their non-CW friends, often with no luck. So they go their own ways.
The message here? You are either interested or you are not. Nothing new going on here. CW will continue to be used by the many who find it enjoyable, that is, can attain reasonable skill at it. Apparently many non-cw ops think we are all WORKING to use it, writing stuff down, using straight keys, egad! Hey, it is just another language guys, if you are proficient, and is effortless to use. If you're not wired for it, there are many other modes to use. That is one of the beauties of ham radio.

73,
Don, W6JL

3032. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3772da42.775554880@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143626

On Mon, 3 May 1999 19:06:11 -0500, "Woodsman" <woodsman@apexmail.com> wrote:
>Gary, I agree with 99.9% of anything you ever posted.
>HOWEVER, I think toll roads are the stupidest idea
>of all time. Gas taxes seem a far more efficient way to
>me of paying for roads.

I'd agree with you except that the Clinton administration has hijacked the Federal Highway Trust Fund by impounding funds to "balance" the budget, by diverting Highway Trust Fund money for other purposes (mass transit), and by using the Highway Trust Fund to blackmail states into passing laws that the federal goverment legally can't. We're forced to pay the money to the feds in the form of taxes, but they dispense it at their whim.

Currently, the feds are blackmailing the state of Georgia by refusing to release Highway Trust Fund money for road construction in the Atlanta area. We're paying hundreds of millions of dollars in federal fuel taxes, but we can't get a penny of it back for roads. Since the states collect the tax for the feds, if our state officials had any guts they'd tell the feds to whistle for their money.

The fares from a toll road go only toward retiring the construction bonds for that road, and paying for its maintenance, nothing else. No one pays unless they actually use the road. That tends to cause the toll authority to make sure the roads it constructs and maintains are actually useful, and desirable to use, so it will generate enough revenue to pay for itself. The feds never get their sticky fingers on the money.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3033. Re: ATTENTION AF2Y ADVERSARIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gsrhk$g6f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143627

In article <19990506093913.27483.00000046@ng-fs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Take a lesson from Lloyd Davies, N0VFP. He made it clear from the outset he's
> no friend but each time I get an adversarial E from him or read an adversarial
> posting, the guy has enough guts to sign BOTH his name and call. He's exactly
> the opposite from you snipers,backstabbers,bigots and scatalogical slobs who
> cower and hide behind anonymity. I'll take criticism as well as give it but be
> MEN about it.
>
> Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
> Hey Doc. please let me know when you find a man in here,all I hear is a bunch
of wash women getting tangled in the lines.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3034. Re: WTD: INFO ABT RF PROOF PHONES??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3773e6fb.778812512@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143628

On Tue, 4 May 1999 23:24:45 -0400, "GREGORY HEATH" <kb2qqm@email.msn.com> wrote:
>Does anyone out here have any info on manufacturers of rf proof telephones?
>I live near a commercial broadcast station and have had the phone company
>come out and put filters on the lines but nothing works. Not that I object
>to Nat King Cole...but I can't hear incoming calls. One phone is a 46mhz
>cordless which is useless. I did expect that.. but the other is a line
>phone. The broadcast station is about 1000 feet away and broadcasts AM and
>FM, 24 hours a day. I am not sure of their output pwr yet. Any help that
>can be provided would be helpful. Thanks. Greg.

Believe it or not, Radio Shack sells some of the most RF resistant phones
on the market. But it's not likely that any phone will be totally RF immune.
Even the great old Western Electric phones could have RFI problems,
and they didn't have any sensitive electronics in them. But the first step
here is to find the most RFI resistant phones you can, then add filtering
to make them better. As I said, Radio Shack has some of the most RFI
resistant wired phones on the market, and K-com makes filters to help
clean up remaining problems. Even that may not be enough. You may
find that you have to open up the phone and add more bypassing and
filtering to cure really stubborn cases.

For wireless phones, the best are 900 MHz spread spectrum. Even
these can have problems with overload and direct pickup by internal
circuitry. But they're miles ahead of other wireless phones.

The ARRL has a book on RFI. It has a good number of tips, and also
lists some suppliers of equipment and filters which can help.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3035. Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William G. Graves" <bgraves@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7gspjl$2v@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143629

I was NOT allowed to carry my ICOM HT in a backback. This was even after assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be turned on. The supervisor at the Xray station said they will not allow any "walkie-talkies" (!!) on board period.

Now I have gone back with dejanews and checked and many of you have carried radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on. There are laws limiting operation aboard aircraft.

I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.

Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal limitations are?

I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good reason. I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?

thanks
bill
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Bill Graves
bgraves@ix.netcom.com

3036. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14240-3731EBF8-80@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143630

No thanks necessary Doc :~)<K4RUB>

3037. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3731F40D.A3EBD5AC@jump.net>
Source record: 143631

What airport was this? There are specific items (check FAA) that are prohibited, but I wonder if you shouldn't have a chat with this person's supervisor. I carry my aircraft handheld as well as a ham band hand held when I fly myself on one leg and commercial on another. Never had a problem.
H.
WA5IGW
N502TB

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> assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be turned
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> radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on. There
> are laws limiting operation aboard aircraft.
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> broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
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> Bill Graves
> bgraves@ix.netcom.com

3038. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506160341.00340.00000148@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143632

<< HT in a backback. This was even after
assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be turned
on. The supervisor at the Xray station said they will not allow any
"walkie-talkies" (!!) on board period.

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radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on. There
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I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not
broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?

thanks
bill
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Bill Graves
bgraves@ix.netcom.com
>>Legal schmegal. I fly and when they say NO,it's NO. You want to make waves
if the FAA is doing everything possible to save your life in a plane. Terrorism
comes in many forms therefore we should all thank God for the stringent, yes,
even unfair rules by the FAA.Count your blessings! AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3039. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7gssl6$9og$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Daniel Grunberg wrote in message <7gs915ttk1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>Here's something else to be considered. Repeater stations, both
amateur and
>commercial, identify themselves in Morse Code. How can you know you're
using
>the right repeater, if you can't identify it because you can't read the
>repeater's slow Morse ID?
>
>For that matter, on HF, how can you tell which CW station is
interfering with
>you, if you can't read its call?
>
>Is it possible that there are other legitimate NEEDS for Morse Code yet
to be
>found?
>
>Daniel A. Grunberg Kensington, Maryland USA

I'm sorry, but this is REALLY getting lame. If the pro-coders depend on arguements like this, then HAM radio is not only going to go no-cw, but we'll loose the CW subbands as well.

Mike Yetsko
N1DVJ

3040. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506161116.00340.00000149@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143634

<< be Lloyd)
Date: Thu, May 6, 1999 1:43 AM
Message-id: <10560-3730F3C1-95@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>

40grit=KC1ZQ.....zipper queen..you may as well use your name David.

K4RUB
<<Wowie...I didn't know that the Vermont wacko, David Tolassi, is 40grit. However I can think of something he is which rhymes with "grit." Thanks Rube for telling me the ID of the pervert. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
<<Oh oh..I was told by my good friend Rube that Grit40 may not be KC1ZQ, David Tolassi. This calls for an apology but in light of the fact that Tolassi is one of the biggest schmucks to ever hold a ham ticket, to hell with him and I take back the thought of apologizing. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs@aol.com

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3041. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3731F63C.566F35F8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143635

Hi William,

I fly often with work and just about always have a HT in my briefcase along with a cell phone. I have never had any problems. Where was this? What airline? It certainly does not violate any federal regulation that I know of unless you were to operate the unit while in flight.

I would contact the airline and the airport if I were you. A potential problem here is if you put the HT in you luggage you are likely going to get it ripped off before it gets loaded on the plane. The airlines advise travelers NOT to put anything of value in checked luggage.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

William G. Graves wrote:

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> thanks
> bill
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> Bill Graves
> bgraves@ix.netcom.com

3042. 40Grit and Rube Lloyd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506161634.00340.00000150@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143636

Oh oh..my good friend and ally Rube Lloyd told me that 40Grit may not be David Tolassi, KC1ZQ. Ordnarily I would render an apology to David but being that he's a complete horse's ASS and one of the biggest schmucks to ever hold a ham ticket, I say, to hell with the creep and I take back my intended apology.
AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs@aol.com

3043. Re: K4OKA jamming 3.900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14240-3731F160-84@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143637

Then step off Lloyd!! Someone got you tied on? <K4RUB>

3044. Re: Another Dumb ass makes the loony bin.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14243-3731EE93-12@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143638

I am no Chickenshit like some of the people in here..I dont throw a rock and then hide my hand!!! If I hit you with a rock...I want you to know that I did it!! :~) <K4RUB>

3045. Re: Radio-Rambo is here to stay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14242-3731EFFB-29@newsd-124.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143639

He cant give a call sign Doc, hahaha he is a "CB'r"!!:~) I thought everyone knew that!!<K4RUB>

3046. Re: WA2EXQ's fruit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506162040.00340.00000154@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143640

Hey,why get so upset? You got something against bananas? Are you reading something untoward into my query? Are you suggesting I'm putting down Lloyd or his family? I can't help it if Lloyd went ape over a lady.

AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3047. Re: the roots of hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506162844.00340.00000157@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143641

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From: helmsman@mindspring.com (helmsman)
Date: Wed, May 5, 1999 10:28 AM
Message-id: <37331b85.1582010@news.mindspring.com>

On 5 May 1999 01:40:51 GMT, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
>Want to see something abominable? Want to know from where these 3.950 ameoba
>draw sustinence? Want to see what kind of America these creeps are hoping for?
>Log on to.....
>http://www.bcpl.lib.md.us/~rfrankli/hatedir.htm
>And yes indeed, you will find 3.950 listed as a subversive group as expected.
>Go have yourselves a good puke and see what kind of freedom of speech your
>fathers and uncles and brothers died for.
>AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
They're is an old saying:
I may not like what you say but I will die to preserve your right to
say it! That is American.
Anything else is subversive anti American crap.
You have a choice, Free Speech (which in a free country you don't
have to listen to) or NO FREE SPEECH!
(Those who would give up essential liberty to purchase a little
temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety. - Ben Franklin)

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http://www.mindspring.com/~helmsman

Like Sailboats?
http://www.Spartite.com
<<This sounds like some of the pseudo-patriotic crap coming from that
subversive Schoenbohm who detests this government because the Secret Service
caught him stealing. Take that sanctimonius b.s. some place else. That 3.950
group is a disgrace to this nation. They represent everything this nation
fights against and anyone who tells me that they deserve a forum to spread
their ideology of hate and revolution ought to visit, as I did, Arlington
National Cemetaries and view the crosses and stars above the remains of those
great Americans who fought to keep us free. And it should be free from the
filthy subversives who inhabit 3.950. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs@aol.com

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3048. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Lodahl <lodahlkh@internetwis.com>
Message-ID: <3731F9C5.824E1D25@internetwis.com>
Source record: 143642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Don W6JL wrote:

> Marv Luse wrote:

SNIP

>
>
> If you're not wired for it, there are many other modes to use. That is one of the
> beauties of ham radio.
>
> 73,
> Don, W6JL

That is the point. There are many modes that don't use CW. Many that are interesting and satisfying that don't need knowledge of CW to use. The hobby is diverse and growing more so all the time. Yet there is truly only one test for suitability to belong to the club: knowledge of code.

I have the skill to pass the practical test (and have with the training software) through Advanced, yet I hold only a Tech ticket because of the code. I am still trying but I haven't found my method for learning code yet. I memorized the tapes, and have tried a couple of different computer tutor programs, but so far I have not been able to master CW. I will get it eventually, but it is not coming easy. I resent comments from other hams about being an "appliance user" or the comments on this list about code being a "moron filter." We all have assets in different areas. Learning the code is just plain a bitch for me, and is for others.

I see Techs filling key spots in many clubs, taking on important jobs in weather nets, coordinating public service activities and the like. Some of these folks will upgrade, and some will not. The code will be an obstacle for some, the practical test will be an obstacle for some, and some are content with what they can do with their current ticket. None deserve to be looked down upon because of lack of code speed.

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Keith Lodahl
Mayville, Wisconsin

3049. Cape Cod Ham's Niece Paroled !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <32nY2.4975$vY2.18431@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143643

A well known Cape Cod ham's niece is going to be paroled next week !
Keep your dial right here for any reunion news.

http://www.angelfire.com/ak/amyfisherfanclub/index.html
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3050. Re: WA2EXQ's fruit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <z5nY2.4976$vY2.18522@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143644

Get any new mail from your penpal Riley, geek-loser ?
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3051. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506164001.00340.00000163@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143645

<<
Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>

>>Heck, the only guy to make sense on this topic is Rube Lloyd. Regarding my
adversaries,you're just as stupid on the Internet as you are on ham radio>>"
Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com

3052. Rube 'duh duh" Lloyd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gt2gnmqc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143646

Looks like another Wb2Otk boot licker has made the Deja News Loony Bin. Rube wants amateur calls on here. Hey K4RUB Duh Duh, the only call you here is the chow call. Quit being a WB2OTK lackey, and go to Jenny Craig and get that huge gut off. What a cretin.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3053. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926024857.018.72@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Mike,

I must agree with you, although I don't agree with your predicted outcome. I don't know why CW is required. It just is. I think I understand why CW has its own sub-bands. It doesn't matter, though; it just IS. We think we know the why of band allocations, and power restrictions. It doesn't matter; they just ARE.

I don't know if learning CW makes you a better ham. I don't know if the rationale for the rule is simply to make sure you can read and follow a rule. I don't care; it just is.

Learn the code; don't learn the code. I don't care. It's not my rule, and I'm not the enforcer. Even if there is no other reason: you read the rule; you complied with the rule; you passed the test. See how simple?

Turn a new leaf; make life easy for yourself. Fat, dumb, and happy are the watch words for today.

Michael.

Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com> wrote in message
news:7gssl6$9og$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net...
> >For that matter, on HF, how can you tell which CW station is
> interfering with
> >you, if you can't read its call?
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> we'll loose the CW subbands as well.
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> Mike Yetsko
> N1DVJ
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3054. Re: Another Dumb ass makes the loony bin.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506171358.00340.00000186@ng140.aol.com>
Source record: 143648

<< he people in here..I dont throw a rock
and then hide my hand!!! If I hit you with a rock...I want you to know
that I did it!! :~) <K4RUB>
<<Damn straight, Rube. You never were yellow and you're not now. Good for you.
AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs

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3055. Re: New Radio Shack 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3732084D.2CF@imt.net>
Source record: 143649

Scarpad wrote:
>
> Anyone have or try it yet?
>
> Is this Radio and Icom or Standard Product
>
> Any info Appreciated.
>
> ----- Posted via Deja.com, The People-Powered Information Exchange -----
> ------ http://www.deja.com/ Discussions * Ratings * Communities ------
A friend brought one over and the squelch kept popping so I hooked it up
to my base antenna and found out why,full scale signal desensing ALL of
the freqs the thing was capable of tuning.
Poor VHF recievers,a radio-shack tradition.Tracy

3056. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926026143.460.31@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143650

Keith Lodahl <lodahlkh@internetwis.com> wrote in message
news:3731F9C5.824E1D25@internetwis.com...
> but I
> haven't found my method for learning code yet. I memorized the tapes,
and have tried a
> couple of different computer tutor programs, but so far I have not
been able to master CW.

Learn the sounds. 'A' is not dih-dah; it is 'A'. Listen for the forest,
not the trees. There must be at least a few letters that you don't
parse, but just know by their sound. Copying becomes easy when you know
them all this well.

> None deserve to be looked down upon because of lack of code speed.

Who's doing this? The only harsh comments I saw were aimed at the
whining.

Michael.

3057. Re: God bless America

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck Murcko <chuck.murcko@platinum.com>
Message-ID: <37320E09.7D7F7977@platinum.com>
Source record: 143651

Since when does incisive mean the same as attempts to plant rumour about
various hams and BS? This newbie radiosigs hasn't emitted much posting
on a positive note since appearing here just a few days ago.

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> I'll say this. Keeping or deleting my incisive letters makes no difference
> because I'm fond of this forum. You are America personified for which I say
> THANKS. To prove it, I have never nor will I complain about any posting about
> me and demand its deletion. We have freedom of expression here and if someone
> wants to blast me, I'll take it like a man and I wish they would do the same
> instead of crying about a harsh letter. Furthermore you'll never see any of my
> postings without a name and callsign to back up my screen name. I wish I could
> say that about the moaning,wailing and bitching cowards who are up in arms.
> 73,Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

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chuck

3058. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gt2tq$2j5@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com> wrote:
>OK< then lets force mandatory retesting of CW every couple years. Don't
>pass? Downgrade!

Include the written, and I'll sign the petition.

Now, why are you cross-posting this thread to .dx, .shortwave, .scanner,
Mike?

Jeff KH6O

3059. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "William G. Graves" <bgraves@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7gt3sh$gi4@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143653

M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:3731F63C.566F35F8@ix.netcom.com...
> Hi William,
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> I fly often with work and just about always have a HT in my briefcase
along with
> a cell phone. I have never had any problems. Where was this? What
airline?
> It certainly does not violate any federal regulation that I know of unless
you
> were to operate the unit while in flight.

This was at the international terminal of LAX. The airline was
AeroCalifornia - does the carrier affect this - their ticket agent was
surprised when I went back and asked to check the backpack and explained why

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bill
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Bill Graves
bgraves@ix.netcom.com

3060. Re: Kenwood TS-140...Wierd problem on 20 Meters (Only)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam
Message-ID: <2GoY2.3010$0L6.2636@news21.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 143654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

In message <372832d9.0@flint.sentex.net> - ve3tjd@rac.ca.nospam (Tedd Doda)
writes:

In message <7g85o8nvg1@nw003t.infi.net> - "tom" <tsokol@injersey.com>Wed, 28

:>>Apr 1999 19:35:55 -0400 writes:
:>>
:>>:>>Substitute a dummy load and see if it does the same thing. If tx into a
:>>:>>dummy load is OK, you have an RF feedback problem. Try creating a balun by
:>>:>>coiling up your coax (10 turns around a 6" form) at the rear of the rig.
:>>:>>Also, try beefing up your entire station's ground system. Oh, and try
:>>:>>substituting a different mic. These steps should narrow it down.
:>>
:>>I should have mentioned that all this happens when it's
:>>hooked to my IFR-1500. I may try and isolate the PA board
:>>and keep running it until something else fail (not very
:>>technical but....).

I found the problem! Turned out that 1 of the Silver-Mica caps in the
20 meter section of the filter unit was bad. I replaced all 3 (2x 330pF
and one 160pF).

Thanks for all the help!

Tedd Doda, CET

packet va3sed@va3sed ******* Running FBB under Warp Ver4
e-mail ve3sed@rac.ca** Running the IAK in Warp Ver4
[Team OS/2 in Canada]

If replying, please remove .nospam from return address.

3061. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don or Darla Arnold <DArnold@datasync.com>
Message-ID: <37321809.2096AFA7@datasync.com>
Source record: 143655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

WELL SAID
don
kb5fhx

Keith Lodahl wrote:

> Don W6JL wrote:
>
> > Marv Luse wrote:
>
> SNIP
>
> >
> >
> > If you're not wired for it, there are many other modes to use. That is one of the
> > beauties of ham radio.
> >
> > 73,
> > Don, W6JL
>
> That is the point. There are many modes that don't use CW. Many that are interesting and
> satisfying that don't need knowledge of CW to use. The hobby is diverse and growing more
> so all the time. Yet there is truly only one test for suitability to belong to the club:
> knowledge of code.
>
> I have the skill to pass the practical test (and have with the training software) through
> Advanced, yet I hold only a Tech ticket because of the code. I am still trying but I
> haven't found my method for learning code yet. I memorized the tapes, and have tried a
> couple of different computer tutor programs, but so far I have not been able to master
CW.
> I will get it eventually, but it is not coming easy. I resent comments from other hams
> about being an "appliance user" or the comments on this list about code being a "moron
> filter." We all have assets in different areas. Learning the code is just plain a bitch
> for me, and is for others.
>
> I see Techs filling key spots in many clubs, taking on important jobs in weather nets,
> coordinating public service activities and the like. Some of these folks will upgrade,
and
> some will not. The code will be an obstacle for some, the practical test will be an
> obstacle for some, and some are content with what they can do with their current ticket.
> None deserve to be looked down upon because of lack of code speed.
>
> --

> Keith Lodahl
> Mayville, Wisconsin

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OUR WEB PAGE UPDATED 17 April 99
http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Valley/6430 Darla and Don's Website
http://hattiesburg.net/columns/darnold.shtml My online column

DARLA (dawn) ICQ# 7341931
Don (weathernut) ICQ# 14664294

Right now we are on the threshold of whatever comes next!!!
MAYBE!!

3062. Re: FCC Trying to Work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <37321CFA.4A44B071@uswest.net>
Source record: 143656

The phone number given appears to be invalid (calls to it are cut off and dumped back to dialtone within 3 rings).

Perhaps a typo?

Hawke

Oris wrote:

> COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION ACTION - FCC DECLARES AN EMERGENCY
> DECLARATION
> IN THE AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE - REPORT NO. CI 99-20. Because of the
> recent violent torandos and other severe weather expected in the
> midwest,
> at the request of the American Radio Relay League Section Manager in
> Oklahoma, the Commission has issued an Emergency Declaration in the
> Amateur Radio Service. CIB Contact: News Media Contact: Arlan van
> Doorn
> at (202) 418-1105.
>
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3063. Re: THE COWARD CALLED RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506190306.08346.00000152@ngol02.aol.com>
Source record: 143657

In article <19990506091001.27483.00000040@ng-fs1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) writes:

>This is to let you know that lamebrained "rfenforcer" does not accept >unsolicited E-mails! Poor bubby! He doesn't want to get his feelings hurt but >it's okay for that sneaky s.o.b, that sniping piece of manure to sit at his >mill and spew out garbage aimed at his "enemies."

Easy, Charles. It appears you have no shortage of adversaries on this forum. Do you really need another?

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

3064. Re: yaesu ft301

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Solarpower1watt@Juno.com
Message-ID: <KEpY2.179$Gr3.652@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 143658

> does anyone out there know how to get a yaesu ft301 to transmitt on 10 mhz
>band , the set as standard receives wwv there, have a new ham here who has
>one and we are trying to help him get it going , also looking for a lsb
>filter as well

I think that set has fixed band filters for each of the 6 bands 160 through
10 Meters. I believe the WWV received is using the 15MHz signal through the
20 meter band filter. I don't think even the installation of the proper
crystal in an "AUX" band crystal position can give you TX on 10 MHz.

Ed WB6SAT

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "watt" from my return address.
==========

3065. FS: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <edCJC4Bm#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143659
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Motorola KVL Up Grades for T3011 & T3014 AX,BX or CX

Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
such as Astros and MTSX 2000.

$150.00 Parts Labor And Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3066. Amateur radio licensing in Israel?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506194337.10287.00000263@ng138.aol.com>
Source record: 143660

I'm licensed (U.S.) as Technician "plus" and am seriously considering
immigration to Israel - anyone know what is involved in getting licensed there?
Matt, N4GSV
==========
Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, Y2K
Al Gore - in his own words
How to avoid Clinton's coming draft
<A HREF="http://www.alamanceind.com">ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT weekly</A>

3067. WINRADIO SCANNER OWNERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Javier <j_largo@arrakis.es>
Message-ID: <3731E5CE.82EBA064@arrakis.es>
Source record: 143661

Do you have a Winradio scanner?

I'd like to learn more about antennas to make my own.

Thanks.

3068. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spirit of '76 <NOjaa155SPAM@alumni.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <eY7jxPCm#GA.179@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 143662

Airport security usually is managed and run by the dominant carrier at the particular gate you are using. I too travel a lot for business and have not been hassled no matter how much electronic gizmos and binoculars (I hike) I've had on hand.

Were I you, I'd complain to the carrier's customer service department--you might get a free trip or at least a 1st class upgrade :-)

73

Joe Ames W3JY

William G. Graves wrote in message <7gt3sh$gi4@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>...
>
>M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
>news:3731F63C.566F35F8@ix.netcom.com...
>> Hi William,
>>
>> I fly often with work and just about always have a HT in my briefcase
>along with
>> a cell phone. I have never had any problems. Where was this? What
>airline?
>> It certainly does not violate any federal regulation that I know of
unless
>you
>> were to operate the unit while in flight.
>
>This was at the international terminal of LAX. The airline was
>AeroCalifornia - does the carrier affect this - their ticket agent was
>surprised when I went back and asked to check the backpack and explained
why
>
>--
>bill
>- - - - - - - - - - - - - - -
>Bill Graves
>bgraves@ix.netcom.com
>
>

3069. Site updated (Scanners+Ham+Metal detecting)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <kd4lyp@webdeals.net>
Message-ID: <373170A9.551D@webdeals.net>
Source record: 143663
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I added a few things to my site...I got some new toys and love to show
them off.
Icom PCR-100
Pro-2037
Pro-70
And I got back into the metal detecting hobby with a White's Eagle
Spectrum.

I also added a FCC band plan page and a feedback page.

Wear it out!

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http://www.webdeals.net/kd4lyp.htm
KD4LYP's ham radio and scanner page!
East Tennessee info.

3070. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: J W Schermerhorn <skemi@capital.net>
Message-ID: <37326EF2.7FB6@capital.net>
Source record: 143664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

5/6/99

Except that novices have no phone privileges on the amateur HF bands
that most would want to use.

Don or Darla Arnold wrote:
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> WELL SAID
> don
> kb5fhx
> >
> > > Marv Luse wrote:

> > > If you're not wired for it, there are many other modes to use. That is one of the
> > > beauties of ham radio.
> > >
> > > 73,
> > > Don, W6JL

3071. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3732443B.5A1E5034@uakron.edu>
Source record: 143665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I can not learn the code because I did not read or write. For some reason I can talk. I would love to have some HF Facilities.
http://www.ifip.com/aphasia.htm

Lou WA8PHD
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm
http://www.ifip.com/

3072. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37324AF3.1445@sir.com>
Source record: 143666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Trent Phillips wrote:
>
> As I see it, it comes down to this...
>
> While it is true that there are a few (and I mean a FEW) who would
> like Ham Radio dumbed down into just another version of CB.

If eliminating a Morse Code requirement would turn Ham radio into
another version of CB radio, it would have already happened on all bands
6 meters and above. The truth is, the parts of the Ham bands that sound
like CB are in the code required HF sections. CB is in the HF bands.
HF and AM radio attracts a certain kind of person, Morse Code has
nothing to do with it.

3073. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37324DEA.4ADD@sir.com>
Source record: 143667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Pepsi wrote:
>
> : Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
> : the community.
>
> That's the point.
> It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
> like playing video games is.
> There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing worth
> getting "community" attention for.

Actually Ham radio has always assisted in giving communications to
national disaster areas such as Earthquake, Flood, or Tornado disasters.
However, Morse Code is never used in these instances, mostly voice on
the 2 meter band.

3074. 25 G $40 pick up in jackson TN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James E. Davis Jr." <n6pjq@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#RHe#GDm#GA.347@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 143668

I have 4 sections all straight no rust
ready to load on your truck.

--
Jim Davis N6PJQ@MSN.COM
Phone 901 664 1767

3075. Re: Radio-Rambo is here to stay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4353-37325043-12@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143669

:~) Where ya at Doc?

3076. Create roof tower $300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "James E. Davis Jr." <n6pjq@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#3srPKDm#GA.51@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 143670

this is the cr45 with ck46 bearing and a
Ham "M" look
http://www.elecdist.com/create/tower.htm
l
tower alone is over $500 I really need
to get rid of it my wife will not let me
use it will hold 23 sq. ft at 90 mph

--
Jim Davis N6PJQ@MSN.COM
Phone 901 664 1767

3077. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <CNsY2.343$3y3.602299@news.abs.net>
Source record: 143671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CW wrote in message
<01be9823$51141320$9a2079a5@spry941360spry08.sprynet.com>...
>
>-- Then what you are saying is that your ability to learn code is based on
>having to take a test. Eliminate the test and you will no longer be able to
>learn it? Public school has obviously taken a toll on your mind if you
>think the whole point of learning is to take a test.

No, I don't think I said that at all. I said that my mind does not have the
trick of learning morse code. Never could get it as a kid...although I've
been having a little more luck lately what with the advent of really patient
computer software. The test was the impetus for attempting to learn it
because at that point in my life, there were no options...you had to know
code to be a ham and I desperately wanted to be a ham.

3078. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13278-3732598E-90@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143672

What a total crock of sh*t!!! Sounds like you cc&pasted a letter from Herb. You need to check your source before publishing a request for funds for a "Convicted Fellon"!! The man was convicted of "Communications Fraud"!! You have got to be a complete idiot!! <K4RUB>

3079. Re: Freebanders who are Hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Woodsman <woodsman@apexmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gtp0q$31q@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 143673

Yeah, well Clinton has caused a whole bunch of problems.
Nothing an intelligent election can't fix-too bad we didn't
get one of those in '96 :-)
Eric

>I'd agree with you except that the Clinton administration
>has hijacked the Federal Highway Trust Fund by impounding
>funds to "balance" the budget, by diverting Highway Trust

3080. Re: Hoibie is a hero?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gr6c9$4n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143674

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting, not a good sign. Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990505122318.22977.00002472@ng139.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Lloyd Davies wrote an excellent and eloquent piece about Herbie Schoenbohm,
> KV4FZ. I read it from A to Z. Lloyd forgot to mention that FZ is a liar,thief
> and convicted felon. Oh perhaps he skirts the issue, but I'm pinpointing the
> man's lack of attributes. FZ concocted the entire rationale for attacking
> Intercon; that net's been on since 1960 and has done a great job saving lives.
> In the meantime, Herbie and his halfwits tried to prevent a rescue operation to
> the vessel TIKI and medical assistance to a dying child in El Salvador.
> Schoenbohm and his rats have done everything to disrupt amateur radio and one
> of their most sinistere methods has been to state that Intercon was run by Jews
> in order to steal money from phone companies. Then FZ goes out and steals
> access numbers from the Caribbean Automated Long Lines System in order to make
> long distance calls while having others pay for them. That's fraud which
> brought in the Secret Service and the rest is history. The man's a convicted
> felon who has always refused to take any of the responsibility for his own
> deceitful actions and by lying to Administrative Law Judge Edward Luton, he
> sealed his fate in amateur radio. The clock is ticking and it's just a metter
> of time before the Appellate Court in D.C. upholds the FCC's decision to not
> renew and it's goodbye Hoibie. Either Rich or I will be holding a farewell
> barbeque for the s.o.b. and Mr. Davies is invited, AF2Y Doc
> radiosigs@aol.com
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3081. Re: Amateur Transceiver - TS120V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <37311327@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 143675
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,nz.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm planning a beacon that operates PSK31, so needs
an SSB trransmitter.

Any better cheap suggestions?

Fred

3082. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <3738f7a6.165755@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143676
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS
the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
www.web-cycat/hart
==========
O'Hearte Desktop Services
622 Meadowvale drive
Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

3083. Re: Amateur Transceiver - TS120V

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <373114e9@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 143677
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The trouble is that I plan to run the beacon on PSK31
and other modes that re quire linear operation and SSB
mode, and I'm not in the mood to build something that
complex.

How about an old crystal controlled 25W commercial
HF RT. Anybody got one of those going cheap?

Fred

3084. Wanted - cheap low power HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <373116d9@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 143678
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,nz.wanted,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I need an HF rig for 20m, capable of SSB, to use as
a beacon transmitter. It needs to be cheap, and
preferably in New Zealand. The beacon will be used
for PSK31 and Hellschreiber modes.

I would be interested in

Kenwood TS-120V
Yaesu FT-7
Other low power amateur sets
Commercial 25W crystal controlled SSB sets

The receiver need not be working. Any supply voltage
considered - AC or DC.

Any offers or suggestions to as149@detroit.freenet.org

Fred

3085. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373120d8.232600688@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Wed, 05 May 1999 22:44:45 -0400, Jack C Empson Jr
<empson@acsu.buffalo.edu> wrote:

>That's ok we can argue all we want about keeping the code test, but something
>needs to be done to bring people into amateur radio not keep them out. Soon enough
>all the brass pounders will be gone and then the FCC can sell of the rest of the
>ham spectrum. How soon we have forgotten about 220 MHz.

I hope you will endose my adding tot hese sentiments, the idea
of not only bring ing people in but treating them so they want to
stay. I think the number of new is just barely enough ifwe got them to
stay, but more would nice
>
>**
>* Jack Empson Instructional Support Technician *
>* State University of New York @ Buffalo *
>* 10 Norton Buffalo, New York 14260 *
>* Voice 716.645.3518 Fax 716.645.3198 *
>**
>
>186000 mps it's not just a good idea, it's the law!
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

3086. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <37311ff9.232377828@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143680

On Wed, 05 May 1999 23:32:04 GMT, markv@pixar.com wrote:

>In article <37285D20.AB574B2A@fallschurch.esys.com>,
> akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com wrote:
>> If you do not think Morse code has at least some of the aspects of a
>> language, then you are either not proficient, or just nit-picking, or
>> both! Almost anybody who has attained real proficiency in Morse (>25
>> wpm) is well-acquainted with my claim; anyone who has not cannot be
>> expected to believe this! I mean this as a simple statement of my
>> experience and that of others I know.
>
>A roller skate has some of the aspects of a car, but that doesn't mean that a
>roller skate is a car. Languages have both vocabulary and grammar, Morse has
>neither. It isn't a language, it is a code. Hence the term "Morse code", as
>opposed to "Morse Language".

As a point of fact it is not a code in the sense the military
uses the word code it is a cypher, cyhpers are system in their
simplest form involving system like where e is a patern of dit and dah
or is alawys j, of course keyed cypher scheme are more complex, like
the Pruple and Ulta code of the axis the cterm code was at one time
and stil sometimes is used to include cyphers. In momore modern use a
is a meaning based transforamation such Blackjack meaing adm Halsey (
as I understand was the code at Leyte)
>
> Mark
>> 73 de W1AEL
>>
>>
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3087. Re: CWs are Lazy or Stupid

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <37312139.232697879@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143681

On Wed, 5 May 1999 05:05:06 GMT, wa2ise@netcom.com (Robert Casey)
wrote:

>In article <7gmt34$5vo$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com> Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com> writes:
>> As you progress you will notice a "plateau" of about 7 and 12, 18, etc.
>> When you pass these levels you will notice your speed will jump faster and
>> faster until you reach the next plateau. Beleive it or not, if you keep at
>> it, 20 will seem slow to you.
>>
>Wouldn't it be more efficient to just start with code speeds of 20wpm
>and learn from that? Or maybe 20wpm characters spaced at 5wpm intervals?

That is indeed the school of thought behind some methods of teaching
Morse Code, such if memory serves the Koch method

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3088. yaesu ft301

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Warwick MARSHALLSEA <wmarshallsea@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <b%9Y2.7482$116.11879@news2.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 143682

hello from vk
does anyone out there know how to get a yaesu ft301 to transmitt on 10 mhz band , the set as standard receives wwv there, have a new ham here who has one and we are trying to help him get it going , also looking for a lsb filter as well
cheers and 73
de warwick vk4nw
--

Warwick Marshallsea ph 0741 592007
email wmarshallsea@ozemail.com.au

6 andy kemp pl bargara qld 4670

3089. Re: Used Radio Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506021253.07261.00003221@ng-ck1.aol.com>
Source record: 143683

On Tue, Apr 27, 1999 18:18 EDT, KEVINB" <kevin@umcautomation.com> wrote
==========

I am looking for a used Yaesu FT-847 transceiver. Anyone have any comments of where this item might be found.
==========

Well, there is always E-Bay (www.ebay.com). There may not be one RIGHT NOW, but check in there every few days, you never know.

I found a TS-830s that way. I sold the MC -35 mic that came with it, and bought a Bencher BY-2 paddle (also on E-Bay).

If you are a little *leary* (sp) about buying like that, you can read *FEEDBACK* from people who have bought from the same person, before you place your bid. (Remember, if you are the winning bid, and don't complete the transaction, the seller can write *negative* feedback about you).

Bob
KD8WU

3090. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <nqcY2.1123$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143684

Well not much seems to have changed. I noticed this thread is also being posted to policy... I don't see what it has to do with policy, or misc, for that matter, but I chopped the newsgroups: header for my reply.

Police do not prevent crime. Police investigate crimes that have already occurred. Armed, law-abiding citizens prevent crime, especially when the criminal does not know who might or might not be armed, as is the case in Texas where I can carry a pistol, and do, but I may not allow it to show or be seen. This casts an umbrella of protection over even those who foolishly believe they can simply ignore unpleasantness and it will never happen, or that the nice officer who takes the report will kiss where it hurts and make it all better.

As for having a gun in the bathroom, as a matter of fact, I spend a lot of time relaxing in the tub, and my stainless Colt Defender 45ACP is within reach when I am doing so. My P-10 45 is within reach when I am at my desk or workbench. One is to one side and one to the other side of the bed when I am asleep. One or the other, usually the defender in hot sweaty weather, is always in my Galco Yaqui Slide in cross-draw carry when I am in public unless I intend to go drinking, in which case I downgrade to my pepper spray and Columbia River Knife and Tool 5" folder in order to comply with a very sensible law regarding guns in bars. I might be a victim some day, but the sumbitch will have to earn everything he takes from me, and my chances of surviving the encounter are FAR greater than his.

Every time some hoodlum who lives by the sword, metaphorically speaking, dies by the sword, I guarantee you somewhere there is somebody who decides he really doesn't feel like taking HIS chances and going out there to look for a victim to rob, rape, maim, or kill. It's partly about deterrence. It's partly about getting the other guy before he gets you. It's partly about my right to keep and BEAR arms not being infringed. It's partly just good common sense. It's partly a proud and noble tradition.

Every time I hear somebody piss and moan about 82 hexadecitrillion kids being slaughtered each year by guns, I think about two things... how many innocent lives are saved by guns each year, and how many kids drown in swimming pools or die rollerblading, snowboarding, skiing, swimming, rock climbing, whatever. Swimming pools? When is tha last time you heard of a man saving his or a family members' life with his swimming pool? How many lives have been saved by swimming pools? By the reasoning of the wussy little reactionaries who want to take my guns away from me for a crime somebody else committed, I ask myself what sort of convoluted logic allows dangerous contrivances like swimming pools to exist while the best, safest, most versatile and effective personal defense ever invented, are castigated so. Okay... fill in all the swimming pools, ban automobiles, cover all rivers

and creeks with smooth. safe cememt, level all places to fall from or to fall into, ban all contact sports, pass prohibition again, confiscate all power tools and sharp objects, and what the hell... fair is fair... I'll hand over my guns... that is, as soon as the criminals are disarmed, too.

Check my site for more common sense. url in the sig. Now... the reason I came here... does anybody know what a RCI-2025 is? Saw one in a hock shop for $149 labeled "CB Radio" and almost didn't even pay attention until I noticed it had a key jack in the back.

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Dan K Nelson wrote in message ...
>w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
>
>> snip
>>I figure that the odds of me needing a gun and being able to protect myself
>or anyone else or my property with the gun is almost as farfetched as it
>would be to have a microwave dish ready for ET Saturday night comedy
>broadcasts.
>> snip
>
>There are thousands of citizens every year who prevent and/or deter a
>violent crime against themselves or another. They are able to do this
>because criminals are scarred as hell of a citizen with a gun because they
>know that the citizen will use it. The criminals laugh at the cops because
>they know if a cop shoots them, then they, or their family, just hit the
>civil lottery...
>
>The bottom line is that if you are the one out of four persons who is the
>victim of a criminal attack each year, and you do not posses the will and/or
>the means to stop the attack, then you will suffer the results. The police
>cannot prevent an attack, but they are pretty good at figuring out who
>killed you.
>
>
>As the saying goes, the difference between a liberal and a conservative is

>that the liberal hasn't been mugged yet...
>
>73 de KF6KNB
>* An armed man is a citizen, an unarmed man is a subject. *
>
>
>
>

3091. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <qqcY2.1127$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143685

Some VECs use straight timing. ARRL does not, but that is just the ARRL
VEC's decision and is not a rule or regulation. I seem to recall that the
Gordon West code tapes used straight timing while the ARRL tapes used
Farnsworth.

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Tom@astro.net wrote in message <7gnlabrvl1@east42.supernews.com>...
>In article <372EFAC3.446B9B3D@my-dejanews.com>, Martin Meserve
<meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>>BD wrote:
>>>
>>> Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
>>> wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
>>> Hmm...
>>> And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
>>> If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
>>> for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
>>
>>Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
>>the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
>>to for the 20 WPM test!!
>
> The ARRL 13 is sent at 18 with probably 13 for spacing. I know, I took my
>General tests April 27th and passed the written but failed the code because
of
>that very reason. I don't agree with that way of doing the code test. If
I'm
>copying fine at true 13 at home and then go and hear it coming out at 18,
well
>it sure screwed ME up. I'll bet it screws most people up as well. Another
guy

>at the same session said the same thing I did, "That was NO 13wpm".
>I should have passed that test if it was sent at 13wpm. But it was not.
>
>>But in reality the Farnsworth speed, for the 5 and 13 WPM test,
>>I believe is 18. I can't say for sure about the 5 WPM test, because
>>I never took it, but I did take the 13 WPM test in the beginning
>>of March and it was 18/13. I would recommend that you actually
>>get proficient at 18/15, however. This gives you a little bit
>>of an edge. There is always a nerviousness factor when you sit
>>down for the test and this gives you a little bit of an advantage.
>
> I agree, anyone who is about to go for the General code test better be
>copying at at least 18wpm or forget it. I believe it's wrong to do it that
>way. It's a 13 wpm test, not 18. I don't care HOW far the spacing is.
>Now I'm practicing my ass off to get my speed up to at least 17wpm.
Shouldn't
>have to though.
>
>>I was never very good at CW, until I started studying with the
>>Farnsworth method. After only 2 months of practice, I found the
>>13 WPM test a breeze. I am now working for the 20 WPM test. I'll
>>give it a try in June.
>
> Congrats on the upgrade! Good luck on the 20, better copy at least at
25wpm
>though.
>
>>I have been mainly using Morse Academy and have found out that the
>>sample CW tests, that it generates, are very close to what you
>>will hear on the actual test. When I tested, I felt like I was
>>just sitting at home in from of my PC.
>
> Supermorse is another great program. Generates code tests as well.
>
>>Martin E. Meserve KB7EQS
>
>73,
>Tom
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>

3092. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <oqcY2.1125$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143686

I believe it is 18WPM character speed at 13WPM word speed for the standard
ARRL VEC Morse exams.

Best way to learn the code is to go ahead and learn it at 20. Serious. Skip
all the "translating" and train yourself to hear the content, not the bleeps
and blaps.

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BD wrote in message <7gm782$gg1$1@newnews.startext.net>...
>Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example, wouldn't I
>need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
>Hmm...
>And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds? If it's 13/5
>for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13 for 13wpm? Sounds sorta
>impossible to me.. ;)
>
>
>

3093. Re: wire ant./new ham info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <sqcY2.1129$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143687

Joseph, you will find that this newsgroup is a lot like the fone bands. You will find about half decent folks here and half assholes. If you want to really meet nice guys who are also hams, and ask technical questions that won't get flamed, get some good ragchews going on 15 meters or maybe 40. CW or RTTY. CW ops on the air are the nicest (except those pesky contesters! HI HI) bunch of people you ever met. I have NEVER heard a word of profanity on CW. I have NEVER heard a personal insult on CW. The only thing I could call rude at all is the paper chasers trying to butt in on a ragchew to get my card when I operate /MM. Hey I can deal with that.

I have participated in quite a few technical discussions on AMTOR too, though I guess Pactor, PSK, etc have supplanted that mode now. One of my first transmitters was built from a schematic sent via HF Fax, and my first SSTV transmission was the same design sent to a brand new General ticket.

By all means, post your questions here. If you get a snotty reply, add the author to your killfile immediately. eventually you will weed out the worst of them. But if you just can't stand the offensive and rude style of the worse half here, get on the air. And toss your mic in a far, dark corner of your closet. I guarantee you will have a better on-air experience, and get at least as much technical help once you become conversational in CW.

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Tom B. wrote in message <372FE86D.14E8B415@parg.org>...
>Hi Joseph! It looks like you can't ask a question out here without
>someone giving you crap. You don't get what you don't ask for. You are
>one of the most enthusiastic new guys I have run across. I was impressed
>by your interest in the Code. Keep asking any questions you want and
>don't let those Fone Ops run you off. We CW guys will make sure you get
>off to a smooth start. Soon you will be the guy answering the questions.
>I can think of times when I didn't ask, and I missed out.
>

>Hang in there
>
>Tom
>

3094. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <rqcY2.1128$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143688

For the benefit of the prospective examinees, my personal strategy involved a microcasette recorder and Supermorse by WD5CID. I made my own code tapes, mixed ham stuf, simulated QSO's like the exam format, and random groups. I carried this thing around with me and listended every spare moment. I even took it with me to the test site, and listened a couple of minutes of fast code while everybody was arriving.

Take the 20WPM test even if you are not ready. It will really loosen you up for the 13, and make 13 WPM sound SLOOOOOOOOOOOWWWWWWWW. And who knows... with multiple choice 20 question format, you could get lucky and pass. Anyway, it will make the 13 easier. Usually they give the 20 first, then the 13, then the 5 so if you don't pass one, you take the next one.

If I had to do it all over again, I would definitely start with 20WPM farnsworthed down, and get right in there at extra speed, where the code sounds like its CONTENT and not its separate beeps and boops in series. Practicing at speeds where it is not possible to count and decode strings of diferent length tones is definitely the way to go. About half my learning was listening to commercial traffic on 8 and 12 megs. When I realized the station I was getting the odd character and then the occasional word from (WLO WX broadcasts) was actually sending at 31 WPM, that really built my confidence, too. Funny, but they never sounded like 31 WPM to me. Always sounded slower until th RO told me what I was trying to copy.

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3095. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <pqcY2.1126$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143689

Yup. 20 is 20. Straight code, standard timing and weight.

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Marv Luse wrote in message <372EFF3C.2E753F0A@dimensional.com>...
>Martin Meserve wrote:
>
>> BD wrote:
>> >
>> > Is that possible? To practice for the General test, for example,
>> > wouldn't I need it set higher than 10wpm for text speed?...
>> > Hmm...
>> > And is the Farnsworth method still used at the faster speeds?
>> > If it's 13/5 for 5wpm, wouldn't it be up there around 35/13
>> > for 13wpm? Sounds sorta impossible to me.. ;)
>>
>> Well, if that were true, there probably be fewer people passing
>> the 13 WPM code test. And just think what that would figure out
>> to for the 20 WPM test!!
>>
>
>If I remember correctly the 20 WPM test is sent at 20 WPM character speed,
>so it is not as daunting as it sounds. If I may throw my 2 cents worth in,
>the W1AW code broadcasts and on-the-air QSOs are also great preparation for
>the tests. Good luck!
>
>73,
>
>Marv
>AB0IO
>

3096. Re: Morse code decoder program wanted... - Try CwGet 0.06

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <oqcY2.1124$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143690

I used to really like Hamcomm but newer computers seem to work better with the soundblaster programs than the old serial port comparator circuit setups. The better soundboard input programs make good use of the DSP capabilities of the soundcard and do a really amazing job, sometimes copying what the human operator can barely get, if the sent code is well timed, or better yet computer generated.

I did once have a 50 WPM QSO with my old 486DX Tosh notebook and Hamcomm, teh other guy running pakratt II and a PK-232 with a 286. That was pretty neat. Nearly solid copy too.

Your best bet, really, is to learn the code, use the hardware that nature gave you. If it was all that hard I wouldn't have been able to do it.

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amx@i.am wrote in message <7gm49j$h2k$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>In article <7gkpsqcol1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>,
> "William Lee" <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
>> Anyone know of a good morse code decoding program for the PC or Mac?
>>
>> I want one that samples the sound from the receiver and converts it to
>> letters on the PC screen.
>
>Try my CwGet:
> http://ua9osv.virtualave.net or
> http://ua9osv.tsx.org
>
>BTW, I uploaded new version (0.06) yesterday.
>
>73!
>Sergei,
>UA9OSV

>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3097. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506074255.19487.00000019@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 143691

> >>WOW, are you brave hiding behind anonymity. Be a man for once in your life
>and state your callsign and name. You're no REALDEAL. You're a REALPUTZ. Doc
>AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

Who says you have to put a callsign in the Newsgroup????

Hail KV4FZ!
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3098. Re: K4OKA jamming 3.900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506074333.19487.00000020@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 143692

>If you are sick of that Hickory, NC drunken reprobate's jamming an FCC
>announced emergency Tornado frequency of 3.900, then send your complaints via
>E-mail to.....
>
>fccham@fcc.gov
>

I, personally, am sick of you and your stupid treadmill!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3099. Re: The 3.950 disorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gs3dpogg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143693

You are absolutely right DOC, we apologize to all DONKEYS !!!
>>
>>
>>>>>In article <19990505213538.24968.00002718@ng-fq1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << is AF2Y aka THE DONKEY DUNG of Am >>
> Sir, I am grossly offended by your scatalogical terminology and intend to do
> something about it. An apology's in order OR ELSE!
>
> AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
>
>

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3100. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org>
Message-ID: <DOfY2.302$3y3.549261@news.abs.net>
Source record: 143694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

charles copeland wrote in message ...

>Once the CW requirement is dropped, you old hams will have to
>fight for bandwidth to discuss bowel problems. Won't be long ...

I am one of the ones who has way lots of trouble catching on to Morse Code and as a result may never progress beyond Tech No-Code. However, I don't want to see the CW requirement go away, because

a) It will still always be a goal for me. I've always wanted to know a secret language shared by only a few people. Too many books and movies in my wasted youth, I guess; and

b) I don't see how Ham Radio will benefit having an influx of people with your attitude and manners (not, mind you, that there aren't a number of the Code people who can use a refresher course in manners).

3101. Hamfest - Pennsylvania???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rjb162@psu.edu
Message-ID: <37318f4f.2298706758@news.psu.edu>
Source record: 143695

Hi

I am trying to find out if there are any hamfests in PA this
weekend...I am in central PA, but a couple of hours drive is OK.

Please EMAIL Resposne.

73
Bob
KB8PXI
RBart@psu.edu

3102. Another Dumb ass makes the loony bin.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gs6o2$rn2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143696

In article <11045-3730A412-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
> and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>
>
> Oh !!! another screwball makes the Deja news loony bin, Rube "Duh Duh" Lloyd,

the stupid Wb2otk lackey. The QRMER from twenty and seventyfive. Keep on
acting stupid Rube, You fit right in with Dr Hate. By the way stupe Rube No
call signs are required here.

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3103. Another Dumb ass makes the loony bin.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gs6pdrnm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143697

In article <11045-3730A412-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> Doc..this guy is just a mouthy little coward...same as all the barfies
> and stumpjumpers!! <K4RUB>
>
> Oh !!! another screwball makes the Deja news loony bin, Rube "Duh Duh" Lloyd,

the stupid Wb2otk lackey. The QRMER from twenty and seventyfive. Keep on
acting stupid Rube, You fit right in with Dr Hate. By the way stupe Rube No
call signs are required here.

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3104. New Radio Shack 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scarpad <scarpad@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <7gs41m$p27$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143698

Anyone have or try it yet?

Is this Radio and Icom or Standard Product

Any info Appreciated.

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3105. THE COWARD CALLED RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506091001.27483.00000040@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143699

This is to let you know that lamebrained "rfenforcer" does not accept unsolicited E-mails! Poor bubby! He doesn't want to get his feelings hurt but it's okay for that sneaky s.o.b, that sniping piece of manure to sit at his mill and spew out garbage aimed at his "enemies." So now the crud is doubly cowardly. He's both callsign -anonymous as well as afraid of receiving criticism. Good Lord, what snivelling wretches of humanity frequent this wonderful forum! How can anyone of good conscience have anything more than utter contempt for classless cowards as "refenforcer" amd "Donkeyboy" and several other "wordsmith misfits?" Go get some guts,louses! Doc, AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3106. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <373198C1.3FCB22E6@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143700
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Jack C Empson Jr wrote:

> That's ok we can argue all we want about keeping the code test, but something
> needs to be done to bring people into amateur radio not keep them out. Soon enough
> all the brass pounders will be gone and then the FCC can sell of the rest of the
> ham spectrum. How soon we have forgotten about 220 MHz.
>
> **
> * Jack Empson Instructional Support Technician *
> * State University of New York @ Buffalo *
> * 10 Norton Buffalo, New York 14260 *
> * Voice 716.645.3518 Fax 716.645.3198 *
> **
>
> 186000 mps it's not just a good idea, it's the law!

Jack,

Brass pounders will always be around, and in large numbers too. As for new blood in Amateur Radio, there is plenty of that too. Where did the notion that Amateur Radio is dying come from? At my extra class exam (recent) there were about 5 youngsters aged about 10 taking the 5 WPM code test. Come to think of it, there were kids testing at every one of the test sessions I attended.

I think we need to worry more about the F layer falling.

73,

Marv
AB0IO

3107. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373196c0.262788930@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 6 May 1999 08:18:02 -0400, "Karina Wright"
<karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:

>
>charles copeland wrote in message ...
>
>>Once the CW requirement is dropped, you old hams will have to
>>fight for bandwidth to discuss bowel problems. Won't be long ...
>
>I am one of the ones who has way lots of trouble catching on to Morse Code
>and as a result may never progress beyond Tech No-Code. However, I don't
>want to see the CW requirement go away, because
>
>a) It will still always be a goal for me. I've always wanted to know a
>secret language shared by only a few people. Too many books and movies in
>my wasted youth, I guess; and

That is sad that you and so many others need a test to give
you goals ieithe rin life or is it just in the the ARS.

Why can't you still have learning code as a gaol without the
prod of being tested for it?

>
>b) I don't see how Ham Radio will benefit having an influx of people with
>your attitude and manners (not, mind you, that there aren't a number of the
>Code people who can use a refresher course in manners).

The ARS will benift for any influx of people at all, but it is
not one of the gaols of ending code testing to gain numbers of hams
over all. Iand others feels that it will help some, but it is a minor
possible benifit of ending the requirement
>
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

3108. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Grunberg <dangrunberg@netzero.net>
Message-ID: <7gs915ttk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <372D18D3.3727@sir.com>,
Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
> JJ wrote:
> >
> > BungHole wrote:
> > >
> > > These guys just don't get it do they?
> > > Hello!
> > > No Speaka de english?
> > > Do you comprende?Understand!
> > > Unlike you, we don't have all the time in the world to learn some useless
> > > outdated crap which we won't ever use for the sake of a stupid little
hobby.
> > > We hear you always bitching about losing HAMs but you are unwilling to
make
> > > the changes to get more HAMs, so either shut up or learn to bend.
> > >
> >
> > Then you just don't really want to be a ham.
>
> You don't understand. Perhaps he wants to be a Ham that can talk on HF
> frequencies and never use Morse Code. There are a lot of us like that
> that are licensed hams now.
>
> If someone doesn't want to use packet, but wants to just use Morse Code,
> does that mean THAT person really doesn't want to be a ham too?
>

Here's something else to be considered. Repeater stations, both amateur and commercial, identify themselves in Morse Code. How can you know you're using the right repeater, if you can't identify it because you can't read the repeater's slow Morse ID?

For that matter, on HF, how can you tell which CW station is interfering with you, if you can't read its call?

Is it possible that there are other legitimate NEEDS for Morse Code yet to be found?

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Daniel A. Grunberg Kensington, Maryland USA

home page: www.nyx.net/~dgrunber

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3109. ATTENTION AF2Y ADVERSARIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506093913.27483.00000046@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143703

Take a lesson from Lloyd Davies, N0VFP. He made it clear from the outset he's no friend but each time I get an adversarial E from him or read an adversarial posting, the guy has enough guts to sign BOTH his name and call. He's exactly the opposite from you snipers,backstabbers,bigots and scatalogical slobs who cower and hide behind anonymity. I'll take criticism as well as give it but be MEN about it.

Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3110. Re: THE COWARD CALLED RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ggs@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gs9d4$u6m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143704

In article <19990506091001.27483.00000040@ng-fs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> This is to let you know that lamebrained "rfenforcer" does not accept
> unsolicited E-mails! Poor bubby! He doesn't want to get his feelings hurt but
> it's okay for that sneaky s.o.b, that sniping piece of manure to sit at his
> mill and spew out garbage aimed at his "enemies." So now the crud is doubly
> cowardly. He's both callsign -anonymous as well as afraid of receiving
> criticism. Good Lord, what snivelling wretches of humanity frequent this
> wonderful forum! How can anyone of good conscience have anything more than
> utter contempt for classless cowards as "refenforcer" amd "Donkeyboy" and
> several other "wordsmith misfits?" Go get some guts,louses! Doc, AF2Y
> radiosigs@aol.com
>

--

Hi Dipstick you are an idiot.

Anonymous

A most interesting place the internet.
For a few dollars you can make as much
of an ass of yourself as you want.
Some folks seem to get a lot for their money.

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3111. Re: ATTENTION AF2Y ADVERSARIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gs9n5uke1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143705

radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> ..... you snipers,backstabbers,bigots and scatalogical slobs who
> cower and hide behind anonymity.

Hey, if you don't like their QRM, get a bigger computer and QRM over 'em.
Seems to work for you on 14.313.

Hans, K0HB

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~~~
If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
~~~

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3112. Re: Radio-Rambo is here to stay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506094307.27483.00000048@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143706

Shouldn't someone as machismo as RADIORAMBO (man, that's one tough sounding dude) be macho enough to give his callsign and /or name? If not, then you're nothing more than RADIOBIMBO.

Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3113. Re: Tower Construction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <U1hY2.1416$pq1.77011@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143707

Shane Smith wrote in message <372fd0e3.30338916@ayr-news.tpgi.com.au>...
>Does anyone have plans for a crankup tower or know where I can obtain
>that information, any help would be grateful.

You can purchase the engineering drawings and specifications for most
commercial made towers from the manufacturers like Tri-Ex, US Tower, etc.

73 de KF6KNB

3114. Re: Hamfest in So. Calif.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb6ojs@gte.net
Message-ID: <MPG.119ab482ab58479d98978b@news.gte.net>
Source record: 143708

In article <372E01DF.98B223D0@hotmail.com>, captorbs@hotmail.com says...
> Anyone know of a hamfest to be held soon (May-Aug) in the region from
> Santa Barbara to San Diego, & east to Las Vegas.
>

The TRW Amateur Radio Club holds a swap meet the last Saturday of every
month at the TRW facility in El Segundo, corner of Aviation and Marine.
That's the major one in the area.
--

-- //Steve//

Steve Silverwood, KB6OJS
Email: kb6ojs@gte.net
Home Page: http://home1.gte.net/kb6ojs
AOL IM: "MSF Steve"

3115. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3731A839.B4DB2140@jump.net>
Source record: 143709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Chicken Little is an old tale. No one learns. Seems folks are always the same.
Thank you for an independent observation.
I suspect the same small fraction of 13 year olds are still learning code. Like many things that require a little work up front, CW is worth it.
73
H.
de wa5igw

Marv Luse wrote:

> snip--

> Brass pounders will always be around, and in large numbers too. As for new blood in
> Amateur Radio, there is plenty of that too. Where did the notion that Amateur Radio
> is dying come from? At my extra class exam (recent) there were about 5 youngsters
> aged about 10 taking the 5 WPM code test. Come to think of it, there were kids
> testing at every one of the test sessions I attended.
>
> I think we need to worry more about the F layer falling.
>
> 73,
>
> Marv
> AB0IO

3116. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <3736a4f0.2015644@news.erols.com>
Source record: 143710

On Wed, 5 May 1999 10:00:13 -0500, "Pepsi" <pepsi@cola.org> wrote:

>But HAM is doing nothing now except a bunch of old farts talking about "the good ole days"
>and inviting each other to visit their web pages.
>There is nothing being done worth doing on HAM anymore and a bunch of people who are happy
>with the death of HAM as long as no one works THEIR frequencies.

What you hear and what is going on in the hobby are two different
things.

Most of the folks you hear are retired. They have time on their
hands. They have a radio. They're gonna talk. So what?

Have you listened to the non-CW activity on the lower edges of the
bands? Have you listened to the SSB activity from six meters and up?

Have you been to some of the homebrew radio forums at Dayton?

Have you seen the efforts made in class rooms across the country?

Snap judgements like this aren't going to give you much credibility in
this or any other news group...

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

3117. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gsak9bka1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, joe@user.com (Mike Yetsko) says:

Well put....

>You saved me from responding directly!
>
>This is ridiculous.
>
>Both sides are spouting bullshit now, and trying to get the issue to
>black
>and white, on and off, left and right. Neither side seems to grasp the
>truth of the other side, and that 99% of the people are not at the
>extremes.
>
>CW is useful.
>
>CW is neat.
>
>CW is fun.
>
>CW is NOT a lid filter.
>
>CW should NOT be a gating factor.
>
>CW should NOT be required.
>
>Mike Yetsko
>N1DVJ
>
>Mark Waldron wrote in message <372FCB7B.5E3AE052@nationwide.net>...
>>Boring.
>>*YAWN*.......zzzzzZZZZZ.....
>>
>>Oops, I'm sorry...were you trying to say something?
>>*YAWN*....zzzzZZZZZzzzzz.....
>>
>>
>>
>>JJ spake thusly, from his anal orifice:
>>
>>> That's just it, most new hams have nothing useful to say.
>>
>
>

>
>
--
"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

3118. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: rah@netcom.com
Message-ID: <rahFBBGuL.9wJ@netcom.com>
Source record: 143712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
: I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
: I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)

KC6QBO since '91
PP-SEL since '74
OW diver since '97

Cheers,

Rick

--
Include "wombat" in Subject: line of mail sent to me [to override spamgard(tm)]

| Richard Hyde | RaH@netcom.com | This space intentionally left blank |

3119. Re: Family Radios In Israel and Egypt?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7gsg5m$51u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143713
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.family,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

miles@mail.utexas.edu wrote:

> Does anyone know if these radios can be taken by vacationers into Israel
> and Egypt? If they cannot be used in one of these nations, can they at
> least be taken through it without trouble in Customs, to use in the other
> nation?

Mike,

Don't even consider it! They are legal only in the US.

73, Hans

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3120. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3731B956.4A93F01D@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Daniel Grunberg wrote:

> Here's something else to be considered. Repeater stations, both amateur and
> commercial, identify themselves in Morse Code. How can you know you're using
> the right repeater, if you can't identify it because you can't read the
> repeater's slow Morse ID?
>
> For that matter, on HF, how can you tell which CW station is interfering with
> you, if you can't read its call?
>
> Is it possible that there are other legitimate NEEDS for Morse Code yet to be
> found?
>
> --
>
> Daniel A. Grunberg Kensington, Maryland USA
>
> home page: www.nyx.net/~dgrunber
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Perhaps the *most* legitimate reason to know Morse code is that it is required to get access to the HF bands. And despite the bitching and moaning of people like BungHole [sic], most hams do just that. Of approximately 716,000 hams in the U.S. only 179,000 are no-code Techs. Three quarters of all hams had no trouble or problem with learning the code.

As I noted in a response in another thread, when I tested for my Extra recently there were about 5 youngsters aged about 10 taking the 5 WPM code test. I heard no sour grapes moaning either, just the excitement and interest of the curious learning something new. Ham radio is alive and quite healthy from everything I've seen.

If we were all like BungHole [sic], we'd still be living in caves and have sooty faces from communicating with smoke signals. And were that the case he would no doubt be a charter member of No-Smoke International.

73,

Marv
AB0IO

3121. HTX-200 Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Elysium <elysium@stny.lrun.com>
Message-ID: <VMiY2.9300$YU1.16447@newsr2.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 143715

Hello all, I'm in need of some help, I'm new to the scene of radios, and I just purchased a Radio Shack HTX-200 for use in my Civil Air Patrol Unit. I want to get it working with my local repeater which has an offset of -4.25 MHz. The only offsets available on the radio goes from 0-2 in .1 increments and then jumps to 8 MHz, does anyone know how I can get the 4.25 MHz offset in there so I can use it? Thanks a ton!

Dan
elysium@stny.com

3122. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3731BE8A.11A@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Wed, 05 May 1999 19:56:18 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
>
> >
> >> I wioll not bother with the rest of the drivel of a bigot that thinks
> >> the spanish speakers should bann from the ARS in america
> >
> >Again you've managed to say something which I never stated. Reading and
> >writing are going to be far bigger challenges to you than morse testing
> >since you'll likely need those skills daily.
>
> No you did say it when I asked wether spanish americans should
> be barred for the air you answered YES

You have never asked if "spanish americans" should be barred "for the
air" or anything similar. "F" in reading comprehension. Go back and
read your query and my response five hundred times.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3123. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506123516.27702.00000108@ng137.aol.com>
Source record: 143717

<<
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd)
Date: Thu, May 6, 1999 1:43 AM
Message-id: <10560-3730F3C1-95@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>

40grit=KC1ZQ.....zipper queen..you may as well use your name David.

K4RUB
<<Wowie...I didn't know that the Vermont wacko, David Tolassi, is 40grit.
However I can think of something he is which rhymes with "grit." Thanks Rube
for telling me the ID of the pervert. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

>>

3124. Help with Motorola P110 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason <jason@nospam.gulftel.com>
Message-ID: <926009733.400.12@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143718
Cross-posted to:
alt.firefighters,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Greetings. I just acquired a used Motorola P 110 ht. The radio did not come with an instruction manual. I have one nagging problem with it. There is a small round button above the PTT button that doesn't seem to do much of anything once pressed. On my other radios, this is a monitor button. On this radio, when I press this button, a yellow light comes on for 4 seconds in front of the volume control. Can anyone offer any insight as to what this is for? I wrote Motorola about it but got the cold shoulder I guess because I bought it used. I dunno. Any help is appreciated

Jason Bishop KE4KZY
Bon Secour Volunteer Fire
Department

Bon Secour, Alabama
http://www.gulftel.com/bsfire

3125. Ideal HT (wishlist)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: sehrlich@shore.net
Message-ID: <cTjY2.814$9L5.304983@news.shore.net>
Source record: 143719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

At work I've seen the Yaesu VX-5R and it is REALLY nice.

Of the many features people say they would love to see in a radio (especially handheld), the one I NEVER see mentioned, which I would REALLY love, is a frequency counter. Having one would negate the need to either guess or know the frequency of a service transmitting nearby. And, the HT could then possibly store captured frequencies into memory automatically.

I know Optoelectronics has a handheld frequency counter with built-in speaker, but at $800, with limited features compared to an HT, I'm ready to pick it up.

Any manufacturers willing to do this? To me, it seems to be one of the few features missing from the 5R. Maybe the next HT from Yaesu can do it?

--

Scott Ehrlich sehrlich@shore.net
Scott Ehrlich Consulting http://www.shore.net/~sehrlich

3126. Isotron Antennas? Looking for input on performance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: bushml <bushml@phnx.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <mgkY2.286$2q.64001@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 143720

If you are or have used an Isotron, please give me some input on performance. Just moving into a condo and am looking at options for antenna.

THX es 73,
KD7KR
Mike

3127. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kypg3@ibm.net
Message-ID: <7gsnl7$c8i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

In article <rahFBBGuL.9wJ@netcom.com>,
rah@netcom.com (Richard Hyde) wrote:
> H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
> : I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
> : I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)
>
> KC6QBO since '91
> PP-SEL since '74
> OW diver since '97
>
> Cheers,
>
> Rick
>
> --
> Include "wombat" in Subject: line of mail sent to me [to override
spamgard(tm)]
> ---
> | Richard Hyde | RaH@netcom.com | This space intentionally left blank |

> ---
>

pilot wannabe since birth '54(looking into it)
wb4ptc since '70
diver since '78
dave scott

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3128. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990506105039.28729A-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 143722

On Thu, 6 May 1999, robinson wrote:

> Some VECs use straight timing. ARRL does not, but that is just the ARRL
> VEC's decision and is not a rule or regulation. I seem to recall that the
> Gordon West code tapes used straight timing while the ARRL tapes used
> Farnsworth.

Nope... the Gordon West tapes use the Farnsworth method also (17 or 18 WPM character rate, with long delays between letters and words to bring the overall word speed down).

Julian

3129. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gslji$2pl$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Well Mike..... What should I have said?
He said he enjoyed SWL more than ham radio. Should I beg him to give up what
he says he likes and convert to ham radio? I dont think we need to beg
people to become hams..... or do we?

William Lee N5WRX

Mike Yetsko wrote in message <7gpgt1$e09$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>REALLY thoughtful and insightful post Mr. Lee.
>
>EXACTLY the attitude that keeps this debate going.
>
>
>William Lee wrote in message <7gn8jq$h4n$1@nntp3.atl.mindspring.net>...
>>
>>Man.... why dont you stay a SWL and forget Ham radio?
>
>
>
>

3130. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqm8h$ij3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143799

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Hey DONKEY DUNG DOC, could it be that the ghost of Doris and Mike are going to
get even ? Better think about how you lied and cheated those dead people. Next
time you say a prayer for somebody's demise, you might be cutting your own
throat ??
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>
>> In article <7gpst1$qf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> This is a good place for you, AF2Y in the Deja News loony bin. At least you
> are not on the ham bands interfering with decent people. Mr Hollingsworth has
> you in his list to deal with like he has the windbag WB2OTK!!!!!!!
>
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3131. Re: Amateur Radio Jammers Become USENET Spammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505200403.11112.00002996@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 143800

> Most of the "top
>troublemakers" of 20 and 75 meters have surfaced here, many within the last
>several days.
>

Yeah, including you.

3132. AF2Y aka Dr Hate aka DONKEY DUNG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: 40grit@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gqtigorg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143801

The world wonders if DONKEY DUNG AF2Y will also lose his vanity call and go back to WB2IWH ??? Maybe the FCC will help everybody and just take his ticket. When one thinks back at all the outlaws that were supported by DR Hate, it's a wonder he is still allowed to remain on the air. YES DONKEY DUNG, YOU HAVE BEEN A BAD BOY. Now it is time to take your medicine. Bend over and spread um Doc, you have it coming !!!

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3133. Re: AF2Y aka Dr Hate aka DONKEY DUNG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gqu8lpch1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143802

In article <7gqtigorg1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
40grit@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> The world wonders if DONKEY DUNG AF2Y will also lose his vanity call and go
> back to WB2IWH ??? Maybe the FCC will help everybody and just take his
> ticket. When one thinks back at all the outlaws that were supported by DR
> Hate, it's a wonder he is still allowed to remain on the air. YES DONKEY
> DUNG, YOU HAVE BEEN A BAD BOY. Now it is time to take your medicine. Bend
> over and spread um Doc, you have it coming !!!
>

Doc is DONKY DUNG! Wonder how someone could spend all that time and money
going to dental school to be a dentist for only 5 or 6 years! Wonders never
cease!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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3134. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gquckplc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143803

In article <11045-3730A88D-21@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> Doc, who are these masked men? Seems none have the guts to identify
> themselves. I did notice KC1ZQ calling himself Grit? hahaha, Must have
> thought no one would recognize him:~)<K4RUB>
>
>
What's this: We got old fat Ruby Boy on here now, Doc must be getting
desparate!
--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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3135. Radio-Rambo is here to stay!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7gqukeppg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143804

You asked for it Doc Hate!
I'm here and you can't silence me!
Look for more of my commnets to keep you stable!

Hail KV4FZ!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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3136. Re: Amateur Radio Jammers Become USENET Spammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505213300.24968.00002717@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143805

<< effectiveness of Riley Hollingsworth's
recent campaign to clean up the Amateur Radio Service, one has to look no further than the recent activity on this Internet newsgroup. Most of the "top troublemakers" of 20 and 75 meters have surfaced here, many within the last several days. I need not mention any names or callsigns; it's plainly obvious as to whom I'm making reference to.

Look around. The prime violators, many of whom have been specific targets of recent FCC investigation and/or enforcement efforts, are now carrying on their personal vendettas via the Internet. Coincidence? Hardly. Expect more of these familiar "problem children" of the airwaves to surface here in the coming weeks as Mr. Hollingsworth's noose tightens around their collective necks and puts a long-overdue end to their illegal activities on amateur radio.

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

<<Sir, if you are referring to me in your ugly diatribe, I DEMAND an aplogy or else. If you don't, I shall use you for a doormat on this forum. Thanking you for your attention, I remain,
Sincerely yours,
Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com>>

>>

3137. Re: The 3.950 disorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505213538.24968.00002718@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143806

<< is AF2Y aka THE DONKEY DUNG of Am >>
Sir, I am grossly offended by your scatalogical terminology and intend to do something about it. An apology's in order OR ELSE!

AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3138. wait and see what happens!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505213901.24968.00002720@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143807

QUESTION...what are all you Herbie-sucking, 3.950 amoebae and bottom feeders gonna do when KV4FZ is taken off the air while Rich Whiten does get W2OTK and stays active for another 40 years?
Mass suicide?

AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3139. A MUSICAL TRIBUTE TO KEVIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505215034.24968.00002726@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143808

A one and a two and a.....................................

"Down by the old mill STROM,
He's nothing but a pint sized DONG"

Composed by 3.950's enemy Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com

3140. "Donkeyboy"..where are you

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505215931.24968.00002731@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143809

Well chalk up another one for AF2Y. The guy's talented. Drove that lout "DonkeyBoy666" off the forum. Decimated the ignorant bastard. I mean did you read the pasting Doc's been giving that moron for the past few days? God, how could anyone survive such a written assault. Thanks Doc for cleaning out some garbage on this forum. You are indeed a credit to ham radio since you stand for truth,justic and the American way.

AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3141. Re: The 3.950 disorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Act Right On 3950 <frequencycaptain@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gr1fk$s44$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143810

Quite ironic that such a group would be complaining about a 3950 disorder. Hell we've known that they've had something wrong with them for years. Well that's half the battle, identifying that they are sick, now if we could get them some help. -- http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions/index.html http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

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3142. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <37310574.3506642@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

konstans@one-eleven.net (Mark Morgan) wrote:

:On Sun, 02 May 1999 06:59:37 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
:wrote:
:
:>I'm happy to see that you've cleaned up the mistake-filled,
:>incomprehensible signature line, Mark. This new mistake-filled version
:>is much easier to understand.
:
: gee you could nto understand the old one saying basicly stay
:on the net and out of My email box? Gee I wish you ProCoders would
:answer the question of just how it is you manage to understand thruogh
:staitc stuff with occaional mistakes, in real time, but can't mange at
:leasure on the net

I still don't mange to understand thruogh staitc stuff with occaional
mistakes.

Barry
==========
Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
Web page: http://www.acay.com.au/~barryo

3143. ### FREE - HAMBAND TRADER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <3741fa2d.812134@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143812
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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It's Free ###

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A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
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activity requires. Read the Advert Information" page and the
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Hamfest Venders (semi-commercial)

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Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

3144. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3730fb4e.222988886@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 5 May 1999 10:00:13 -0500, "Pepsi" <pepsi@cola.org> wrote:

>: When I look at what Ham Radio has done in the past, and what Ham
>: radio could do in the future, I find that Ham Radio has so much =
>potential.
>: I, for one, am the last person who wants to see it die.
>
>But HAM is doing nothing now except a bunch of old farts talking about =
>"the good ole days"

No it is not. it certainly has a lot of those tyopes runing
around
>and inviting each other to visit their web pages.
>There is nothing being done worth doing on HAM anymore and a bunch of =
>people who are happy
>with the death of HAM as long as no one works THEIR frequencies.

There are such people sure, but not everybody
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3145. Re: The 3.950 NitWitNet disorder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505230411.11114.00003311@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 143814

They're like cock roaches- shine a light on them and they'll scram.

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

3146. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio ! (baaa ha ha ha!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: jtyburczy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990505223758.11276.00002669@ng64.aol.com>
Source record: 143815

<<A sure bet. Although I am an SWL, and have NO desire to go for a ham licence as long as stooo-pid code is required for HF, I have been to several ham radio swap meets and I've never seen more fat-assed, chain-smokin porkies waddling about like bloated ducks in any one place bar none!>>

Nice try, troll.

3147. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3730fab9.222840044@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 05 May 1999 19:56:18 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>
>> I wioll not bother with the rest of the drivel of a bigot that thinks
>> the spanish speakers should bann from the ARS in america
>
>Again you've managed to say something which I never stated. Reading and
>writing are going to be far bigger challenges to you than morse testing
>since you'll likely need those skills daily.

No you did say it when I asked wether spanish americans should
be barred for the air you answered YES

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3148. Re: kenwood r1000 worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bruce Brackin <bbrackin@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <37310732.8019448B@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

The $200 is what The Boneyard Radio Price Guide gives and it is usually a little behind the times. Certainly not unreasonable if in good shape. The R-1000 is a resonably good little radio, not great but good.

3149. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3730fc59.223256286@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 5 May 1999 09:42:16 -0400, "Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:

>And I know, CW skills teach proper traffic handling techiques. That I
>will agree with. CW operators DO know how to 'share' a spot in the
>spectrum, and CW traffic handlers SHOULD have the techniques
>and operator awareness to operate in a congested traffic situation.
>But that's BULLSHIT to apply it to traffic handlers today. Not when
>packet is much more efficient in an emergency. Or voice when
>used properly. The days of a CW operator holed up being a link to
>the outside world disappeared a long time ago. (Unless the Russian
>and Chinese missles all fire on Jan 1, 2000.)

In that unlike event I'll use my radio any way I can remmeber
the emrgency provisions of part 97

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3150. Re: "Donkey Dung"..why are you...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gr55e$v42$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143819

Let me understand this: radiosigs@aol.com AKA "Doktor" Hate AF2Y is writing
About that "guru's talented AF2Y individual the decimator of morons, Wait one
Moment this Character "Doktor" Hate is writing about himself, praising
himself.

I am beginning to see a pattern Emerging; this character is beginning to show
Some of The same symptoms of that genetic split personality disorder that we
All Witnessed in the Antenna news group from that Chip character.

I wonder is this delusional problem genetic? Dork get a holds of yourself are
you suffering from split personality problems Like your "lundsman" Chip? Did
you have yourself tested for "memory" lapses if not please do so as soon as
Possible, we do not want to louse such a wonderful and talented medical
Individual like Herr Doktor "Hate" that wonderful Americanishe Patriot. Or
better still just start to like that other white meat, you know the good
stuff. Make a circle, Make a box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

Cheers
The "Real" Nate

In article <19990505215931.24968.00002731@ng-fq1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Well chalk up another one for AF2Y. The guy's talented. Drove that lout
> "DonkeyBoy666" off the forum. Decimated the ignorant bastard. I mean did you
> read the pasting Doc's been giving that moron for the past few days? God, how
> could anyone survive such a written assault. Thanks Doc for cleaning out some
> garbage on this forum. You are indeed a credit to ham radio since you stand
for
> truth,justic and the American way.
>
> AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
>

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3151. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3730f62a.221673139@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 5 May 1999 16:11:06 -0400, "Karina Wright"
<karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:

>Mark Morgan has written:
>
>>I did the same in the 70's and never manged you simply are
>>either lieing or don't know what you are talking about
>
>Judging from this and other hints, I gather that you must be at least 30
>years old.
>
>> Do you know why I read this dreck Dave. let me tell you. the
>>fact you ProCoders can only respond by attacking my duslexia and not
>
>Granted, dyslexia was probably not recognized as you were growing up.
>However, since then great strides have been made in treatment and training.
>My niece (who is 10) has an extremely bad case of dyslexia, yet she handles
>it better than you do.

So what I am glad she has Better time of it
>
>Since you are aware of your problem and do not choose to use a spell-checker
>or any effort to make your messages clear, you are showing a) disrespect for
>yourself, b) disrespect for your correspondents; and c) giving the distinct
>impression that you are hiding behind the dyslexia as a shield.

I Have tried to use spell chackers the resulting time comsumed means
that I can't keep up with the NG. So I have the choice, which is
exactly the intent of people like Steve or you operhaps in the first
place to run me off the NG. This I will not premit
>
>
>
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3152. Re: A MUSICAL TRIBUTE TO KEVIN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gr5n1$vk7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143821

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting, not a good sign. Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990505215034.24968.00002726@ng-fq1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> A one and a two and a.....
>
> "Down by the old mill STROM,
> He's nothing but a pint sized DONG"
>
> Composed by 3.950's enemy Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com
>

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3153. Re: wait and see what happens! Doktor Hate Speaks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gr5ra$vl1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143822

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting, not a good sign. Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990505213901.24968.00002720@ng-fq1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> QUESTION...what are all you Herbie-sucking, 3.950 amoebae and bottom feeders
> gonna do when KV4FZ is taken off the air while Rich Whiten does get W2OTK and
> stays active for another 40 years?
> Mass suicide?
>
> AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3154. Re: Amateur Radio Jammers Become USENET Spammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gr5vg$vo8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143823

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting, not a good sign. Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990505213300.24968.00002717@ng-fq1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<Sir, if you are referring to me in your ugly diatribe, I DEMAND an aplogy or
> else. If you don't, I shall use you for a doormat on this forum. Thanking you
> for your attention, I remain,
> Sincerely yours,
> Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com>>
>

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3155. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3733179f.361331040@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On Thu, 06 May 1999 14:30:04 GMT, Daniel Grunberg
<dangrunberg@netzero.net> wrote:

>
>Here's something else to be considered. Repeater stations, both amateur and
>commercial, identify themselves in Morse Code. How can you know you're using
>the right repeater, if you can't identify it because you can't read the
>repeater's slow Morse ID?

Your repaters use CWid most of them that Iuse, use voice ID, how can
you tell simple the same way pilots tend to use navaid by their
frequency
>
>For that matter, on HF, how can you tell which CW station is interfering with
>you, if you can't read its call?

Why do I need to be able to do that, anymore than I need to be able to
pull the id of an interferringin digtal staion out by ear. If it is
in you rway just qsy
>
>Is it possible that there are other legitimate NEEDS for Morse Code yet to be
>found?

It is possible, but then ProCoders don't even seem to be looking
>
>--
>
>Daniel A. Grunberg Kensington, Maryland USA
>
>home page: www.nyx.net/~dgrunber
>
>-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

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3156. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gva9eljb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143525

Everyone is white trash to WB2OTK, who is the bad check artist, rents his house, has shop lifting charges against his family at K Mart, makes his wife support him, Just who is white trash? Looks like Rich fits the description.

article <7guubd$a5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <7gupce$595$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the social
> > misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his
> > boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes
> > together.!!!!
> >
> > -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> > Yup, now we have all the Atlanta white trash,in the news groups dumpimg
> posts, because they are afraid of the T*R*U*T*H.
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

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3157. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7gv7pv$k7e$1@nntp8.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143526

Tim, What do you do when you see the same thing on TV?
I usually switch channels until I find something more suited to my liking.

So why did you listen to it for 5 minutes when you could have tuned around
and found a better conversation somewhere else on the dial.

I agree with you that there is no place for that on the Amateur bands, but
the fact is that it does happen.
It is also a fact that ..... I am NOT required to listen to it.
And another fact that ... I am NOT required to respond to it on the air.

William Lee N5WRX

DLR18SH wrote in message <19990507092030.10232.00000355@ng-cn1.aol.com>...
>My father is 75 years old and since my mother passed a way he is looking
for
>new hobbies.
>He knows I am a ham and asked to see my station when he came over to play
with
>his grandchildren. We heard Racist and Foul Language for about 5 minutes on
>3.950 (approx). My father was disgusted and shut the radio off and said : "
why
>would I spend my time and $ on a hobby that would allow such Filth, Racist
>etc". I felt ashamed.
> 73's TIm

3158. Re: RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507133343.27487.00000596@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143527

<< WHO THIS LOOSER IS! JUST ANOTHER FREE 30 DAY
ACCOUNT WITH AOL! SAME LOOSER DIFFERENT ACCOUNT! PV-pilot

------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

It's spelled LOSER , not LOOSER.

radiosigs@aol.com

>>

3159. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507133626.27487.00000597@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143528

Hey realdeal, when are you going to be a man and stop hiding behind the skirt of anonymity? Are you proud of yourself, jellyfish?

AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3160. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <37332561.364853814@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 06 May 1999 16:08:42 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> On Wed, 05 May 1999 19:56:18 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >
>> >> I wioll not bother with the rest of the drivel of a bigot that thinks
>> >> the spanish speakers should bann from the ARS in america
>> >
>> >Again you've managed to say something which I never stated. Reading and
>> >writing are going to be far bigger challenges to you than morse testing
>> >since you'll likely need those skills daily.
>>
>> No you did say it when I asked wether spanish americans should
>> be barred for the air you answered YES
>
>You have never asked if "spanish americans" should be barred "for the
>air" or anything similar. "F" in reading comprehension. Go back and
>read your query and my response five hundred times.

Yesd I did ask you I gues could read that and answered yes. BTW that
was in another thread not this one Dave. I do read and remember what
you write
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

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3161. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37332845.63F73CA9@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
> Hi Cec, Shot any rattlers lately. What's your score to date ?

I felt bad when I roto-tilled a ground rattler the other day in my garden. He wasn't bothering me at all and I accidently chewed him/her up into little pieces.

I'm not a hunter. I only use my guns for self defense. If a rattler was determined to bite me, I would blow it away. Otherwise, I relocate them to an uninhabited place. I have a Hindu-like reverence for life. I take spiders out of the house instead of killing them.

There are 20 or so mud-wasps that spend the night behind the down-drain pipe on my front porch. I don't know why since there's no nest anywhere around. But as long as they don't sting me, they are welcome to roost there. Mud-wasps are polite and mild-mannered compared to hornets and yellow-jackets.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3162. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373326be.365202952@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 06 May 1999 21:20:26 -0500, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>Pepsi wrote:
>>
>> : Just seems to me that we're better off for having this skill in
>> : the community.
>>
>> That's the point.
>> It's HAM is no longer a skill, its now just a nostalgic hobby, just
>> like playing video games is.
>> There is nothing useful about HAM now nor life saving nor nothing worth
>> getting "community" attention for.
>
>Actually Ham radio has always assisted in giving communications to
>national disaster areas such as Earthquake, Flood, or Tornado disasters.
>However, Morse Code is never used in these instances, mostly voice on
>the 2 meter band.

To correct you slightly it is never used expcet by the choice of the
hams involved and some traffic is moved into and out of an affected
off 2M and some of that is done in Done but it does not have to be

Mark Morgan
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3163. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373328eb.365759976@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 07 May 1999 04:56:50 -0500, Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net> wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
>>
>> That is sad that you and so many others need a test to give
>> you goals ieithe rin life or is it just in the the ARS.
>
>No, it's not just the ARS. It's many things other than ARS. Tests are
>handy to gauge know how in a subject.

But useless in giving you gaols which was the point fo the orignal
poster and something that you removed. handy sure, tbut the ARRl can
give tests and proof of passing to those that wish it. Indeed It is my
understanding that The ARRl does that Now with speeds other than the
license tested one (is just for higher speeds than 20 or do they do
for nontested speeds like say 10wpm? I not sure of the details)
>>
>> Why can't you still have learning code as a gaol without the
>> prod of being tested for it?
>
>For the same reason we can't have learning theory as a goal without the
>prod of being tested for it.

there we differ I say you can learn without the prod both
theory and Code can be so learned, in addition The ARRL could test for
and give theory porroves for passing more than is needed to know in
operate and meet the reasonable requirements of the FCC
>>
>> >
>> >b) I don't see how Ham Radio will benefit having an influx of people with
>> >your attitude and manners (not, mind you, that there aren't a number of the
>> >Code people who can use a refresher course in manners).
>>
>> The ARS will benift for any influx of people at all, but it is
>> not one of the gaols of ending code testing to gain numbers of hams
>> over all. Iand others feels that it will help some, but it is a minor
>> possible benifit of ending the requirement
>
>I'm just curious, what is the goal of ending code testing? Since you say
>it is not to attact more new amateurs, what is the reason? Being as a

I listed a number of goals and the goals differe a bit which the
NoCoder. I'll answer what my goal is plain and simple, Improve the
ARS, take us back to our radios to work the bands not to study cold

text. Indeed Code testing end is but part of what I would like to see

>ham that passes the same written but does not learn the code will be
>less trained than one who would have taken the code test, is it to
>reduce the level of overall level of knowledge in the ARS? If the

I do not consdier Morse Code as tested in the ARS to be knowledge
therefore there would be no change in the knowledge level as a result
of the ending of code testing or if it happened the rates increased.

>written tests remain the same , and they drop the code that is the only
>observation I could make. Future no-code hams will be less capable in
>the overall big picture than code tested. Myself, I'm against any
>reduction in skill needed. period. It should only get harder if

You slip form Knowledge to skill they are not synonyms in my book. I
take no postition on wether the should be required to more or less
skilled than the past or the future the tests should show that they
are skilled enough to fulfill the misision of the ARS, whatever level
that is is fien with me. IF it were shown that this were less than say
1950 fine by me, if it is harder fine by me.

>anything. Why? So we can be better trained overall compared to no code
>countries, thats why. I like being a leg up. And anyway being as they
>have to change treaty to drop code , all your wishing and wanting is a

Maybe maybe not extending the logci of the ARRL's 24oct proposal or
taking other action by the FCC the FCC can end code testing today if
it chooses

>waste of energy. You had best get used to the idea of at least 5 wpm
>code for HF for any forseeable time in the future. Any excess energy you
>would burn in no-code endeaver would be better spent hounding the ITU.

If you have a helpful about hounding the ITU please make it and I'll
thank you for the effort Forseeable gee 202 is within what I call the
forseeabel future indeed after the 24 Oct surpirse of the ARRL I hjave
some hope they will go to a NoCode General, that Is I resapet some
hope that they will do so. I will not be shocked if they do not.

OTH even the 5wpm seemd impossible to many of the ProCoders only
18months ago too
>MK
>--
>http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3164. FS:GE MOTOROLA @ DAYTON HAMVENTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: WA2AUL <wa2aul@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <mZFY2.10217$YU1.17413@newsr2.twcny.rr.com>
Source record: 143533

Hi everybody I'm going to have some of the following equipment at the Dayton Hamvention
Motorola MSF5000 UHF repeater,Motorola Centracom II consoles Ge MasterII Base Repeaters
Motorola Maratrac 110 watt 42-50 MHZ 2ways.GE mastr II UHF-Vhf-Lowband,Syntor X GE Deltas ,GE S-990 New control heads GE S-550 New Much More Site 3406-3407 Hope to see you there!!

3165. Re: License renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37332E6B.D4791B8C@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143534

Jim Heath wrote:

> What's the process now for renewing? My license expires in a few
> weeks.
>
> 73, Jim KB6SX

Jim,

You can renew electronically if you do it before your license expires.
Check out this page:

http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/amateur/amrenw.html

73,

Marv
AB0IO

3166. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <37332c4a.366623155@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 6 May 1999 23:04:04 -0400, "Karina Wright"
<karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:

>
>CW wrote in message
><01be9823$51141320$9a2079a5@spry941360spry08.sprynet.com>...
>>
>>-- Then what you are saying is that your ability to learn code is based on
>>having to take a test. Eliminate the test and you will no longer be able to
>>learn it? Public school has obviously taken a toll on your mind if you
>>think the whole point of learning is to take a test.
>
>
>No, I don't think I said that at all. I said that my mind does not have the
>trick of learning morse code. Never could get it as a kid...although I've
>been having a little more luck lately what with the advent of really patient
>computer software. The test was the impetus for attempting to learn it
>because at that point in my life, there were no options...you had to know
>code to be a ham and I desperately wanted to be a ham.

Indeed I faced that and spent five years trying and failing I now hold
a license but Nothing about code was worth the 20 years I lost out on
Ham radio, But IF you are saying that can't learn Code without having
to do so then I call it prettty sad. I have learned many things
without needing to do so for a test. I have failed to learn thing even
with a test, things other than Morse Code.
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Mark Morgan
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3167. ARRL Foundation Awards 36 scholarships

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0hb@arrl.ORG
Message-ID: <37332C4F.1AE9@arrl.org>
Source record: 143536

The ARRL Foundation Scholarship Committee has announced recipients for
1999 academic scholarship awards.

Congratulations to these scholarship winners!

The ARRL Scholarship to Honor Barry Goldwater--
(2 awards) $5000:
Meghan G. Radtke, KC7MOC
Nicholas P. Radtke, KC7MOD
Phoenix, AZ

The Mary Lou Brown Scholarship--$2500:
John R. Loflin, KC7CGK
McMinnville, OR

The Earl I. Anderson Scholarship--$1250 each:
Jonathan L. Jackson, N9YMD, Naperville, IL
Scott E. Brock, KB9SZW, Rushville, IN
Gregory R. Doppke, N8TYP, Casco, MI

The Paul and Helen L. Grauer Scholarship--$1000:
Brian D. Ziegler, KC0EWD
Manchester, MO

The You've Got A Friend In Pennsylvania
Scholarship--$1000:
April D. Rodgers, N3PPU
Butler, PA

The L. Phil and Alice J. Wicker Scholarship--$1000:
Brian L. Hill, KF4CAM
Columbia, SC

The Charles N. Fisher Memorial Scholarship--$1000:
Derrill Dabkoski, AC6UY
San Francisco, CA

The K2TEO Martin J. Green Sr. Memorial
Scholarship--$1000:
Benjamin T. Siracusa, N2UIT
Williamsville, NY

The General Fund Scholarships--$1000 each:
James D. Arbaugh, KE4NRC, Stuarts Draft, VA
Richard S. Garrett, AA0CR, Florissant, MO
DeLynn A. Bettencourt, KE6FWU, Crows Landing, CA

The Irving W. Cook , WA0CGS Scholarship--$1000:
John C. Blessing, N0YRL
Hutchinson, KS

The PHD ARA Scholarship--$1000:
Christopher M. Gray, KB0JSN
Donnellson, IA

The F. Charles Ruling, N6FR Memorial
Scholarship--$1000:
Kyle E. Britain, KB5VBE
Grand Prairie, TX

The Charles Clarke Cordle Memorial
Scholarship--$1000:
Michelle H. Swann, KE4EZI
Warner Robins, GA

The Tom and Judith Comstock Scholarship--$1000:
Jennifer D. Shane, N5WFP
Houston, TX

The Henry Primm Broughton, K2EA Memorial
Scholarship--$1000:
David C. Sansone, KB2WEV
Webster, NY

The New England FEMARA Scholarships--$600 each:
Harry E. White, N1QVE, Colebrook, CT
Swaminathan Kumaresan,KD1QV, Wakefield, RI
Jennifer M. Watt, N1TGF, Stratford, CT
Amanda J. Stachelek, N1KYO, Dudley, MA
Kathryn R. Vogel, KB1BVY, Lexington, MA
Lisa M. Nelson, N1JOF, Wilbraham, MA
Robert K. Hammond, N1YZO, Manchester, NH
Samantha A. Fisher, KA1VBQ, South Dennis, MA

The Edmond A. Metzger Scholarship--$500:
Jaroslaw Stopczyk, KB9IIZ
Wheeling, IL

The Dr. James L. Lawson Memorial Scholarship--$500:
Elisha J. Kobre, KB2RWO
Flushing, NY

The Mississippi Scholarship--$500:
Joseph E. Lee, Jr., KD5DKY
Pascagoula, MS

The Fred R. McDaniel Memorial Scholarship--$500:
Daniel A. Quist, KC5KGB
Socorro, NM

The Six Meter Club of Chicago Scholarship--$500:
Beth M. Denk, N9QDY

Romeoville, IL

The Chicago FM Club Scholarship--$500:
Kathryn A. Warner, KB9GSG
La Porte, IN

The Albuquerque ARC Scholarship--$500:
Kathryn A. Galway, KC5KCK
Albuquerque, NM

The IDEA Scholarship--$500:
John P. Morahn, N9YES
Carbon, IN

To apply for Year 2000 scholarships, download our application on the ARRL Web page, http://www.arrl.org/arrlf, or write The ARRL Foundation Inc, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111. Deadline for applications and transcripts is February 1.

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Observation the morning after the contest:

"A logging computer lets you make more mistakes faster than any invention in human history -- with the possible exception of a quart of tequila and a borrowed Vibroplex key." --K0HB

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3168. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926102791.700.8@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Darwin had much to say about similarly ill equipped species. It was
either an act of exceedingly poor judgement, or he was stone deaf and
didn't notice or recognize the imminent onslaught. In either case, rest
easy knowing you did evolution a favor.

Michael.

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote in message
news:37332845.63F73CA9@IEEE.org...
> Reg Edwards wrote:
> > Hi Cec, Shot any rattlers lately. What's your score to date ?
>
> I felt bad when I roto-tilled a ground rattler the other day in my
> garden. He wasn't bothering me at all and I accidently chewed him/her
> up into little pieces.

3169. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7gvg5trfg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143538

William G. Graves <bgraves@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> I was NOT allowed to carry my ICOM HT in a backback.

---clip---

> Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal limitations
> are?

There are *laws* and there are *rules*. This sounds like a "rule" of
this particular carrier. While I understand you feel inconvenienced,
this carrier gets a hearty "thank you" from me for taking precautions
to ensure their flights are safe. In your case the de-batteried HT is
benign and harmless, but the same item in the hands of a bad guy might
not be.

Just my $.02 worth.

Hans, K0HB

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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
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------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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3170. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37333620.65027AA8@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael Young wrote:
> Darwin had much to say about similarly ill equipped species. It was
> either an act of exceedingly poor judgement, or he was stone deaf and
> didn't notice or recognize the imminent onslaught. In either case, rest
> easy knowing you did evolution a favor.

But evolution cannot possibly keep up with man's technology. Pity the
poor deer who have never before looked up and seen anything dangerous
coming at them at 80mph.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3171. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926103111.032.5@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

There's no point in debating without facts. Relevant recent bulletins
are attached at the end of this message.

Michael.

Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
news:373326be.365202952@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> >Actually Ham radio has always assisted in giving communications to
> >national disaster areas such as Earthquake, Flood, or Tornado
disasters.
> >However, Morse Code is never used in these instances, mostly voice on
> >the 2 meter band.
>
> To correct you slightly it is never used expcet by the choice of the
> hams involved and some traffic is moved into and out of an affected
> off 2M and some of that is done in Done but it does not have to be

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SB QST @ ARL $ARLB030
ARLB030 Operators still needed in Oklahoma tornado recovery

ZCZC AG30
QST de W1AW
ARRL Bulletin 30 ARLB030
>From ARRL Headquarters
Newington CT May 6, 1999
To all radio amateurs

SB QST ARL ARLB030
ARLB030 Operators still needed in Oklahoma tornado recovery

The Salvation Army and the American Red Cross have put out calls for
additional Amateur Radio assistance in the wake of Monday's
devastating tornadoes in Oklahoma. Oklahoma Section Emergency
Coordinator Bennett Basore, W5ZTN, has been running emergency nets
and radio amateurs have been handling ''tons of health and welfare
traffic.''

Oklahoma Section Manager Charlie Calhoun, K5TTT, reports the
Salvation Army has requested amateur operators starting May 7 and
probably for the rest of the week. ''They need hams to act as
shadows and transport units in addition to manning the canteens,''
Calhoun said. ''They are expecting to send out 40 canteens into the
field tomorrow.''

Calhoun said much of the activity is going through the Edmond, Oklahoma, 147.135 MHz repeater, which can be difficult to access with hand-held transceivers. He said mobile transceivers and external antennas and power sources would be a better choice.

He said volunteers should plan to stay at least four hours in the field. No vehicles are allowed in the field, and officials are shuttling hams in and out. Calhoun said it appeared that Amateur Radio communication would be required at least through Saturday. Volunteers should check in with the net control on the 147.135 repeater upon arriving in Oklahoma City.

Hams from the Tulsa area are planning to leave today for the Oklahoma City area to assist.

Ken Runyon, KC5PNO, reports that The Red Cross is requesting at least 50 amateur operators to be available all day Friday, May 7, to begin damage assessment. ''Hams will start working with damage assessment teams at 7:30 AM and will be moving from home to home through the disaster area,'' he said. Operators will need good footwear, a two-meter radio, and batteries to last at least 10 hours. Volunteers should contact the Red Cross, 405 232-7121.

OK Public Information Coordinator Thomas Webb, WA9AFM, reports he's monitored health-and-welfare traffic on both 2 meters and 75 meters coordinating Salvation Army canteen support.

''Based on the excellent warning, most of the victims appear to have left the disaster area prior to the strike and were in contact with friends or family or were in shelters with adequate communications,'' he said.

For more tornado information and photos, visit http://www.hamsnet.net/kc5trr/oklahomadisaster.htm

In the Wichita, Kansas, area, Kansas Section Manager Orlan Cook, W0OYH, reports emergency net operations continue on HF. WB0OFS is a net control for the Central States Traffic Net. The town of Haysville was hardest hit during the Monday storms, which left five people dead in Kansas.

With January's unusual tornadoes still fresh in their minds, Amateur Radio operators in Tennessee were ready to respond promptly when severe weather hit the Volunteer State May 5. Some counties activated emergency nets just in case. Hams in Montgomery County were asked to have mobile units ready to go to specific areas to check on flooding. In addition, the Red Cross asked hams there to stand by to assist. One operator was deployed to the local emergency operations center and another to the Red Cross.
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SB QST @ ARL $ARLB029

ARLB029 COMMUNICATIONS EMERGENCY DECLARED

ZCZC AG29
QST de W1AW
ARRL Bulletin 29 ARLB029
>From ARRL Headquarters
Newington CT May 4, 1999
To all radio amateurs

SB QST ARL ARLB029
ARLB029 COMMUNICATIONS EMERGENCY DECLARED

UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF SECTION 97.401 OF THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION'S RULES AND REGULATIONS, (47 C.F.R. PART 97) A COMMUNICATIONS EMERGENCY IS DECLARED TO EXIST IN THE OKLAHOMA AREA DUE TO THE VIOLENT TORNADOES AND EXPECTED SEVERE WEATHER, REQUIRING THE PROTECTION OF AMATEUR EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION FREQUENCIES. AMATEURS ARE REQUIRED TO REFRAIN FROM USING 3900 KHZ FROM NOW UNTIL MAY 7 AT 2100 CENTRAL STANDARD TIME. ALSO, AMATEURS ARE REQUIRED TO REFRAIN FROM USING 7285 KHZ FOR THE SAME TIME FRAME. BOTH FREQUENCIES ARE PROTECTED PLUS OR MINUS 3 KHZ UNLESS AMATEURS ARE TAKING PART IN THE HANDLING OF EMERGENCY TRAFFIC. THIS ORDER IS EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY. ARLAN K. VAN DOORN DEPUTY CHIEF COMPLIANCE AND INFORMATION BUREAU FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC.
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/EX

3172. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gvgf9$rl6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143541

You have a lot of explaining to do also, DrHate AF2y, defrocked wannabe tooth puller. Hmmm You also send your wife off to work every day while you spread hate any way you can. Of course, you never leave the house. I don't blame you with your big mouth, you have a lot of people waiting to put the hurt on you.

Stay in the house El cheapo. Send silly noted on Deja View. You are harmless here but you can not do your thing on amateur radio. Mr Hollingsworth frowns on deliberate interference. You know he is just waiting to bust you!!!! God Bless Riley Hollingsworth

article <19990507133626.27487.00000597@ng-fs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Hey realdeal, when are you going to be a man and stop hiding behind the skirt
> of anonymity? Are you proud of yourself, jellyfish?
>
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

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3173. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com>
Message-ID: <373339B4.579F@ixpres.com>
Source record: 143542
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

>
> I have the skill to pass the practical test (and have with the training software) through
> Advanced, yet I hold only a Tech ticket because of the code. I am still trying but I
> haven't found my method for learning code yet. I memorized the tapes, and have tried a
> couple of different computer tutor programs, but so far I have not been able to master CW.
> I will get it eventually, but it is not coming easy.
>
> --
> Keith Lodahl
> Mayville, Wisconsin

Hi Keith OM,

Thanks for the thoughtful response.
In WWII, the military taught Morse code to literally thousands of people from all kinds
of backgrounds and abilities. Many of them were not doing it voluntarily, either!
I myself cannot see where using "tapes" and "computers" is an effective learning method
for learning to use the code conversationally, as we do in ham radio. First of all, it
is boring, listening to basically boring content being sent. As you said, you eventually
memorized the tapes. That should be a clue that that is not the way to learn the
code. Why not listen to something interesting instead?
To become comfortable with CW, you have to 'USE IT' for some purpose. Listening to real-live
conversations on the air is what made CW take off quickly for me. Fortunately, in those days
there was no distracting temptation to somehow 'use a computer' (a distinct advantage, from
what I can see). Second of all, it does nothing to teach you how to listen to REAL
WORLD signals off the air, while at the same time, you are internalizing what is being said.
This is what worked for me. It has been music to my ears ever since, and is definitely my
preferred mode for ragchewing on the air, compared to using voice. When you are otherwise
just wasting time (ex: while driving), sound out everything you see

written: street signs,
license plates, etc etc. Make the sounds of CW very familiar to
yourself, so that
you associate those sounds immediately with the letters and numbers and
punctuation.
This all requires zero investment in $$, and can be done anywhere,
anytime. Lastly,
listen ON THE AIR to real CW QSO's, as much as you can, to all kinds of
fists, in various
conditions of in the clear to buried in the QRN/QRM. Watch out! You
might suddenly
become hooked; that is a risk you take. If that happens, you will
suddenly see yourself
on the other side of the perennial code argument, and can't for the life
of you figure
out what all the fuss is about; it has happened to many others, HI.
Lastly, like anything else, CW is not fun for EVERYONE. Some people
just do not take to it.
But that is a very small group indeed, I think. Especially at the
moderate speeds required.
After all, 5 WPM you can practically look up real time. 13 WPM actually
requires that you
know and can respond almost immediately to the characters. This does
not seem to much
to ask, for a large number of us. I believe it is an essential part of
one's education
to become a ham and to use HF (the 'real' ham radio to me).
You can do it.

73 and GL,
Don, W6JL

3174. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb5agz@dc.cis.okstate.edu
Message-ID: <7gve7q$9rt$1@lotus.onenet.net>
Source record: 143543

Just think. If we ever get that allocation at 160 KHZ for a
true ham band, then 160 won't be the top band any more.

Martin McCormick WB5AGZ Stillwater, OK
OSU Center for Computing and Information Services Data Communications Group

3175. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com>
Message-ID: <37333EFE.5D71@ixpres.com>
Source record: 143544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Keith Lodahl
> Mayville, Wisconsin

Keith,

I forgot one other important point in my post. DON'T WRITE STUFF DOWN. Copy it in your head; that is how you will be using it for ham radio ragchewing. Writing it down is an (unnecessary and limiting) habit that you don't want to get into if you can avoid it. I sometimes run into ops on the air who ask me (as I am working mobile CW) "how do you write it down?". Egad.

73,
Don, W6JL

3176. Re: RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: TrollEnforcer@icu.net
Message-ID: <37333b50.1539296@news1.newscene.com>
Source record: 143545

On Fri, 07 May 1999 15:53:23 GMT, donkboy98@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>COME ON FELLOWS WE ALL KNOW WHO THIS LOOSER IS! JUST ANOTHER FREE 30 DAY
>ACCOUNT WITH AOL! SAME LOOSER DIFFERENT ACCOUNT! PV-pilot
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

The RFenforcer is actually:

jsand95924@aol.com

James Sanders
479 Rainey Rd
Temple, GA 30179 770-562-3664

SANDERS, JAMES H

KE4YAX GENERAL
(PREVIOUSLY KB4EGX, TECH)

Proof can be supplied if need be.

3177. Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gvi94tcj1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily Digest recipients received this today.....

Wonder what ARRL thinks ?

Subject:
Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
Date:
Fri, 7 May 1999 13:09:57 -0400 (EDT)
From:
Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
Reply-To:
digest@info.fcc.gov
To:
Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>

Received: From [165.135.0.253] gatekeeper2.fcc.gov By mail.fcc.gov (GroupWise SMTP/MIME daemon 4.11) Fri, 7 May 99 12:12:34 EDT Received: by gatekeeper2.fcc.gov; id MAA25802; Fri, 7 May 1999 12:11:45 -0400 (EDT) Received: from gbmcinternet.gbmc.org(205.229.239.2) by gatekeeper2.fcc.gov via smap (4.1) id xma025793; Fri, 7 May 99 12:10:49 -0400 Received: by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org; id IAA13741; Fri, 7 May 1999 08:04:06 -0400 Received: from mail.gbmc.org(129.100.0.28) by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org via smap (V3.1) id xma013725; Fri, 7 May 99 08:04:03 -0400 Received: from GBMCMAIN-Message_Server by gbmc.org with Novell_GroupWise; Fri, 07 May 1999 12:08:00 -0500 Message-Id: <s732d7a0.085@gbmc.org> X-Mailer: Novell GroupWise 5.5 Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 13:07:47 -0400 From: "SARA B. GUMNIT" <SGUMNIT@gbmc.org> To: laurie@clack.com,sheila_duffy@dodd.senate.gov, barbara.kellman@espire.net, SMESA@fcc.gov, hkarche@gwgate1.jhmi.jhu.edu, csevel@hcfa.gov, funner@pol.net, preamer@radix.net Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded Mime-Version: 1.0 Content-Type: multipart/mixed; boundary="=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7"

--=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Disposition: inline

This is totally sacrilegious, so if you may be offended - don't open the attachment.
--=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
Content-Type: message/rfc822

Return-Path: <kat918@erols.com>
Received: from rly-st02.mx.aol.com (rly-st02.mail.aol.com [172.31.36.135])
by air01.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 23:37:22
-0500
Received: from rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (rly-yd01.mail.aol.com [172.18.150.1])
by rly-st02.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with ESMTP id VAA05489;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:14 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (smtp4.erols.com [207.172.3.237])
by rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with ESMTP id VAA10591;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from smtp2.erols.com (smtp2.erols.com [207.172.3.235])
by smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (8.8.8/smtp-v1) with ESMTP id VAA18117;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from default (207-172-206-233.s42.as4.blb.md.dialup.rcn.com
[207.172.206.233])
by smtp2.erols.com (8.8.8/8.8.5) with ESMTP id WAA26252;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 22:05:52 -0400 (EDT)
Message-Id: <199904150205.WAA26252@smtp2.erols.com>
Reply-To: <kat918@erols.com>
X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
X-Priority: 3
X-Mailer: Microsoft Internet Mail 4.70.1162
Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 20:47:20 -0500
From: "Kathie Schisler" <kat918@erols.com>
To: accent956@aol.com,bubba83191@aol.com, crb1206@aol.com,
Dealldy@aol.com, decobake@aol.com, Jeslo1213@aol.com,
KH1120@aol.com, KMyers442@aol.com, Kristada@aol.com,
kuka97@aol.com, pulsar56@aol.com, RChan87112@aol.com,
sea67vet@aol.com, sickgirl01@aol.com, Stasia67@aol.com,
sweetee325@aol.com, TOTI674@aol.com, djcum@erols.com,
lmherold@erols.com, netcruzr@erols.com, TFIKE@erols.com,
able-1@ix.netcom.com, kwhiteley@mcsbalt.com
Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Disposition: inline

> From: jillk <jillk@gateway.net>
> To: kat918@erols.com
> Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 8:54 PM
>
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>
> To: Toni Spagnolo <tspagnol@bcpl.net>; Melissa Weese
> <mickeymouse_96@yahoo.com>; Aunt Jill <jillk@gateway.net>
> Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 5:52 PM

> Subject: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
>
>
> >
> >
> >---------- Forwarded message ----------
> >Date: Wed, 7 Apr 1999 10:32:37 -0400
> >From: "Franco, Pedro I (Ivan)" <pifranco@lucent.com>
> >To: Angel Pratt <drkangel1@aol.com>, Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>,
> > Fernando Franco <francocesa@aol.com>,
> > Timmy Barnhart <tcbarnhart@lucent.com>
> >Subject: Nuns in heaven
> >
> >> Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 10:21 AM
> >> To: Eric; James Saltzgiver; Jen; Megan Foss; Michael Smith; mikey-p;
> >> Pedro Franco
> >> Subject: Nuns in heaven
> >>
> >> A bus full of nuns plummets off a cliff. They all die.
> >>
> >> Nuns are admitted to Heaven through a special gate and are expected to
> >> make one last confession before they become angels.
> >> Several nuns are lined up at this gate waiting to be absolved of their
> >> last sins before they are made holy.
> >>
> >> "And so," says St. Peter, "have you ever had any contact with a
penis?"
> >> "Well," says the first Nun in line, "I did once just touch the tip
of
> >> one with the tip of my finger."
> >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Dip your finger in the holy water and pass on
> into
> >> heaven."
> >> The next Nun admits that "Well, yes, I did once get carried away and
> I,
> >> you know, sort of massaged one a bit."
> >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Rinse your hand in the holy water and pass on
> >> into heaven."
> >> Suddenly there is some jostling in the line and one of the nuns is
> >> trying to cut in front.
> >> "Well, now, what's going on here?" says St. Peter.
> >> "Well, your holiness," says the Nun who is trying to improve her
> >> position in line, "If I'm going to have to gargle that stuff, I want
to
> >> do it before Sister Mary sticks her ass in it!"
> >>
> >>
> >
> >

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Subject:
Earlier Email
Date:
Fri, 7 May 1999 14:16:43 -0400 (EDT)
From:
Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
Reply-To:
digest@info.fcc.gov
To:
Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>

Please excuse the interruption.

An email inadvertently went out under my name earlier this afternoon to the digest list server. I want to apologize for this email.

Stacey Mesa

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3178. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373324B7.8907B261@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143547

Granted, there's no excuse for the nastyness on that freq,.

but after all the discussion here and elsewhere,
why in God's name did you tune the radio to 3950
for him to hear in the first place???

By my estimation, there are about a zillion other
freqs on which you could have parked your radio.
Doesn't make sense.

73 Dave AB5S

3179. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Lewis <aa4pb@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37334534.E5098F1B@erols.com>
Source record: 143548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

When I was in the military they used to pound 5-letter code groups into your head 8 hours a day, 5 days a week for months on end. At that rate, you could copy in your sleep. After passing a military test at 35 wpm I nearly flunked 13 WPM in front of the FCC. The FCC wouldn't send 5 letter groups, they wouldn't let me use headphones, and they made me write it down with a pen and paper, no mill (typewriter). Took some on the air time to normal conversation.

So maybe we need a Ham Radio Boot Camp to force people to learn the code. Lets see.... we also need a typing test in case the new ham wants to use a keyboard. Two actually, one for the computer keyboard and one for teletype machines (you never know when one of those mechanical monsters will be only communications available). Almost forgot, a speech test in case he wants to work SSB or FM. :-)

Or.. how about we just give a written test on basic theory, regulations, and accepted operating practice?

3180. GP Antenna problemm TSB 3305N

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: flingo <flingo@fhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <aEHY2.2114$1N3.4754@nntpserver.swip.net>
Source record: 143549

Hallo on you i have bought an GP antenna typ TSB 3305N 5/8 (TawaineeSereene)
.
And i had it few month's.Recently i have found a problem with the antenna
the SWR meter is moving up end down in variable vinds condition.I have
almost exactly same antenna product from Diamond and this is gong very well
.But the TSB modell is not so good or are all the GP 5/8 antennas has this
little problem with the SWR on wind blowing on them.I have two 6 element
Yagi 's and these are much better performance if the wind is to strong for
the GP's.

I have read in this news group that some hams has this problem to.With
theres GP antenna 's
So it perhaps nothing wrong with my Antenna.

Sincerly
Johan Gustafsson
SM5TSY

3181. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3733496B.6B9757A9@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143550

Don W6JL wrote:

> In WWII, the military taught Morse code to literally thousands of
> people from all kinds
> of backgrounds and abilities. Many of them were not doing it
> voluntarily, either!

We have a mom-and-pop hardware store near my house and the owner (now in his 80s) was a Morse operator in WWII. He told me when they were trained they were put in a room with recorded combat sounds being played - guns, exploding shells, you name it - and made to practice until they could copy 25 WPM. Dunno if its true or he was just weaving a good yarn, but it would certainly make for an interesting way to learn the code.

73,

Marv
AB0IO

3182. Re: cancel <19990505215034.24968.00002726@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gvog3$3co$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143551

In article <7gv549$gk3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
n4lmc@ij.net wrote:
> In article <FVuY2.362$K66.390@news4.atl>,
> radiosigs@aol.com wrote:
> > This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
> > Please advise why his msgs are cancelled when you leave the ones on from
> N0jvp, kv4fz etc. my name is used and slandered in their
> msgs.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> Very simple Ruth, they do not want to hear the truth, a lie is much more fun
for some people.

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3183. ### FREE - HAMBAND TRADER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373333cb.789652@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143552
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAMBAND TRADER

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
amateiur radio equipment. This site will grow if needed as
activity requires. Read the Advert Information" page and the
"Policy" page for information on submiting an advert.

The curent departments are...
Wanted to Buy or Trade
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Hamfest Venders (semi-commercial)

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

3184. Having trouble with your local town about your tower?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Mark Nadel" <hmnadel@banet.net>
Message-ID: <373365E6.660D2161@banet.net>
Source record: 143553

If you live on Long Island and are having difficulty with your local town and need some help getting approval to install you antenna tower check out the R.A.D.I.O., Inc. home page listed here.

http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo/radioinc.html

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3185. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <rnJY2.5713$vY2.18963@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143554

On Fri, 07 May 1999 13:21:22 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the social
> misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his
> boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes
> together.!!!!
>
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I see that you're here too, George. Get a letter from Riley? Decide to
take your little obsession somewhere besides the airwaves? Probably a
wise move, since now the potential exists for FCC repercussions to your
behavior over the radio. It must pain you to find that your heroic
battle can no longer be waged without risk.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3186. Re: Cape Cod Ham's Niece Paroled !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <KRJY2.1154$ax4.67319@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143555

If you are talking about Burt, I don't think that is his niece.

Robinson in San Benito TX
A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border By the Sea

Meet a Redneck!
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in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
http://crusoe.org

Bill Mather wrote in message
<32nY2.4975$vY2.18431@c01read01.service.talkway.com>...
>A well known Cape Cod ham's niece is going to be paroled next week !
>Keep your dial right here for any reunion news.
>
>
>http://www.angelfire.com/ak/amyfisherfanclub/index.html
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>

3187. Re: wire ant./new ham info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <LRJY2.1155$ax4.67319@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143556

Like I said in another post... it looks like this group hasn't changed much.
Now BD do I miss the point, or am I correct when I say I detect absolutely
no productive content in your post? In fact, don't bother answering.
(plonk)

Robinson, AB5VH in San Benito TX
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BD wrote in message <7gso1l$g7$1@newnews.startext.net>...
>Do you know how retarded "HI HI" looks?... Or are you trying to convince
>people, without typing dits-n-dots, that you're actually a CW'r?...
>
>robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote in message
>news:sqcY2.1129$pq1.55878@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net...
>> Joseph, you will find that this newsgroup is a lot like the fone bands.
>You
>> will find about half decent folks here and half assholes. If you want to
>> really meet nice guys who are also hams, and ask technical questions that
>> won't get flamed, get some good ragchews going on 15 meters or maybe 40.
>CW
>> or RTTY. CW ops on the air are the nicest (except those pesky contesters!
>HI
>> HI) bunch of people you ever met. I have NEVER heard a word of profanity
>on
>> CW. I have NEVER heard a personal insult on CW. The only thing I could
>call
>> rude at all is the paper chasers trying to butt in on a ragchew to get my
>> card when I operate /MM. Hey I can deal with that.
>>
>> I have participated in quite a few technical discussions on AMTOR too,
>> though I guess Pactor, PSK, etc have supplanted that mode now. One of my
>> first transmitters was built from a schematic sent via HF Fax, and my
>first

>> SSTV transmission was the same design sent to a brand new General ticket.
>>
>> By all means, post your questions here. If you get a snotty reply, add
the
>> author to your killfile immediately. eventually you will weed out the
>worst
>> of them. But if you just can't stand the offensive and rude style of the
>> worse half here, get on the air. And toss your mic in a far, dark corner
>of
>> your closet. I guarantee you will have a better on-air experience, and
get
>> at least as much technical help once you become conversational in CW.
>
>
>

3188. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <37343504.1103166@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143557
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS

The Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
www.web-cycat/hart
==========
O'Hearte Desktop Services
622 Meadowvale drive
Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

3189. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7gvtnl$7u3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <7gvi94tcj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham
> radio.
> Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded

Why did you think you had the right to re-post that message in any other forum? What was your point in re-posting it?

The only thing it proves is that the FCC either hasn't developed or maybe hasn't made all its employees peruse their email policies.

But I question your motives by re-posting it here. It means absolutely nothing about any FCC department or division.

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

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3190. Re: RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507185240.17929.00000308@ngol07.aol.com>
Source record: 143559

In article <37333b50.1539296@news1.newscene.com>, TrollEnforcer@icu.net writes:

>The RFenforcer is actually:
>
>jsand95924@aol.com
>
> James Sanders
> 479 Rainey Rd
> Temple, GA 30179 770-562-3664
>
>SANDERS, JAMES H
>
>KE4YAX GENERAL
> (PREVIOUSLY KB4EGX, TECH)

As I have stated previously, this is incorrect. Please cease and desist immediately your libelous accusations against Mr. Sanders.

>Proof can be supplied if need be.

I call your bluff. Please provide this "proof" to substantiate your allegations.

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

3191. Re: RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: TrollEnforcer@icu.com
Message-ID: <37336fcf.14538187@news1.newscene.com>
Source record: 143560

On 07 May 1999 22:52:40 GMT, rfenforcer@aol.com (RFEnforcer) wrote:

>In article <37333b50.1539296@news1.newscene.com>, TrollEnforcer@icu.net writes:
>
>>The RFenforcer is actually:
>>
>>jsand95924@aol.com
>>
>> James Sanders
>> 479 Rainey Rd
>> Temple, GA 30179 770-562-3664
>>
>>SANDERS, JAMES H
>>
>>KE4YAX GENERAL
>> (PREVIOUSLY KB4EGX, TECH)
>
>
>As I have stated previously, this is incorrect. Please cease and desist
>immediately your libelous accusations against Mr. Sanders.

What libelous accusations?

The information is correct.

>>Proof can be supplied if need be.
>
>I call your bluff. Please provide this "proof" to substantiate your
>allegations.

I would never supply the proof to you. If a third party requires it
then it can be supplied.

****
Isn't impersonation by communication under a false name or a name that
you are not authorized to use against the T.O.S. of AOL? The answer is
yes. You are a rule violator yourself. You should promptly identify
yourself.......Never mind, I already did.

Have a nice day James.

Yours truly, the TrollEnforcer.

3192. Re: ARRL Foundation Awards 36 scholarships

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <37337515.C3C69B1B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143561

Hans - K0HB wrote:

> The New England FEMARA Scholarships--$600 each:
> Samantha A. Fisher, KA1VBQ, South Dennis, MA

Congratulations to Samantha & Burt !

3193. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John McClary <kd4afw@wingnet.net>
Message-ID: <37336A97.6F1BBCF6@wingnet.net>
Source record: 143562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

accidents happen..hope this one incident doesnt cost someone their job...I rx it today and thought it rather funny..wife did to and she doesnt laugh at much...Go easy boys,
it was an accident and thats that!! John KD4AFW

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham
> radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the
> air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily
> Digest recipients received this today.....
>
> Wonder what ARRL thinks ?
>
> Subject:
> Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
> Date:
> Fri, 7 May 1999 13:09:57 -0400 (EDT)
> From:
> Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
> Reply-To:
> digest@info.fcc.gov
> To:
> Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
>
> Received: From [165.135.0.253] gatekeeper2.fcc.gov By mail.fcc.gov
> (GroupWise SMTP/MIME daemon 4.11) Fri, 7 May 99 12:12:34 EDT Received: by
> gatekeeper2.fcc.gov; id MAA25802; Fri, 7 May 1999 12:11:45 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from gbmcinternet.gbmc.org(205.229.239.2) by gatekeeper2.fcc.gov
> via smap (4.1) id xma025793; Fri, 7 May 99 12:10:49 -0400 Received: by
> gbmcinternet.gbmc.org; id IAA13741; Fri, 7 May 1999 08:04:06 -0400 Received:
> from mail.gbmc.org(129.100.0.28) by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org via smap (V3.1) id
> xma013725; Fri, 7 May 99 08:04:03 -0400 Received: from
> GBMCMAIN-Message_Server by gbmc.org with Novell_GroupWise; Fri, 07 May 1999
> 12:08:00 -0500 Message-Id: <s732d7a0.085@gbmc.org> X-Mailer: Novell GroupWise
> 5.5 Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 13:07:47 -0400 From: "SARA B. GUMNIT"
> <SGUMNIT@gbmc.org> To: laurie@clack.com,sheila_duffy@dodd.senate.gov,
> barbara.kellman@espire.net, SMESA@fcc.gov, hkarche@gwgate1.jhmi.jhu.edu,
> csevel@hcfa.gov, funner@pol.net, preamer@radix.net Subject: Fw: Nuns in
> heaven (fwd) -Forwarded Mime-Version: 1.0 Content-Type: multipart/mixed;
> boundary="=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7"
>
> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
> Content-Type: text/plain

> Content-Disposition: inline
>
> This is totally sacrilegious, so if you may be offended - don't open the
> attachment.
> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
> Content-Type: message/rfc822
>
> Return-Path: <kat918@erols.com>
> Received: from rly-st02.mx.aol.com (rly-st02.mail.aol.com [172.31.36.135])
> by air01.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 23:37:22
> -0500
> Received: from rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (rly-yd01.mail.aol.com [172.18.150.1])
> by rly-st02.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA05489;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:14 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (smtp4.erols.com [207.172.3.237])
> by rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA10591;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from smtp2.erols.com (smtp2.erols.com [207.172.3.235])
> by smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (8.8.8/smtp-v1) with ESMTP id VAA18117;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from default (207-172-206-233.s42.as4.blb.md.dialup.rcn.com
> [207.172.206.233])
> by smtp2.erols.com (8.8.8/8.8.5) with ESMTP id WAA26252;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 22:05:52 -0400 (EDT)
> Message-Id: <199904150205.WAA26252@smtp2.erols.com>
> Reply-To: <kat918@erols.com>
> X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
> X-Priority: 3
> X-Mailer: Microsoft Internet Mail 4.70.1162
> Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 20:47:20 -0500
> From: "Kathie Schisler" <kat918@erols.com>
> To: accent956@aol.com,bubba83191@aol.com, crb1206@aol.com,
> Dealldy@aol.com, decobake@aol.com, Jeslo1213@aol.com,
> KH1120@aol.com, KMyers442@aol.com, Kristada@aol.com,
> kuka97@aol.com, pulsar56@aol.com, RChan87112@aol.com,
> sea67vet@aol.com, sickgirl01@aol.com, Stasia67@aol.com,
> sweetee325@aol.com, TOTI674@aol.com, djcum@erols.com,
> lmherold@erols.com, netcruzr@erols.com, TFIKE@erols.com,
> able-1@ix.netcom.com, kwhiteley@mcsbalt.com
> Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> Mime-Version: 1.0
> Content-Type: text/plain
> Content-Disposition: inline
>
> ----------
> > From: jillk <jillk@gateway.net>
> > To: kat918@erols.com
> > Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)

> > Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 8:54 PM
> >
> >
> > -----Original Message-----
> > From: Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>
> > To: Toni Spagnolo <tspagnol@bcpl.net>; Melissa Weese
> > <mickeymouse_96@yahoo.com>; Aunt Jill <jillk@gateway.net>
> > Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 5:52 PM
> > Subject: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> >
> >
> > >
> > >
> > >---------- Forwarded message ----------
> > >Date: Wed, 7 Apr 1999 10:32:37 -0400
> > >From: "Franco, Pedro I (Ivan)" <pifranco@lucent.com>
> > >To: Angel Pratt <drkangel1@aol.com>, Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>,
> > > Fernando Franco <francocesa@aol.com>,
> > > Timmy Barnhart <tcbarnhart@lucent.com>
> > >Subject: Nuns in heaven
> > >
> > >> Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 10:21 AM
> > >> To: Eric; James Saltzgiver; Jen; Megan Foss; Michael Smith; mikey-p;
> > >> Pedro Franco
> > >> Subject: Nuns in heaven
> > >>
> > >> A bus full of nuns plummets off a cliff. They all die.
> > >>
> > >> Nuns are admitted to Heaven through a special gate and are expected to
> > >> make one last confession before they become angels.
> > >> Several nuns are lined up at this gate waiting to be absolved of their
> > >> last sins before they are made holy.
> > >>
> > >> "And so," says St. Peter, "have you ever had any contact with a
> penis?"
> > >> "Well," says the first Nun in line, "I did once just touch the tip
> of
> > >> one with the tip of my finger."
> > >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Dip your finger in the holy water and pass on
> > into
> > >> heaven."
> > >> The next Nun admits that "Well, yes, I did once get carried away and
> > I,
> > >> you know, sort of massaged one a bit."
> > >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Rinse your hand in the holy water and pass on
> > >> into heaven."
> > >> Suddenly there is some jostling in the line and one of the nuns is
> > >> trying to cut in front.
> > >> "Well, now, what's going on here?" says St. Peter.
> > >> "Well, your holiness," says the Nun who is trying to improve her

> > >> position in line, "If I'm going to have to gargle that stuff, I want
> to
> > >> do it before Sister Mary sticks her ass in it!"
> > >>
> > >>
> > >
> > >
>
> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7--
>
> ------------------------------------
>
> Subject:
> Earlier Email
> Date:
> Fri, 7 May 1999 14:16:43 -0400 (EDT)
> From:
> Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
> Reply-To:
> digest@info.fcc.gov
> To:
> Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
>
> Please excuse the interruption.
>
> An email inadvertently went out under my name earlier this afternoon to the
> digest list server. I want to apologize for this email.
>
> Stacey Mesa
>
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> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3194. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37338BA9.364B2744@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

CW wrote: Public school has obviously taken a toll on your mind if you think the whole point of learning is to take a test.
> CW

Learning comes *after* taking the entrance test. The entire medical school & law school curricula focus is to pass a national board exam; contractor & real estate licensure, and ham radio guidebooks are geared to passing a test. If you want to learn a subject, well..., that comes afterward with further reading and experience. Them's the facts, that's human nature.

BTW, for all of you who pine about the "good old days" and things aren't like they were X years ago. What was your input? Where were you, on the moon? Did you just standby and let things happen? Oh well....

3195. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37338E54.44C454F0@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
> : I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
> : I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)

Richard Hyde wrote:
KC6QBO since '91
PP-SEL since '74
OW diver since '97

Oscar wrote:
KF6VIY since 3/99
PP-MEL-IFR since '89 (7 year hiatus due to flying accident as student)
NAUI OW since '85 (continued from USMC)
U.S. Parachute Assn, Class C, Jumpmaster, 1980-83

3196. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <37338F2E.481FCB3F@uakron.edu>
Source record: 143565

I like your plane. Give me a ride some time.
http://ifip.com/Flying.htm

Lou WA8PHD
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

"H. Adam Stevens" wrote:

> What airport was this? There are specific items (check FAA) that are prohibited,
> but I wonder if you shouldn't have a chat with this person's supervisor. I carry
> my aircraft handheld as well as a ham band hand held when I fly myself on one
> leg and commercial on another. Never had a problem.
> H.
> WA5IGW
> N502TB
>
> William G. Graves wrote:
>
> > I was NOT allowed to carry my ICOM HT in a backback. This was even after
> > assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be turned
> > on. The supervisor at the Xray station said they will not allow any
> > "walkie-talkies" (!!) on board period.
> >
> > Now I have gone back with dejanews and checked and many of you have carried
> > radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on. There
> > are laws limiting operation aboard aircraft.
> >
> > I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.
> >
> > Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal limitations
> > are?
> >
> > I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good reason.
> > I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not
> > broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
> >
> > thanks
> > bill
> > - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -
> > Bill Graves
> > bgraves@ix.netcom.com

3197. Any news on class C license ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gregory <okguy@megsinet.net>
Message-ID: <IBMY2.501$oq5.2844@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 143566

Anyone have any news on the class C license ? Will the FCC approve this ?
Greg

3198. WTB: Altair 680 or IMSAI 8080

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <alan.diaz@snet.net>
Message-ID: <7h03bu$sg2@news1.snet.net>
Source record: 143567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I would like to buy an Altair 680, IMSAI 8080, or other Altair/IMSAI from that era. I want to add one of these units to my collection of items from this era. You may contact me directly at chipsndips@snet.net.

Alan

3199. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926135228.574.91@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Evolution isn't really the slow changing of a species we were taught. It is more accurately described as a pruning of the unfit. Back to your rattler, an animal that lacks whatever gene to retreat from loud, vibrating machinery, tearing up the earth while approaching at a ponderous pace, possibly puts too much stock in its defense mechanism. Or maybe it was stone deaf, or was already dead from other causes. (From fright, perhaps? That, too, could have been a required pruning.) A more likely scenario was that she was protecting a freshly populated nest. Even then, it need not be a personal tragedy for you. The greater tragedy would be your family starving from the lack of greens left unrealized from the gardens you dared not till.

Also, I do feel pity for the poor deer, but remorse is still not appropriate here. I wonder if you feel similar pity for the unsuspecting driver? Both stumbled simultaneously on the mutually unfamiliar situation. Injury, or property damage, was not intentional on either part.

Sh*t, as with CW testing, need not be right or wrong. It just is.

Michael.

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote in message
news:37333620.65027AA8@IEEE.org...
> Michael Young wrote:
> > Darwin had much to say about similarly ill equipped species. It was
> > either an act of exceedingly poor judgement, or he was stone deaf
and
> > didn't notice or recognize the imminent onslaught. In either case,
rest
> > easy knowing you did evolution a favor.
>
> But evolution cannot possibly keep up with man's technology. Pity the
> poor deer who have never before looked up and seen anything dangerous
> coming at them at 80mph.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3200. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926135289.370.17@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

How many also carry NRA cards?

Michael.

Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:37338E54.44C454F0@hotmail.com...
> H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
> > : I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
> > : I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)
> ------
> Richard Hyde wrote:
> KC6QBO since '91
> PP-SEL since '74
> OW diver since '97
> -----
> Oscar wrote:
> KF6VIY since 3/99
> PP-MEL-IFR since '89 (7 year hiatus due to flying accident as student)
> NAUI OW since '85 (continued from USMC)
> U.S. Parachute Assn, Class C, Jumpmaster, 1980-83

3201. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Medusa <medusa-nospam-@USAF.org>
Message-ID: <7h0gqtguj1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 143570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Here we go...

Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:7gvtnl$7u3$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <7gvi94tcj1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks
like ham
> > radio.
> > Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
>
> Why did you think you had the right to re-post that message in any other
> forum? What was your point in re-posting it?
>
> The only thing it proves is that the FCC either hasn't developed or maybe
> hasn't made all its employees peruse their email policies.
>
> But I question your motives by re-posting it here. It means absolutely
nothing
> about any FCC department or division.
>
> - Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
> http://www.clintbradford.com
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3202. For Sale Mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KØIMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3733D711.4956@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143571

I have 13 mics for sale from some rare to a Silver Eagle see at
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky they are at the bottom of the list and
there are more than 60 item I have for sale so have fun and thanks KØIMJ

3203. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3733CFF7.D8A74E7E@mindspring.com>
Source record: 143572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Don W6JL wrote:
>
> I myself cannot see where using "tapes" and "computers" is an
> effective learning method
> for learning to use the code conversationally, as we do in ham radio.
> First of all, it
> is boring, listening to basically boring content being sent. As you
> said, you eventually
> memorized the tapes.
>

Some software (e.g., Morse Tutor Gold) is pretty effective, in that it sends typical, but random, QSOs. Of course that may be boring (many qsos are!), but it is better than the old 5 element groups.

Phil

3204. 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dm <dmock@clarion.edu>
Message-ID: <3732EA24.D839C321@clarion.edu>
Source record: 143573

Did anyone get the April issue of 73? And are you experiencing problems
with the issues
arriving late at the end of the month?

3205. For Sale Kenwood TS 930 SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: orbitone@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <37349e64.8281513@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143578

>selling a very good cond Kenwood TS 930S with ant tuner...
>comes with Matching 930 SP .. Speaker also in very good cond...
>price is 600.00 plus shipping from cal... USA folks only please...
>had it serviced at Advid in TX sounds good on the air...full Power
>email me thanks.. Mike.. KC6 RDJ.... 73's 10-160 meter plus 11meters

3206. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gtbq2uro1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143579

Thats right DR Hate. Set at that rinky dink slow speed computer and spew out garbage. It is better than having you on the amateur bands. What is the matter screw ball . Are you afraid of Riley? You better be . You are next!!!!!

article <19990505135709.22977.00002493@ng139.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << m
> Date: Wed, May 5, 1999 4:50 PM
> Message-id: <7gpst1$qf8$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>
>
> This is a good place for you, AF2Y in the Deja News loony bin. At least you
> are not on the ham bands interfering with decent people. Mr Hollingsworth has
> you in his list to deal with like he has the windbag WB2OTK!!!!!!!
>
> ------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
> >>WOW, are you brave hiding behind anonymity. Be a man for once in your life
> and state your callsign and name. You're no REALDEAL. You're a REALPUTZ. Doc
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>
>

------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3207. Re: Rube 'duh duh" Lloyd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gtg4v$2pp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143580

In article <7gt2gnmqc1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Looks like another Wb2Otk boot licker has made the Deja News Loony Bin. Rube
> wants amateur calls on here. Hey K4RUB Duh Duh, the only call you here is the
> chow call. Quit being a WB2OTK lackey, and go to Jenny Craig and get that huge
> gut off. What a cretin.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>Rube's not fat, that's a fuel tank for a love machine!

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3208. Re: the roots of hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gtgph$3ag$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143581

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional rantings of a "Smuck", not a good sign.
Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990506162844.00340.00000157@ng140.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<This sounds like some of the pseudo-patriotic crap coming from that
> subversive Schoenbohm who detests this government because the Secret Service
> caught him stealing. Take that sanctimonius b.s. some place else. That 3.950
> group is a disgrace to this nation. They represent everything this nation
> fights against and anyone who tells me that they deserve a forum to spread
> their ideology of hate and revolution ought to visit, as I did, Arlington
> National Cemetaries and view the crosses and stars above the remains of those
> great Americans who fought to keep us free. And it should be free from the
> filthy subversives who inhabit 3.950. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs@aol.com
>
> >>
>
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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3209. Re: Another Dumb ass makes the loony bin.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <kFqY2.5115$vY2.18581@c01read01.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143582

Haven't heard you blowing the harp on 20 or 75 lately, George. A
little concerned what Riley might think, perhaps?
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3210. Re: 40Grit and Rube Lloyd (Doks Love Object)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gth14$3eg$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143583

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting of a "Schmuck" , not a good sign.
Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990506161634.00340.00000150@ng140.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Oh oh..my good friend and ally Rube Lloyd told me that 40Grit may not be David
> Tolassi, KC1ZQ. Ordnarily I would render an apology to David but being that
> he's a complete horse's ASS and one of the biggest schmucks to ever hold a ham
> ticket, I say, to hell with the creep and I take back my intended apology.
> AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs@aol.com
>

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3211. Re: Polly Wants a Cracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gth6k$3ic$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143584

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting of a "Schmuck" , not a good sign.
Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990506161116.00340.00000149@ng140.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<Wowie...I didn't know that the Vermont wacko, David Tolassi, is 40grit.
> However I can think of something he is which rhymes with "grit." Thanks Rube
> for telling me the ID of the pervert. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
> <<Oh oh..I was told by my good friend Rube that Grit40 may not be KC1ZQ, David
> Tolassi. This calls for an apology but in light of the fact that Tolassi is one
> of the biggest schmucks to ever hold a ham ticket, to hell with him and I take
> back the thought of apologizing. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs@aol.com
>

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3212. Re: ATTENTION AF2Y ADVERSARIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7gthae$3pv$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143585

My dear Doktor "Hate" Please SEEK professional HELP, Sigmoid Fraud a "Lundsman" may be a good start, Help is not far away. Please understand that your writings are beginning to look like delusional ranting of a "Schmuck" , not a good sign.
Or start eating the other "white" meat it may improve the blood flow to the brain.

Make a circle, Make a Box, Put some Bagels on some LOX.

The "Real" Nate

In article <19990506093913.27483.00000046@ng-fs1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Take a lesson from Lloyd Davies, N0VFP. He made it clear from the outset he's
> no friend but each time I get an adversarial E from him or read an adversarial
> posting, the guy has enough guts to sign BOTH his name and call. He's exactly
> the opposite from you snipers,backstabbers,bigots and scatalogical slobs who
> cower and hide behind anonymity. I'll take criticism as well as give it but be
> MEN about it.
>
> Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

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3213. FS 2-meter rigs, mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmiller@fix.net
Message-ID: <3732d7ad.760367@news.fix.net>
Source record: 143586

Hello, this is Harry Miller KB6CGG in sunny California.
I have a couple of 2-meter rigs:

Kenwood TM 2350A with mike and manual

Azden 4000 with manual, no mike

Price $66.66 ea plus UPS

If interested, email me hmiller@fix.net

Tnx es 73, Harry Miller KB6CGG

3214. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: CW <cmagers@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01be9823$51141320$9a2079a5@spry941360spry08.sprynet.com>
Source record: 143587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

-- Then what you are saying is that your ability to learn code is based on having to take a test. Eliminate the test and you will no longer be able to learn it? Public school has obviously taken a toll on your mind if you think the whole point of learning is to take a test.
CW
KC7NOD

Karina Wright <karina@cafekarina.org> wrote in article <DOfY2.302$3y3.549261@news.abs.net>...

>Once the CW requirement is dropped, you old hams will have to
>fight for bandwidth to discuss bowel problems. Won't be long ...

I am one of the ones who has way lots of trouble catching on to Morse Code and as a result may never progress beyond Tech No-Code. However, I don't want to see the CW requirement go away, because

a) It will still always be a goal for me. I've always wanted to know a secret language shared by only a few people. Too many books and movies in my wasted youth, I guess; and

3215. Re: Hamfest in So. Calif.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: needmopwr@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506210406.26120.00000256@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143588

What ever Fathers day weekend is ther is a hamfest in Santa Maria.

3216. AF2Y receives an award

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506210819.12585.00000264@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 143589

For displaying tremendous love towards White Christians above and beyond duty, AF2Y is hereby awarded a beautiful, yellow star of David, to be worn on his clothing in a conspicuous place.

Enjoy!

3217. Re: Help with Motorola P110 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC2DLA Paul <kpaul@usa.net>
Message-ID: <01be9827$4b6e0300$a348accf@bert.poss.com>
Source record: 143590
Cross-posted to:
alt.firefighters,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Jason,
The small button above the PTT on your P110 is programmed for
"silent monitor" mode. Despite the complex name, all this does is take the
PL off of your radio so you can hear all of the traffic on channels you are
on. If you notice, once the light has gone off, if you change the channel
or key up, the light comes on again. This is supposed to remind you that
you are in silent monitor mode with the PL off.

Paul Krzewinski, KC2DLA

3218. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: PalmCove@email.com
Message-ID: <MPG.119cde7eec620fe98968e@news.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 143591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

Hi,
VK/DG1EHK since 1990
Instructor since 10 years

73
Gerhard

In article <3730F8CF.42A3EF9B@jump.net>, alien@jump.net says...
> waited that long huh?
> which came first? women or booze?
> I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
> I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)
> H.
>
> kypg3@ibm.net wrote:
>
> > In article <372FACBC.3B2281C2@jump.net>,
> > "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net> wrote:
> > > Well I once operated a kilowatt on 20 meters from the Tektite II habitat on
> > > the bottom of Lameshur Bay in the USVI. Do I post about it in rec.scuba or
> > > rec.radio.amateur.misc or both?
> > > H.
> > > WA5IGW
> > >
> >
> > WA5IGW, wow old fart eh? don't take any crap from these "punks"
> >
> > regards...wb4ptc Dave Scott 35wpm on the vibroplex, kyn & 9rn (emergency
> > traffic)chronic from '70 to 72, then i discovered alcohol and women at the
> > tender age of 18.
> >
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3219. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: juker8161@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gtkla$6eq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In article <7gktqm$4mj$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
>
> Lyle Koehler wrote in message <372DF09B.F63A1458@mlecmn.net>...
> >
> >Here are some relevant paragraphs from the ARRL VE manual regarding
> >Morse testing:
> >
> >"Pausing the examination message, where warranted, may be a successful
> >accommodative procedure to overcome candidates' ability to write or
> >respond quickly. The pauses may be included after each sentence or
> >phrase, after each word or even after each character, to allow the
> >examinee the time to write, absorb and/or interpret what was sent. The
> >decision as to the level of pausing warranted is determined by the VE
> >team in conjunction with input from the candidate or the candidate's
> >Doctor's Statement. The level of accommodation should be the least
> >necessary to overcome the candidate's handicap."
> >
> >In a later paragraph: "For a character-by-character examination, a
> grade
> >of 70% or more correct characters can be considered passing".
>
> If this were for anything other than the 5wpm basic test, I think this
> would
> be grounds for throwning out the whole test. I mean, you could claim 25
> WPM here by pausing 15 seconds between each character.
>
> But since someone with a handicap waiver only has to take the 5wpm
> test anyway, and the 5wpm test, in my mind, is nothing but
> memorization and a 'mental look up', it's not really that much different
than from what a non-handicapped ham would take. But still not the
same. Just not that different.

Different disabilities= Different abilities
>
> I'm kind of touchy with handicapped declarations. I had a family member
> who was handicapped. And he REFUSED to get handicapped plates
> for his car because he said 'it doesn't mean anything anyway'. He had
> polio back in the 50s. He could have legally gotten an exemption to
> hunt
> from his car. As it was, he 'violated' the law in that he didn't
> usually move
> the required distance from his vehicle, instead he threw a mat over his

> hood and lay on it. When he got a deer and help wasn't arround, he'd
> put a noose on it's neck and drag it.
>
> Very few things piss me off more than some '*' parking in an handicap
> zone without a sticker, or like the guy in the Z-28 (with standard
> shift)
> in my hometown who I've seen swing into the handicapped spot at the
> market, throw a placard on the dash, and then hop out in his sweats
> and running gear and jog into the store.
>
> Anyway, a handicap declaration should mean something. As it is, it's
> BS and in my mind was used strictly as a wedge to keep the no-code
> issue under control for a short while longer.
>
> Mike Yetsko
> N1DVJ
>
>

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3220. Lowfer radio wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: njmedman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990506222558.04322.00000048@ng55.aol.com>
Source record: 143593

I'm looking for anyone that might be selling "Lowfer" or Longwave radios.. I'm interested in getting started in "Lowfer" radio... If you know where I can get an easy to build kit, that would be cool too.

=-=-=-=-=
73's de KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT)
Clarksville, TN USA
=-=-=-=-=

3221. Need Lowfer Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gtsnr$d34$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143594

Lately, with the use of narrower digits and slower speeds, I have been able to squeeze into the narrow width provided for the lowfers.

However, when I eat too much salty food, my feet become swollen and I am unable to put my best foot forward. It's like I'm walking on air the rest of the time. Any idea whether a horn would help this low, or would sneakers be better ?

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3222. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: zz4@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29865-37326AA1-44@newsd-134.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143595

I smelled there was more behind it !!!! Does not everybody make mistakes ? Ever forgive ? As to the 'convicted felon' comments it just shows the sad status of amateur radio and the intelligence of the diminishing numbers that survive. Once a felon was a murderer,rapist,robbed 47 banks,bombed UN building,etc. In 1999 a felony can mean 2 littering citations...or a good one....with-holding ALL AND COMPLETE EVIDENCE to a law enforcement officer asking questions...i.e. what time did you go to bathroom last night ?? Few realize that everything the usa was founded on...constitution..bill of rights ARE TOTALLY NON-EXISTANT IN 1999. Don't get inflamed over my opinion just be EDUCATED..RESEARCH !!! Otherwise I know not the kv4fz case except something has always smelled fishy. If the guy did make errors in judgement was it to be nobody is ever to be forgiven ? ps..I might add 1999 usa a good part of law enforcement and justice system are operating un-convicted felons. WHY ? NEVER HEAR OF CODE OF CONDUCT ? NO LAW ENFORCEMENT EVER ARRESTS OR PROSECUTES THE 'LIKE SPECIES'...../////

3223. Rogue Cancellation Summary for rec.radio.amateur.misc - 5/6/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Cancel Watch"
Message-ID: <445842ED4.4CF4@cancel.watch>
Source record: 143596
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,microsoft.test

Rogue Cancellation Summary for rec.radio.amateur.misc - 5/6/99

The following is a summary of Rogue Cancellations of Usenet posts in
the rec.radio.amateur.misc newsgroup for 05/06/99.

All of the Rogue Cancels are originating from Bellsouth Internet
Services. If one of your articles was Cancelled by this Rogue
Canceller, then I suggest you send a complaint to the Abuse Dept at
Bellsouth at abuse@bellsouth.net along with the headers to one of
the Rogue Cancels listed below.

This is the break down of the articles that were cancelled:

radiosigs@aol.com 16 Articles Cancelled
richwhiten@aol.com 6 Articles Cancelled

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Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504123736.03557.00002192@ng123.aol.com>
References: <19990504123736.03557.00002192@ng123.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504123736.03557.00002192@ng123.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <PxuY2.324$K66.390@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:06:42 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053615 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:06:55
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:06:55 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315909

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504093407.22974.00002031@ng139.aol.com>
References: <19990504093407.22974.00002031@ng139.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504093407.22974.00002031@ng139.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <%wuY2.322$K66.390@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:05:51 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053563 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:06:03
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:06:03 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315907

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504122835.03557.00002189@ng123.aol.com>
References: <19990504122835.03557.00002189@ng123.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504122835.03557.00002189@ng123.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <9wuY2.320$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:57 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053509 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:05:09
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:05:09 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315906

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504163107.00116.00002063@ng124.aol.com>
References: <19990504163107.00116.00002063@ng124.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504163107.00116.00002063@ng124.aol.com>

Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <LvuY2.319$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:30 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053483 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:43
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:43 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315905

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504134549.03557.00002207@ng123.aol.com>
References: <19990504134549.03557.00002207@ng123.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504134549.03557.00002207@ng123.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <hvuY2.316$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:00 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053453 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:13
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:04:13 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315904

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990503165322.07674.00001661@ng-fe1.aol.com>
References: <19990503165322.07674.00001661@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990503165322.07674.00001661@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <FouY2.303$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:56:56 -0400

NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053029 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:57:09
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:57:09 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315893

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504213410.18443.00002136@ng-fd1.aol.com>
References: <19990504213410.18443.00002136@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504213410.18443.00002136@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <AnuY2.300$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:55:47 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052960 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:56:00
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:56:00 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315892

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990503140648.24975.00001656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990503140648.24975.00001656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990503140648.24975.00001656@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <CkuY2.296$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:52:37 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052770 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:52:50
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:52:50 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315890

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990502213256.20733.00001315@ng-cd1.aol.com>
References: <19990502213256.20733.00001315@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990502213256.20733.00001315@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <kjuY2.294$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:51:16 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052688 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:51:28
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:51:28 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315889

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504135332.03557.00002211@ng123.aol.com>
References: <19990504135332.03557.00002211@ng123.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504135332.03557.00002211@ng123.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <siuY2.292$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:50:20 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052632 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:50:32
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:50:32 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315887

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)

MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504123151.03557.00002190@ng123.aol.com>
References: <19990504123151.03557.00002190@ng123.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504123151.03557.00002190@ng123.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <sduY2.285$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:44:59 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052312 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:45:12
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:45:12 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315878

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990502212630.20733.00001314@ng-cd1.aol.com>
References: <19990502212630.20733.00001314@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990502212630.20733.00001314@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <6duY2.284$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:44:37 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052290 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:44:50
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:44:50 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315877

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990503133351.24975.00001647@ng-fq1.aol.com>
References: <19990503133351.24975.00001647@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990503133351.24975.00001647@ng-fq1.aol.com>

Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <MauY2.278$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:42:07 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926052140 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:42:20
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:42:20 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315875

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504161247.00116.00002043@ng124.aol.com>
References: <19990504161247.00116.00002043@ng124.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504161247.00116.00002043@ng124.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <jCuY2.331$K66.390@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:11:30 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053903 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:11:43
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:11:43 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315913

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504161655.00116.00002048@ng124.aol.com>
References: <19990504161655.00116.00002048@ng124.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504161655.00116.00002048@ng124.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <uBuY2.329$K66.390@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:10:37 -0400

NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053850 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:10:50
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:10:50 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315911

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: radiosigs@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504162622.00116.00002059@ng124.aol.com>
References: <19990504162622.00116.00002059@ng124.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504162622.00116.00002059@ng124.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <tAuY2.328$K66.390@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:09:32 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053785 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:09:45
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:09:45 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315910

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: richwhiten@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504110405.18144.00001771@ng61.aol.com>
References: <19990504110405.18144.00001771@ng61.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504110405.18144.00001771@ng61.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <AtuY2.314$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:02:11 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053344 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:02:24
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:02:24 EDT

Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315903

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: richwhiten@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504105941.18144.00001769@ng61.aol.com>
References: <19990504105941.18144.00001769@ng61.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504105941.18144.00001769@ng61.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <mtuY2.313$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:01:58 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053330 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:02:10
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:02:10 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315902

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: richwhiten@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504183552.03548.00002141@ng34.aol.com>
References: <19990504183552.03548.00002141@ng34.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504183552.03548.00002141@ng34.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <%ruY2.309$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:00:30 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053243 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:00:43
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:00:43 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315900

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m

ail
From: richwhiten@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504110603.18144.00001772@ng61.aol.com>
References: <19990504110603.18144.00001772@ng61.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504110603.18144.00001772@ng61.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <nruY2.308$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:59:50 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053203 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 01:00:03
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 01:00:03 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315896

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: richwhiten@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990504110305.18144.00001770@ng61.aol.com>
References: <19990504110305.18144.00001770@ng61.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990504110305.18144.00001770@ng61.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <BpuY2.306$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:57:56 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053089 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:58:09
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:58:09 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315895

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

Path:
gail.ripco.com!feed1.news.rcn.net!rcn!newsfeed.atl!upstream.atl!news4.atl.POSTED!not-for-m
ail
From: richwhiten@aol.com
X-Mailer: Mozilla 4.04 [en]C-bls40 (Win95; U)
MIME-Version: 1.0
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: cancel <19990503210809.12601.00001795@ng-fz1.aol.com>

References: <19990503210809.12601.00001795@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Control: cancel <19990503210809.12601.00001795@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Lines: 1
Message-ID: <ipuY2.304$K66.29@news4.atl>
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:57:38 -0400
NNTP-Posting-Host: 209.214.69.170
X-Trace: news4.atl 926053070 209.214.69.170 (Fri, 07 May 1999 00:57:50
EDT)
NNTP-Posting-Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 00:57:50 EDT
Xref: gail.ripco.com control:28315894

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

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3224. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37327D36.8DCFB9AE@jump.net>
Source record: 143597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

your taxes at work
H.
WA5IGW

Mark Waldron wrote:

> snip---
> BTW, isn't it odd that they have Braille on a drive-up teller machine? :)

snip

3225. Re: Unsuscbribe alurk50@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gtv6n$n6b@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143598

In article <84f01ff8.2460668f@aol.com>, <Alurk50@aol.COM> wrote:
>Unsuscbribe alurk50@aol.com

Of course, that won't work. You have to send your command message to the command address (same one you used when you subscribed to the e-list info-hams@ucsd.edu). The complete unsub instructions are contained in the Welcome message you received when you sub'd. If you deleted that important message, good luck getting off the list!
Jeff KH6O

3226. Re: NuMorse @ >13wpm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7gu0b6$o12@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143599

In article <7gnlabrvl1@east42.supernews.com>, <Tom@astro.net> wrote:
> The ARRL 13 is sent at 18 with probably 13 for spacing. I know, I took my
>General tests April 27th and passed the written but failed the code because of
>that very reason. I don't agree with that way of doing the code test. If I'm
>copying fine at true 13 at home and then go and hear it coming out at 18, well
>it sure screwed ME up. I'll bet it screws most people up as well. Another guy
>at the same session said the same thing I did, "That was NO 13wpm".

If 13 five-letter words are sent in one minute, then it's 13 WPM, even if
the character speed is 18 (which would mean the space between characters
would be on the order of about 10 WPM -- I'll do the calculations to give
you the exact spacing speed, if you'd like).

73, Jeff KH6O

3227. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jl110@cleveland.Freenet.Edu
Message-ID: <7gtq6i$ed8$1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>
Source record: 143600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In a previous article, willee@interconnect.net (William Lee) says:

>
>Trent Phillips wrote in message <7gpjkpius1@pale-rider.INS.CWRU.Edu>...
>>
>>In a previous article, willee@interconnect.net (William Lee) says:
>>
>>>Trent, It sounds like you are very happy as a SWL. Why do you want to
EDITED
>
>
>OK Trent....... I slung the mud so you win.

Thank you for being so big about things...=-)

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"You see ? You have no respect for excessive authority or obsolete trad-
itions. You're dangerous and depraved, and you ought to be taken outside
and shot !" Dr. Dobbs to Yossarian from "Catch-22" by Joseph Heller
----------jl110@cleveland.freenet.edu------YOSSARIAN LIVES !-------------

3228. FS: Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eG6pRNGm#GA.310@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $50.00 Or Best Offer + Shipping

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3229. FS: Motorola HT-90 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uW1hdNGm#GA.279@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $50.00 Or Best Offer + Shipping

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3230. HELP: ICOM IC-228H repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: "JOSE V. GAVILA (EB5AGV/EC5AAU)" <eb5agv@ctv.es>
Message-ID: <7gufausor1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143603
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello!

After some time working on other things, I have returned to radio related activities... This time, a recently received IC-228H is the patient in my workbench. I bought it knowing that it was stuck in transmit. I got the original box, manual, microphone and, of course, the transceiver (which also has the UT-40 optional tone module :-)). I just missed the power cord (any available, at least the connector?) and the screews which hold the rig in the mounting bracket (which I have).

Well, looking at the schematic I suspected of the transistor which is activated by the PTT switch. I got the 2SC2712 SMD transistor out of the PCB, along with a 100k resistor in the bias circuit and then powering the rig I got it in RX mode. Wow!!!. I am a genius ;-)!. So I located a replacement transistor (it was not hard, as at my work we use lots of them and this was a common PNP transistor) and replaced it... To find that the rig started again in TX mode. Hmmmmmm.... Not a genius at all ;-)!. Then I decided to check the SMD bias resistors around that transistor and... voila!. I found a 220 Ohm resistor which had drifted to about 60k Ohm!. Replacing it temporarily with a conventional 220 Ohm resistor, I got again RX on startup. Nice!!!. So I hooked the microphone, pressed the PTT and... nothing happened!!!. RX mode with or without PTT pressed. Well, don't panic!. Sometimes things are that way... Manually shorting pin 5 (PTT) to GND, I could get the rig on TX mode. So the switching transistor was working fine. Faulty PTT switch?. Opening the microphone I found that the PTT switch was fine so... Wiring!!!. I opened the mic connector to find that the soldering was modified!. A fast check to the manual and schematics revealed no less than three wires uncorrectly wired (including, of course, the PTT). Once I fixed it, I got PTT, UP and DOWN functions as usual. Yahooo!!!

But, wait a moment. The RX audio is looooow... And the squelch doesn't work (the RX LED is always on). Checking with my trusty walky at 25mW (Extremely Low power), I could get maximum S-meter 'deflection', but very low audio, hard to hear. And that's all for now!. I am stuck at this point: low RX audio and non working squelch. Could somebody help me with this?. Perhaps is a common failure with this rig...

Thanks a lot and best regards.

JOSE

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73 EB5AGV / EC5AAU
JOSE V. GAVILA
Benetusser - VALENCIA (SPAIN)

** VISIT MY VINTAGE RADIO SITE - updated 2-May-1999 ***
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/6992/

EuroBA eGroup: http://www.eGroups.com/list/euro_ba_swap

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3231. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <3732B8E2.5D8B@wt.net>
Source record: 143604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> That is sad that you and so many others need a test to give
> you goals ieithe rin life or is it just in the the ARS.

No, it's not just the ARS. It's many things other than ARS. Tests are
handy to gauge know how in a subject.
>
> Why can't you still have learning code as a gaol without the
> prod of being tested for it?

For the same reason we can't have learning theory as a goal without the
prod of being tested for it.
>
> >
> >b) I don't see how Ham Radio will benefit having an influx of people with
> >your attitude and manners (not, mind you, that there aren't a number of the
> >Code people who can use a refresher course in manners).
>
> The ARS will benift for any influx of people at all, but it is
> not one of the gaols of ending code testing to gain numbers of hams
> over all. Iand others feels that it will help some, but it is a minor
> possible benifit of ending the requirement

I'm just curious, what is the goal of ending code testing? Since you say
it is not to attact more new amateurs, what is the reason? Being as a
ham that passes the same written but does not learn the code will be
less trained than one who would have taken the code test, is it to
reduce the level of overall level of knowledge in the ARS? If the
written tests remain the same , and they drop the code that is the only
observation I could make. Future no-code hams will be less capable in
the overall big picture than code tested. Myself, I'm against any
reduction in skill needed. period. It should only get harder if
anything. Why? So we can be better trained overall compared to no code
countries, thats why. I like being a leg up. And anyway being as they
have to change treaty to drop code , all your wishing and wanting is a
waste of energy. You had best get used to the idea of at least 5 wpm
code for HF for any forseeable time in the future. Any excess energy you
would burn in no-code endeaver would be better spent hounding the ITU.
MK
--
http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

3232. Drake SW4A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: WD4FFN <doverta@cetlink.net>
Message-ID: <XYzY2.3$j71.18464@news.cetlink.net>
Source record: 143605

I am looking for a copy of the sw4a manual preferably pdf or gif by email
Anyone out the can help
Thanks Tom WD4FFN

3233. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507072254.19490.00000385@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 143606

>If this wasn't so ludicrous i might offer to send you letters recieved from
>Terry Halpern to me. Or, a letter recieved from a sister the
>Courage Center. SASE only..n4lmc

What's a matter, can't post them here for us to read?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3234. All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gupce$595$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143607

It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the social misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes together.!!!!

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3235. Lowfer Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Baldwin <bob-baldwin@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <373234B5.8421401F@tamu.edu>
Source record: 143608

Check the Longwave Webpage for info- it's URL is: http://www.lwca.org/

73.....

Bob Baldwin WA5JOT
bob-baldwin@tamu.edu

3236. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Marshall-Read <bob.read@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <3732E3E6.D2AC86BA@ieee.org>
Source record: 143609

KV4FZ is a self-centred egomaniac who was caught breaking the law (and convicted) and should be in prison. I know him personally and have known about him for more than 25 years. The more time he gets in prison, the better. He should not be on the air as he is a convicted felon. Furthermore, he is a WANKER.

IMHO he has taken you all in to fight his loser's cause.

3237. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507092030.10232.00000355@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 143610

My father is 75 years old and since my mother passed a way he is looking for new hobbies.
He knows I am a ham and asked to see my station when he came over to play with his grandchildren. We heard Racist and Foul Language for about 5 minutes on 3.950 (approx). My father was disgusted and shut the radio off and said : " why would I spend my time and $ on a hobby that would allow such Filth, Racist etc". I felt ashamed.
73's TIm

3238. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpos <jpos@mobilemark.com>
Message-ID: <6XBY2.14542$wE1.8262@nntp0.chicago.il.ameritech.net>
Source record: 143611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I just finished giving my seven year old his code lesson. He's learning the code to earn a award in his Tiger Cub Scout group. He is a seven year old that came to me to learn the code, and has no interest in radio, I would think that anyone who is interested in radio should stop crying about it and donate the 15 minutes a night for 2 weeks, and learn it.

No one complains about having to learn how to use windows before they can surf the net....

Jerry N9DKQ
not a Brass Pounder.....

Marv Luse wrote in message <373198C1.3FCB22E6@dimensional.com>...
>Jack C Empson Jr wrote:
>
>> That's ok we can argue all we want about keeping the code test, but something
>> needs to be done to bring people into amateur radio not keep them out. Soon enough
>> all the brass pounders will be gone and then the FCC can sell of the rest of the
>> ham spectrum. How soon we have forgotten about 220 MHz.
>>
>> **********
>> * Jack Empson Instructional Support Technician *
>> * State University of New York @ Buffalo *
>> * 10 Norton Buffalo, New York 14260 *
>> * Voice 716.645.3518 Fax 716.645.3198 *
>> **********
>>
>> 186000 mps it's not just a good idea, it's the law!
>
>Jack,
>
>Brass pounders will always be around, and in large numbers too. As for new blood in
>Amateur Radio, there is plenty of that too. Where did the notion that Amateur Radio
>is dying come from? At my extra class exam (recent) there were about 5 youngsters
>aged about 10 taking the 5 WPM code test. Come to think of it, there were kids
>testing at every one of the test sessions I attended.

>
>I think we need to worry more about the F layer falling.
>
>73,
>
>Marv
>AB0IO
>

3239. Re: Help with Motorola P110 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Igor <icho@softhome.net>
Message-ID: <7guqpe$9tg$1@mail.nursat.net>
Source record: 143612
Cross-posted to:
alt.firefighters,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Jason wrote <926009733.400.12@news.remarQ.com> ...
>Greetings. I just acquired a used Motorola P 110 ht. The radio did
not come
>with an instruction manual. I have one nagging problem with it.
There is a
>small round button above the PTT button that doesn't seem to do
much of
>anything once pressed. On my other radios, this is a monitor
button. On
>this radio, when I press this button, a yellow light comes on for 4
seconds
>in front of the volume control. Can anyone offer any insight as to
what this
>is for? I wrote Motorola about it but got the cold shoulder I
guess because
>I bought it used. I dunno. Any help is appreciated

Dunno how to program your P-110 and would like to do it yourself?
Need software and homebrew programmer?
Let me know by E-mail and you'll get it.
Igor

3240. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7guubd$a5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143613

In article <7gupce$595$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the social
> misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his
> boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes
> together.!!!!
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> Yup, now we have all the Atlanta white trash,in the news groups dumpimg
posts, because they are afraid of the T*R*U*T*H.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3241. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7guuid$a7q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143614

In article <7guertsjv1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
n4lmc@ij.net wrote:
>
>
> If this wasn't so ludicrous i might offer to send you letters recieved from
> Terry Halpern to me. Or, a letter recieved from a sister the
> Courage Center. SASE only..n4lmc
>
> In article <19990504232939.07592.00000996@ngol06.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> > KV4FZ has been an active amateur radio operator since 1954 when he was first
> > licensed in the Midwest as W0VXO. While working his way through college
> > (1960-64), he spent summers teaching at several camps for the physically
> > handicapped. He was highly successful in teaching seriously disabled
campers Just like the DA said at his trial, "Nothing more then a common
criminal"
> > about the potential of amateur radio. Many of these campers went on to
fully
> > qualify for their amateur radio licenses.
> >
> > His father, W.B. Schoenbohm, was the founder of Courage Center in
> > Minneapolis. Herb was a major force in pushing for the initiation of the
> > Handi-Ham program, which is now widely recognized as the premier service
> > organization for disabled radio amateurs. After college, Herb worked as a
> > international sales representative for Gates Radio, Harris Corp, and Collins
> > Radio. He sold and distributed broadcast equipment to the international
> > market, primarily Latin America. In 1968, he moved to the U.S. Virgin
> > Islands with the intent of better serving his customers. His wife Monika
> > was, at that time. a service representative for Pan AmericanAirways. KV4FZ
> > was very active in DX work and, as a frequent traveler, put many new
> > countries on 160 meters. He was instrumental in getting Stew Perry, W1BB,
the
> > necessary countries to be the first ham ever to get DXCC on 160 meters. He
> also
> > gave G3IOR the last country he need (VP2EFZ, Anguilla) for the first
> > ever DXCC via satellite (Oscar 7).
> >
> > During the 1970's, KV4FZ was able to set CQ World Wide records 160-10 in
> > almost ever category except 40 meters. He was also very active in
> > supporting the IARU Intruder Watch after encountering frequent yachts in
> > the area that had acquired licenses of convenience for a fee. At that time,
> > FCC Commissioner Margita White appointed KV4FZ as the Virgin Islands SECC.
The
> > SECC has responsibility to plan and manage the operation of radio

> > communications resources during island emergencies. Herb fulfilled that
> > role magnificently and was named a Virgin Island "Hero" after Hurricane
> > Hugo destroyed most of St. Croix in 1989. Herb received this award for
> > keeping vital communications circuits open during the crisis.) Herb also
took
> a
> > detailed interest in how most of these "pirates" has a close association
with
> > the so-called "service nets" on the top end of 20 meters. He joined the net
> and
> > attended several of the hamfest functions. Only then did he learn how
> > deliberate and sordid was the manner in which net members misused the
amateur
> > spectrum as a means to provide an international telephone toll by-pass
> service.
> > One of the most flagrant of all these operations was the "INTERCON" network
> > operating, for the most part, on 14.313 MHz. Herb began detailed monitoring
> of
> > their operation and intercepted many communications that were appalling to
say
> > the least. In 1979, KV4FZ listening to what appeared to be a "business
> > connection" between WB6MID/8R1 in Jonestown, Guyana and WB6MID in Ukia,
> > California.
> > Herb broke in and informed the net personnel that this type of operation on
> > an amateur frequency was illegal. Furthermore, Herb stated that their
> > communication constituted international business communications related to
> > funds transfers and the procurement of equipment and supplies. The net
> > hierarchy reacted by excoriating him for his "embarrassing comments" and
> > ignoring the violations. The net bluntly told him that the Jonestown
> > Operation was a missionary group and that they had special permission from
> > the Carter administration to use ham radio to further their "worthy cause".
> > Herb persisted with his concern and was quickly declared 'PERSONNA NON
> > GRATA" by Robert Sternberg, AA4EE, a tax attorney who claimed to be the
> > nets legal advisor. Herb expressed his concerns to other net operators
> > participating in the companion "Maritime Mobile Net" such as Dick Eastman,
> > N5FX and Mike Galego, KA4MUJ. Several Maritime Net members agreed that some
of
> > the more criminal practices, such as one ringers and "maintenance charges"
for
> > providing long distance toll free connections practically anywhere in the
> > world, must be curtailed.
> >
> > Some of the net cabal hierarchy rebuffed all attempts to institute reform
> > and a nasty power struggle ensued. Eastman and Galego were "ex-
communicated"
> > by Ruth Hoffman N4LMC, Eddie Ricca K4PT and Art Candell N4PCK. The latter
> > began a propaganda campaign, replete with false stories and personal
attacks,
> > that promised to destroy any net opposition that
> > sought reform. The net members objected to the lively participation of

> > KV4FZ, KA4MUJ, and N5FX (a former net director) who frequently brought to
the
> > attention of net participants certain stations whose conduct violated
> > the FCC and International Rules.
> >
> > During the 1980's, net members began a campaign of coordinated complaints
> > to the FCC claiming that the aforementioned three were causing willful and
> > malicious interference to the net. N5FX and KV4FZ both received
> > prefabricated FCC citations at the behest of the net command. Both were
> > able to get the FCC to nullify their actions based on the fact that their
> > constructive comments did not constitute "malicious interference" and that
> > certain members of the net themselves were engaged in a premeditated
> > campaign of harassment and interference.
> >
> > Several members of the net were subsequently caught interfering with the
> > communications of KV4FZ and KA4MUJ. They include K2BFI and AA5LY. AA5LY
> later
> > gave the FCC, and supporters of KV4FZ and KA4MUJ, a complete and accurate
> > accounting of the plot by disgruntled net members to "settle the score".
That
> > plan included a vigorous campaign of letter writing to politicians in
> > Washington in an attempt to pressure them into punishing the net detractors.
> >
> > N4PCK had his own reason to get even. He had known Herb while he was
> > operating in Haiti as HH2A and was very active on the INTERCON net. Herb
> > had learned, through his contacts in Haiti, that Candell had a serious
> > problem. He would solicit young pre-teen boys and pay them a quarter to
> > perform sex acts on him. A prominent Haitian administrator was told, by his
> > son, that the young boy had been abused and sodomized by Candell. There
> > was no arrest or trial. But the arrival of the outraged local citizenry at
> > Candell's hillside villa dictated that Candell receive an armed escort to
> > the airport. Candell then appeared in the Orlando, Fl area, illegally
> > using the call HH2A/W4 and actively engaging in net activities. The net
> > watchdogs, now known as the B.A.R.F. (The Better Amateur Radio Federation),
> > pointed out that Candell was not eligible to use a Haitian call sign in the
> > United States unless he was a Haitian citizen and had been granted a proper
> > permit from the FCC.
> >
> > Again the net members supported Candell and sought to silence Herb.
> > However, the FCC ruled that Candell could no longer operate from Florida
> > unless he obtained a valid U.S. amateur radio license. Candell later paid
> > off a VEC in Silver Springs, Fl to fraudulently give him a passing grade on
> > a General Class license examination. The VEC was later sanctioned but
> > Candell was neither removed from the air nor required to be re-examined.
> > In 1989 Candell was finally arrested and convicted of multiple incidents of
> > child molestation. He was given a suspended sentence that was partially
> > based upon INTERCON's assertion that he had been rehabilitated by amateur
> > radio service in their net. (Candell was arrested and convicted again in
> > 1994 for carnal assault on several boys between 8 and 10 years of age whom
> > he had invited into home under the pretense of showing them his ham

> > station. He has been institutionalized for several years but his ham
> > license was, nonetheless, renewed in 1996 for another ten years.)
> > In 1990, Candell continued with his plot to destroy and discredit KV4FZ in
> > retaliation for Herb's alleged "interference" with the net's "business".
> > Candell actively leagued with other enemies of KV4FZ such as Pat Miller,
> > KP2J in St. Thomas, and Richard Whiten, WB2OTK. Miller supplied Whiten
> > the so-called "proof" of a crime by playing a recorded tape on both 20 and
> > 75 meters. Miller introduced Candell to the operator of a long distance
> > resale service that KV4FZ briefly subscribed to in 1987. Some of the users
> > of the CALLS (Caribbean Automated Long Line Service) system (a six digit
> > access code system on which half the possible combinations of digits gained
> > the caller access to a WATTS line) had been illegally abusing the CALLS
> > scheme. Malcolm Ford had claimed losses to the tune of $200,000 and needed
a
> > scapegoat. Thereupon, it was decided that a criminal case should be
> > manufactured against Herb, KV4FZ.
> >
> > Ford needed this falsification to support his ludicrous claim that the
> > impending bankruptcy of CALLS was not due to his inept management.
> > Instead, it proffered that somehow Herb had caused his business to fail.
> > This was vital to Ford because he was still salaried as the GM of CALLS
> > even though they were in receivership. Ford's efforts failed and he was
> > physically removed from the operation after the Federal Bankruptcy judge
> > found him raiding the treasury and assets of CALLS.
> >
> > However, all during this time, Ford was fabricating evidence in an attempt
> > to establish a connection between CALLS financial failure and KV4FZ. Yet
> > the Department of Justice continually refused to prosecute Herb. This
> > resulted in even more acrimonious letters to officials and politicians in a
> > further attempt to implicate Herb as the culprit.
> >
> > Malcolm Ford, the previous owner of CALLS, was then under investigation for
> > bankruptcy fraud. In an attempt to escape indictment, Ford hired John
> > Ackley, KP2A, to fabricate various reports that would designate Vitelco(a
> > local phone service), STSJ Long Lines, ITT and Herb as coconspirators who
> > were attempting run him out of business. While this was going on, Ackley
> > was attempting to buy the nearly defunct company for ten cents on the
> > dollar. (Ackley failed but STSJ was able to get the company back on its
feet.)
> > Miller, Hoffman, Candell and others intensified their letter writing
campaign
> > to hundreds of politicians in Washington urging them to investigate. They
even
> > began writing letters to newspapers, claiming that politicians were
shielding
> > KV4FZ from prosecution. In these hate letters to public officials, Herb was
> > equated with organized crime, drug trafficking, and high level political
> > corruption. In 1991, KV4FZ was writing a hard-hitting column for the St.
Croix
> > Avis newspaper. Herb frequently attacked political corruption so it stood to

> > reason that he might have some enemies in government. Herb had articles
> > published about the check kiting and House Banking fraud perpetrated by the
> > Virgin Island Delegate to Congress, Ron Delugo. Outraged and distraught,
> Delugo
> > (who had designs upon becoming the next governor of the Virgin Islands)
> > assigned a full time staff attorney (Sylvester Julian) to explore methods of
> > pressuring the FCC, the Secret Service, and the Department of Justice into
> > investigating Herb and "putting a 'severe hurting' on him".
> >
> > However an obstacle remained in the path of their plan to annihilate KV4FZ.
> > Some at the FCC supported Herbs activities on behalf of the amateur radio
> > service. Additionally he was elected as Vice Chairman of the Virgin
> > Islands Republican Committee, which made him a frequent delegate to the GOP
> > Conventions. Furthermore, Herb was personally acquainted with President
Bush.
> > Herb's father had served on the President's Commission for the Handicapped.
> >
> > Initially, each and every involved agency claimed there was not enough
> > evidence to support a charge against Herb. Subsequent to this, John
> > Ackley, KP2A, manufactured a list of 660 telephone calls that were
> > prearranged to add up to $1,047 in value. This was exactly forty-seven
> > dollars over the amount needed to achieve the threshold of prosecution.
> > Delugo wrote threatening letters to various government agencies threatening
> > that he would see to it that their funding was severely curtailed if he did
> > not receive figuratively receive Herb's head on a silver platter. Ruth
Hoffman
> > constantly badgered the acting U.S. Attorney for the Virgin Islands, Terri
> > Halpern. This continued to the point that Hoffman was finally ordered to
stop
> > harassing Halpern. However, as a Congressman to the VI, Delugo was in a
> > position convince colleagues not to block Halpern's confirmation. Delugo
> > reportedly told Halpirn that, unless she prosecuted Herb Schoenbohm, she
would
> > never become U.S. Attorney. (Halprin was fired in 1992 by the DOJ for
ethical
> > lapses after the Office of Professional Responsibility investigated the
severe
> > criticism, from the 3rd Circuit Court of Appeals, that Halpern received for
> the
> > "knowing use of false evidence" to secure a conviction. Nevertheless, the
> trial
> > prosecutor was cleared by OPR because they were unable to prove that the
> > prosecutor actually knew the evidence used was false.)
> >
> > Herb's trial took place in April 1991 (four months past the five-year
> > statute of limitations). Both Ackley and Miller testified, under oath, as
> > to the veracity and accuracy of the incriminating evidence they had
> > assisted in concocting. (Miller offered his so-called "caught in the act"
> > tape of Herb dialing "illegal access codes". Ackley presented his list of
> > random numbers that he verified, as a government expert witness, were all

> > telephone numbers dialed by defendant Schoenbohm.
> >
> > The puzzled and confused jury convicted Herb on all three counts of Title
> > 18, SS 1029(a): 1,2 and 3, which is, in reality, an illegal credit card
> > statute. This statute has been used infrequently to curb the illegal use
> > of cloned cellular telephones. After trial, Schoenbohm with the help of Bob
> > Sheron, W4ASX, closely scrutinized the evidence and began tracking down the
> > parties that Ackley had claimed, under oath, that Herb had illegally
> > called. A most amazing discovery unfolded: most of the persons contacted
> > did not know Herb Schoenbohm or had never had a telephone conversation with
> > him. Amazingly, they had already given statements confirming this fact to
the
> > Secret Service investigators. Most had even identified persons, other
> > than Schoenbohm, whom had called them from the Virgin Islands during the
> > timeframe in question (1987). Interestingly, the court refused to allow
> > Schoenbohm to verify the numbers before trial.
> >
> > The court incredibly claimed that it needed to protect the potential
witnesses
> > from pre-trial disclosure! After trial, armed with affidavits from the
persons
> > alleged to have received Herb's "illegal" calls, Herb moved for a Judgment
of
> > Acquittal not withstanding the jury verdict. The court granted the motion
on
> > all counts but one (Possession or Use of a Counterfeit Access Device). The
> > court maintained that the Miller tape proved that something was amiss and
> > the jury could correctly deduce from this that the law had been broken.
> > This court decision differs from the previous decision in that the device
> > is similar to, but not exactly the same as, a valid device and does not
> > require the threshold of over $1000 in use. (The irony in this entire
> > matter is that Herb freely admitted to using the service briefly in 1987.
> > He was a bona fide customer and the total actual use amounted to $106.
> > CALLS finally was required by the court to produce Herb's check for $104
> > that they had received in1987. They admitted that they did not cash the
> > check but, instead, held it as an aid in the plot to entrap KV4FZ.)
> > When the court vacated the judgment requiring two months prison time,
> > Herb's detractors were enraged and, once again, began the political letter
> > writing campaign. Now the claim was that Herb had used amateur radio in
> > the commission of a crime and should be taken off the air. They sent the
> > highly doctored Miller Tapes to the FCC in an attempt to prove their
> > incredible theory. Their letters were full of outrage over the fact that
> > Herb had once more cheated Madam Guillotine and he still on the air making
> > waves. Some were furious due to the fact that they had given financial
> > support to certain political candidates and nothing permanent had been done
> > to rid the airwaves of this "pest", KV4FZ. (Ruth Hoffman even conveyed
> > gifts to officials at the FCC in attempt to bribe public servants. One
> > such official, William Cross, was investigated for leaking internal
> > information to Ruth Hoffman in the KV4FZ matter. Hoffman then disseminated
> > this information for use in the hate campaign against Herb.)

> >
> > KV4FZ then was subsequently forced to embark upon a long and costly
> > struggle for justice. He has had to fight the refusal to renew his amateur
> > license by demanding a hearing before the FCC. (The refusal to renew is
> > rarely used as a procedure and has been given the title: "The FCC Death
> > Penalty" because the entire burden of proof is placed upon the licensee.)
> > At the first FCC hearing, Administrative Law Judge Luton ruled against
> > KV4FZ. However, upon higher review, the FCC General Counsel refused to
> > accept Judge Luton's findings and remanded the matter for reconsideration.
> > The principle issue is whether or not KV4FZ had used amateur radio in the
> > furtherance of the commission of a crime. This time the ALJ ruled that
> > there was nothing in the evidence (The Miller Tape) that was illegal in any
> > way. The concluded that Schoenbohm actually was dialing ordinary and valid
> > Virgin Islands telephone numbers. He was not entering illicit access codes
> > to make long distance calls.
> >
> > The ALJ did, however, agree with the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau
> > (WTB) assertion that, by giving out the telephone number, in 1994, of
> > Herb's future boss, Congressman Frazer (whom, incidentally ran Delugo out
> > of office), Herb was violating a solicitation restriction of ex-parte
> > rules. This was despite the fact that WTB had conceded that no actual
> > ex-parte violation had taken place. The ALJ ruled that, by attempting to
> > explain his conviction as a De Minimus violation rather than a crime of
> > major impact, he was trying to mislead the trial of fact. (In
administrative
> > law, the assertion of innocence is a crime even if the accused is actually
> > innocent! It is akin to Hobson's Choice or the Salem witch trials whereupon,
> if
> > the tied woman is thrown into the pond, and she does not drown, then she
must
> > surely be a witch and, thus, must be burned to death.
> >
> > Herb had been fighting the remaining count through the Federal Courts and
> > has even succeeded in convincing the courts to severely criticize the DOJ
> > for their handling of the case. Nevertheless, they refused to reverse the
> > remaining conviction because of the nearly impossible to define "standard
> > of harmless error". The appellate court ruled that the motion for Judgment
> > of Acquittal had been filed too late even though the trial judge had granted
> an
> > extension based on the emergence of irrefutable proof that the prosecution
had
> > used false evidence. As a result they were barred from considering the
> > sufficiency of evidence matter at this late date under the rigorous
standards
> > of Habeas Corpus review. However, a positive revelation in the latest FCC
> > decision is that it clearly vindicates Herb on the original charge of using
> ham
> > radio in the commission of a crime. It also conclusively proves that his
> > detractors engaged in perjury before a Federal Grand Jury and Petit Jury
> trial.

> >
> > Many on the local scene recognized the truth. The Trial Judge, The
> > Honorable Ann Thompson, wrote a letter of support and praise on Herb's
> > behalf. The Governor of the Virgin Islands did not simply restore Herb's
> > government career. He elevated Herb to a position of higher authority with
> > more responsibility to the island and a significantly higher salary. He was
> > also employed, as a part-time field representative, on the congressional
> > staff of newly elected Congressman Frazer.
> >
> > The FCC WTB attorneys characterized these as "political jobs", unworthy of
> > consideration as a mitigating factor in Herb's "rehabilitation"!) Although
> Herb
> > had a Congressional Floor Pass, granting him direct access to the ears of
the
> > politicians, there is no evidence that he ever abused his position to lobby
> > House members against the FCC. This is in spite of the fact that the
> > bureaucrats inside the FCC are very much afraid that Herb might just whisper
> in
> > the ear of someone who controls their finances. Because of this, Herb is not
> > allowed to take his case to the very people who would be horrified to learn
> the
> > truth about how he has been treated. These are the people who could finally
> put
> > a stop to this travesty of justice. Yet, Herb's detractors are on the phone
> > daily, pushing those in power to get him off the air, one way or another.
> When
> > will the voice of reason and justice be heard?
> >
> > Some of us do not like the odds and are willing to help end this fiasco.
> > Herb's legal bills are soaring but he continues the fight. His attorney,
> > Larry Colby (a licensed ham), has stated that when this issue gets into the
> > proper arena, Herb will be totally vindicated. But this can only happen if
> > Herb is allowed to fight on and get his case into the proper arena. Right
> > now, it is still in a forum where all the rules are stacked against the
> > licensee. When the matter gets out of the FCC, and into the D.C. Circuit
> > Court, then the playing field is closer to being balanced. There, the Feds
> > don't have the automatic upper hand that allows them to do what their
> > political puppet-masters demand.
> >
> > A small donation of $25, $50 or $100 will go a long way in continuing the
> > fight for justice. There is an underlying principle that must be
> > preserved. It is not keeping Herb on the air that drives his supporters.
> > It is the realization that if they can deprive KV4FZ of justice then they
> > can deprive any of us of justice. Today they are persecuting KV4FZ.
> > Tomorrow it could be you. You could be railroaded just because somebody
> > doesn't agree with your position on the nets, phone patching, or apple pie.
> > Herb is working vigorously to get the funds together for his appeal. His
> > attorney Larry Colby is attempting to get an extension of time to file
> > exceptions. If you can help in anyway, please contact John Dillenger,
> > K4GFM, who is the custodian of the Defense Fund.

> >
> > Schoenbohm Defense Fund
> > PO BOX 690263
> >
> > Vero Beach,
> > Florida 32969
> >
> > LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> > Athens, Alabama
> > ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> > ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> > WEB PAGES:
> > http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> > http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
> >
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3242. HamFair Friedrichshafen

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: k0hb@arrl.ORG
Message-ID: <3732F930.46A4@arrl.org>
Source record: 143615

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BCC-News (May, 06 1999)
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c/o: Dieter, DF4RD
Email: dippel@rrze.uni-erlangen.de

Ham Radio Fair 1999
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Europeans biggest Hamradio Event (app. 20.000 visitors)

Date: Thursday, 24th - Saturday, 26th of June 1999
Place: Friedrichshafen, Bodensee (Lake Constance)
South-West Germany (close to the Swiss- and Austrian Border)

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* Attention: Opening days !!! *
* Thursday to Saturday - Sunday is closed. *
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Bavarian Contest Club (BCC):
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You are welcome to stop by in Hall 9 (formerly flea market),
Booth Number not known yet
...in the center of the hall - look for the "Bavarian Flag".

Evening DX- and Contest Meetings:
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A meeting of Contesters and DXers will be organized as in previous years
by the BCC (Bavarian Contest Club) and the RRDXA (Rhein Ruhr DX
Association)
on Thursday and Friday evening.

Date: Thursday, 24th of June
Friday, 25th of June (Special Event: "Super Sprint Contest")
Start: app. 19:30 Local Time
End: ???? not known ... but usual very late ... !!!

Place: Restaurant "Adler" in Ailingen (app. 5km from the fair)

!!!!! NO RESERVATION IS NEEDED !!!!!

A detailed road map is available at the BCC booth.

Contest-Forum:
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Date: Saturday, 26th
Time: 11.00 'til 13.00 Local Time

More information as soon as it becomes available ... pse qrx ...
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DARC DX-Meeting:
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Date: Saturday, 26th
Time: 16:00 Local Time

IOTA Meeting:
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IOTA friends will meet this year again on
Date: Friday 25.06.98
Time: at 19.00 Local Time
PLace: Gasthaus "BEIM BENE`
VFB Stadion Restaurant
Teuringer Stra&#65533;e 2
(five min. away from the exebition area)

For additional details ... pse contact
Hans-Georg, DK1RV
Email: DK1RV@t-online.de

For more details, events, meetings and information ....

pse visit the Webpage of the Bavarian Contest Club

http://www.uni-erlangen.de/~unrz45/BCC

All about the Ham Radio 1999: http://www.messe-fn.de/ham

All about the town of Friedrichshafen: http://www.friedrichshafen.de

Hope to see you .....

73 de Dieter, DF4RD and the whole BCC-Gang

Dieter Dippel, DF4RD email: dippel@rrze.uni-erlangen.de
Bavarian Contest Club http://www.uni-erlangen.de/~unrz45/BCC

3243. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio ! (baaa ha ha ha!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Turner <markt@ipa.net>
Message-ID: <7guuft$18a$1@news.ipa.net>
Source record: 143616

pharmacodynamics splayfoote <head404n@dincol.edu> wrote in message
news:01be974a$a532da60$LocalHost@a8974a789cf8643...
>
> ljutefisk@yahoo.com wrote in article
<MPG.11995b2c3e574989690@news.vais.net>...
> > In article <slrn7iv36h.4u.root@wild.net>, root@warez.phantom.com
>
> > I'd put money on the fatboy being a ham.
>
> A sure bet. Although I am an SWL, and have NO desire to go for
> a ham licence as long as stooo-pid code is required for HF, I have
> been to several ham radio swap meets and I've never seen more
> fat-assed, chain-smokin porkies waddling about like bloated ducks in any
one
> place bar none! What is good about this is most of these Fatso's
> will probably be dead of heart failure in short time and I'll be able to
> pick up their radio gear for HF SWL use on the cheap from their
> wives who will no doubt be glad to get all that %@^(+! junk out of the
house.
> Case in point I paid a visit to a recently ex-pired ham's place and picked
> up about 3 Grand worth of HF/VHF gear from his ex who let me have the
> whole lot for $400.00 (including a new-in-the-box Yeasu FT-100)
>
> Just keep a-droppin like flies all U fatso with portables on your
stretched belts!
>
>
Sorry OM, when I die my wife and kids who are also hams will get my station!

3244. RFENFORCER@aol.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7gv29i$dq9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143617

COME ON FELLOWS WE ALL KNOW WHO THIS LOOSER IS! JUST ANOTHER FREE 30 DAY ACCOUNT WITH AOL! SAME LOOSER DIFFERENT ACCOUNT! PV-pilot

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3245. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3732F4AB.3ECE@no.net>
Source record: 143618

rich7@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> > In article <19990504232939.07592.00000996@ngol06.aol.com>,
> > n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> > > KV4FZ has been an active amateur radio operator since 1954 when he was first
> > > licensed in the Midwest as W0VXO. While working his way through college
> > > (1960-64), he spent summers teaching at several camps for the physically
> > > handicapped. He was highly successful in teaching seriously disabled
> campers Just like the DA said at his trial, "Nothing more then a common

<rest of useless drivel about KV4FZ deleted>

As P.T. Barnum said, "there's one born every minute".

3246. Re: KV4FZ - American Felon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4lmc@ij.net
Message-ID: <7gv4m7$g2r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143619

Now we know why you believe the stuff from Marty's page. Any one with half a
brain would know authenticity comes from letter heads.
Not to easy to put that on DEJA NEWS.

http://www.geocities.com/Nashville/Opry/5518

In article <19990507072254.19490.00000385@ng-fx1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> >If this wasn't so ludicrous i might offer to send you letters recieved from
> >Terry Halpern to me. Or, a letter recieved from a sister the
> >Courage Center. SASE only..n4lmc
>
> What's a matter, can't post them here for us to read?
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
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3247. License renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Heath <jimheath@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <7gv1g4mjr1@ns2.foothill.net>
Source record: 143620

What's the process now for renewing? My license expires in a few weeks.

73, Jim KB6SX

3248. Re: License renewal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: drmarc@wwa.com
Message-ID: <7gv35d$t24$4@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 143621

In article <7gv1g4mjr1@ns2.foothill.net>,
"Jim Heath" <jimheath@foothill.net> wrote:
>What's the process now for renewing? My license expires in a few weeks.
>
>73, Jim KB6SX
>
>
>
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Subit a 610 application form to the Gettysburg, PA address. If you want, you should be able to download a 610 form from the FCC and maybe from the ARRL web page.

Marc Schneider, Psy.D.
e-mail to: <drmarc@wwa.com>
(call sign: W4NVY)

3249. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be98e7$c58be6a0$01f9abc3@default>
Source record: 143622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hi Cec,

Shot any rattlers lately. What's your score to date ?

Over here we'd be prosecuted by the RSPCA (Royal Society
for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals)
--
Reg.

3250. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-07 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Dewey <jdewey@tribune.com>
Message-ID: <7guvkc$p6n23@news.tis-in.trb>
Source record: 143623

About 10 years ago I had the same problem at Montreal or Toronto. After a talk with several people I found it was (allegeldlly) a well known regulation in Canada. They made an excellent point. You could claim you have a bomb in the cargo and this is the trigger. I was required to check the radio through.

Of course these days with Cell phones, it would be tough to argue against a Ham transmitter.
KA9CAR

William G. Graves wrote in message <7gspjl$2v@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>...
>I was NOT allowed to carry my ICOM HT in a backback. This was even after
>assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be turned
>on. The supervisor at the Xray station said they will not allow any
>"walkie-talkies" (!!) on board period.
>
>Now I have gone back with dejanews and checked and many of you have carried
>radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on. There
>are laws limiting operation aboard aircraft.
>
>I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.
>
>Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal limitations
>are?
>
>I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good
reason.
>I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not
>broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
>
>thanks
>bill
>- - - - - - - - - - - - - - -
>Bill Graves
>bgraves@ix.netcom.com
>
>

3251. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3734829D.D2D4F675@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143424
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oscar wrote:
> The above are personal situations I've been involved with so I chose to
> lock up my guns. I doubt I could convince you otherwise about weapons,
> nor do I want to, but being an adult, you will of course accept the
> consequences.

I live alone (with my two dogs) and my nearest neighbor is out
of pistol/shotgun range.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3252. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926188651.589.57@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

I thought maybe so too, but wasn't sure if that wasn't Jack and Jill.
Now, I add Hans and his dipole to the list of soon to be forgotten
history.

Michael.

Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:37345EAE.D6848237@hotmail.com...
> Michael Young wrote:
> > The medium *is* the message in code practice. If you're bored,
you're
> > not going fast enough. Do you remember your first reading primer?
Dick
> > and Jane held my attention fast for a long time, but I don't
remember a> word of it. I'll bet you could care less about their antics
these days, too.
> ---
> Care even less so about Morse Code. Though I do remember something
about
> Dick and Jane going to get some water with a pail.

3253. Re: screw ball AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h20bv$o0h@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143426

N0VFP <n0vfp@aol.com> wrote:

>> >>WOW, are you brave hiding behind anonymity. Be a man for once in your life
>>and state your callsign and name. You're no REALDEAL. You're a REALPUTZ. Doc
>>AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

>Who says you have to put a callsign in the Newsgroup????

It adds credibility to your comments, and it keeps you out of kill-files.
Just as the PL decoder helps to eliminate repeater jammers, the KF helps
to eliminate newsgroup jammers.

Without a callsign here, you're just white noise, begging to be squelched
out with the KF.

Jeff KH6O

3254. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h21ab$ooq@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>You don't understand. Perhaps he wants to be a Ham that can talk on HF
>frequencies and never use Morse Code. There are a lot of us like that
>that are licensed hams now.

It's doubtful that you're licensed, for you'd know better than to be cross-posting this thread to rra.space. Regardless, when one operates on HF, he's operating on a CW frequency, for CW is the only mode permitted anywhere on any frequency. Thus, it only makes sense that one should have the capability to copy code to be on HF. (Not necessary for V/UHF operation, for unlike HF, 50% of the QSOs up there are not conducted via CW.) // Jeff KH6O

3255. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926190275.292.71@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143428
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:37345C53.23942922@hotmail.com...
> Reg Edwards wrote:
> >
> > Don wrote...
> > > People talk too much about morse code.
> > ====================================
> > de de de dah de dah
> ======================================
> Perhaps dididiDahdiDah???

Depending on band conditions and the fist, maybe: wiwiwiwawiwa.

3256. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h21t1$p5s@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

>H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
>: I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
>: I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)

I've been a ham since '76.
I've been a diver since '74 (NAUI and Los Angeles County certified).
I completed ground school; some day I sure would like to complete the
process of becoming a pilot. I can't think of any other pastime that
combines so many of the sciences. // Jeff KH6O

3257. FCC at work---> Nun Jokes are Habit-Forming (Comments??)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hugh-betchaNOSPAM@usa.net
Message-ID: <MPG.119e588d9bbae723989681@news.jungle.net>
Source record: 143430

What kind of discipline do you think they'll impose......Nun???

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Fri, 7 May 1999 13:04:21 -0400 (EDT)
Message-ID:
<s732db6a.050@fcc.gov>
Errors-To:
listmaster@info.fcc.gov
Reply-To:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Originator:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Sender:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Precedence:
bulk
From:
Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
To:
Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
Subject:
Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
X-Listprocessor-Version:
6.0c -- ListProcessor by Anastasios Kotsikonas
X-Comment:
FCC Daily Digest Mailing List
X-Mailer:
Novell GroupWise 4.1
X-Mozilla-Status:
8001
X-Mozilla-Status2:
00000000
X-UIDL:
926112491.8977.charleston

Received: From [165.135.0.253] gatekeeper2.fcc.gov
By mail.fcc.gov (GroupWise SMTP/MIME daemon 4.11)
Fri, 7 May 99 12:12:34 EDT
Received: by gatekeeper2.fcc.gov; id MAA25802; Fri, 7 May 1999 12:11:45
-0400 (EDT)
Received: from gbmcinternet.gbmc.org(205.229.239.2) by
gatekeeper2.fcc.gov via smap (4.1)
id xma025793; Fri, 7 May 99 12:10:49 -0400

Received: by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org; id IAA13741; Fri, 7 May 1999
08:04:06 -0400
Received: from mail.gbmc.org(129.100.0.28) by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org via
smap (V3.1)
id xma013725; Fri, 7 May 99 08:04:03 -0400
Received: from GBMCMAIN-Message_Server by gbmc.org
with Novell_GroupWise; Fri, 07 May 1999 12:08:00 -0500
Message-Id: <s732d7a0.085@gbmc.org>
X-Mailer: Novell GroupWise 5.5
Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 13:07:47 -0400
From: "SARA B. GUMNIT" <SGUMNIT@gbmc.org>
To: laurie@clack.com,sheila_duffy@dodd.senate.gov,
barbara.kellman@espire.net, SMESA@fcc.gov,
hkarche@gwgate1.jhmi.jhu.edu, csevel@hcfa.gov, funner@pol.net,
preamer@radix.net
Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: multipart/mixed; boundary="=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7"

--=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Disposition: inline

This is totally sacrilegious, so if you may be offended - don't open the

attachment.
--=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
Content-Type: message/rfc822

Return-Path: <kat918@erols.com>
Received: from rly-st02.mx.aol.com (rly-st02.mail.aol.com
[172.31.36.135])
by air01.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999
23:37:22
-0500
Received: from rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (rly-yd01.mail.aol.com
[172.18.150.1])
by rly-st02.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with ESMTP id VAA05489;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:14 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (smtp4.erols.com [207.172.3.237])

by rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with ESMTP id VAA10591;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
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by smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (8.8.8/smtp-v1) with ESMTP id
VAA18117;
Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
Received: from default (207-172-206-233.s42.as4.blb.md.dialup.rcn.com
[207.172.206.233])
by smtp2.erols.com (8.8.8/8.8.5) with ESMTP id WAA26252;

Wed, 14 Apr 1999 22:05:52 -0400 (EDT)
Message-Id: <199904150205.WAA26252@smtp2.erols.com>
Reply-To: <kat918@erols.com>
X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
X-Priority: 3
X-Mailer: Microsoft Internet Mail 4.70.1162
Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 20:47:20 -0500
From: "Kathie Schisler" <kat918@erols.com>
To: accent956@aol.com,bubba83191@aol.com, crb1206@aol.com,
Dealldy@aol.com, decobake@aol.com, Jeslo1213@aol.com,
KH1120@aol.com, KMyers442@aol.com, Kristada@aol.com,
kuka97@aol.com, pulsar56@aol.com, RChan87112@aol.com,
sea67vet@aol.com, sickgirl01@aol.com, Stasia67@aol.com,
sweetee325@aol.com, TOTI674@aol.com, djcum@erols.com,
lmherold@erols.com, netcruzr@erols.com, TFIKE@erols.com,
able-1@ix.netcom.com, kwhiteley@mcsbalt.com
Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain
Content-Disposition: inline

> From: jillk <jillk@gateway.net>
> To: kat918@erols.com
> Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 8:54 PM
>
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>
> To: Toni Spagnolo <tspagnol@bcpl.net>; Melissa Weese
> <mickeymouse_96@yahoo.com>; Aunt Jill <jillk@gateway.net>
> Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 5:52 PM
> Subject: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
>
>
> >
> >
> >---------- Forwarded message ----------
> >Date: Wed, 7 Apr 1999 10:32:37 -0400
> >From: "Franco, Pedro I (Ivan)" <pifranco@lucent.com>
> >To: Angel Pratt <drkangel1@aol.com>, Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>,
> > Fernando Franco <francocesa@aol.com>,
> > Timmy Barnhart <tcbarnhart@lucent.com>
> >Subject: Nuns in heaven
> >
> >> Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 10:21 AM
> >> To: Eric; James Saltzgiver; Jen; Megan Foss; Michael Smith;
mikey-p;
> >> Pedro Franco

> >> Subject: Nuns in heaven
> >>
> >> A bus full of nuns plummets off a cliff. They all die.
> >>
> >> Nuns are admitted to Heaven through a special gate and are expected

to
> >> make one last confession before they become angels.
> >> Several nuns are lined up at this gate waiting to be absolved of
their
> >> last sins before they are made holy.
> >>
> >> "And so," says St. Peter, "have you ever had any contact with a
penis?"
> >> "Well," says the first Nun in line, "I did once just touch the
tip
of
> >> one with the tip of my finger."
> >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Dip your finger in the holy water and pass
on
> into
> >> heaven."
> >> The next Nun admits that "Well, yes, I did once get carried away
and
> I,
> >> you know, sort of massaged one a bit."
> >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Rinse your hand in the holy water and pass
on
> >> into heaven."
> >> Suddenly there is some jostling in the line and one of the nuns
is
> >> trying to cut in front.
> >> "Well, now, what's going on here?" says St. Peter.
> >> "Well, your holiness," says the Nun who is trying to improve her
> >> position in line, "If I'm going to have to gargle that stuff, I
want
to
> >> do it before Sister Mary sticks her ass in it!"
> >>
> >>
> >
> >

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Fri, 7 May 1999 14:15:19 -0400 (EDT)
Message-ID:
<s732f10c.015@fcc.gov>
Errors-To:
listmaster@info.fcc.gov

Reply-To:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Originator:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Sender:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Precedence:
bulk
From:
Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
To:
Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
Subject:
Earlier Email
X-Listprocessor-Version:
6.0c -- ListProcessor by Anastasios Kotsikonas
X-Comment:
FCC Daily Digest Mailing List
X-Mailer:
Novell GroupWise 4.1
X-Mozilla-Status:
8001
X-Mozilla-Status2:
00000000
X-UIDL:
926109784.19292.charleston

Please excuse the interruption.

An email inadvertently went out under my name earlier this afternoon to
the digest list server.
I want to apologize for this email.

Stacey Mesa

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Fri, 7 May 1999 16:22:28 -0400 (EDT)
Message-ID:
<s7330ef9.042@fcc.gov>
Errors-To:
listmaster@info.fcc.gov
Reply-To:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Originator:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Sender:
digest@info.fcc.gov
Precedence:
bulk
From:
Joy Howell <JHOWELL@fcc.gov>

To:
Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
Subject:
Inappropriate e-mail
X-Listprocessor-Version:
6.0c -- ListProcessor by Anastasios Kotsikonas
X-Comment:
FCC Daily Digest Mailing List
X-Mailer:
Novell GroupWise 4.1
X-Mozilla-Status:
8001
X-Mozilla-Status2:
00000000
X-UIDL:
926124089.27949.charleston

It has come to our attention that a highly offensive joke was
inadvertently transmitted earlier
today to the Daily Digest subscribers. While accidental, the
transmission was completely
inappropriate and inexcusable. Appropriate disciplinary action is being

taken. In the
meantime, we offer our profuse apologies to our Daily Digest
subscribers.

Joy Howell
Director
Office of Public Affairs
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Oh My.....!!!!!

3258. W4AMP's gone bonkers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508152548.08237.00000964@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 143431

Good Lord,does anyone have a Valium or a Librium for Jimmy O'Brien.W4AMP?. I just got the most violent threatening E-mail from the guy and he's up in arms over my posting asking if anyone could prove that it's he who's nuking my letters as well as being that scumbag "DonkeyBoy666." You'd think I was his landlord who just dispossessed him! What a temper...cool down Jimmy. Once again I'm asking anyone who can prove that it IS or IS NOT W4AMP to step forward. If it's NOT, then I'll have to continue my hunt. If it is, W4AMP's in trouble, I think. The nuker's on BellSouth and Jim's E arrived by way of arrl.net which is a bit confusing to a newcomer like I. I'm not too hep on how many servers one can have. And don't think I'm being too rough on Jimmy. It's true we do have an on-the-air pact going but before that...well he threatened my life and the FBI stepped in and also uttered the most profane anti-Semitic remarks ever heard on amateur radio. And so I thought that just perhaps, for no other reason than my loathing Schoenbohm,Jimmy once again has gone on a hate and terror campaign. But I could be wrong. At the times of nuking, just perhaps Jimmy was studying since he's in college. Oh well,the truth will come out in the long run. In the meantime I find it ridiculous that his furious letter to me should have also been sent to Riley Hollingsworth as indicated. That's the silliest thing imaginable. Riley's concerned with who nuked what? Or than again, since Riley did demand a letter from Jim who did impress the former with his sincerity and honesty, perhaps Jim is now trying to build brownie points at MY expense, which by the way, I DON'T LIKE. I hope that sets the issue straight and once again, if anyone can prove that W4AMP is indeed the creep who's been illegally nuking my stuff as well as being the Hitlerite creep "Donkerboy," let me know. I'm sitting on pins and needles! Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3259. FS: KENWOOD TS-440

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1ALH <k1alh@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <Dr0Z2.127$b95.16522@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TS-440S with Automatic antenna tuner, Narrow CW and SSB filters, Mic, Power cord, and photocopied manual. Face of radio is perfect. Small scratches on top and sides. Functions perfect.

I am asking $550 O.B.O.

3260. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Cummings <ve3xj@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <373495DC.6636@rac.ca>
Source record: 143433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
> >You don't understand. Perhaps he wants to be a Ham that can talk on HF
> >frequencies and never use Morse Code. There are a lot of us like that
> >that are licensed hams now.
>
> It's doubtful that you're licensed, for you'd know better than to be
> cross-posting this thread to rra.space. Regardless, when one operates
> on HF, he's operating on a CW frequency, for CW is the only mode
> permitted anywhere on any frequency.

This of course is true in the US. Amateurs in all the other administrations have no such restictions... all frequencies are for all modes.

> Thus, it only makes sense that
> one should have the capability to copy code to be on HF. (Not necessary
> for V/UHF operation, for unlike HF, 50% of the QSOs up there are not
> conducted via CW.) // Jeff KH6O

Let's examine this bit of twisted logic by Herman. On the one hand, he claims the since Morse code is permitted on all the HF bands , it makes sense that there is CW testing. Yet, is this not the case for permissable usage of Morse code in the VHF and UHF bands? (The irony is that the only pieces of the amateur spectrum in the US that are devoted only to CW is in bands above 30 MHz!) Not according to Herman, it isn't. According to Herman, Morse code testing is not required for those bands because "it isn't popular". Not unsurprisingly, Herman is once again demonstrated his penchant for being inconsistent. Would he be kind enough to explain which is the appropriate criteria for justifying Morse code testing - is it due to widespread permitted use, or its popularity? Since the use of SSB and digital modes far surpass the use of Morse code (I don't know where Herman gets his statistics from, but he really should get someone else to do his surveys for him in order to obtain a truer picture of the usage of the amateur HF spectrum), it can hardly be argued that popularity is hardly an arguement to continue Morse code testing; while Morse code's permitted use is hardly supportative either. We can only conclude that Herman uses only those statistics that satisfy his and that of his fellow Pro-Code Agenda advocates while ignoring those which contradict their beliefs.

73 and live better digitally
Jim, VE3XJ

3261. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <x01Z2.2872$ax4.183024@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143434
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7h22rjukc1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>In article <LqUX2.17630$Dx6.372399@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>,
> "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@qsl.net> wrote:
>> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
>>
>> > SNIP
>> >My father was a NYC taxi driver and he was mugged many
>> >times. He preferred to surrender his money and not carry a gun. IMHO it
is
>> >better to give free-lance desperate robbers money than to donate it to
>> >organized charities or pay doctor bills.
>> >SNIP
>> >If you can get mugged without getting hurt or hurting anyone IMHO you
have
>> shown >that you know how to take care of yourself.
>>
>> That's the big question, IF you can get mugged WITHOUT being hurt or
killed.
>> However, national statistics show that if you offer an attacker no
>> resistance, you will have a 3.7 in 5 chance of being hurt or killed.
>> However, those who do offer armed resistance reduce their odds to less
than
>> 1 in 5. (source - 1997 FBI Uniform Crime Statistics Report)
>
>You are using statistics that in all probability do not include thousands
of
>cases of mugging where no one was hurt and the FBI was not informed. This
is
>a typical NRA tactic and has been technically refuted by the anti-gun
people
>who have taken the time to gather just the opposite evidence.

The FBI Uniform Crime Statistics report is a compilation gathered from all
law enforcement agencies throughout the United States and it's possessions.
It is not just crimes reported directly to the FBI. If there are persons who
did not report their attack to any law enforcement agency, then how do the
anti-gun folks come up with their "evidence" ? Word of mouth ?

>
>>
>> If you care to gamble with you or your loved one's lives then you
wouldn't
>> be concerned with your poor odds. Myself, I place a high value on my life
>> and the lives of my family members. Your dad was fortunate enough to beat

>> the odds, I wish you the best of luck also...
>
>All life and death matters are matters of life and death and are risky
>gambles..IMHO Armed conflict can never be a lower risk situation than cool
>headed unarmed measures. He who runs away...lives to run another day.

In L.A., it is standard practice for the gang members to kill their victims during the assault. Their thinking is that no witness helps them get away with the crime. They are mostly correct. Many victims never get a chance to run.

>He who runs for his gun ...

That's part of the problem, the gun laws make a lawful person have to "run for his gun", because only criminals are carrying them

>...may not be the first to shoot.

True, but he who is properly trained will usually get the first hit. Look at all of the L.A. gang drive-by shootings where they expend dozens of rounds and often hit only one person, if they hit anything at all.

>> I look at it much like home or car insurance. I pay a lot of money to buy
it
>> and pray that I never need to use it. But if my car is ever stolen, or my
>> house burns down, I'll be damned glad that I spent the money. It's funny
how
>> many people will insure themselves against monetary loss, but will trust
>> their own safety to fate.
>
>Hey.....That is a point I brought up here. Cars have some possibility of
>being stolen or involved in accidents. I think that most states now require
>that we have automobile insurance in order to register our cars. I know
that
>car or driver insurance was required in every state that I ever registered
my
>cars in. Why don't states or the federal government require that the owners
>of all registered guns have gun insurance?

Simply because driving a car is a privlidge granted by the state, therefore they can legally regulate it. Private ownership of firearms is the right of a free man. The Constitution does not grant this right, it only acknowledges that it is an existing, inalienable (God given) right.

>The insurance companies will then
>have the funds to independently track guns in private computer data bases;
>independent of governments, and to have the motivation and funds to
>investigate gun related crimes and gun thefts and "accidents" objectively.

Sure, we all know how trustworthy, unbiased, and honest the insurance industry is.

>That is not a "pinko" idea because it would place some of the
responsibility
>of nationally tracking gun sales, trades and thefts into the private hands
of
>the insurance companies. It could also pay the victims of gun "accidents"
or
>their estates in the same manner as many car accident victims are now paid
>money as a result of auto accidents. If insurance companies refuse to
insure
>the guns of minors or convicted criminals (and prevent registration)
because
>they are of very high risk financially, perhaps the insurance companies
will
>be more careful than the dealers at gun shows are.
>

This might work for the honest man who obtains the required insurance, but just like automobiles, the bulk of the drivers causing the problems are also the bulk of those who are uninsured.

I would have no problem in carrying liability insurance for my actions if in return I am given a permit to carry. Remember, you are not required to have a license or insurance to own a car, you need them only to drive it on a public street.

>
>I've been called a "wimp assed pansy" elsewhere in this thread. If so that
>gives me the personality to say that although I do not agree with you Dan,
I
>do think that I can understand the points that you make and I do agree that
>many other responsible citizens do see things your way.

I would not think of you, or any other anti-gun person in these terms. I do believe that there has been a long time PR campain by both politicians and the media to create this mindset, and many people have been affected by it one way or another, and may not even realize it.

> There are also those
>who agree with me and manage to survive in this world. We may all have
>somewhat different conditions to consider. A city taxi driver who gets
shot
>in the back of his head while driving or turns to shoot a bandit while in
>motion, could cause an auto accident that could kill innocent people who
are
>not involved in his robbery...There is that to consider as well. I never
met
>a Ham I didn't like, Hams need more license classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (Insure
>Legal Pistols)
>

73 de KF6KNB

3262. Phone Patch HELP!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian Romine <brianromine@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h26kvqqk1@news.campuscwix.net>
Source record: 143435

Hello,

My name is Brian Romine and I have recently aquired a SYT Corporation TELE-CONNECT 850 Automatic Interconnect Terminal. I have made an initial search on the internet for such a corporation and for the name tele-connect 850 (no matches). So now I turn to the Ham-Radio community for help. I need a manual, or a copy of a manual for this unit, or at least need to know what the different jumpers are for in the boards.

Thank you for taking the time to read this and if you have knowledge of someone that also has this type of unit, or information on this type of unit I would appreciate an email with this information.

kc5cay@hop-uky.campuscwix.net
or
brianromine@hotmail.com

thanks again.

3263. The W8MMQ/RSCM Wire-5/05/99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Daniel Hicks, Jr." <w8mmq@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <7h26f6$7me@news.voyager.net>
Source record: 143436

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May 5, 1999
Target: rec.radio.amateur.misc

Welcome to the W8MMQ Wire for May 5, 1999! This newsletter is distributed weekly by W8MMQ and the Radio Society of Central Michigan, and is available free to all radio amateurs.

If you would like to receive this newsletter via email, or would like to be removed from our mailing list, contact Dan, W8MMQ, at w8mmq@voyager.net. Your email will be answered as soon as possible.

Stories in this week's newsletter:
o The FCC Drops Enforcement Line;
o Dayton Hamvention News;
o Florida Hams Warned After Cuban Complaints;
o Upcoming Amateur Radio Contests;
o And much more!

THE FCC DROPS ENFORCEMENT LINE
The FCC has dropped its amateur radio enforcement telephone line, which was never intended to be a permanent service. The Commission will still accepts complaints via email, or conventional postal mail.

All complaints sent through email should go to fccham@fcc.gov. Complaints sent through the mail should go to the Compliance and Information Bureau, Attn: Amateur Radio Complaints, 1270 Fairfield Rd, Gettysburg, PA 17325.

As of last week, all complaints filed through the telephone number will be acted on.

--- W8MMQ/KC8KFZ

DAYTON HAMVENTION NEWS
The Dayton Hamvention is just a couple of weeks away! The Hamvention will be held on May 14, 15, and 16 this year, and, as usual, will be at the Dayton Hara Arena.

Each year, the Hamvention draws thousands of amateur radio operators from around the world, where they buy, sell, and trade their amateur radio and computer "goods." There are also interesting forums and lectures given on a variety of topics, from various groups and organizations.

Special entertainment this year will be provided by musician Joe Walsh, WB6ACU. Walsh is probably best known for his work with the group, The

Eagles.

For more information on the Hamvention, including directions to the arena, area hotels and restaurants, and much more, visit http://www.hamvention.org/.

--- W8MMQ/KC8KFZ

FLORIDA HAMS WARNED AFTER CUBAN COMPLAINTS
The FCC has followed up on malicious interference complaints from Cuban amateurs by sending Warning Notices to two Florida hams. The FCC letters, sent April 23 by Legal Advisor Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, refer to monitoring information indicating the US hams deliberately attempted to jam 40-meter SSB net operations in Cuba.

The Federacion de Radioaficionados de Cuba (FRC), the national amateur organization in Cuba, first complained nearly two years ago to the International Amateur Radio Union, Region 2, about ongoing intentional interference by South Florida hams to Cuban nets and emergency operations. When the complaint was forwarded to the ARRL, Executive Vice President David Sumner, K1ZZ, responded with an expression of regret and a request that the FRC share any information that would help identify the perpetrators. Earlier this month, FRC General Secretary Oscar Morales, CO2OJ, was able to supply information that assisted in tentatively identifying two individuals believed to be involved in causing the interference.

Morales said that the Cuban nets have even tried moving to get away from the QRM, but the interfering stations have followed, at one point even jamming two frequencies at the same time.

Hollingsworth said he believes the interference has been on SSB by Spanish-speaking stations. The Cuban nets in question operate on frequencies that fall within the US Novice band, meaning that any US operation using more than 200 W PEP or operating SSB would be illegal. The US SSB subband begins at 7150 for Advanced and Extra class operators.

Hollingsworth has requested the two stations to respond to his letter within 20 days.

--- Taken from the ARRL Letter, April 30, 1999

HAMS TO BE ON DAVID LETTERMAN SHOW
The ARRL is reporting that a group of hams from the Long Island Mobile Amateur Radio Club plans to be in the audience of the David Letterman show on Monday, May 3.

The group will have club and ARRL literature on hand, and will also raise the club banner. Members of the club who are planning on attending were told to wear their club name badges.

There is no word on whether or not Letterman has any of his "famous" canned hams ready for the group ... we will just have to watch and see.

Late Night with David Letterman is aired nationwide, usually following evening news broadcasts (for those in the Central Michigan area, it is aired on WLNS TV-6, at 11:30 PM).

--- W8MMQ/KC8KFZ

FREE WEATHER INFORMATION!
There is a new service online that offers free weather information and imagery! The service, WX4U ("Weather For You"), is online at http://www.wx4u.com/.

Users must first register, which is free. Once registered, you can select what weather "products" you want emailed to you, as they are issued by the National Weather Service. There are a variety of products available, such as severe thunderstorm warning information, tornado warnings, flash flood warnings, and much more.

There are also weather images available, which you can put on your web site for free! These images include current conditions and information, weather forecasts, and more.

The site is definately worth checking out. I am using it, and find it very useful and accurate, and very easy to use.

--- W8MMQ/KC8KFZ

UPCOMING CONTESTS AND EVENTS
For the latest amateur radio contest information, visit the ARRL's Contest Calendar, at http://www.arrl.org/contests/. Also, for the latest information on upcoming events and hamfests, visit the ARRL's Hamfest Calendar, at http://www.arrl.org/hamfests.html.

The Fists CW Club Spring Sprint, sponsored by Fists International, will be held from 1700 to 2100-Z on May 8. Operate CW only, and work stations once per band. Operate 80, 40, 20, 15, and 10 meters. For more information, visit http://www.fists.org/.

And, from Chuck, W8VOM ... The MDXA (Michigan DX Association) will be putting "Beaver Island" On The Air September 10 through the 17th. Beaver Island is IOTA #MI032L and we will be using an 8-man team with the call KC8MHX, Michigan Ham Xpedition. We will use standard IOTA freqs as well as other frequencies. For a QSL card, please contact W8VOM at the following address: MDXA-BEAVER, O-947 Lake Michigan DR, Grand Rapids, MI 49544.

Editor's note: We will list the Beaver Island DXpedition information periodically through September. Good luck to Chuck, and all the guys on the team!

DX REPORT
From Tuvalu, T22JY, T22KJ, T22TK and T22VE will be active from the 2nd to the 9th of May, using both CW and SSB. This counts as OC-015 for the RSGB Islands on the Air Awards Programme.

From Ghana, 9G5DX will be active until April 2000, while working there.

From Nepal, 9N7ZA will be on the air from a 24,000 feet location, using SSB on 7234, 14158 and 14175-kHz.

And from Belau, T88LJ and T88YH will be on the air until the 6th of May, using CW and SSB on 6 to 80 metres. This counts as OC-009 for IOTA.

Information contained in the weekly DX Report is taken from the Radio Society of Great Britain. Visit the RSGB web site, http://www.rsgb.org/, for more information.

AND ... IN CLOSING
Thank you for reading this issue of the W8MMQ Wire. We hope that you have enjoyed it, and please, feel free to pass it along to others.

To read the W8MMQ Wire online, visit http://my.voyager.net/w8mmq/. An archive of past newsletters is available from the web site.

Also, visit the W8MMQ/KC8KFZ Antique Radio Page, at http://my.voyager.net/kc8kfz/. You will find a nice collection of links to antique radio organizations and radio galleries.

Information from the following sources was used in the production of this newsletter: Amateur Radio Newsline, the ARRL Letter, the RSGB web site, and other published reports.

73 de,
Dan, W8MMQ
w8mmq@voyager.net

Alton Wilson
alton@excite.co.uk

3264. WTB: HT-1000/MT-2000 UHF 450-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marc B. Schauber" <waffull@skibuff.com>
Message-ID: <37349F4D.EBA71240@skibuff.com>
Source record: 143437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,aus.electronics,aus.radio.amateur.misc

I would like to buy some HT-1000's and MT-2000's
They must be native 450-520 UHF, in good condition..

1) Model/Model #
2) Condition (on scale 1-10)... Please note any major defects...
3) Are the following included?
a) Universal connector seal
b) Antenna
c) Speaker Mic (model #)
d) Charger (model #)
e) Batteries (model #/date code/condition)
f) Carrying Case (model # or type)
g) Battery Belt Clip
h) Programming Cable
i) RIB box
j) RSS Software (version #)
4) Is the ID label on the back of the radio
5) Price you are requesting (Please give the lowest possible, I do not
like to haggle...)
6) Approximate S/H cost to zip code 11576
7) Your prefered method of payment...

Thank you VERY much... I look forward to doing business with you....
Marc

Please respond directly to waffull@skibuff.com...

3265. FS: Swan 250 6-meter SSB, AM, CW transceiver on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigjoe@spamsux.bright.net
Message-ID: <7h27p7$4og$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 143438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=101553177

Thank you for taking the time to view this message.
73
Joe KB8QLR

3266. Re: FS: Swan 250 6-meter SSB, AM, CW transceiver on Ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Marjin Overra"@murkey.research
Message-ID: <3736aadb.38334116@news.infoave.net>
Source record: 143439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

you really should list this as "FA" instead of "FS"

>http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=101553177
>
>Thank you for taking the time to view this message.
>73
>Joe KB8QLR
>

3267. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h2fos$8u7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143440

This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented this antenna. For his information , this antenna is in the book "The Radio Amateur Antenna Handbook". It is on page 152-153. This book was copyrighted 1978. Yet this lame brain takes credit for the design. The book was written by W6SAI and W2LX Bill Orr, and Stuart D. Cowan . Dr Hate, you did not invent this antenna. Quit trying to reap rewards that you have not sown. The Antenna has been around for years.

article <19990508080310.08242.00000978@ng-fe1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> I use a homebrewed Cloudwarmer on 20 meters and actually it's a two element
> fixed wire Yagi that beams straight up to saturate the ionsophere with RF. It
> has enormous gain over any conventional dipole or vertical. If anyone's
> interested, I have an instruction sheet printed up. You simply can't believe
> how well this antenna works. For a copy of the sheet, send NO MONEY but just a
> self-addressed STAMPED size ten envelope and I'll send it. SEND NO MONEY! If
> you've ever heard about the NVIS antennas on which the military is
> experimenting, the Cloudwarmer is an example of it.
> radiosigs@aol.com Doc
>

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3268. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3734BC53.2850219E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7h22rjukc1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> > He who runs away...lives to run another day.
>
> In L.A., it is standard practice for the gang members to kill their victims
> during the assault.

Yep, looks like that old-saying needs to be updated.
"He who runs away in L.A... gets it in the back that day."
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3269. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3734BF6E.3A85BF1@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim Cummings wrote:
> I don't know where Herman gets his statistics from, ...

Jeff gets his statistics from what he can hear, NOT from what is being transmitted. To get a fair comparison count of stations, he would have to count ALL the SSB stations that he hears and count ONLY CW stations with a signal strength above S-3 because of the 12-18 dB advantage of CW over SSB.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3270. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: LESIUREsuitLARRY <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3734C417.547C@ameritech.net>
Source record: 143443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> Don wrote...
> > People talk too much about morse code.
> ====================================
> de de de dah de dah
de de de, dah dah dah, de de de
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I AM A HUNK OF BURNING LOVE. OH BABY

3271. ### FREE - HAMBAND TRADER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <3734746c.163558@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143444
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HAMBAND TRADER

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

A complete site devoted to the buying, selling and trading of
amateiur radio equipment. This site will grow if needed as
activity requires. Read the Advert Information" page and the
"Policy" page for information on submiting an advert.

The curent departments are...
Wanted to Buy or Trade
HF and Accessories
VHF/UHF and Accessories
Handhelds and Accessories
Antennas, Towers and Cable
Station Supplies & Accessories
Other Stuff (computers, packet and such)
Hamfest Venders (semi-commercial)

http://www.web-cycat.com/hart

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

3272. New NYPD Radio Plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: david torres <slingshot01@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <37350FCA.217A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143445

New N.Y.P.D. Radio Plan & Frequencies
By David M Torres, New York City

the following is updated radio frequencie information for the
new york city police dept. they are in the process of re organizeing their
complet radio network which is now in phase 2 of a 4 part phase they
expect it to be completted within 2 years
phase 1 was the re organization of all city wide and special units
phase 2 is the re organization of all division radios
phase 3 will be the frequency expansion and narrowing the band
phase 4 with be the purches of new radios and fadeing out the
motorola saber's the new radio i have bin told is water
prof, bullet prof, weather prof and shock prof from droping
the parts are cheper than motorola
as for the new york city fire department E.M.S. units they are also
re organizeing their radio system from 800 trunk back to a conventional system
they will be useing motorola ASTRO saber's with both EMS & Police frequencies

if anyone knows of any new frequencies such as tac channels from A to E
or what new Tac channels the NYPD division radio have do leet me know i am
completly lost on this subject

i would also like to point ot the phase 2 is not fully completed yet its
a very slow process and it dose take time but it is on its way so the changes
can take place at a blink of your eye

as always happy listening and keep your ears on.....

Phase 2 NYPD Manhattan Radio Plan

ZONE FREQ PL-TONE REMARKS

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z -1 476.5625 100.0 1-5-7 pcts
z -2 476.4375 110.9 6-9 pcts
z -3 476.3375 123.0 10-13 pcts
z -4 476.5875 136.5 ms-17-mn pcts
z -5 476.3875 151.4 19-23 pcts
z -6 476.3125 167.9 20-cpp-24 pcts
z -7 476.6375 186.2 25-28-32 pcts
z -8 476.3625 100.0 26-30 pcts
z -9 476.8875 110.9 33-34 pcts
tac ? ? ? tac

PBMS 471.0875 100.0 manhattan south task force
PBMN 471.0625 110.9 manhattan north task force
CW-1 470.6875 100.0 City wide Central
CW-2 470.7125 110.9 City wide Central

Phase 2 NYPD Bronx Radio Plan

z -10 476.5375 123.0 40-41 pcts
z -11 476.8375 136.5 42-44 pcts
z -12 476.9125 151.4 43-45 pcts
z -13 476.4875 167.9 46-48 pcts
z -14 476.9625 186.2 47-49 pcts
z -15 476.6625 100.0 50-52 pcts
tac ? ? tac
PBBX 471.0375 123.0 bronx task force
CW-1
CW-2

Phase 2 NYPD Brooklyn Radio Plan

z -16 476.4625 110.9 60-61 pcts
z -17 476.5125 123.0 62-68 pcts
z -18 476.9375 136.5 63-69 pcts
z -19 476.8625 151.4 66-70 pcts
z -20 477.0125 167.9 67-71 pcts
z -21 476.4125 186.2 72-78 pcts
z -22 476.9875 100.0 73-75 pcts
z -23 476.7375 110.9 77-79 pcts
z -24 476.7875 123.0 81-83 pcts
z -25 476.7625 136.5 84-88 pcts
z -26 476.6875 151.4 90-94 pcts
tac ? ? tac
PBBKS 470.9875 136.5 brooklyn south task force
PBBKN 470.9625 151.4 brooklyn north task force
CW-1
CW-2

Phase 2 NYPD Queens Radio Plan
z -27 477.1375 167.9 100-101 pcts
z -28 477.0875 186.2 102-106 pcts
z -29 477.0375 100.0 103-107 pcts
z -30 477.1125 110.9 105-113 pcts
z -31 476.7125 123.0 104-112 pcts
z -32 476.6125 136.5 108-114 pcts
z -33w 477.0625 151.4 109 pcts
z -34 476.8125 167.9 110-105 pcts
tac ? ? tac
PBQS 470.9375 167.9 queens south task force
PBQN 470.9125 186.2 queens north task force
CW-1
CW-2

Phase 2 NYPD Staten Island Radio Plan

z -35s 482.5875 186.2 121-122-123 pcts
z -35n 482.8875 186.2 121-122-123 pcts
tac ? ? tac
PBSIN 482.8625 100.0 staten island north task force
PBSIS 482.5625 100.0 staten island south task force
si cw-1 482.6625 100.0 city wide-1 link for staten island
si cw-2 482.6375 100.0 city wide-2 link for staten island

Phase 2 NYPD City Wide Special Units Radio Plan

470.8375 pl-136.5 SOD / ESU / H-Way / Harber & other units
471.1375 pl-186.2 DVP-XL Special Command Units & personal
470.6375 pl-136.5 DVP-XL Intell / VIP escort protection units
470.7375 pl-186.2 DVP-XL CW Det - 1 / major case
470.7875 pl-100.0 DVP-XL CW Det - 2 / major case / narc
470.7625 pl-151.4 DVP-XL OCCB - 1 major case narc / joint task force
471.0125 pl-167.9 DVP-XL OCCB - 2 major case narc / auto crime task force
482.6875 pl-167.9 City Wide IO ? hummmm
470.6625 pl-167.9 SPIN / Street Crime units
470.8125 pl-123.0 CW TFC OPS / H-Way / ESU
470.8625 pl-151.4 State Parol Units
470.8875 pl-123.0 unknown use ?

New NYPD TAC Channels

485.4375 tac - f widely used
473.6875 tac - g widely used
473.7125 tac - h widely used
485.4125 tac - i widely used
465.1125 tac - j narc
465.1875 tac - k narc
465.2375 tac - l narc
465.3125 tac - m narc
465.4625 tac - n narc
465.4875 tac - o narc
460.1125 tac - p ?
460.1875 tac - q ?
460.2375 tac - r ?
460.3125 tac - s ?
460.4625 tac - t ?
460.4875 tac - u ?

NOTE: we have bin informd that their are new tac channels A to E in the 482 or 485 mhz area if anyone out their knows them please send me a copy

Conventional Frequencies for New York City E.M.S.

478.0125 pl - 85.4 city wide ems
483.3625 pl - 85.4 manhattan south ems
483.4875 pl - 85.4 manhattan central ems
483.2375 pl - 85.4 manhattan north ems
477.8735 pl - 85.4 bronx south ems

478.2125 pl - 85.4 bronx north ems
477.9125 pl - 85.4 queens ems
477.8625 pl - 85.4 brooklyn ems
484.2375 pl - 85.4 brooklyn ems
478.2625 pl - 85.4 brooklyn / si ems
484.4875 pl - 85.4 brooklyn / si ems

as a reminder all new NYPD radio zones are not in use
but many of the new zones are so you have to realy keep an ear
on them and wait for the changes
we will be keeping you all up to date on any and all changes

all replys should be sent to me VIA E-Mail david9626@juno.com tnx again

3273. Kenwood TS-130SE Sidetone Adj?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Strunck III <1jhs9867@unixstew.tstc.edu>
Message-ID: <3734e799.0@news>
Source record: 143446

Hello All,

How do I set the sidetone volume on my TS-130SE?

Thanks,

John Strunck III
kc5ngx

3274. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio ! (baaa ha ha ha!!!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Strunck III <1jhs9867@unixstew.tstc.edu>
Message-ID: <3734ea89.0@news>
Source record: 143447

>> > I'd put money on the fatboy being a ham.
>>
>> A sure bet. Although I am an SWL, and have NO desire to go for
>> a ham licence as long as stooo-pid code is required for HF, I have
>> been to several ham radio swap meets and I've never seen more
>> fat-assed, chain-smokin porkies waddling about like bloated ducks in any
>one
>> place bar none! What is good about this is most of these Fatso's
>> will probably be dead of heart failure in short time and I'll be able to
>> pick up their radio gear for HF SWL use on the cheap from their
>> wives who will no doubt be glad to get all that %@^(+! junk out of the
>house.
>> Case in point I paid a visit to a recently ex-pired ham's place and
picked
>> up about 3 Grand worth of HF/VHF gear from his ex who let me have the
>> whole lot for $400.00 (including a new-in-the-box Yeasu FT-100)
>>
>> Just keep a-droppin like flies all U fatso with portables on your
>stretched belts!

Sounds like another slick nosed motor mouth crying becase he can't get a free handout to the HF bands. Gimmmieeee Gimmieeee a handout. Why should I earn it. Hell, he probably thinks we owe it to him!

Up his!

John Strunck
KC5NGX (General)
PG-GB-04509

3275. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3734FAA8.38775A64@jump.net>
Source record: 143448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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dadadah
WA5IGW

Don wrote:

> People talk too much about morse code.

3276. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3734F99E.E60087A9@jump.net>
Source record: 143449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

OK I started the thread, here goes.....
First SCUBA '58
WA5IGW '63 QCWA lifer
Private pilot '67
Since added Commercial, Multi and Instrument. I drive a P Baron.
LOTS of fresh water diving in the '60s. Ever dive a golf water hazard in the hope of finding enough balls to pay for the air charge?
NASDS open water '70 (Tektite II Summer '70) ruined me for golf gourse diving
TDI NITROX from Jim Bowden '98
Dove the Tektite II site this Spring Break; Sixteen pounds of lobster.
NRA, been target shooting since 6 yo, army brat, hand loader, gonna get the CHL when I have a spare Saturday.
But today I combined ham radio and flying. I went to Winchester TN to have lunch with my son and pick up a bunch of his stuff from his dorm (school's out). He's at Sewanee. On the return, just South of Memphis, 14,500 feet, just a little CQ on 146.52 (standard calling frequency for you non-hams). Sorry I didn't write down all the calls. What fun. Trying to keep hams and ATC separate. KG7NM and WA6UCT did get written down and there were a couple from Miss. These were contacts over hundreds of miles with a two watt VHF hand held radio. Have fun while you can.
H.

Michael Young wrote:

> How many also carry NRA cards?
>
> Michael.
>
> Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:37338E54.44C454F0@hotmail.com...
> > H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
> > > : I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
> > > : I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)
> > ------
> > Richard Hyde wrote:
> > KC6QBO since '91
> > PP-SEL since '74
> > OW diver since '97
> > -----
> > Oscar wrote:
> > KF6VIY since 3/99
> > PP-MEL-IFR since '89 (7 year hiatus due to flying accident as student)
> > NAUI OW since '85 (continued from USMC)

> > U.S. Parachute Assn, Class C, Jumpmaster, 1980-83

3277. Re: W4AMP's gone bonkers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10054-3734F802-71@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143450

I dont understand "Nuking my posts", Doc. How does one "Nuke" anothers post? Also, what effect does this "Nuking" have upon ones post?
<K4RUB>

3278. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10055-3734FA4C-57@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143451

I dont believe this group is a part of Deja news...is it. I know I didnt use Deja news to get here! I believe this ng is a part of the usenet...is it not? <K4RUB>

3279. Viking Villiant F.S.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: KØIMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <37350BC6.73AA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143452

I have a Valiant for sale for $100 plus shipping plus about 70 other items of ham gear and test equipment see at http:home.earthlink.net/~docky look under For Sale thanks KØIMJ

3280. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10054-3734FBD4-74@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143453

Smurf, I notice you called "RealDeal" George...is this Real Deal..by any chance George Ashely=W4FQF ? <K4RUB>

3281. KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Tobias <jtob112@juno.com>
Message-ID: <37343437.D7EC4B99@juno.com>
Source record: 143454
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Tim Volz Continues to break the law on a weekly basis.
Hear KK7HO jam the liberty net at the web page:

http://members.xoom.com/_XOOM/kevin_strom/kk7ho_jamming_19990313.wav

Volz has also been recorded threatening the lives of fellow amateur radio operators. Responsible amateur radio operators need to continue to alert authorities to Volz's dangerous behavior.

Thanks for helping clean up our hobby. We are winning!

I encourage all those who are fed up with Tim and the criminal element to contact the FCC and encourage them to step up enforcement. The sooner pond scum like KK7HO and K5BLB are off the air the better. Make tapes,send email do anything you can to get rid of these vermin.You shouldn't have to be embarassed to let non hams listen to the amateur bands. We have an opportunity to clean up 75M lets use it.

The person to contact is William R. Hollingsworth (K4ZDH) aka, Rilley Hollingsworth at:

rholling@fcc.gov

Thanks for helping clean up our hobby. We are winning!

3282. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507204553.10238.00000747@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143474

<<
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Date: Fri, May 7, 1999 2:46 PM
Message-id: <7guubd$a5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

In article <7gupce$595$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the social
> misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his
> boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes
> together.!!!!
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> Yup, now we have all the Atlanta white trash,in the news groups dumpimg
posts, because they are afraid of the T*R*U*T*H.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

>>Did you say a PLAN? What kind of paranoid nut are you? Or are you one of
these conspiracy theorists? Good God man.get ahold of yourself or maybe that's
been your problem all along?
AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3283. I - ART

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb2opj@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507210654.16408.00000562@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 143475

If you are in Irvington or the Essex County New Jersey Area and want
information on a local ham radio group feel free to drop by the web site of the
Irvington Amateur Radio Team.
It can be found at http://community.nj.com\cc\i-art .
We have basic info on the group. Information on Y2k. Links to
the ARRL ZDTV WEATHER SERVICE AND RED CROSS.

if you have a question about the site e mail Joe at
iart42787@aol.com

3284. KV4FZ and N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507211828.10228.00000755@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143476

When I read Lloyd Davies's glowing tribute to "humanitarian" Herbie Schoenbohm and contemplate that stuff about how he helped handicapped hams and all that stuff, this comes to mind.WB3HGW, Tom McMillen, is a paraplegic.One leg and one hip amputated and paralysis in the other, I heard the benevolent humanitarian KV4FZ, Schoenbohm, tell him, "Why don't you be a man and stand on your own two feet?" Yet, the St.Croix bastard knew he was confined to a wheelchair.So Lloyd, save your crappy propaganda for a comic book instead of trying to convince hamdom what a peachy fellow Herbie is. You must think we're all either stupid or gullible.Oh yes,you Herbie lovers...put this in yopur pipes and smoke it. WB3HGW obtained his General through a waver. The drugs he was taking for epilepsy prevented him from copying 13 w.p.m. However "Dr.Schoenbohm" didn't buy it. Day after day, week after week, month after month and year after year, the evil one kept humiliating Tom. Discouraged the guy because of the waiver. I ask you Lloyd; does that signify a HUMANITARIAN? Woudl you want a man like KV4FZ loose in Camp Courage in Minnesota. I would in just one instance...if he had the job of cleaning latrines up there.Good heavens Lloyd, can't you see through all the subterfuge? You've been taken in but good. You have a perfect right to like whomever you want but I have a right to show up Schoenbohm for what he is..a first class hateful scumbag who should have been taken off the air 25 years ago. AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3285. http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990507223912.12586.00000744@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 143477

Check out this page!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3286. Re: IC-207H "data plug"?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: nielsen@primenet.com
Message-ID: <slrn7j79lb.oo.nielsen@bob.localnet>
Source record: 143478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 7 May 1999 12:14:35 -0500, BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>Where can I get such a thing? Does Radio-Shack, or some similiar 'place',
>sell it? Any idea what the part-# would be, if so? What about ordering one
>from Icom directly (something I'd prefer not to be forced to do)? There's no
>mention of it in the manual or on their webpage...
>
>Also.. What about the mic-plug? I can use it for 1200bps, but don't wanna go
>'splicing into' that cord... Making a dual-plug adapter, with a switch for
>mic-audio, would be the next best thing, I guess.. Would hate to have that
>"data-port" going to waste, but.... ;)

MFJ sells a switch box, also cables with the RJ-45 on one end and various TNC
connectors on the other.

I bought a short CAT5 ethernet cable ($5), cut it near the connectors and
spliced into a cable I already had to go to the TNC.

Bob

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Bob Nielsen Internet: nielsen@primenet.com
Tucson, AZ AMPRnet: w6swe@w6swe.ampr.org
DM42nh http://www.primenet.com/~nielsen

3287. Swan Mark 1 HF Linear Amp Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <bVNY2.586$qh4.41601@iad-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 143479

Hello. I have a few questions that I've been wondering about the Swan Mark 1 HF amp. If you can answer any or all of these question please e-mail me. Thanks a lot in advance and any help is appreciated. The questions go as follows:

1. What are the dimensions of the amp?
2. Does it really cover 10m-80m including the WARC or W/O WARC?
3. I've heard that it does 2000w PEP and 1000 CW w/good tubes. True?
4. About how much would a used one in good condition cost today?
5. Does it require anything extra to operate (ie power supply)? And if so about how much would those accessories cost today?
6. And does anyone have a good suggestion of a place where I might be able to find one?
7. And does anyone happen to know of a picture of one on line?

Anything notable about the amp or something else you might happen to know about it I would also love to hear. Thanks for reading!

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

3288. E.F. Johnson 6N2 Amp Questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <d%NY2.590$qh4.41601@iad-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 143480

Hello. I have a few questions that I've been wondering about the E.F. Johnson 6N2 6m/2m amp. If you can answer any or all of these questions please e-mail me. Thanks a lot in advance and any help is appreciated. The questions go as follows:

1. What are the dimensions of the amp?
2. Does it cover 2m/6m full bands?
3. I've heard that it does 1200w PEP and 1000 CW w/good tubes. True?
4. About how much would a used one in good condition cost today?
5. Does it require anything extra to operate (ie. power supply)? And if so about how much would those accessories cost today?
6. And does anyone have a good suggestion of a place where I might be able to find one?
7. And does anyone happen to know of a picture of one on line?

Anything notable about the amp or something else you might happen to know about it I would also love to hear. Thanks for reading!

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

3289. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don <bjmcpher@usit.net>
Message-ID: <3733AFFD.A98FA753@usit.net>
Source record: 143481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

People talk too much about morse code.

3290. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3733B687.2B19@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143482
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

juker8161@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Different disabilities= Different abilities

Very touchy-feely, very politically correct and very "Nineties"....but
not necessarily true.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3291. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3733B75D.6E15@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Thu, 06 May 1999 16:08:42 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Mark Morgan wrote:
> >>
> >> On Wed, 05 May 1999 19:56:18 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> >> wrote:
> >>
> >> >
> >> >> I wioll not bother with the rest of the drivel of a bigot that thinks
> >> >> the spanish speakers should bann from the ARS in america
> >> >
> >> >Again you've managed to say something which I never stated. Reading and
> >> >writing are going to be far bigger challenges to you than morse testing
> >> >since you'll likely need those skills daily.
> >>
> >> No you did say it when I asked wether spanish americans should
> >> be barred for the air you answered YES
> >
> >You have never asked if "spanish americans" should be barred "for the
> >air" or anything similar. "F" in reading comprehension. Go back and
> >read your query and my response five hundred times.
>
> Yesd I did ask you I gues could read that and answered yes. BTW that
> was in another thread not this one Dave. I do read and remember what
> you write
> >
> >Dave 5H3US, K8MN

Mark,

You didn't read that from me and obviously you don't remember what I
write because you still have it wrong. It is also obvious that you
didn't bother to go back and read your own question or my response. I
suppose that's more trouble than using a spell checker.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3292. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3733BB3D.6988@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Reg Edwards wrote:
> > Hi Cec, Shot any rattlers lately. What's your score to date ?
>
> I felt bad when I roto-tilled a ground rattler the other day in my
> garden. He wasn't bothering me at all and I accidently chewed him/her
> up into little pieces.
>
> I'm not a hunter. I only use my guns for self defense. If a rattler
> was determined to bite me, I would blow it away. Otherwise, I relocate
> them to an uninhabited place. I have a Hindu-like reverence for life.
> I take spiders out of the house instead of killing them.

I'd be interested in how one goes about determining if the rattler is really serious in its determination to bite you. Your hindu-like reverence for life seems to go hand-in-hand with your Dali-like views on things like seat belt and helmet use. Here, green mambas are approached with great reverence for life and big, sharp machete. I usually get my guards to round up all the little snake pieces so that a determination can be made later as to whether the snake intended to bite me.

> There are 20 or so mud-wasps that spend the night behind the down-
> drain pipe on my front porch. I don't know why since there's no nest
> anywhere around. But as long as they don't sting me, they are
> welcome to roost there. Mud-wasps are polite and mild-mannered
> compared to hornets and yellow-jackets.

We use a different philosophy. Raid doesn't kill wasps. People kill wasps.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3293. FS Saber 1 uhf 12ch (was$240)w/2batt REDUCED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: xeon <xeon@ultinet.net>
Message-ID: <3733C002.D116198F@ultinet.net>
Source record: 143485

This is what i have

Saber 1 uhf 12ch
6D core, H/pwr, non secure
Model # H44SAN7139CN
comes w/ 1 batt.motorola used (not so good)
plus 1 brand-new batt motorola (7.2v @ 1800 ma)
& ant. the shape of the radio is in
good shape I'll give it a 8.

Note*

Asking $240. $225 + you paid for S+H
* Prepaid (Postal) Money Order*

****Need to read radio for band spread?****
Don't konw band spread!

I'm not going to paid someone $40 or $30 so i can read
the radio. If I'm not going to kept it.

Then i used my scanner to see what were the
CH. And this is what i found.

Ch. 1 447.285
Ch. 2 449.925
Ch. 3 460.000
Ch. 4 460.500
Ch. 5 449.125
Ch. 6 447.125
Ch. 7 --- Blank
Ch. 8 --- Blank
Ch. 9 --- Blank
Ch. 10 --- Blank
Ch. 11 --- Blank
Ch. 12 --- Blank

Save $40 or $30.

And this is why I'm selling it!
1) I got it with a trade!
2) It cost to much for me to keep this radio.
I would need a charger , software , cable,
rib box and get this a 386 computer. Ha

You can e-mail me

Xeon@ultinet.net

3294. appeal listserv group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: zb609@octopus.cdit.EDU.CN
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.05.9905081248400.16130-100000@octopus.cdit.edu.cn>
Source record: 143486

i want to attend listserv group.is it sure?
zhang bo

3295. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: maddog@io.com
Message-ID: <3733c1c7.19882653@news.io.com>
Source record: 143487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 07 May 1999 12:29:02 -0700, Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com> wrote:
> I forgot one other important point in my post. DON'T WRITE STUFF
>DOWN. Copy it in your head; that is how you will be using it
>for ham radio ragchewing. Writing it down is an (unnecessary and
>limiting) habit that you don't want to get into if you can
>avoid it. I sometimes run into ops on the air who ask me
>(as I am working mobile CW) "how do you write it down?". Egad.

Hi Don!

Hmmm... I've heard this admonishment before, and I really don't understand it. I've been operating almost exclusively CW for over 30 years, and I've always written it down. It feels natural to me. It goes in my ears, it comes out my hand. It's not particularly legible above 30 wpm, mind you, but I can refer back to my notes in a ragchew and remind myself of what was said. (I can't recall a 10 minute monologue, but I can if it's written in front of me). Later on (2 or 3 qsos late), I can jot down a note or two in the log if I want. My wife can look over my shoulder if she wants. When visitors come over, they can see that the process actually works... morse in, words out. Above 35 wpm or so, I'll put the pencil down and copy entirely in my head, but if somebody throws a long unfamiliar and non-phonetic word out there at 45 wpm, I'll probably miss it, and I've found that's usually the case for people that "only copy in their head", even at slower speeds. And speaking of slower speeds, people that copy only in their heads have difficulty with copying 10 wpm qsos... I think you forget what was sent at the beginning of the word at that speed... hi.

Besides the practicalities, I think it's easier and faster to learn code while writing it down. As you decipher a letter aurally, you write it down, see it with your eyes, and it connects you with the part of your brain that already knows how to read and write.

Hey, different strokes for different folks, but I think it's a lot easier and more practical to learn code while writing it down, and make the transition to head-only copy later on if you need or want to. Am I the only one in hamdom that thinks so?

73,
monty N5FC

3296. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: maddog@io.com
Message-ID: <3733c649.21037207@news.io.com>
Source record: 143488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 7 May 1999 12:35:56 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>2 weeks?? ;) It took me, a 35yr old, almost 4mnths to learn it...

I know what you mean... I took up the piano at 45...

monty N5FC

3297. Re: HELP: ICOM IC-228H repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andy Lake <andy.lake@bt.com>
Message-ID: <3733D2B3.961E59FF@bt.com>
Source record: 143489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"JOSE V. GAVILA (EB5AGV/EC5AAU)" wrote:

> Hello!
>
> After some time working on other things, I have returned to radio related
> activities... This time, a recently received IC-228H is the patient in my
> workbench.

<Snip good mending story...>

> But, wait a moment. The RX audio is looooow... And the squelch doesn't work
> (the RX LED is always on). Checking with my trusty walky at 25mW (Extremely
> Low power), I could get maximum S-meter 'deflection', but very low audio,
> hard to hear. And that's all for now!. I am stuck at this point: low RX audio
> and non working squelch. Could somebody help me with this?. Perhaps is a
> common failure with this rig...

...just a thought - had someone been 'at' this rig for, perhaps, packet use?
Have they bodged (technical term...) the RX audio somewhere for either a fixed
output or directly of the discriminator for 9k6 use?
Good luck,

73
Andy
G8YOA / 2E0APR

3298. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3733D79A.6A065264@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Not just the FCC is in this nasty little smut ring!
Check out the distribution list in the headers.

Let's see...We've got:
The Health Care Financing Administration...(must be sex therapy?)
The U.S. Senate (no surprise there...)
Johns Hopkins University (for shame... people of such education!)
The Greater Baltimore Medical Center.. (more sex therapy)
Clack Sound Studios of New York (knew the media would be in on it..)
Physicians Online (some of these folks are going to need a doctor)
and Radixnet ISP (they'll claim they're innocent... suuuuure!)

HO HO HAR HAR HAR..... I must say.... (wiping tears from my eyes),
I do love it so when the "elite" people
find that their bare asses have been shining in public....
It's one of life's great joys. HA HA HA HEE HEE!!

Ain't Life Grand,
Dave AB5S

3299. FS yeasu ft101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: krypie@NOSPAMMERSNEEDREPLYjuno.com
Message-ID: <3735fec5.127882037@news.mia.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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will part with it for the right price---RLO

remove NOSPAMMERSNEEDREPLY to e-mail
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3300. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926154889.884.37@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143492
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Monty Northrup <maddog@io.com> wrote in message
news:3733c1c7.19882653@news.io.com...
> Above 35 wpm or so, I'll put the pencil down and copy entirely in my
> head, but if somebody throws a long unfamiliar and non-phonetic word
> out there at 45 wpm, I'll probably miss it, and I've found that's
> usually the case for people that "only copy in their head", even at
> slower speeds. And speaking of slower speeds, people that copy only
> in their heads have difficulty with copying 10 wpm qsos... I think you
> forget what was sent at the beginning of the word at that speed... hi.

Aye. I don't think Morse works at slow speeds. That's perhaps the best
reason to not relax test requirements.

Michael.

3301. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926155384.994.35@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Phil Wheeler <w7ox@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:3733CFF7.D8A74E7E@mindspring.com...
>
>
> Don W6JL wrote:
> >
> > I myself cannot see where using "tapes" and "computers" is an
> > effective learning method
> > for learning to use the code conversationally, as we do in ham
radio.
> > First of all, it
> > is boring, listening to basically boring content being sent. As you
> > said, you eventually
> > memorized the tapes.
> >
>
> Some software (e.g., Morse Tutor Gold) is pretty effective, in that it
> sends typical, but random, QSOs. Of course that may be boring (many
> qsos are!), but it is better than the old 5 element groups.

The medium *is* the message in code practice. If you're bored, you're
not going fast enough. Do you remember your first reading primer? Dick
and Jane held my attention fast for a long time, but I don't remember a
word of it. I'll bet you could care less about their antics these days,
too.

Crank up the speed.

Michael.

3302. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926155720.871.61@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143494
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Who's talking about Morse code? (Monty didn't get many thoughtful replies, now, did he?) Some talk about their inability to learn the code. The rest play devil's advocate, and discuss inadequate potty training.

Michael.

Don <bjmcpher@usit.net> wrote in message news:3733AFFD.A98FA753@usit.net...
> People talk too much about morse code.

3303. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373407D6.BB124AFF@uswest.net>
Source record: 143495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Someone repost the originating article or e-mail it to me. I'd like to forward it to my local tv/media contacts.. this should prove very interesting.

Hawke

David Stinson wrote:

> Not just the FCC is in this nasty little smut ring!
> Check out the distribution list in the headers.
>
> Let's see...We've got:
> The Health Care Financing Administration...(must be sex therapy?)
> The U.S. Senate (no surprise there...)
> Johns Hopkins University (for shame... people of such education!)
> The Greater Baltimore Medical Center.. (more sex therapy)
> Clack Sound Studios of New York (knew the media would be in on it..)
> Physicians Online (some of these folks are going to need a doctor)
> and Radixnet ISP (they'll claim they're innocent... suuuuure!)
>
> HO HO HAR HAR HAR..... I must say.... (wiping tears from my eyes),
> I do love it so when the "elite" people
> find that their bare asses have been shining in public....
> It's one of life's great joys. HA HA HA HEE HEE!!
>
> Ain't Life Grand,
> Dave AB5S

3304. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <G4fgq.Regp@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <01be997b$352077e0$c4f6abc3@default>
Source record: 143496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Don wrote...
> People talk too much about morse code.
=====================================
de de de dah de dah
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3305. a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508080310.08242.00000978@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 143497

I use a homebrewed Cloudwarmer on 20 meters and actually it's a two element fixed wire Yagi that beams straight up to saturate the ionsophere with RF. It has enormous gain over any conventional dipole or vertical. If anyone's interested, I have an instruction sheet printed up. You simply can't believe how well this antenna works. For a copy of the sheet, send NO MONEY but just a self-addressed STAMPED size ten envelope and I'll send it. SEND NO MONEY! If you've ever heard about the NVIS antennas on which the military is experimenting, the Cloudwarmer is an example of it.
radiosigs@aol.com Doc

3306. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7h199s$4m5$1@nntp8.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Only those that have never bothered to learn it.

Don wrote in message <3733AFFD.A98FA753@usit.net>...
>People talk too much about morse code.

3307. Cloudwarmer antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508080610.08242.00000980@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 143499

Sorry but I forgot to give my address. I live in a post office box..it's a bit cramped but still comfortably snug. It's Box 1347, Clifton,NJ 07015.
I've been a ham for 30 years and never have I had a better wire antenna!

3308. who's the rogue at BellSouth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508082238.08242.00000981@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 143500

Anyone know FOR SURE the I.D. of the BellSouth rogue who's been unlawfully nuking my postings? I've been told it's W4AMP, . James O'Brien and also he's supposedly the filthy-mouthed Jew baiter called DONKBOY666. So far, nothing's been proven so if anyone can add truth to this matter, please let me know. This is America guys and gals and stuff like that should not go on. Libel is something else but I seriously doubt if these postings are enough to cause anyone to go to court. We MUST HAVE FREE EXPRESSION..demand it! If someone can't take the heat, then let him or her get out of the kitchen. Rogue cancelling is cowardly at best and must not be tolerated. Stand up and be counted. Thanks people. Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3309. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <37343146.43E6D5A3@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 143501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

If you have dyslexia--many adults do, it is no shame, and a clearly defined sensory-cognitive disorder, it doesn't mean you aren't intelligent or are diminished in capacity in any other way--if you suffer from dyslexia, then it should be a very simple matter to obtain a legitimate waiver from a physician. But that shouldn't be an issue, as dyslexia is a visual--cognitive disorder, the sense of hearing and rhythm isn't affected by the dyslexic condition itself.

Maybe the problem you've been having is that in attempting to learn the code at 5 WPM you are visually transliterating what you hear into . and -, and then into letters of the alphabet, instead of the better and more proper method of doing it all 'by ear,' no charts, visuallization involved.

Mark Morgan wrote:

> Pernicous Lies sorry but then how is that you can read Morse
> Code if somebody gets a dit and a dah backwards. I am tiold it is not
> hard , yet you can not handle the simple leter transposition, One of
> the commonest sign of the Dyslexic? You and the ProCoder always refuse
> to answer this one. Why is that?
>
(snip)
>
> Do you know why I read this dreck Dave. let me tell you. the
> fact you ProCoders can only respond by attacking my duslexia and not
> my ideas convinces me that we the NoCoders will win this fight. You
> think any of that nonsense is going to get you anywhere with say the
> FCC where it counts?

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

3310. Re: Tek Scope Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <37343805.33961A5B@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 143502

Dennis:

Contact Deane Kidd at dektyr@teleport.com. He is retired from Tektronix after 40 years, and now services old TEK scopes, and provides manuals and parts (and some good free advice) for them. He has helped me with my 545A. He has the reputation, well deserved IMO, of being *the* man to see about TEK scopes.

Dennis Bironas wrote:
>
> Anyone repair oscilloscopes? I have a Tektronics 454 A that needs
> repaired. Does anyone know who repairs these?

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

3311. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.990508090758.28826A-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 143503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You forgot to post the very last post they sent out. Hopefully one they will themselves, abide by. That the person responsible would be dealt with.

It's a shame someone may have lost a good job for doing something so stupid. But they have only themselves to blame.

Not many jobs require a Psychological exam prior to getting it given to the applicant. One never knows when an employee may pull such a stupid stunt to embarass the whole agency/company at large.

"IF" they DON'T do something to correct this, THEN we have plenty of room to question their judgement. Until then, let's see what happens. We may never know, but let's wait and see!

Just "my" opinion.

Tech@DP.NET

On Fri, 7 May 1999 mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 20:26:18 GMT
> From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.policy, rec.radio.amateur.misc,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut
>
> Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham
> radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the
> air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily
> Digest recipients received this today.....
>
> Wonder what ARRL thinks ?
>
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>
> Subject:
> Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
> Date:
> Fri, 7 May 1999 13:09:57 -0400 (EDT)
> From:
> Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
> Reply-To:

> digest@info.fcc.gov
> To:
> Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
>
>
> Received: From [165.135.0.253] gatekeeper2.fcc.gov By mail.fcc.gov
> (GroupWise SMTP/MIME daemon 4.11) Fri, 7 May 99 12:12:34 EDT Received: by
> gatekeeper2.fcc.gov; id MAA25802; Fri, 7 May 1999 12:11:45 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from gbmcinternet.gbmc.org(205.229.239.2) by gatekeeper2.fcc.gov
> via smap (4.1) id xma025793; Fri, 7 May 99 12:10:49 -0400 Received: by
> gbmcinternet.gbmc.org; id IAA13741; Fri, 7 May 1999 08:04:06 -0400 Received:
> from mail.gbmc.org(129.100.0.28) by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org via smap (V3.1) id
> xma013725; Fri, 7 May 99 08:04:03 -0400 Received: from
> GBMCMAIN-Message_Server by gbmc.org with Novell_GroupWise; Fri, 07 May 1999
> 12:08:00 -0500 Message-Id: <s732d7a0.085@gbmc.org> X-Mailer: Novell GroupWise
> 5.5 Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 13:07:47 -0400 From: "SARA B. GUMNIT"
> <SGUMNIT@gbmc.org> To: laurie@clack.com,sheila_duffy@dodd.senate.gov,
> barbara.kellman@espire.net, SMESA@fcc.gov, hkarche@gwgate1.jhmi.jhu.edu,
> csevel@hcfa.gov, funner@pol.net, preamer@radix.net Subject: Fw: Nuns in
> heaven (fwd) -Forwarded Mime-Version: 1.0 Content-Type: multipart/mixed;
> boundary="=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7"
>
> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
> Content-Type: text/plain
> Content-Disposition: inline
>
> This is totally sacrilegious, so if you may be offended - don't open the
> attachment.
> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
> Content-Type: message/rfc822
>
> Return-Path: <kat918@erols.com>
> Received: from rly-st02.mx.aol.com (rly-st02.mail.aol.com [172.31.36.135])
> by air01.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 23:37:22
> -0500
> Received: from rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (rly-yd01.mail.aol.com [172.18.150.1])
> by rly-st02.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA05489;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:14 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (smtp4.erols.com [207.172.3.237])
> by rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA10591;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from smtp2.erols.com (smtp2.erols.com [207.172.3.235])
> by smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (8.8.8/smtp-v1) with ESMTP id VAA18117;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from default (207-172-206-233.s42.as4.blb.md.dialup.rcn.com
> [207.172.206.233])
> by smtp2.erols.com (8.8.8/8.8.5) with ESMTP id WAA26252;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 22:05:52 -0400 (EDT)

> Message-Id: <199904150205.WAA26252@smtp2.erols.com>
> Reply-To: <kat918@erols.com>
> X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
> X-Priority: 3
> X-Mailer: Microsoft Internet Mail 4.70.1162
> Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 20:47:20 -0500
> From: "Kathie Schisler" <kat918@erols.com>
> To: accent956@aol.com,bubba83191@aol.com, crb1206@aol.com,
> Dealldy@aol.com, decobake@aol.com, Jeslo1213@aol.com,
> KH1120@aol.com, KMyers442@aol.com, Kristada@aol.com,
> kuka97@aol.com, pulsar56@aol.com, RChan87112@aol.com,
> sea67vet@aol.com, sickgirl01@aol.com, Stasia67@aol.com,
> sweetee325@aol.com, TOTI674@aol.com, djcum@erols.com,
> lmherold@erols.com, netcruzr@erols.com, TFIKE@erols.com,
> able-1@ix.netcom.com, kwhiteley@mcsbalt.com
> Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> Mime-Version: 1.0
> Content-Type: text/plain
> Content-Disposition: inline
>
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> ----------
> > From: jillk <jillk@gateway.net>
> > To: kat918@erols.com
> > Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> > Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 8:54 PM
> >
> >
> > -----Original Message-----
> > From: Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>
> > To: Toni Spagnolo <tspagnol@bcpl.net>; Melissa Weese
> > <mickeymouse_96@yahoo.com>; Aunt Jill <jillk@gateway.net>
> > Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 5:52 PM
> > Subject: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> >
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> > >
> > >---------- Forwarded message ----------
> > >Date: Wed, 7 Apr 1999 10:32:37 -0400
> > >From: "Franco, Pedro I (Ivan)" <pifranco@lucent.com>
> > >To: Angel Pratt <drkangel1@aol.com>, Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>,
> > > Fernando Franco <francocesa@aol.com>,
> > > Timmy Barnhart <tcbarnhart@lucent.com>
> > >Subject: Nuns in heaven
> > >
> > >> Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 10:21 AM
> > >> To: Eric; James Saltzgiver; Jen; Megan Foss; Michael Smith; mikey-p;
> > >> Pedro Franco

> > >> Subject: Nuns in heaven
> > >>
> > >> A bus full of nuns plummets off a cliff. They all die.
> > >>
> > >> Nuns are admitted to Heaven through a special gate and are expected to
> > >> make one last confession before they become angels.
> > >> Several nuns are lined up at this gate waiting to be absolved of their
> > >> last sins before they are made holy.
> > >>
> > >> "And so," says St. Peter, "have you ever had any contact with a
> penis?"
> > >> "Well," says the first Nun in line, "I did once just touch the tip
> of
> > >> one with the tip of my finger."
> > >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Dip your finger in the holy water and pass on
> > into
> > >> heaven."
> > >> The next Nun admits that "Well, yes, I did once get carried away and
> > I,
> > >> you know, sort of massaged one a bit."
> > >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Rinse your hand in the holy water and pass on
> > >> into heaven."
> > >> Suddenly there is some jostling in the line and one of the nuns is
> > >> trying to cut in front.
> > >> "Well, now, what's going on here?" says St. Peter.
> > >> "Well, your holiness," says the Nun who is trying to improve her
> > >> position in line, "If I'm going to have to gargle that stuff, I want
> to
> > >> do it before Sister Mary sticks her ass in it!"
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> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7--
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> ------------------------------------
>
> Subject:
> Earlier Email
> Date:
> Fri, 7 May 1999 14:16:43 -0400 (EDT)
> From:
> Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
> Reply-To:
> digest@info.fcc.gov
> To:
> Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>

>
>
> Please excuse the interruption.
>
> An email inadvertently went out under my name earlier this afternoon to the
> digest list server. I want to apologize for this email.
>
> Stacey Mesa
>
>
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

3312. Re: Cloudwarmer antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h1gtd$g4h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143504

In article <19990508080610.08242.00000980@ng-fe1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Sorry but I forgot to give my address. I live in a post office box..it's a bit
> cramped but still comfortably snug. It's Box 1347, Clifton,NJ 07015.
> I've been a ham for 30 years and never have I had a better wire antenna!
> I told him how to put it together, do I get any credit? I think it's worth at
least $20 a week for my design use.....

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3313. Re: who's the rogue at BellSouth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <lhXY2.1575$O3.23084@news12.ispnews.com>
Source record: 143505

Of course, if the "rogue" either does not exist, or is not the individual named in the original post, then the individual named may have grounds for legal action against the person who publicly posted his name as possibly being a "rogue."

The original post should simply have asked for information as to how to contact Bell South to report possible abuse of their accounts.

On the other hand, if the intent of the original post was to continue the childish and stupid flaming that plagues this NG, then all the good sense in the world will not deter a fool.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Radiosigs wrote in message <19990508082238.08242.00000981@ng-fe1.aol.com>...
>Anyone know FOR SURE the I.D. of the BellSouth rogue who's been unlawfully
>nuking my postings? I've been told it's W4AMP, . James O'Brien and also
he's
>supposedly the filthy-mouthed Jew baiter called DONKBOY666. So far,
nothing's
>been proven so if anyone can add truth to this matter, please let me know.
This
>is America guys and gals and stuff like that should not go on. Libel is
>something else but I seriously doubt if these postings are enough to cause
>anyone to go to court. We MUST HAVE FREE EXPRESSION..demand it! If someone
>can't take the heat, then let him or her get out of the kitchen. Rogue
>cancelling is cowardly at best and must not be tolerated. Stand up and be
>counted. Thanks people. Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3314. Re: What is going be new @ Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: W4UDX <crslex@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <37343F45.F80AB1D7@iglou.com>
Source record: 143506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I heard from a longtime former employee of Drake who still keeps in
touch with people at the company that they my have something up their
sleeve (HF), but don't know if there's any truth to that.....
W4UDX

"Dean, Greg, SSG MI" wrote:

> Anyone heard any rumors as to what is going
> to be the big surprises at Dayton this year?

3315. Re: KV4FZ and N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508104111.02309.00001441@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 143507

Go crawl back in your hole, Dr. Hate!!

Frank

--
"Where's that big 'ol Dspman??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3316. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h1ljh$jq1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143508

I said plan, You radio "Screwball". Mr Hollingsworth has pushed all you Radio bullys and qrmers here to Deja News, where you are impotent on the frequencies you scoffrule operators used to terrorize. Tuff isn't it. I can not hear y7ou here.

Live with it!!!!!!!!! God Bless Mr Riley Hollingsworth!!

article <19990507204553.10238.00000747@ng-fd1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<
> From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
> Date: Fri, May 7, 1999 2:46 PM
> Message-id: <7guubd$a5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
>
> In article <7gupce$595$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the social
> > misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his
> > boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes
> > together.!!!!
> >
> > -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> > Yup, now we have all the Atlanta white trash,in the news groups dumpimg
> posts, because they are afraid of the T*R*U*T*H.
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
> >>Did you say a PLAN? What kind of paranoid nut are you? Or are you one of
> these conspiracy theorists? Good God man.get ahold of yourself or maybe that's
> been your problem all along?
> AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
>
>

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3317. Re: Help with Motorola P110 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth Allan Mitchell <nokones@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37344F56.750B69A9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143509
Cross-posted to:
alt.firefighters,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Jason:

This is a feature button that must be prgrammed by the RSS. There are
only 3 features that this button can be programmed for. Monitor,
Nuisance Delete, Volume Set, and nothing. Sounds like that this button
for that particular radio is programmed for nothing.

Jason wrote:
>
> Greetings. I just acquired a used Motorola P 110 ht. The radio did not come
> with an instruction manual. I have one nagging problem with it. There is a
> small round button above the PTT button that doesn't seem to do much of
> anything once pressed. On my other radios, this is a monitor button. On
> this radio, when I press this button, a yellow light comes on for 4 seconds
> in front of the volume control. Can anyone offer any insight as to what this
> is for? I wrote Motorola about it but got the cold shoulder I guess because
> I bought it used. I dunno. Any help is appreciated
>
> Jason Bishop KE4KZY
> Bon Secour Volunteer Fire
> Department
>
> Bon Secour, Alabama
> http://www.gulftel.com/bsfire

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Kenneth Allan Mitchell
mailto:nokones@ix.netcom.com

3318. Re: New Online Discount Adult Store

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508112053.24918.00000835@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143510

<<
Date: Thu, May 6, 1999 12:14 PM
Message-id: <05061999041454discount@adultweb.com>

You are invited to the new online super adult store

all prices at dicount you wont believe

call in today at

http://www.freeyellow.com/members7/privateshop/adultstore.html
<<Why don't you keep your pornographic crap off this ham radio message board?
And besides, you're spamming as well. Take your dirty pictures on down the
road,pig!>>

AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

>>

3319. Herbie the helper? Huh?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508113021.24912.00000950@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143511

Talked to my good friend Rube Lloyd who checked out KV4FZ's aalleged humanitarian deed at Camp Courage. Same garbage FZ puts out and a guy like N0VFP runs with. A nun up there replied to Rube that when Herbie worked there, he WANDERED around, more or less.He did diddlysquat. It's like Herbie telling Judge Luton about all the great things he did as a ham on Saint Croix., about all those commendations, awards and roses delivered at his door. ALL LIES! Luton told him in a gentlemanly way to take a hike with his lies or was it the FCC's Fitz-Gibbon who did? Who the hell cares? FZ is a pompous arrogant bigoted liar and thief who's going to lose that ticket. Goodbye Herbie. Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3320. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37345C53.23942922@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> Don wrote...
> > People talk too much about morse code.
> ====================================
> de de de dah de dah
========================================
Perhaps dididiDahdiDah???
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3321. A HAPPY DAY ON MAY 9th.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508113229.24912.00000951@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143513

Tomorrow will be very meaningful to all the StumpJumpers since all of them are "muthas" anyway. You fill in the rest!

AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3322. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37345DA6.A6C0391E@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

Michael Young wrote: How many also carry NRA cards?
>
> > H. Adam Stevens (alien@jump.net) wrote:
> > > : I wonder how many SCUBA divers are hams and pilots?
> > > : I have been diving the longest of the three ('58)
> > ------
> > Richard Hyde wrote:
> > KC6QBO since '91
> > PP-SEL since '74
> > OW diver since '97
> > -----
> > Oscar wrote:
> > KF6VIY since 3/99
> > PP-MEL-IFR since '89 (7 year hiatus due to flying accident as student)
> > NAUI OW since '85 (continued from USMC)
> > U.S. Parachute Assn, Class C, Jumpmaster, 1980-83

Not me!! But I can disarm you using only the little finger of my non
dominant hand!!! :->>>

3323. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37345EAE.D6848237@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Young wrote:
> The medium *is* the message in code practice. If you're bored, you're
> not going fast enough. Do you remember your first reading primer? Dick
> and Jane held my attention fast for a long time, but I don't remember a> word of it. I'll bet you could care less about their antics these days, too.

Care even less so about Morse Code. Though I do remember something about
Dick and Jane going to get some water with a pail.

3324. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37346435.86F0153B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'm not a vigilante either, Bob. I have been trained and licensed to carry concealed handguns by two states because trained law enforcers and guardian angels are not dependable enough for me. Your mileage may vary.
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA

I see the weapons thread is making the rounds on this newsgroup; my .02 cents:
Cecil, hopefully you train with your weapons every week and practice shoot/don/t shoot situations because that's the only way to maintain currency. What if one of your rounds goes out your window and kills a bystander? Nothing more tragic than one family member killing another thinking it was an "intruder." Or the older sib shooting the younger accidentally while playing cops and robbers. Or the 4 yo daughter who made her policeman father quadriplegic who was sleeping, took the gun from his holster and pulled the trigger.
I suppose you can put locks on the trigger guard or lock them up in a safe but that defeats the purpose of having a weapon ready for deterrence.
The above are personal situations I've been involved with so I chose to lock up my guns. I doubt I could convince you otherwise about weapons, nor do I want to, but being an adult, you will of course accept the consequences.

3325. Re: KV4FZ and N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508125653.10227.00001064@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143517

And you Frankie...crawl back into your coffin.

Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3326. Re: AF2Y receives an award

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508130340.10227.00001067@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143518

<<
For displaying tremendous love towards White Christians above and beyond duty, AF2Y is hereby awarded a beautiful, yellow star of David, to be worn on his clothing in a conspicuous place.

Enjoy!
<<And you Sir should choke on your communion wafer and your wine should turn to pee.>>
AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

>>

3327. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <Fg_Y2.390$xa.4787@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143519

Awww, come on George. Lay off the wine while you're typing; you're making too many errors. The alcohol abuse surely doesn't help your obsessive-compulsive disorder; you know, the one that causes you to think of WB2OTK during all of your waking hours. Maybe it's not OCD, but a simple case of infatuation? Hmmm.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3328. FCC Dirty Digest, the Aftermath

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h1ufj$r5p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Let's see, how is a joke inadvertently transmitted ? It got on the computer by a human's hand. It was told to forward it- the only thing that was "inadvertent" or "accidental" was their stupidity !

Of course, we all know FCC "discipline" is a worthless letter.

Hey, didn't these same clerical workers STRIKE in 1997 because they were OVERWORKED ? (Answer: YES !)

BWA HA HA HA HAAAAAA !!

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Subject:
Inappropriate e-mail
Date:
Fri, 7 May 1999 16:24:14 -0400 (EDT)
From:
Joy Howell <JHOWELL@fcc.gov>
Reply-To:
digest@info.fcc.gov
To:
Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>

It has come to our attention that a highly offensive joke was inadvertently transmitted earlier today to the Daily Digest subscribers. While accidental, the transmission was completely inappropriate and inexcusable. Appropriate disciplinary action is being taken. In the meantime, we offer our profuse apologies to our Daily Digest subscribers.

Joy Howell
Director
Office of Public Affairs

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3329. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <Gu_Y2.2706$ax4.164377@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oscar wrote in message <37346435.86F0153B@hotmail.com>...

>I see the weapons thread is making the rounds on this newsgroup; my .02
>cents:
>Cecil, hopefully you train with your weapons every week and practice
>shoot/don/t shoot situations because that's the only way to maintain
>currency.

The most important thing is developing the proper mental attitude. Once properly trained, it becomes a reflex action to take the proper steps when appropriate. Target-like marksmanship is not nearly as critical as proper mental conditioning because the typical shooting occurs at a distance of less than 10 feet, with a total of 3 rounds or less exchanged.

>What if one of your rounds goes out your window and kills a
>bystander? Nothing more tragic than one family member killing another
>thinking it was an "intruder."

Again, proper training. Before taking the shot, you have already evaulated your surroundings. In many situations the proper course of action is to seek cover and hold fire due to the tactical situation. As far as killing a family member, this does not happen when properly trained because you do not fire unless 1) you have positively identified the target, and 2) the threat of iminent danger is confirmed.

> Or the older sib shooting the younger accidentally while playing cops and robbers.

Again a training issue. In these situations the fault lies squarely with the parents for failing to properly educate their children concerning firearms. Children have a natural curiosity about things that are kept secret from them. Rather than shield the child from the gun, it is by far better to expose them to it and teach them proper handling and safety techniques. They can learn this at a very early age, and once they are familiar with the gun, the curiousity factor is eliminated, and the situations which breed accidents have been neutralized.

>Or the 4 yo daughter who made her policeman father quadriplegic who was
>sleeping, took the gun from his holster and pulled the trigger.

See the previous paragraph.

>I suppose you can put locks on the trigger guard or lock them up in a
>safe but that defeats the purpose of having a weapon ready for
>deterrence.

The bulk of any collection should be maintained in a safe primarily in case of burglary. However, a gun at the ready does not present a threat if those in the house have been properly trained. There are 3 children in my house, and all were familiarized with guns by the age of 4. By the age of 5 or 6, they had been out with me and allowed to shoot on several occasions, where they learned not only how to shoot and handle a gun, but also the reality of what happens when you pull a trigger. They saw that the rabbit does not get up and run away - like on television. This is a hard reality, but it drives home the respect for a firearm and what it can do.

>The above are personal situations I've been involved with so I chose to
>lock up my guns. I doubt I could convince you otherwise about weapons,
>nor do I want to, but being an adult, you will of course accept the
>consequences.

I also keep the bulk of my collection in a safe, but I do keep a gun at the ready. There has never been even as much as a minor incident in my household. I do accept the consequences, which in my case have been all positive because I took the time to make sure that all in the house were properly educated about, and familiar with firearms.

However I do understand your position. It is sad, but with the climate of fear and evil which the liberals and the media associate with guns and gun owners, it inevitable that more tragic situations will occur in the future - however this is not the fault of the gun anymore than forest fires are the fault of matches. These tragedies are a direct result of ignorance and lack of training, this is not unique to firearms alone. In reality, the number of firearm related accidents is miniscule when compared to such things as poisonings, drownings, fires, auto accidents, etc.

Until such time as fear and ignorance are replaced with education and respect, the population at large will continue to follow the media's self fulfilling (and self serving)firearms prophecies.

73 de KF6KNB

3330. OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-018

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <GL_Y2.548$Vo6.13117@news020.image.dk>
Source record: 143522
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-018 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

3331. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h22rjukc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <LqUX2.17630$Dx6.372399@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>,
"Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@qsl.net> wrote:
> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
>
> > SNIP
> >My father was a NYC taxi driver and he was mugged many
> >times. He preferred to surrender his money and not carry a gun. IMHO it is
> >better to give free-lance desperate robbers money than to donate it to
> >organized charities or pay doctor bills.
> >SNIP
> >If you can get mugged without getting hurt or hurting anyone IMHO you have
> shown >that you know how to take care of yourself.
>
> That's the big question, IF you can get mugged WITHOUT being hurt or killed.
> However, national statistics show that if you offer an attacker no
> resistance, you will have a 3.7 in 5 chance of being hurt or killed.
> However, those who do offer armed resistance reduce their odds to less than
> 1 in 5. (source - 1997 FBI Uniform Crime Statistics Report)

You are using statistics that in all probability do not include thousands of
cases of mugging where no one was hurt and the FBI was not informed. This is
a typical NRA tactic and has been technically refuted by the anti-gun people
who have taken the time to gather just the opposite evidence.

>
> If you care to gamble with you or your loved one's lives then you wouldn't
> be concerned with your poor odds. Myself, I place a high value on my life
> and the lives of my family members. Your dad was fortunate enough to beat
> the odds, I wish you the best of luck also...

All life and death matters are matters of life and death and are risky
gambles..IMHO Armed conflict can never be a lower risk situation than cool
headed unarmed measures. He who runs away...lives to run another day.
He who runs for his gun may not be the first to shoot.

> I look at it much like home or car insurance. I pay a lot of money to buy it
> and pray that I never need to use it. But if my car is ever stolen, or my
> house burns down, I'll be damned glad that I spent the money. It's funny how
> many people will insure themselves against monetary loss, but will trust
> their own safety to fate.

Hey.....That is a point I brought up here. Cars have some possibility of
being stolen or involved in accidents. I think that most states now require
that we have automobile insurance in order to register our cars. I know that
car or driver insurance was required in every state that I ever registered my

cars in. Why don't states or the federal government require that the owners of all registered guns have gun insurance? The insurance companies will then have the funds to independently track guns in private computer data bases; independent of governments, and to have the motivation and funds to investigate gun related crimes and gun thefts and "accidents" objectively. That is not a "pinko" idea because it would place some of the responsibility of nationally tracking gun sales, trades and thefts into the private hands of the insurance companies. It could also pay the victims of gun "accidents" or their estates in the same manner as many car accident victims are now paid money as a result of auto accidents. If insurance companies refuse to insure the guns of minors or convicted criminals (and prevent registration) because they are of very high risk financially, perhaps the insurance companies will be more careful than the dealers at gun shows are.

>
> 73 de KF6KNB
>

I've been called a "wimp assed pansy" elsewhere in this thread. If so that gives me the personality to say that although I do not agree with you Dan, I do think that I can understand the points that you make and I do agree that many other responsible citizens do see things your way. There are also those who agree with me and manage to survive in this world. We may all have somewhat different conditions to consider. A city taxi driver who gets shot in the back of his head while driving or turns to shoot a bandit while in motion, could cause an auto accident that could kill innocent people who are not involved in his robbery...There is that to consider as well. I never met a Ham I didn't like, Hams need more license classes, Bob Wex w2ilp (Insure Legal Pistols)

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3332. Sam Fisher gets HAM Schorarship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509005938.12839.00001085@ng-cm1.aol.com>
Source record: 143324

Has anyone else received this?

Bob
KD8WU
==========
Subj: Fisher gets HAM Scholarship, What a Joke (Jerk ?)
Date: 99-05-07 19:04:42 EDT
From: straightkey@eudoramail.com (Peter St. Paul)
To: jackn2mpu@aol.COM

Seems two-face Fisher can insult, harass, defame and defile hams, ham radio and ARRL but their money is still green. Didn't tell his daughter not to take money from "losers" as he calls us ?

ARRL Foundation Scholarship Winners Announced

NEWINGTON, CT, May 7, 1999--The ARRL Foundation Scholarship Committee has announced recipients for 1999 academic scholarship awards. Congratulations to these scholarship winners!

The New England FEMARA Scholarships--$600 each:

Samantha A. Fisher, KA1VBQ, South Dennis, MA

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3333. Help: Whats the best antenna for the ADI-600 Dual Band HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioman@localnet.com
Message-ID: <xr9Z2.6563$bV5.196414@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 143325

Hi,
Looking for opinions on what the best (yet hopefully economical)
aftermarket antenna for this unit. The performance is good with the
original equipment one, but I wouldn't mind (as most of us do look
for) just a little more distance! Any suggestions sincerely
appreciated.
Best regards to all,
Ray Miller N2NJK

3334. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37352b5e.242908734@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143326

On Sat, 8 May 1999 23:07:00 -0400 (EDT), RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:

>Smurf, I notice you called "RealDeal" George...is this Real Deal..by any
>chance George Ashely=W4FQF ? <K4RUB>
>

Hey Rube, how's Fred doing these days?

3335. FS: Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OELiqmem#GA.247@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $50.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3336. FS: STX After Market Programming Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uPx60mem#GA.247@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

STX After Market Programming Cable

Asking $50.00 + Shipping

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3337. FS: Motorola HT-90 UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uBbKvmem#GA.247@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $50.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3338. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <u6Tljmem#GA.320@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143330
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3339. FS: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uPsE2nem#GA.310@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143331
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Motorola KVL Up Grades for T3011 & T3014 AX,BX or CX

Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
such as Astros and MTSX 2000.

$150.00 Parts Labor And Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3340. your "ham bazaar" on the web!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hambazaar <hambazaar@geocities.com>
Message-ID: <7h3lbb$se4$1@pollux.ip-plus.net>
Source record: 143332
Cross-posted to: alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dear oms,

Everybody's talking about electronic commerce.
But did you know that a lot of hamradio related equipments can also be purchased on the web?

The site www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Park/9501 provides links to RX, TX, books about hamradio, computer stuff and more, that can be bought on the web. It also provides powerful search engines.

This site is NOT a commercial site! It's just a hamradio related site at Geocities, whose purpose is to help you to find what you're looking for on the world wide web.

Have fun es vy 73!

3341. FS Clipperton L HF amp!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373515F5.3337@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143333

Hello all,
I have a Dentron Clipperton L forsale. It has new
572b's, new band switch and all of the Capacitors and diodes
have been replaced. I have schmatics too. The amp is wired
for 220 with 100 watts drive 1200 watts out on 80-meters.
The band coverage on this amp is 160-15. I'm asking 500bucs
plus shipping. If you are interested drop me a line. You
can see a picture of the amp as well as my station by clicking
here. http://www.dirtball.com/station.html
73 and thanks for reading
Oris N3CND

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3342. Re: FS yeasu ft101zd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed <elabonte@together.net>
Message-ID: <373569BD.1FB30E9F@together.net>
Source record: 143334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Is It the ZD with the WARC bands? Been trying to find someone else with one. Mine has them and I cannot find documentation

RLO wrote:

> will part with it for the right price---RLO
>
> remove NOSPAMMERSNEEDREPLY to e-mail

3343. wind power

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Griffin <bgriffin@rapfire.net>
Message-ID: <926248325.984.18@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143335

has anyone seen any plans on the internet for homebrewed wind powered machines for powering ham radio gear? If so, please post url.

Thnks.

3344. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37866e3c.989533244@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143336
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sun, 09 May 1999 03:44:10 GMT, oap1@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>From your responce you sugest that the Harmony converter will not work with
>CGA, Vga nor EGA I am taking this to mean that the output is a composite
>signal and only if I have one of those cga monitors that also has a composite
>input could I use it? I am using an anolog C Band dish and am currently
>feeding the composite output to my VCR and then to the TV antenae as the tv
>lacks a composite inputand wanted to know if the improvement in picture
>quality would be worth buying a new tv with composite inputs.

Going to direct video feed will likely offer a substantial improvement in
picture quality. You don't need to buy a new TV to get that, however. It
is a relatively easy modification to "jeep" a TV to accept direct video
input.

What you need to do is add a switch in the line between the demodulator
of your TV and the first video amplifier. This lets you select either demod
video or a direct video feed you add with a jack in the back. This is basically
how TVs with a direct video input work.

Note that there is a potential hazard to doing this if your TV is a transformerless
model. The chassis can be "hot", and connecting the external video cable shield
to it could present a shock hazard. But if your TV uses a transformer power supply,
even a switcher, it should work fine. If you know what you're doing, you can jeep
a hot chassis set successfully using isolated ground technique, but there is some
risk involved.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3345. Re: Help with Motorola P110 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Asmodean <asmo@third.age>
Message-ID: <7neZ2.4475$N_1.281@news1.atl>
Source record: 143337
Cross-posted to:
alt.firefighters,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

By "Nuisance Delete", do you mean CTCSS tones? Just wondering, because one
of the radios we use at work is a P110, and that button turns tone squelch
on and off.

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Asmo
KF4YTR
Charter Member of NO MA'AM

Kenneth Allan Mitchell wrote in message <37344F56.750B69A9@ix.netcom.com>...
>Jason:
>
>This is a feature button that must be prgrammed by the RSS. There are
>only 3 features that this button can be programmed for. Monitor,
>Nuisance Delete, Volume Set, and nothing. Sounds like that this button
>for that particular radio is programmed for nothing.

3346. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373575e2.516557240@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143338
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 08 May 1999 05:42:59 -0700, Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
wrote:

>Maybe the problem you've been having is that in attempting to learn the code
>at 5 WPM you are visually transliterating what you hear into . and -, and then
>into letters of the alphabet, instead of the better and more proper method of
>doing it all 'by ear,' no charts, visuallization involved.

With respect to efforts I really don't that is a method I have not
tired, indeed the nearest I get to result is close to that by trying
to assorate the sound patteren with the positions on the keybroard
wiothout thinking about the letter is question. It is indeed hwo I
type, spelling words by their sounds not any other method works fairly
well if I am clam and quiet(and don't catch two keys at once or
something or have a dis balance between the keys on each hand
Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3347. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <373578ef.517339034@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143339
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On Sat, 08 May 1999 03:59:03 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>juker8161@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
>> Different disabilities= Different abilities
>
>Very touchy-feely, very politically correct and very "Nineties"....but
>not necessarily true.

But sure happens to be true be in this case, not that you'd know
>
>Dave 5H3US, K8MN
>--
>For 5H3US photos, go to
>http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3348. Re: Amateur radio licensing in Israel?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: gsm@nardis.bfr.co.il
Message-ID: <slrn7javpr.806.gsm@nardis.bfr.co.il>
Source record: 143340

On 6 May 1999 23:43:37 GMT, GLC1173 <glc1173@aol.com> wrote:
> I'm licensed (U.S.) as Technician "plus" and am seriously considering
>immigration to Israel - anyone know what is involved in getting licensed there?
> Matt, N4GSV

For all licenses you need to see Miriam Shtesel 4x6kt at the ministry of communications. (Misrad Hateckshoret). Her office is in the Shalom Tower (Migdal HaShalom) in Tel Aviv.

You go to the main entrance, get checked by the guard at the escalator for guns and bombs (same as all public buildings in Israel) and go up to the first floor. Take an elevator to the ninth floor and walk all the way back unitl you see a fire tower. Take the stairs up to the 10th floor and turn left past the empty reception desk. Turn left again and her office is the last one on the right.

She is there from 9am to 1pm SUNDAY-THURSDAY, execept for holidays, strikes, vacation, etc. Call first to make sure she is there. Her number is (03) 519-8230. (from the U.S. 972-3-519-8239)

Reciprocal permits are paid for in cash. You get the form from Miriam and go down to the post office on the ground floor to pay them. After paying for them, you come back up and get the permit.

Permanet licenses are paid for by mail, you get the bill in the mail and pay at a post office. They forward the forms. It takes 1-2 months to get the bill and 6-8 months to get the license.

You may operate as soon as you have permit, or in case of a permanent license as soon as you have a callsign assigned (Miriam does it on the spot).

She's a very nice person and like most Israeli's speaks english if you speak slowly and clearly (but do not "speak down to her").

First question, are you jewish? For purposes of imigration, you need to have proof that any grandparent was a jew. If this is the case, 90 days after you imigrate you become a citizen automaticly. At that time you go get a tehudat zehut (literaly "state certificate", an id card). You then take your id card, passport (showing entry as an imigrent), tehudat olem, (immegrant's certificate) and your US ham license.

Miriam will have you fill out forms and issue you a callsign. You MUST declare what equipment you have, it goes on your license. You will NOT be able to import a transmitter without a license and permit.

One family member must be present. If there are 3 hams in your family, only one must show up, bring photocopies of their passports, licenses and id cards.

If you are not jewish, or are not imegrating on this trip, you will want a reciprocal operating permit.

Reciprocal permits are similar, you bring your U.S. license, passport with tourist visa (issued at the airport when you arrive) or work permit in it and about $25 in cash. Reciprocal permits are good for one year.

The Israel Amateur radio club will obtain a permit for you. See www.iarc.org. They charge a extra to pay for postage, but a volunteer takes the forms to her and goes to the post office for you. Allow at least a month in advance.

Israel signed the CEPT, you can use a license from any CEPT country for 90 days instead.

Israel has 4 license classes A-Extra, B-General, C (also G no letter C in Hebrew) -Novice and D- codeless tech.

There is no tech plus in Israel. If you have a tech+ license you can operate as a codless tech or a novice with a permit. If you get a permanet upgrade, you will want to get both as a novice only has 2 meters on vhf, and a tech has to upgrade to novice to get to general.

Note that the code tests are SENDING and RECEIVING, and are more difficult than the US. (no written, just copy). The best thing to do is to upgrade to US General or Advanced before you come permanetly.

U.S. VE's do NOT give tests in Israel. If you want to upgrade your U.S. license you will have to leave the country.

An Israeli general is limited to 150 watts on HF and 25 watts on VHF. 6m is SSB/CW only, 2m is 144-146, there is no 220, and 70cm is 430-440.

Feel free to contact me if you have any more questions.

If you are planing to imegrate, sign up for the mailing list, tachlis, one www.onelist.org.

Geoff.

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Geoffrey S. Mendelson
Tel: (03) 6944-211 Fax: (03) 6944-225 Email: gsm@bfr.co.il

3349. HARRIS 505A INFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsimon1026@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509083217.06085.00001043@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 143341

LOOKING FOR INFO ON HARRIS 505A RADIO

3350. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <37358041.519213124@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143342
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 8 May 1999 04:14:37 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

>Monty Northrup <maddog@io.com> wrote in message
>news:3733c1c7.19882653@news.io.com...
>> Above 35 wpm or so, I'll put the pencil down and copy entirely in my
>> head, but if somebody throws a long unfamiliar and non-phonetic word
>> out there at 45 wpm, I'll probably miss it, and I've found that's
>> usually the case for people that "only copy in their head", even at
>> slower speeds. And speaking of slower speeds, people that copy only
>> in their heads have difficulty with copying 10 wpm qsos... I think you
>> forget what was sent at the beginning of the word at that speed... hi.
>
>Aye. I don't think Morse works at slow speeds. That's perhaps the best
>reason to not relax test requirements.

It is also one of the reasons to end the testing all togther for at
least the general class and maybe even the Extra rather than going to
5wpm
>
>Michael.
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

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3351. Interesting Observations about 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509091636.09676.00001034@ng-da1.aol.com>
Source record: 143343

Read this:

The "case" is far from closed. The "case" will never be closed until the nets and their supporters cease to use dirty, underhanded tactics in their attempts to silence the B.A.R.F. It was the nets who brought in a goon squad whose very purpose was to personally attack and destroy the lives of targeted B.A.R.F. members. It was the nets who supported jammers and bootleggers in their attempts to disrupt the legal operations of the B.A.R.F. One need look no further than the well-documented FCC case against net lackey (and bootlegger) Peter Scuggins. Operating from the vessel Baltija, with the bootleg call KD4VQ, Scuggins spent hundreds of hours harassing the B.A.R.F. He openly announced that his operations were being sponsored and supported by the nets. Predictably, the nets disavowed any connection with Scuggins after the FCC apprehended him.

Perhaps the most famous case of net sponsored jamming was that of the infamous William Irwin, K3CQR. He operated for years as an unidentified jammer using the pseudonym "Rain Coat Charlie". Night after night, he could be heard on 14315.5 kHz spewing forth vulgarity and profanity that was directed at B.A.R.F. members. It mattered not to him that a lovely and kind XYL, Judy (KA1SKV), was on frequency. In fact, much of his sexually oriented filth was directed at Judy. Once more, this vile creature, "Rain Coat Charlie", continually assured the world that his activities were on behalf of the nets. He even asserted that he was, in fact, fighting anti-Semitism. That's right. He actually claimed that his jamming was motivated by the need to fight the make-believe anti-Semites.

The net's sponsorship of these jammers went far beyond merely giving them "moral support". It was the nets who provided Doug Case (WD4PZT) with a linear amplifier and a three-element beam. He was given orders to use their "gifts" against KV4FZ and the B.A.R.F. And use them he did. However, when Doug realized how the nets had used him, he "spilled the beans" on them. WD4PZT told a story that the amateur radio world should never forget. He revealed the secret workings of a net that would stop at nothing to silence the truth.

Did the B.A.R.F. have a right to challenge the practices of the nets? Were there illegal practices on the nets that needed to be questioned? All radio amateurs have both the right, and the obligation, to dispute questionable practices, whenever and wherever, they occur. These telephone bypass nets are not above the law. They are not a higher authority unto themselves. They are not just answerable to the B.A.R.F. They must be able to answer the criticisms of every radio amateur, and even the FCC, if need be. They are obligated to maintain a legal operation that is not dedicated to the dubious practice of soliciting overseas telephone patches.

How did the nets react when Herb Schoenbaum (KV4FZ) shined his search light upon the net practices? Did they willingly examine and investigate the matters that Herb brought to their attention? No, they most certainly did not. Instead they began a purge of their membership. They booted out anyone and everyone who even slightly agreed with KV4FZ. They removed longtime members like Dick Eastman, N5FX, from office. They made it clear that he was no longer welcome in their circle. The net chose to wage war over the airwaves rather than address the concerns raised by KV4FZ and the B.A.R.F.

1999 is here and the net's position has changed very little. They are still employing thugs to attack, and to attempt to discredit, B.A.R.F. members. KV4FZ is still a target. The nets still have no reservations about attacking Herb's wife, children and friends. They have used the foulest hate tactics against Herb. They have raised scores of non-issues in an attempt to cloud the real issues. The entire matter pertaining to the presence of alleged anti-Semitism is one of these non-issues.

What does anti-Semitism have to do with the net's shady procedures? It has nothing at all to do with the questions that Herb raised about the net operations. The net has used this red herring as a means of sidetracking a discussion of the real problems. The B.A.R.F. has never been concerned with a person's faith or how a person chooses to express it. The B.A.R.F. is only concerned when net members, and their lackeys, choose to use their supposed faith as a barrier to protect them from legitimate criticism.

All of the nonsensical false parallels being spewed forth about Neville Chamberlain and 1936 are nothing more than a propaganda tactic known as "demonization". Demonization is the process of making a group or a person appear to be so evil that there is no purpose in addressing the legitimate concerns that are raised. These are examples of the demonization process:

a) "right wing screwballs"
b) "breaking bread with Satan"
c) "paper signed by Hitler"

It should be clear that the use of this propaganda technique is aimed at doing one thing. It provides an excuse for the nets to continue to use their hate tactics against B.A.R.F. members instead of having open and honest debate on the real issues. Do the net's hired thugs really care about what is good for amateur radio? Or are they more interested in chasing down imaginary Nazi's and invented anti-Semites?

Take a good look at their statements. Examine their motives. You will find the ranting of hate-filled vexation writers who, lacking any real life, have decided to project their psychoses into a dispute that really does not interest them. They don't care about the phone patching issue or any of the other real issues surrounding the nets. These hate zealots are much more concerned with tracking down pretend "radio Nazi's" and holding court over them. That is why they refuse to sit down, discuss these matters and work out an appropriate solution. The truth is that the nets fear the B.A.R.F. because they know their practices will not stand up to close scrutiny.

The nets are running from the B.A.R.F. because they don't dare risk the chance that the truth will become common knowledge. The nets know that the B.A.R.F. has the facts that will make free, open and robust debate a dangerous proposition for them. Their ridiculous attempts to patronize a commission official will most certainly backfire upon them. So they choose to keep sniping and running. Unfortunately for them, they can run but they cannot hide. Their dirty deeds follow them wherever they go.

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3352. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h45ed$bn7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143344

AF2Y takes credit for the "cloud warmer". What do we have here another Al Gore
who invented everything, what a goof ball!!!!! Next he will claim he invented
Television.

article <7h2fos$8u7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented this
> antenna. For his information , this antenna is in the book "The Radio Amateur
> Antenna Handbook". It is on page 152-153. This book was copyrighted 1978. Yet
> this lame brain takes credit for the design. The book was written by W6SAI
> and W2LX Bill Orr, and Stuart D. Cowan . Dr Hate, you did not invent this
> antenna. Quit trying to reap rewards that you have not sown. The Antenna has
> been around for years.
>
> article <19990508080310.08242.00000978@ng-fe1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> > I use a homebrewed Cloudwarmer on 20 meters and actually it's a two element
> > fixed wire Yagi that beams straight up to saturate the ionsophere with RF.
It
> > has enormous gain over any conventional dipole or vertical. If anyone's
> > interested, I have an instruction sheet printed up. You simply can't believe
> > how well this antenna works. For a copy of the sheet, send NO MONEY but just
a
> > self-addressed STAMPED size ten envelope and I'll send it. SEND NO MONEY! If
> > you've ever heard about the NVIS antennas on which the military is
> > experimenting, the Cloudwarmer is an example of it.
> > radiosigs@aol.com Doc
> >
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3353. Re: I pose a Question to AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h460p$c3r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143345

What kind of answer do you expect from a goof ball like AF2Y, he thinks a Hitler is lurking behind every bush and tree, every one is suspect. The paper boy is anti semetic you hate me, every one is against me etc and on and on. Sounds kind of paranoid. Of course he seems to be in that condition. Real sad.

article <19990508230105.09675.00001069@ng-da1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << @ng23.aol.com>
>
> This it for PorkButt and Doc Hate to answer for us....
>
> Question: "Why don't all the parties to this disagreement just sit down at the
> bargaining table and hash out this mess? Isn't this whole affair giving Ham
> Radio a 'black eye'?"
>
> Answer: The B.A.R.F. has offered, on many occasions, to meet with the
> leadership of the opposition, the FCC, and the ARRL, in an attempt to reach
> some measure of accord. The so-called "service" nets refuse to discuss the
> matter. They would rather continue their hate campaign as a method of
silencing
> the B.A.R.F. On 75 meters, every offer of discussion with the opposing faction
> has been met with comments like, "We don't talk to trash we burn it!" Ask
> yourself what does a comment like that do to the possibility of peacefully
> negotiating a settlement? At some point, it becomes very difficult to discuss
> matters with a group that finds such joy in character assassination and
> personal attacks. Regardless, the B.A.R.F. remains open to any and all
> suggestions on how best to end the conflict. The B.A.R.F. seeks a just peace
> and an end to the daily insanity on 14.313 and 75 meters. Can the same be said
> of the nets and their followers? If so, let them propose a meeting time and
> place, with mutually agreed upon referees (such as the ARRL might provide),
> where discussions may begin. The B.A.R.F. will be there ready to talk and
> present our case. But the continued attempts to destroy the personal lives of
> our leadership must stop. The vendetta against KV4FZ must end. The B.A.R.F.
> agrees that this whole situation is, indeed, giving Ham Radio a "black eye".
We
> are willing to explore any avenue that might resolve the conflict.
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
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> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP

> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
>
> >>Because one can't do business with right wing screwballs led by a lying,
> cheating felonious bastard who created all this crap to begin with, invented
> horror stories about nice folks on a fine net,preached anti-Semitism as a way
> of stopping phone patches and on and on and on.If you Lloyd think that
breaking
> bread with Satan can bring about peace, you're nuts. The only way for this
> stuff to end is to have KV4FZ permanently removed from ham radio and have his
> clones stop creating trouble by jamming,slandering,harassing etc. And if his
> nutcases don't stop, then the FCC will bring about their end too. Neville
> Chamberlain in 1938 came back to England waving a piece of paper signed by
> Hitler. "Peace in our time" he proclaimed. A year later we had W.W.2 because
of
> appeasement. Good people don't appease BARF or the STUMPJUMPERS. Good people
> stand up to them and drive THEM goofier than they already are. Case closed.
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com Doc
>
>

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3354. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <mlgZ2.4733$ax4.258007@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143346
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The saying is "flee a knife, charge a gun". You can't outrun a bullet. Your only viable defense against a gun is usually to either attempt the very risky and usually unsuccessful tactic of disarming the armed assailant, or to shoot his ass and shoot him good before he shoots you. Running from a man with a club, knife, whatever, is almost always a viable option if you can run. If you can't, again, you better be able to shoot him. or THEM.

Your handing over your money to a robber is not only just as risky as an effective counterattack, but it is WRONG. it ENCOURAGES and REWARDS criminal behavior and ensures that the miscreant will make robbery his career if it is not already. Where robbers are routinely shot, there are not nearly as many robbers. It is first of all an example of effective deterrence, and second, a matter of simple arithmetic... let's call it SUBTRACTION. Somebody robs me, if I stand a reasonable chance of surviving, I am gonna SUBTRACT his ass. And I won't miss. Unlike the criminal, the law abiding citizen who chooses to be armed on a regular basis PRACTICES things like basic static marksmanship, as well as dynamic excercises involving moving targets, crisis scenarios, weapon retention, etc. Criminals don't do this. Nor do they think before pulling a trigger, nor do they have an innate sense of fair play that demands they release, unharmed, their victims if they cooperate. If I can get shot in a gunfight, or get shot meekly complying, I think I would rather get shot fighting.

Robinson in San Benito TX
A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border By the Sea

Meet a Redneck!
See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
Build your own Web Page!
Get your Ham License!

For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
http://crusoe.org

W6RCecilA wrote in message <3734BC53.2850219E@IEEE.org>...
>Dan K Nelson wrote:
>>
>> w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7h22rjukc1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>> > He who runs away...lives to run another day.
>>

>> In L.A., it is standard practice for the gang members to kill their
victims
>> during the assault.
>
>Yep, looks like that old-saying needs to be updated.
>"He who runs away in L.A... gets it in the back that day."
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3355. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13035-3735939B-10@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143347

Old Fred is enjoying traveling around the country in his Big Truck:~)
and is very active on 20. Who is this? <K4RUB>

3356. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <378a8146.994407621@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 00:57:53 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>Outdated crap? Handguns obviated hand-to-hand martial arts. Or did they?

Well, it isn't considered very smart to only bring a knife, stick, or bare hand to a gunfight. It doesn't matter what sort of martial arts training someone has when you can drop them at 50 yards with a well placed shot. Unless you're Bruce Lee, you aren't going to take on a gang with just martial arts either. Guns have been called an equalizer that can allow you to be as strong as the strongest, and as fast as the fastest, regardless of your actual physical endowments. They can permit an 80 year old woman to stand up to a 19 year old punk on an equal footing.

>Ox-drawn plows have been replaced by heavy machinery. Except on small
>farms, and in underdeveloped areas.

Indeed, and it is the areas using machinery which export the food that keeps those countries using ox drawn plows from starvation. There's a lesson to be learned there. The lesson is to intelligently use machinery to magnify your capabilities. Only 2% of the people in the US grow the food that feeds not only the entire US population, but also a good part of the rest of the world.

It wasn't always so. 50 years ago, over 10% of the US population had to farm to feed the rest. 150 years ago, before mechanization, 90% of US citizens had to be farmers. The use of machinery is a capability multiplier. That multiplier has freed 98% of the US population to pursue other productive activities. It is no fluke that the industrialized nations dominate the world economy. The power of technology has enabled them to do so. It pays to work smarter rather than harder.

>I painted my living room with a
>roller and paint tray. It might have been easier with a power roller,
>but I'm not planning on painting much else anytime soon.

That's an economic argument for the once every few years painter, but someone who paints every day would use the tools which made him most productive. It pays to work smarter rather than harder.

>I watched my
>neighbor struggle to put in deck posts using a hand auger. I wonder if
>he knows about other tools he might have used. I watched another
>neighbor dig his post holes with a power auger, with a very large friend
>helping. The bit grabbed every few seconds in the clayey soil, and would
>torque the two men off their feet. (Neither way looked like fun, so I
>have stone pavers instead of a deck. That wasn't much fun, either.)

Someone who set posts every day would use a vehicle mounted auger,
or a pneumatic drill, or the artful application of explosives. Or they'd
hire a manual laborer to do it for them at minimum wage. Manual labor
isn't a productive use of most people's time. It pays to work smarter
rather than harder.

>Everything has their time and place. I especially liked Jeffrey's
>explanation about CW on HF. I realize it's not for everyone. For them,
>there's FM on VHF.

Or very soon, SSB on HF, or digital on HF. Either can be faster than
CW, and digital can also work when CW won't. Both use technology to
multiply the capabilities of the user. No arcane manual skills or natural
endowments are required. Unlike the once a year painter or the once in
a lifetime post hole digger, amateurs use their communications capabilities
every day. And like any other group which uses their capabilities every day,
they can benefit from the multiplier effect that modern technology can offer
them. It is an equalizer that negates the advantages of those few endowed
with exceptional physical prowess in some manual art. It allows them to
work smarter rather than harder to accomplish their desired ends.

The dumbing down of amateur radio by the requirement to manually
emulate a modem will soon end. When it does, amateur radio will be
the better for the smartening up that represents. Freed from manual
drudgery, amateurs will be able to direct their energies toward more
productive objectives, like coming up with something intelligent to
say to their contacts rather than just exchanging a few stylized
prosigns and abbreviated banalities with them.

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3357. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h48mn$dp6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143349

In article <7h1ljh$jq1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I said plan, You radio "Screwball". Mr Hollingsworth has pushed all you Radio
> bullys and qrmers here to Deja News, where you are impotent on the frequencies
> you scoffrule operators used to terrorize. Tuff isn't it. I can not hear y7ou
> here. Was here, way before you started your dribble, two years before.
>
> Live with it!!!!!!!!! God Bless Mr Riley Hollingsworth!!
>
> article <19990507204553.10238.00000747@ng-fd1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> > <<
> > From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
> > Date: Fri, May 7, 1999 2:46 PM
> > Message-id: <7guubd$a5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> >
> > In article <7gupce$595$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> > realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > > It is really nice, for the amateur bands that is. Now we have all the
social
> > > misfits like Dr Hate AF2Y and WB2OTK the shamed radio amateur and all his
> > > boot lickers here on Deja News. It sure is nice when a plan goes
> > > together.!!!!
> > >
> > > -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> > > Yup, now we have all the Atlanta white trash,in the news groups dumpimg
> > posts, because they are afraid of the T*R*U*T*H.
> >
> > -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
> >
> > >>Did you say a PLAN? What kind of paranoid nut are you? Or are you one of
> > these conspiracy theorists? Good God man.get ahold of yourself or maybe
that's
> > been your problem all along?
> > AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com
> >
> >
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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3358. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <378b992a.1000524418@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143350

On 27 Apr 1999 23:02:17 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>Whiner <whiner@crybaby.com> wrote:
>>Remember, it takes a pretty screwed-up, illogical person to enjoy CW in the
>>first place as all they have to do is pick up a microphone.
>
>But can you build the radio that's attached to that microphone? I can
>surely build the radio that's attached to my key (and did do so).
>72.5, Jeff KH6O

Did you build the receiver that's attached to your headphones too?
I've done both, as well as building and programming the equipment
that encodes and decodes the text of messages exchanged. That
equipment operates faster, with fewer errors, and almost certainly
with weaker signals than the method you employ too.

I'm sure that some people enjoy CW, and I don't necessarily think
that they're screwed up to do so. The SCA types enjoy jousting,
and other medieval mock battle skills, and that doesn't make them
deranged. Only if they thought that skill at jousting was necessary
to fire a rifle in modern combat would they be deranged. Unfortunately,
the latter is what some people are in effect doing when they defend
Morse testing.

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3359. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13033-373598C9-23@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143351

Ya got a problem CB Boy? <K4RUB>

3360. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7h4aoe$f8q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143352
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <7h30epjtl1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like
ham
> > radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the
> > air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily
> > Digest recipients received this today.....
> >
> > Wonder what ARRL thinks ?
>
> Why would ARRL care because someone mistakenly punches up the wrong address
> for a joke they wanted to share with some friends.
>
> No one, except the ILHW (Internation League of Hand Wringers) gives a rip!
> Go take a pill.
>
> de Hans, K0HB

I really enjoyed it. I only wish that I had the e-mail address of Sister Mary
Elephant to send it to. I'm sure that she would enjoy it, too.

Brian

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3361. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <378ca34d.1003120335@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143353

On Wed, 28 Apr 1999 19:56:49 GMT, nhoop@centuryinter.net (Nat) wrote:
>But even if you are one of those who thinks these unimportant, consider
>this: Many, if not most, of us don't accomplish a heck of a lot in our
>lifetimes; we're "ordinary" folks. So it comes as a very pleasant surprise
>to us (I mean to myself and others like me), when finally passing a Federal
>code test, to be able to stand a bit straighter and say, "HEY - I DID IT!"
>A real nice feeling. Quite a boost to the tired old ego.

It is really quite sad that you feel the need for the federal government
to supply a method to boost your ego. Aren't you capable of privately
acknowledging your own accomplishments? Must your self-worth only
be validated by federal mandate? If you do feel the need for external
validation, wouldn't a certificate from the ARRL suffice? Why must
your self-aggrandizement be at the cost of others? Don't you have
your own internal yardstick to measure your self-worth?

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3362. Re: Lying hams on 3.950 and here - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509115212.21071.00001257@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 143354

KKKevin strom wb4aio is trying to lead people to believe, with that silly wav file, that I have or was jamming the "so called" libertynet. Not true. He has put out a .wav of me calling the libertynet a bunch of NIT Wits, they are. The date on the file is incorrect it was in 1998 NOT 1999.
It seems to pretty far reaching for you to call that jamming you liar. A one time transmition done inbetween comments is not jamming. Hell if it were all hams would be guilty of it every night. You just don't like the comments. so you call anyone opposing YOUR views a jammer.
\ Get a Life you Lying bunch of LIDS.

Check out the radio atrocities perpetrated by the "So called" libertynet or it's participants. Hell check out some of their participants affiliations!

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

3363. THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509120207.24912.00001346@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143355

Without a doubt, KK7HO, Tim Volz, is one of the finest hams to ever hold a ticket!

Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com

3364. FS YAESU FT-990AC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: aldel@ibm.net
Message-ID: <3735dc8f.552655@news-s01.ny.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 143356

YAESU FT-990AC, Mint. Mic, boxes, etc.
$1195.00 Shipped.

Albert, Wa3fib

3365. Re: Interesting Observations about 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509121750.24912.00001350@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143357

<< t 14.313
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Sun, May 9, 1999 1:16 PM
Message-id: <19990509091636.09676.00001034@ng-da1.aol.com>

Read this:

The "case" is far from closed. The "case" will never be closed until the nets and their supporters cease to use dirty, underhanded tactics in their attempts to silence the B.A.R.F. It was the nets who brought in a goon squad whose very purpose was to personally attack and destroy the lives of targeted B.A.R.F. members. It was the nets who supported jammers and bootleggers in their attempts to disrupt the legal operations of the B.A.R.F. One need look no further than the well-documented FCC case against net lackey (and bootlegger) Peter Scuggins. Operating from the vessel Baltija, with the bootleg call KD4VQ, Scuggins spent hundreds of hours harassing the B.A.R.F. He openly announced that his operations were being sponsored and supported by the nets. Predictably, the nets disavowed any connection with Scuggins after the FCC apprehended him.

Perhaps the most famous case of net sponsored jamming was that of the infamous William Irwin, K3CQR. He operated for years as an unidentified jammer using the pseudonym "Rain Coat Charlie". Night after night, he could be heard on 14315.5 kHz spewing forth vulgarity and profanity that was directed at B.A.R.F. members. It mattered not to him that a lovely and kind XYL, Judy (KA1SKV), was on frequency. In fact, much of his sexually oriented filth was directed at Judy. Once more, this vile creature, "Rain Coat Charlie", continually assured the world that his activities were on behalf of the nets. He even asserted that he was, in fact, fighting anti-Semitism. That's right. He actually claimed that his jamming was motivated by the need to fight the make-believe anti-Semites.

The net's sponsorship of these jammers went far beyond merely giving them "moral support". It was the nets who provided Doug Case (WD4PZT) with a linear amplifier and a three-element beam. He was given orders to use their "gifts" against KV4FZ and the B.A.R.F. And use them he did. However, when Doug realized how the nets had used him, he "spilled the beans" on them. WD4PZT told a story that the amateur radio world should never forget. He revealed the secret workings of a net that would stop at nothing to silence the truth.

Did the B.A.R.F. have a right to challenge the practices of the nets? Were there illegal practices on the nets that needed to be questioned? All radio amateurs have both the right, and the obligation, to dispute questionable practices, whenever and wherever, they occur. These telephone bypass nets are not above the law. They are not a higher authority unto themselves.

They are not just answerable to the B.A.R.F. They must be able to answer the criticisms of every radio amateur, and even the FCC, if need be. They are obligated to maintain a legal operation that is not dedicated to the dubious practice of soliciting overseas telephone patches.

How did the nets react when Herb Schoenbaum (KV4FZ) shined his search light upon the net practices? Did they willingly examine and investigate the matters that Herb brought to their attention? No, they most certainly did not. Instead they began a purge of their membership. They booted out anyone and everyone who even slightly agreed with KV4FZ. They removed longtime members like Dick Eastman, N5FX, from office. They made it clear that he was no longer welcome in their circle. The net chose to wage war over the airwaves rather than address the concerns raised by KV4FZ and the B.A.R.F.

1999 is here and the net's position has changed very little. They are still employing thugs to attack, and to attempt to discredit, B.A.R.F. members. KV4FZ is still a target. The nets still have no reservations about attacking Herb's wife, children and friends. They have used the foulest hate tactics against Herb. They have raised scores of non-issues in an attempt to cloud the real issues. The entire matter pertaining to the presence of alleged anti-Semitism is one of these non-issues.

What does anti-Semitism have to do with the net's shady procedures? It has nothing at all to do with the questions that Herb raised about the net operations. The net has used this red herring as a means of sidetracking a discussion of the real problems. The B.A.R.F. has never been concerned with a person's faith or how a person chooses to express it. The B.A.R.F. is only concerned when net members, and their lackeys, choose to use their supposed faith as a barrier to protect them from legitimate criticism.

All of the nonsensical false parallels being spewed forth about Neville Chamberlain and 1936 are nothing more than a propaganda tactic known as "demonization". Demonization is the process of making a group or a person appear to be so evil that there is no purpose in addressing the legitimate concerns that are raised. These are examples of the demonization process:

a) "right wing screwballs"
b) "breaking bread with Satan"
c) "paper signed by Hitler"

It should be clear that the use of this propaganda technique is aimed at doing one thing. It provides an excuse for the nets to continue to use their hate tactics against B.A.R.F. members instead of having open and honest debate on the real issues. Do the net's hired thugs really care about what is good for amateur radio? Or are they more interested in chasing down imaginary Nazi's and invented anti-Semites?

Take a good look at their statements. Examine their motives. You will find the ranting of hate-filled vexation writers who, lacking any real life, have decided to project their psychoses into a dispute that really does not interest them. They don't care about the phone patching issue or any of the other real issues surrounding the nets. These hate zealots are much more

concerned with tracking down pretend "radio Nazi's" and holding court over them. That is why they refuse to sit down, discuss these matters and work out an appropriate solution. The truth is that the nets fear the B.A.R.F. because they know their practices will not stand up to close scrutiny.

The nets are running from the B.A.R.F. because they don't dare risk the chance that the truth will become common knowledge. The nets know that the B.A.R.F. has the facts that will make free, open and robust debate a dangerous proposition for them. Their ridiculous attempts to patronize a commission official will most certainly backfire upon them. So they choose to keep sniping and running. Unfortunately for them, they can run but they cannot hide. Their dirty deeds follow them wherever they go.

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

>>

Insipid claptrap! Pure ugly, distorted,demented propaganda from an apologist for a pathetic bunch of make-believe policemen. For crying' out loud, if I could put it in a Hefty bag, I'd toss it out with the rest of the garbage tomorrow night.
AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

3366. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <378da57f.1003681872@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143358
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 2 May 1999 07:16:50 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>> <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com> wrote:
>
>>>Morse code is a language. A digital langauge but still its a langauge.
>>>Unless you use the Clinton logic of words and what they realy mean .....
>>>then it could be anything .... or nothing.
>
>>Nonsense.
>
>You say that because you never got your code speed up, Gary.
>You still hear individual letters being sent. Get your speed up and you'll hear
>words; you won't have to go through the translation process.

Of course I still hear the individual letters. I see individual letters when I
read too, and hear individual phonemes when I listen to speech. That
doesn't affect the speed with which I read English text (over 3,000 WPM)
or the speed with which I can understand spoken English (about 200 WPM).
It does allow me to notice misspellings, and notice when words are
mispronounced. If you can't do those things, then I suppose you really
don't see the letters or hear the phonemes when you read or listen to
speech. That seems a peculiar sort of selective blindness/deafness to
me.

>For example,
>when I was first learning Vietnamese, to understand the phrase:
>"Toi di nha " my mind would have to translate word by word: toi = I,
>di = go, nha = home. Later, after immersion in the language, no such
>translation was necessary. I could understand a sentence, not having to
>consider each individual word.

Fascinating. You can understand a sentence without hearing the words,
or the phonemes that make up the spoken words. I don't know how you
do that. Must be ESP. When I hear speech in German or Russian,
I understand it because the words I hear are part of my German or
Russian vocabulary. I don't hear it in English, because it *isn't* English.
It is actually another language with its own words, syntax, grammar,
and meaning.

That's not the case for English text represented in various forms. It is all
still English language text whether it is represented in an ASCII, Baudot,
or Morse encoding of the Roman alphabet. The words are English, the
syntax is English, the grammar is English, and the meaning is English.
It isn't Morsish.

>Don't give up, Gary.

I never have, and I never will until Morse testing is banished from amateur radio licensing.

>P.S. R.r.a.equipment dropped from any fol-ups; why didn't you do that?

I followed up William Lee's post in rec.radio.amateur.equipment, and so my reply went to the groups to which he posted. The only way to ensure that a reply is read by a poster (or by anyone else who read the original message) is to follow up to all the groups in which the original message appeared. If you don't want to see a reply in a particular group, don't post to that group.

You posted the message to which I'm replying in both equipment and misc, so I am replying in both equipment and misc. If you'd wanted a reply only in misc, you should have posted only in misc. I consider your use of the follow up line an abusive attempt to get the last word before a particular audience. I won't tolerate that. If you want to restrict discussion, restrict your own postings first. I will follow up only to the groups in which they appear, but I will follow up to every group in which they appear.

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3367. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: jim@rst-engr.com
Message-ID: <3735b77c.3458040@news.gv.net>
Source record: 143359

ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
shared these priceless pearls of wisdom:

Only if they thought that skill at jousting was necessary
->to fire a rifle in modern combat would they be deranged. Unfortunately,
->the latter is what some people are in effect doing when they defend
->Morse testing.

Coffman, I gotta give you that this is the best analogy I've seen to date. Some day I gotta get down to your part of the world for an eyeball...if the 182 will make it that far {;-)

Jim
Jim Weir, VP Eng. RST Eng. WX6RST
A&P, CFI, and other good alphabet soup

3368. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3735B7AC.1233@imt.net>
Source record: 143360
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeff Tobias wrote:
>
> Tim Volz Continues to break the law on a weekly basis.
>
You shouldn't be surprised,KK7HO is not afraid of Hollingsworth.If you want to stop him I suggest you knock on his door and stop him,talking about him like you are doing is exactly what he wants and will only make him bother you more.
He doesn't bother me,as I have never heard him.Tracy

3369. FS: Kenwood Tri-Band TM-741 (Has 10 Meter FM)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <radio@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <926268533.463.40@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143361
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TM-741 with 10 meter module installed. Radio comes with TSU-7 CTCSS decoder, DTU-2 DTMF unit, DTMF mic, books, remote kit, service manual. Radio is clean and fully operational. $495.00 shipped. Email radio@vvm.com for more info or to buy radio.

3370. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <378eb7a2.1008325894@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143362

On 5 May 1999 04:54:05 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
>You could say that any language is an encoding scheme for English.

You could say that, but you'd be wrong. There are many examples
of idiom which simply aren't translatable from one language to another.
The Eskimo has a hundred words for snow that don't translate into any
English equivalent. The Navaho similarly has words that don't have
an English equivalent. This is true for virtually any language. If the
concepts behind some of these words or phrases are even graspable
by someone whose culture is that of an English speaking people,
it takes paragraph upon paragraph of English explanation to even
begin to convey what has been expressed in the other language.

The same cuts the other way, of course. Try to translate the English
word "fence" into Navaho. You can't, there's no concept in the language
for fence. When the phrase "the spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak"
was translated into Russian and then back into English, the result was
"the vodka is strong, but the meat is bad". The original meaning had been
entirely lost. Languages aren't simply encodings of each other. They
are literally different ways to conceptualize ideas about the world.

That's not true for Morse. It simply encodes alphabet. Whatever words
are spelled by that alphabet are words of some common natural language
shared by the two people communicating. It isn't Morsish.

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3371. Re: Top Band Isn't

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <378fc053.1010551086@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143363

On 7 May 1999 19:17:14 GMT, wb5agz@dc.cis.okstate.edu (Martin McCormick) wrote:
> Just think. If we ever get that allocation at 160 KHZ for a
>true ham band, then 160 won't be the top band any more.

Yeah, but I hope we don't. The present occupants are using it productively, and I'd hate to see that spoiled by a bunch of high power ham signals. I'd hate it even more if the present users were kicked off the band in order to give it to hams. That would be grossly unfair. Now 136 kHz and 73 kHz are a somewhat different matter. I wouldn't mind seeing those bands opened to amateurs.

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3372. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h4io2knn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143364

In article <7h2fos$8u7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented this
> antenna. For his information , this antenna is in the book "The Radio Amateur
> Antenna Handbook". It is on page 152-153. This book was copyrighted 1978. Yet
> this lame brain takes credit for the design. The book was written by W6SAI
> and W2LX Bill Orr, and Stuart D. Cowan . Dr Hate, you did not invent this
> antenna. Quit trying to reap rewards that you have not sown. The Antenna has
> been around for years.
>

Doc Hate has been known to be like Bill Clinton, Doc Hate's Idol. Take credit
for something that someone else worked hard at.

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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3373. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h4iss$l0r$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143365

In article <37352b5e.242908734@news.mindspring.com>,
NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com (CRT) wrote:
> On Sat, 8 May 1999 23:07:00 -0400 (EDT), RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube
> Lloyd) wrote:
>
> >Smurf, I notice you called "RealDeal" George...is this Real Deal..by any
> >chance George Ashely=W4FQF ? <K4RUB>
> >
>
> Hey Rube, how's Fred doing these days?
>

Hey it's Casey Thrower, the Bathtub Captain!!!!

--
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3374. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3790c1a6.1010890646@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143366

On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 02:18:48 -0400, Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com> wrote:
>Would I want to see the no-code license abolished?
>Of course I wouldn't ... but I also WOULDN'T want the tests simplified
>just to make it easier. People tend to appreciate something more if they
>have to EARN it.

Is that how you feel about your children? Or more mundanely, do you value your driving license for the effort you expended once, perhaps a long time ago, or do you value it for what it enables you to do, today and tomorrow? I'd suggest it is the latter. An amateur license is no different. It isn't a trophy on the shelf comemorating some long ago triumph. It is a working tool, and its value is in what it enables you to do, today and tomorrow. If it had come in a box of Cracker Jacks, you'd value it no less, because if it were taken away you would no longer be allowed to do all the things an amateur can do.

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3375. Re: K4OKA Jamming Okl.Public Service Net on 3900

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h4j7i$l3q$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143367

In article <7gpvu6teh1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> In article <7gpfhqdlj1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>,
> >
> Yes boy's and girl's....here are the BARF/Stumpers totally ignoring the
> content of the post. All they are interested in doing is attacking Rich.
> Never mind that it has NOTHING TO DO WITH THE POST AT ALL. But then we
> have all come to expect this sort of thing.
>

Now, Now Vietnam Dan...

Better be careful, I hear Hollingsworth is going to be after you soon also....

>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
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3376. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3791c68d.1012145982@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 May 1999 13:53:15 -0500, Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net> wrote:
>W6RCecilA wrote:
>>
>> Lyle Koehler wrote:
>> > If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or
>> > fifteen seconds, and the exam was passed successfully with 25
>> > consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid copy if
>> > the exam had been given at 5 wpm.
>>
>> That's interesting, Lyle, and certainly meets the ITU/IARU treaty
>> requirements. What does the FCC say about it?
>> --
>> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
>
>There has probably been a more detailed clarification from the FCC, but
>the only thing I can find in the Part 97 rules is a statement that:
>
>"The administering VEs must accommodate an examinee whose physical
>disabilities require a special examination procedure. The administering
>VEs may require a physician's certification indicating the nature of the
>disability before determining which, if any, special procedures must be
>used."
>
>It's interesting that the VEs *must* accommodate those with
>disabilities, and *may* require a physician's certification.
>
>Here are some relevant paragraphs from the ARRL VE manual regarding
>Morse testing:
>
>"Pausing the examination message, where warranted, may be a successful
>accommodative procedure to overcome candidates' ability to write or
>respond quickly. The pauses may be included after each sentence or
>phrase, after each word or even after each character, to allow the
>examinee the time to write, absorb and/or interpret what was sent. The
>decision as to the level of pausing warranted is determined by the VE
>team in conjunction with input from the candidate or the candidate's
>Doctor's Statement. The level of accommodation should be the least
>necessary to overcome the candidate's handicap."
>
>In a later paragraph: "For a character-by-character examination, a grade
>of 70% or more correct characters can be considered passing".
>
>Unfortunately, then comes the kicker, in Mark's case: "If the candidate

>doesn't have a readily identifiable handicap/disability or if the
>candidate doesn't provide a Doctor's Statement describing the
>handicap/disability he/she suffers from, you are not to offer the more
>flexible accommodations in administering the Morse code examination."
>
>In many situations, that puts the VE team between a rock and a hard
>place, because the VEs are generally not qualified to assess "hidden"
>disabilities like dyslexia, stroke after-effects, etc. In the case of
>the Handi-Ham camps, the staff and instructors (including at least one
>MD) who have been working with the students all week can advise the VE
>team as to the level of accommodation that might be needed. It's a lot
>tougher at a VE session where people simply walk in off the street.
>
>Lyle, K0LR

There seems to be an issue of equity here. When we recently remodeled our plant, we were required to install ramps for the handicapped. But there was no requirement that we restrict the use of the ramps to only the handicapped and require our able bodied employees to continue to use the stairs. We were required to remodel our restrooms, with lower urinals and wider stalls, but our able bodied employees weren't required not to use them. To do so would be inequitable. The able bodied should have equal access to facilities too. It seems to me that this should apply to amateur licensing. What's good for the goose should also be good for the gander. If anyone can be accomodated, then everyone should be permitted to use the same accomodation. To do otherwise would be unequal treatment under law.

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3377. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3735c839.9981630@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143369
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 09 May 1999 17:43:35 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

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>>place, because the VEs are generally not qualified to assess "hidden"
>>disabilities like dyslexia, stroke after-effects, etc. In the case of
>>the Handi-Ham camps, the staff and instructors (including at least one
>>MD) who have been working with the students all week can advise the VE
>>team as to the level of accommodation that might be needed. It's a lot
>>tougher at a VE session where people simply walk in off the street.
>>
>>Lyle, K0LR
>
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>plant, we were required to install ramps for the handicapped. But there was no
>requirement that we restrict the use of the ramps to only the handicapped

Not only was there no requirement but it would have been
impressmisable for them to do so

>and require our able bodied employees to continue to use the stairs. We were
>required to remodel our restrooms, with lower urinals and wider stalls, but our
>able bodied employees weren't required not to use them. To do so would be
>inequitable. The able bodied should have equal access to facilities too. It
>seems to me that this should apply to amateur licensing. What's good for the
>goose should also be good for the gander. If anyone can be accomodated,
>then everyone should be permitted to use the same accomodation. To do
>otherwise would be unequal treatment under law.

Indeed I agree that is one of the many reasons I have said that the
current system violates ADA
>
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3378. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@area.com
Message-ID: <7h4i13$7uo$1@vax.area.com>
Source record: 143370
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7h30aajro1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <oap1@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>From your responce you sugest that the Harmony converter will not work with
>CGA, Vga nor EGA I am taking this to mean that the output is a composite
>signal and only if I have one of those cga monitors that also has a composite
>input could I use it? I am using an anolog C Band dish and am currently
>Orville Phillips

The Harmonic Research converter can be wired for sync on green, or separate composite synch (i.e. horizontal and vertical synch on a wire with no video), or separate horizontal and vertical synch wires. I used mine with a Conrac computer monitor with selectable synch rates using the RGB + composite synch setup. The Conrac synch settings were essentially CGA to make all this work.

Rick Karlquist
N6RK

3379. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3735c9b1.10358245@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143371

On Sun, 09 May 1999 17:18:32 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
wrote:

>Is that how you feel about your children? Or more mundanely, do you
>value your driving license for the effort you expended once, perhaps
>a long time ago, or do you value it for what it enables you to do, today
>and tomorrow? I'd suggest it is the latter. An amateur license is no
>different. It isn't a trophy on the shelf comemorating some long ago
>triumph. It is a working tool, and its value is in what it enables you
>to do, today and tomorrow. If it had come in a box of Cracker Jacks,
>you'd value it no less, because if it were taken away you would no
>longer be allowed to do all the things an amateur can do.

Normal Gary I agree with just every word you post, wish you'd post a
bit more, but I must correct here. there do indeed seem to be hams to
whom the licnese is that old trphy on the self and not valued for it's
utillity. You and I value it so, but not everybody does. Indeed That
seems to be part of the problem some value and see our licenses very
differently than others. That is one problem that ending Code testing
when it happens (be to tomarrow or in few years) will not solve. I
wish I had a solution for that but I don't, OTH I am convinced that
there are people that really don't care what they can do with their
licnese just how they got it
>
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3380. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <3792cb02.1013286387@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143372
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 5 May 1999 09:47:31 -0400, "Mike Yetsko" <joe@user.com> wrote:
>Now wait a minute, tubes can be justified. Much more easily than CW.
>(Can you tell I own an old Swan?) Tubes are still the only practical
>way
>to get into the mega-power arena easily. Solid state amps over 100W
>are just too fragile....

Too expensive maybe, but not too fragile. Practically every broadcaster
is converting to solid state transmitters (if they haven't already). We're
talking 50 kW+ here. One of the main reasons for converting from tubes
to solid state is increased reliability and uptime. Properly designed solid
state transmitters are *tough*, and are designed to soft fail if there is a
problem. Of course proper design costs money, but over the life cycle
of the equipment it is a no brainer to choose solid state over tubes for
high power transmitters and amplifiers.

While solid state costs more up front, the life cycle costs are much lower.
There is no requirement for routine tube replacement, there is no filament
power requirement, the blower requirement is much less, maintenence
costs are sharply reduced, etc. They're just flat out cheaper to run, and
they run longer without attention.

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3381. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <3735CEF0.659F9C68@innocent.com>
Source record: 143373
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

KK7HO wrote:
>
> KKKevin strom wb4aio is trying to lead people to believe, with that silly wav
> file, that I have or was jamming the "so called" libertynet. Not true.

Ridiculous. You've intentionally interfered with the Liberty Net and
other conversations on 3950 dozens if not hundreds of times. The
latest was last night, and tape was rolling as usual.

I will forward the recordings to the Commission, whose
enforcement expert was checked in and listening to the frequency
only eight days ago, at which time you and most of your confrï¿½res
vanished like alley cats when a Doberman arrives. I'll also post
them to the amateur radio section of my web page (url below) in the
next few days.

In fact, in another message you posted this morning, you admitted
your jamming.

It was in message <19990509113735.21071.00001247@ng-ca1.aol.com>.
Perhaps this quote from it

> More frickin Lies coming from an unidentified
> complainer. whew, what a nut! i did jam once you lying sob.
> Later
[...]

will refresh your memory.

> He has
> put out a .wav of me calling the libertynet a bunch of NIT Wits, they are. The
> date on the file is incorrect it was in 1998 NOT 1999.

That particular file was sent to me by a correspondent with a high
degree of credibility, and I notice that while you offer a
correction on the date, you do not dispute the truth that the
recording accurately depicts your on-air activities. Thank you.

> It seems to pretty far reaching for you to call that jamming you liar. A one
> time transmition done inbetween comments is not jamming.

The recording is quite a long one, and your multiple catcalls,
insults, and chants on top of others' transmissions hardly
constitute, as you call it, a "one time transmition done inbetween
comments." [sic]

> Hell if it were all
> hams would be guilty of it every night.
[...]

Your view that "all hams" are guilty of malicious, unwanted transmissions "every night" is a bizarre one, but tells us something about how you see the service. Thanks for the insight.

By the way, if you must send your dreck to more than one newsgroup, it's considered better Netiquette to cross-post (one message sent simultaneously to multiple groups) than to multiple post (separately post the same or almost the same message to multiple groups), because many newsreader programs are forced to read your message several times if the latter method is used.

I will grant that you have accomplished one thing in this newsgroup. You have caused AF2Y to call you "one of the finest hams to ever hold a ticket." (A pink ticket, one can always hope.)

That's not only the funniest thing I've heard in days, but, considering the source, it says more about you in one sentence than I or any of the other commentators who follow your sordid career have said in the two years or so we have been blessed with your presence.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

3382. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3735cd78.2678217@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 143374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeff Tobias <jtob112@juno.com> wrote:

>
>Tim Volz Continues to break the law on a weekly basis.
>Hear KK7HO jam the liberty net at the web page:
>
>http://members.xoom.com/_XOOM/kevin_strom/kk7ho_jamming_19990313.wav
>
>Volz has also been recorded threatening the lives of fellow
>amateur radio operators. Responsible amateur radio
>operators need to continue to alert authorities to Volz's
>dangerous behavior.
>
>Thanks for helping clean up our hobby. We are winning!
>
>I encourage all those who are fed up with Tim and the
>criminal element to contact the FCC and encourage them
>to step up enforcement. The sooner pond scum like
>KK7HO and K5BLB are off the air the better. Make
>tapes,send email do anything you can to get rid of these
>vermin.You shouldn't have to be embarassed to let non
>hams listen to the amateur bands. We have an
>opportunity to clean up 75M lets use it.
>
>The person to contact is William R. Hollingsworth
>(K4ZDH) aka, Rilley Hollingsworth at:
>
>rholling@fcc.gov
>
>Thanks for helping clean up our hobby. We are winning!
>
>
I would be for the fcc getting rid of kk7ho just as soon as they get
rid of the lawbreakers on liberty. Both are a cancer on Ham radio and
those who break the laws of Amateur radio should be put into the
Federal prison. Get rid of all of the scum, not just one!

3383. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509141512.21067.00001435@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 143375

>
> Without a doubt, KK7HO, Tim Volz, is one of the finest hams to ever
hold a
>ticket!
>
>Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com
>

HAW HAW HAW!! ROFLMAO!! HAHAHAHAHAHA!!!

That's the FUNNIEST thing I've heard in a long time.

3384. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509142123.24372.00001377@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 143376

<< t!
>
>Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com
>

HAW HAW HAW!! ROFLMAO!! HAHAHAHAHAHA!!!

That's the FUNNIEST thing I've heard in a long time.
<<Did you say funny? Yoiu facetious creep. Tim is a true American is every way.
He cares about others and hates demagoguary and SHOWS IT. You bums can't even
shine his shoes!
AF2Y Doc radiosigs@aol.com

>>

3385. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509143156.24372.00001383@ng122.aol.com>
Source record: 143377

Kevin Alfred Strom..you are dreck. A Nazi nitwit at best. You and your filthy subversive bastards deserve to be run off American ham radio but unfortunately or fortunately(it's purely topically political) the Constitution guarantees your right to attack the Constitution. Why don't you take your Nazi ass to another country...go look for a dictatorship some place. You are PROFESSIONAL instigators, worthless "dreckmeisters" who care nothing for your fellow man,the rights of others and respect for others. You and your lot live in a dark sinister Gestapo-run world in which you think it's chic to insult and demean based on race,religion and nationality. You and your lot add nothing to ham radio but detract much and anyone who defies you, insults you and brings to attention the kind of garbage you really are, is MY FRIEND!
AF2Y DOC radiosigs@aol.com

3386. Re: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eddie <Eddie@dopeshow.net>
Message-ID: <7h4krq$pg3$1@news.monmouth.com>
Source record: 143378
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hmmmm, cloning copyrighted EEPROMS's (and SELLING them too ?!?!),
what a dumbass ! (say hello to that twit posting received MDT
traffic on his website for us, and the Cheeks to !).....

I suspect the Moto IPP division will be notifying the US Marshalls,
USSS, and they're going to be busting your door down pretty soon...
And for what ? A lousy $150 ? IDIOT !!

Hmm, unless you're just selling a bunch of "genuine" Moto upgrade
kits ? Well, too late now...your now a big red blip on Motorola's
copyright protection/intellectual property protection radar....
and at the very least, they're going to be looking into this to
see if your legit.

Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com> wrote in message
news:uPsE2nem#GA.310@cpmsnbbsa05...
> Motorola KVL Up Grades for T3011 & T3014 AX,BX or CX
>
> Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
> and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
> such as Astros and MTSX 2000.
>
> $150.00 Parts Labor And Shipping
>
>
> For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/
>
> E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
> Thanks !!! Rich
>
>

3387. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509145009.23115.00001336@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143379

<< Awww, come on George. >>

Hello Smurf. Realdeal is obviously George. What's his last name and callsign? I want to work him over.

Tnx and 73,Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com

3388. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h4p4c$p3g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <7h30epjtl1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org> wrote:
> mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> > Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham
> > radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the
> > air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily
> > Digest recipients received this today.....
> >
> > Wonder what ARRL thinks ?
>
> Why would ARRL care because someone mistakenly punches up the wrong address
> for a joke they wanted to share with some friends.
>
> No one, except the ILHW (Internation League of Hand Wringers) gives a rip!
> Go take a pill.
>
> de Hans, K0HB

Testes, testes, Hansel.

It lowers FCC's moral standing to harass Whiten, if these sorts of things are
done right there at FCC. Ed W1RFI seems pretty clear on ARRL's e-mail policy.
Why is the FCC and Senator Dodd's office staff not ?

What right do they have to waste taxpayers' money on this crap ?

And no, I never use ours for private e-mail. I'm not so cheap or stupid that I
don't spent money on a home account.

-----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3389. WTD: 220 Mhz crystal rigs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Smith <mjs@nolnet.net>
Message-ID: <jilZ2.7360$bV5.203697@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 143381
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Does anyone have any 220 MHz crystal rigs they would like to get rid of? I heard midland made some.

Mike

mjs@nolnet.net

3390. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3735E25A.1D6F14EB@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

H. Adam Stevens wrote:
<LONG SNIP> On the return, just South of Memphis, 14,500 feet,
> just a little CQ on 146.52 (standard calling frequency for you non-hams).

Did you remember to use oxygen?

3391. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3735E1D8.4204@cats-net.com>
Source record: 143383
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Mark Morgan wrote:
>
> On Sat, 08 May 1999 03:59:03 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
> wrote:
>
> >juker8161@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> >> Different disabilities= Different abilities
> >
> >Very touchy-feely, very politically correct and very "Nineties"....but
> >not necessarily true.
>
> But sure happens to be true be in this case, not that you'd know

Mark,

Get a good book on logic. Read it. Get back to me when you think you
understand it.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

3392. Re: Amateur radio licensing in Israel?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: glc1173@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509152923.08236.00001343@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 143384

Geoff quoted me:
>> I'm licensed (U.S.) as Technician "plus" >>and am seriously considering
>>immigration to Israel - anyone know what is >>involved in getting licensed
>>there?

and replied:
>First question, are you jewish?

Yes.

>Miriam will have you fill out forms and issue >you a callsign. You MUST
>declare what equipment you have, it goes on >your license. You will NOT
>be able to import a transmitter without a >license and permit.

What do I do with my transceivers in the meantime?
Do I get the license and permit during my aliyah pilot trip and then bring
the equipment when actually immigrating - or what?

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Dissident news - plus immigration, gun rights, Y2K
Al Gore - in his own words
How to avoid Clinton's coming draft
<A HREF="http://www.alamanceind.com">ALAMANCE INDEPENDENT weekly</A>

3393. Re: Lying hams on 3.950 and here - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3735D400.CB6@no.net>
Source record: 143385

KK7HO wrote:
>
> KKKevin strom wb4aio is trying to lead people to believe, with that silly wav
> file, that I have or was jamming the "so called" libertynet. Not true. He has
> put out a .wav of me calling the libertynet a bunch of NIT Wits, they are. The
> date on the file is incorrect it was in 1998 NOT 1999.
> It seems to pretty far reaching for you to call that jamming you liar. A one
> time transmition done inbetween comments is not jamming. Hell if it were all
> hams would be guilty of it every night. You just don't like the comments. so
> you call anyone opposing YOUR views a jammer.
> \ Get a Life you Lying bunch of LIDS.
>
> Check out the radio atrocities perpetrated by the "So called" libertynet or
> it's participants. Hell check out some of their participants affiliations!
>
> CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions

Who cares!!

3394. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3735E597.C7EB51D@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

(ALL SNIPPED)
That was my point--training. It happens to police officers, it can
happen to anyone. Most recent incident Riverside, California.
And the training has to be ongoing not some class that was taken 1 month
or 1 year ago.
The sad fact is that the majority of gun owners do not do the extensive
training you did.
The statistics about drownings, accidents, etc. become meaningless when
your loved one is the victim.

3395. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3735E5E2.E144CB30@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I live alone (with my two dogs) and my nearest neighbor is out
> of pistol/shotgun range.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Be careful, Cecil and don't shoot Rover. :-)

3396. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7h4odpcuj1@208.207.71.147>
Source record: 143388
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> There seems to be an issue of equity here. When we recently remodeled our
> plant, we were required to install ramps for the handicapped. But there was no
> requirement that we restrict the use of the ramps to only the handicapped
> and require our able bodied employees to continue to use the stairs. We were
> required to remodel our restrooms, with lower urinals and wider stalls, but our
> able bodied employees weren't required not to use them. To do so would be
> inequitable. The able bodied should have equal access to facilities too. It
> seems to me that this should apply to amateur licensing. What's good for the
> goose should also be good for the gander. If anyone can be accomodated,
> then everyone should be permitted to use the same accomodation. To do
> otherwise would be unequal treatment under law.
>

So go park in a handicapped parking space without an
authorizing placard, then tell your story to the judge. You
won't get a sympathetic ear in my part of the world.

3397. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3735e1d0.16533754@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 09 May 1999 19:28:24 +0000, Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
wrote:

>Mark Morgan wrote:
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>> >juker8161@my-dejanews.com wrote:
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>> >> Different disabilities= Different abilities
>> >
>> >Very touchy-feely, very politically correct and very "Nineties"....but
>> >not necessarily true.
>>
>> But sure happens to be true be in this case, not that you'd know
>
>Mark,
>
>Get a good book on logic. Read it. Get back to me when you think you
>understand it.

I have read and understood several books on logic. also rhetoric. You
posted rhetoric not logic. Your simple statment that something is not
logical proof that is or is not true, neither did I post logic. You
simply advanced a claim one that hapens to be both false and
insulting.

It is a simple that most people with disabilities tend to
devlope other abilities, often to level far beyond those of "normal"
people. Why? Because we have to. just to survive in many cases. this
does not compensate in any manner just allows us to survive sometimes
it does give one or more of us a niche in the world

You simply don't know what is like to suffer form any
disaility, for that you can be thankful, but without it you can no
more understand my world than I can understand what you see in code,
to pick an example
Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

3398. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3735EF75.1C882F06@jump.net>
Source record: 143390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

pressurized Baron

H.

Oscar wrote:

> H. Adam Stevens wrote:
> <LONG SNIP> On the return, just South of Memphis, 14,500 feet,
> > just a little CQ on 146.52 (standard calling frequency for you non-hams).
> -----
> Did you remember to use oxygen?

3399. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3735EF7D.3F36@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143391
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WHO CARES! This little message hasn't hurt anyone! JUST LIKE A BUNCH A
BABIES make something from nothing
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3400. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13034-3735F5AB-35@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143392

Tell Us who George is. We would like to know who the masked man is.

3401. FS: Kenwood Tri-Band TM-741 (Has 10 Meter Module)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <radio@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <926285250.854.101@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143393
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TM-741 with 10 meter module installed. Radio comes with TSU-7 CTCSS decoder, DTU-2 DTMF unit, DTMF mic, books, remote kit, service manual. Radio is clean and fully operational. $495.00 shipped. Email bike@vvm.com for more info or to buy radio.

3402. Re: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Rich <srich@home.com>
Message-ID: <hsnZ2.1512$vP2.1044@news.rdc1.tn.home.com>
Source record: 143394
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I dont think there is anything wrong with the upgrade deal . The kit to do
it from Big M is only $25 nso and takes 2 minutes to change. It is
available right out of the parts dept.
Eddie wrote in message <7h4krq$pg3$1@news.monmouth.com>...
>Hmmmm, cloning copyrighted EEPROMS's (and SELLING them too ?!?!),
>what a dumbass ! (say hello to that twit posting received MDT
>traffic on his website for us, and the Cheeks to !).....
>
>I suspect the Moto IPP division will be notifying the US Marshalls,
>USSS, and they're going to be busting your door down pretty soon...
>And for what ? A lousy $150 ? IDIOT !!
>
>Hmm, unless you're just selling a bunch of "genuine" Moto upgrade
>kits ? Well, too late now...your now a big red blip on Motorola's
>copyright protection/intellectual property protection radar....
>and at the very least, they're going to be looking into this to
>see if your legit.
>
>
>
>Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com> wrote in message
>news:uPsE2nem#GA.310@cpmsnbbsa05...
>> Motorola KVL Up Grades for T3011 & T3014 AX,BX or CX
>>
>> Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
>> and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
>> such as Astros and MTSX 2000.
>>
>> $150.00 Parts Labor And Shipping
>>
>>
>> For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/
>>
>> E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
>> Thanks !!! Rich
>>
>>
>
>

3403. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <SsnZ2.5333$ax4.297639@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oscar wrote in message <3735E597.C7EB51D@hotmail.com>...

> SNIP...
>The statistics about drownings, accidents, etc. become meaningless...

These statistics are very meaningful, they are just ignored by the anti-gun crowd because they dissolve their main argument for gun control - "if we can only save one life it will be worth it".

If this was truly their motivation, then obviously they would be focused on those things which take the vast majority of lives. But since "saving lives" is just a political smokescreen for selling the disarming of the American public, they will never stray from their true agenda.

> ...when your loved one is the victim.

Are you saying that if your loved one dies from a drunk driver or a drowning rather than from being shot, then it is meaningless ?

It is obvious why the anti-gun folks place so much value on a life taken with a gun, and simply discount or ignore all others. I however, do not place a lesser value on anybody's life based on how they were killed.

73 de KF6KNB

3404. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #408

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.408.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 143396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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FEW NOTES FROM EDITOR, TEDD, KB8NW: Because I will be attending the Dayton HamVention, I cannot guarantee that there will be a bulletin next week. If it does happen, it will probably be late Monday. Please, continue to send your information (you never know!).
Just a reminder! The Northern Ohio DX Association (along with WVNO Radio) will once again sponsor a Hospitality Suite at this year's Dayton Hamvention. It will be in Suite 1011 on the 10th Club Floor of the Crowne Plaza Hotel (old Stouffers) on Friday and Saturday evenings. All DXers/Contesters are welcome. Munchies and refreshments will be avaialble. Come and meet the members and friends of NODXA.

2S, SCOTLAND. Chris, GM3WOJ, reports that to celebrate the opening of the new Scottish parliament, the first in 300 years, the North of Scotland Contest Group GM2MP/GM7V will be using the special prefix "2S" and will be signing 2S2MP during the period of May 6th through July 31st. The group will be active from several different QTHs on different bands to give everyone the maximum opportunity to work this rare prefix. Their activity started this past weekend on 15 meters. QSL cards for ALL QSOs will be sent out VIA THE BUREAU only later in 1999. 2S2MP does not collect QSL cards, so PLEASE DO NOT SEND a QSL card. You will receive a 2S2MP QSL card if you make a QSO.

5N, NIGERIA (Update). OPDX received a message this week from Stan, OK1JR, currently active from here, stating, "Greetings from Nigeria and I want to say hello to OPDX readers. We just finished with 5N99 prefix. I hope I made happy all HAMs looking for 5N as a new one." Stan goes on saying he

made 10,000 QSOs which includes activity on 40/80 meters. He states that he also made 1000 RTTY QSOs using the BTL software along with his multi-media sound blaster and notebook computer. Stan will be active until the end of the May, but using the callsign 5N0MSV. Look for him between 1500-0100z on 80-10 meters CW/SSB/RTTY. QSL via home callsign OK1JR: Stan Matejicek, Moskevska 1464, 101 00 Praha 10, Czech Republic

9M2, WEST MALAYSIA. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Johnny, G3LIV, will not be active May 4-24th as 9M2/G3LIV from Pulau Penang as announced. The reason given was a change in the licensing authority by the Commission as of April 1st, which means he has been unable to obtain a license.

AX3, AUSTRALIA. "The 59(9) DXReport" states to look for AX3ITU May 17th from Melbourne during World Telecommunications Day. QSL via VK3DYL. Actually, look for each call area to be active during Australia's ITU Day. Look for AX1ITU, AX2ITU.... etc.

DAYTON DXERS/CONTESTERS EVENT.....
The 59(9) DX Report, Western New York DX Association and Rochester DX Association will host Hospitality Suite 325 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel during the Dayton Hamvention next weekend. Stop by for an eyeball and a cool one Friday and Saturday evenings from 8 PM onwards. Meet your fellow DXers and have an eyeball with some of the DX gang you worked lately. You never know who will show up. It is always a good time and enjoyable for both the Big Guns and Little Pistols. All are welcome.

FO, MARQUESAE ISLANDS (Change of plans!) The "Les Nouvelles DX" reports that some planning changes have taken place by Alain, F2HE. Alain will leave from France on May 19th and he will be in Marquesas on May 26th. He is also supposed to go to the Australes Islands. Please refer to OPDX.406.

FR/G, GLORIOSO ISLAND. Several are reporting that Henri, FR5ZQ, will be active again from here sometime in May/June as FR5ZQ/G. However, Bernie, W3UR, editior of "The Daily DX" reports that he received information from Flavio, IK2IQD, stating Henri, will arrive on the island of Glorioso May 8th. He will be active on 80-10 meters CW and SSB for 4 weeks. He will be working on the island and will be on the air in his spare time. The following suggested frequencies were given: CW - 28023, 21023, 14023 and 7003 kHz --- SSB - 28480, 21230, 14180, 7050 and 3770 kHz. No WARC frequenices were given, but he will be on the WARC bands. Also, in the report it was mentioned that Henri will show up on 14180 at 1500z. It is not known if this is a list operation or not. QSL direct to FR5ZQ CBA.

HB0, LIECHTENSTEIN. A group of Germans will be active from here June 19-25th. They report that their QTH there will be 2000 mt ASL. Their callsigs will be HB0/DF6VI, HB0/DL1FDH and HB0/DL4OCM. They will be active with 3 stations on simultaneously, each with about 800 watts output into several antennas on 160-6 meters on CW/SSB/RTTY. QSL via their home callsigns.

JW, SVALBARD. Look for DF6VI and DL4OCM to be active from Spitzbergen, August 9-15th. Their callsigns will be JW/DF6VI and JW/DL4OCM. They will be active on 160-10 meters on CW/SSB/RTTY. QSL via their home callsigns.

HC8, GALAPAGOS ISLANDS. Look for Trey/N5KO, Ken/K1EA, Steve/K6AW, Jon/ N0JK, Ralph/K9ZO, David/KM3T and Robert/N6TV to be active May 26th through June 2nd from San Cristobal Island. Their activity will include the CQ WPX CW Contest. Callsigns were not given. Look for N0JK to be active on 6 meters with 100 watts and a Yagi. A beacon will be on 50.110 Also, look for him on the satellitea outside of the contest.

IOTA NEWS.....
EU-032. From July 21st through August 4th, look for Marc/ON5FP and Kristof/ON6NN to be island hopping (inclusive IOTA contest) in the French EU-032 group using the callsign TM1OTA. Their aim is to activate the islands of: Re, Aix, Madame, Fort Enet, Fort Louvois and Oleron (which will be their home base). QSL to ON4ADN either direct (Geert Decru, St Laurentiusstraat 18 8710 Wielsbeke, Belgium) or via the UBA bureau.

EU-128. Mario, DJ2MX, will be active from Fehmarn Island, May 16-19th. He promised to pay special attention to VK/ZL and Pacific areas. The Fehmarn Island is also valid for DID as O-01. QSL via bureau.

EU-156. Hubert/F6HKA, Didier/F6ELE and Mauricette/F8BPN will be active as homecall/P from Tombelaine on May 30th from 0500-1500z.

NA-046. Henry, KE1AC, will be operating from Nantucket Island, (Nantucket County, Massachusetts, MA-007S) on May 12-13th. Look for him on the SSB IOTA frequencies. Henry will use a Kachina 505DSP w/100 Watts and a Force 12 C3SS antenna. QSL via home call.

NA-134. Michel, OX3LG, will be active on Asiaat Island, Greenland, from May 10-20th. He will be active on 6/10/15/20 meters, work schedule and propagation permitting. QSL via OZ1PIF: Peter Frenning, Ternevej 23, DK-4130 Viby Sj., Denmark

NA-151. Michel, OX3LG, will be active June 15-30th from Angmasalik Island, Greenland. Activity will be the same bands and limitations as his NA-134 operation. This visit should also see the new 6m beacon activated. QSL via OZ1PIF.

L2, ARGENTINA. Horacio, LU4AAV, is another station that will active as L24AAV between May 16th (0000z) and May 23rd (0000z), CW/SSB on all bands. This will be during the celebration of 75th Aniversary of the World Record of Distance in 1924 (please refer to OPDX.404). QSL via the bureau or direct to LU4AAV: Horacio Cilmi "Hoc", Navarro 5078, 1419 Buenos Aires, Argentina (w/ SASE). For questions send E-mail to: luaav@mixmail.com Also, look for LU1DK, LU2JCW, LU5FCI and LU8EEM during the celebration as L21DK, L22JCW, L25FCI and L28EEM, from May 16-23rd, on all band (SSB). QSL via F6FNU.

P3, CYPRUS (Update). Harry, UN7FZ/UP6F, informs OPDX that the P3A Team (RA9JX, RZ3TX, UA9MA, UA3DPX, UA3AB, I2VXJ, RW3QC, UT7QF, RX4HW, RU3DX, UA9CDV, UN7FZ) will be active during the 1999 CQ WPX CW Contest as a Multi/Multi category. QSL route is via W3HNK. QSLs for operations before and after the contest for contacts with teams signing 5B4/homecall, must go to home callsigns.

QSL INFO AND NEWS.....
E44DX QSL Cards at Dayton! "The Daily DX" reports that the QSL cards for E44DX, the first DXpedition to the new Palestine, will be available thanks to the assistence of the Northern California DX Foundation (NCDXF). At the Crown Plaza Hotel, a table will be set up on Friday night just outside of the DX Dinner Banquet. Bernie, W3UR, Editor of "The Daily DX", reports that the labels have all been printed and the group will have only the U.S. labels and QSL cards. To see a sample of the QSL card, check the Web page:
http://www.dailydx.com/graphics/e44dx.htm
For those who are unable to attend, and VEs and DXers from other countries, the QSLs will start to go out around June 1, 1999.

E44/HA1AG QSLs are going out! Zoli, HA1AG, reports that the first 2500 direct QSLs have been mailed. Early next week another 7100 will follow. The logs for this expedition are available at the Web site:
http://www.okdxc.cz/e44
Also on this page, you can also catch a glimps of the QSL to appear in your mailbox soon.

The latest edition of "The 59(9) Report" states that effective April 5, 1999, the U.S. Postal Service has suspended delivery to the following countries: YA, 9U, 9Q, J5, EL, P2 (Bougainville only), 9L, T5, and YU.

OOOPPPSS!! The dates for the FO0XUU operations in last week's bulletin were listed wrong. Please change the date for the Marquesas operation to January, 1999 and the Australs to Februbary, 1999.

Tez, VK1TX, reports that the QSL Manager for Tom's (VK0TS) Antarctica operation is VK1PJ (Phil) NOT VK1AUS. Also, please send QSL cards for Tom's operation from Macquarie Island to the Inwards QSL Manager for VK1 Bureau, to VK1TX c/o VK1 QSL Bureau as of now. Address is:
WIA VK1 Bureau, Box 600 GPO, Canberra City A.C.T. 2601, Australia

The special event station EN125H that is active between May 6-9th, CW/SSB/RTTY on all bands, was on in celebration of 125 years of the "Kriukov Railway Car Building Works". QSL via UT1HT, P.O. Box 87, Kremenchug-21, Ukraine, 315321 or via bureau.

HK3DDD ADDRESS CHANGE. Rob, HJ3PXA, reports to "Please take note that well known all time Malpelo QSL Manager, HK3DDD, BETO , has changed his address". The new address is: Edilberto Rojas Mosquera, POB 170151, Bogota, COLOMBIA.

SAVE YOUR MONEY. The station active as YA1R several months back who gave the QSL route as RW3LO is a pirate. According to RA3LZ: "Callsign RW3LO has never existed".

Doug, N6RT, reports, "The final S79FAG, S79YL, and S79ZG logs are now online at: http://dx.qsl.net/logs
Several hundred QSOs were missing from the logs before the final update. If you think you should be in the log and you were not, check again."

UP54P was a special event station to celebrate the 54th anniversary of victory in WWII. QSL via UN5PR direct: Romeo Y. Loparev, P.O.Box 73, Temirtau, 472300, Rep. of Kazakhstan.

NOT A QSL MANAGER! W3CU is the club station callsign for the Maryland Mobileers Amateur Radio Club. Russ, N3GT, Trustee for W3CU, states, "We are not QSL managers for anyone. It is possible that the previous callsign owner was."

YO99JP was a special event station (isssued by the Romanian Amateur Radio Federation) and was active in celebration of the Pope's first visit in Romania. Pope John Paul II was present in Bucharest May 7-9th. QSL to YO3KPA via bureau. More information on the Romanian Amateur Radio Federation can be found on the Web site:
http://www.qsl.net/yo3kaa

SV9, CRETE. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Drew, GM3YOR, will be active May 15-28th as SV9/GM3YOR while on holiday. He will operate CW mainly on the WARC bands, but also 160 and 80 meters (13kHz up) if conditions allow. QSL via home callsign.

TM, FRANCE. F5JBR will be active as TM0AI from May 23rd to June 6th. This will include CQ WPX CW Contest.

V3, BELIZE. Bill, W2WC, will be here May 11-14th, and plans to be active from V31GM's QTH in Punta Gorda. No callsign was given, but there was some mention of him possibly working the digital modes. QSL via home callsign.

WH2, GUAM. Dave, KH2/N2NL, informs OPDX that he will be active as WH2/N2NL in the CQ WPX CW Contest as a Single Op/All Band entry. QSL via W2YC, direct or via the bureau is OK. Cards sent directly to his Guam address will be answered, but the turn around will be much longer than via his QSL Manager W2YC.

YM0, TURKEY (Attend Prefix Hunters). The "DX News Letter" reports that DL6DB, DA2KT, DJ2JH, DL4DN, DL6BK and DG1NPM should be active as YM0S from Bozcaada Island (AS-099) now until May 14th.

YO, ROMANIA. Jean Michel, F6AJA, will be active as YO/F6AJA from May 17-22nd from YO8FZ's QTH during his free time. Jean states, "It's NOT a DXpedition of course."

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OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
OPDX SPANISH WEB SITE. (provide by "QTC Magazine" and Tony Pernas, EA1CSI):
http://www.intercom.es/qtc/qtcopdx.htm
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3405. GHOST WRITER?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509194928.29001.00001117@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143397

I JUST HEARD THAT LLOYD, N0VFP HAS A GHOST WRITER, none other than Marty Chittum,W9XN. Is that true Lloyd? Just perhaps it's a tale of one Stump Jumper with half a brain helping one with none?

AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3406. FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John M. Boggs" <bogg0010@tc.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <7h58hs$1ta$1@news1.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 143398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=101392420

3407. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373628A7.213F@sir.com>
Source record: 143399
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> I just finished giving my seven year old his code lesson. He's learning the
> code to earn a award in his Tiger Cub Scout group. He is a seven year old
> that came to me to learn the code, and has no interest in radio,

Well why not FORCE him to learn about radio before he can use morse
code? It is ok for him to want to learn Morse Code and not anything
about radio, but not the other way around?!

I would
> think that anyone who is interested in radio should stop crying about it and
> donate the 15 minutes a night for 2 weeks, and learn it.

If your son doesn't have to learn or like radio to enjoy Morse Code,
then people who want to use or like radio do not have to learn Morse
Code.

> No one complains about having to learn how to use windows before they can
> surf the net....

Of course not, no one complains about having to learn how to use a ham
radio before surfing the repeaters either, but what if you made them
learn Russian before they were allowed to use the internet? Then you
would get the same complaints.

3408. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926299016.154.42@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143400
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message
news:3735e1d0.16533754@nntp.one-eleven.net...
> You simply don't know what is like to suffer form any
> disaility, for that you can be thankful, but without it you can no
> more understand my world than I can understand what you see in code,
> to pick an example

Mark,

I don't float so well, but managed to pass my scuba tests. OW certification requires a 10 minute survival float. I get the sense you're perhaps familiar with the frustration of struggling, while others lounge around on their portly seat pads, idly chit-chatting. Imagine doing this where life and safety is easily compromised, as opposed to just struggling with uncooperative ears. I wonder if you know what it's like to be at the limit of physical endurance, with the pool edge -- and safety -- far, far out of reach. At the end of the ten minutes, I was exhausted to where I needed help getting out of the pool. I passed the test, but only proved that I would perish in fresh water without a flotation device. I found out later I am a mere six pounds negatively buoyant. That's quite a lot, though, and according to my OW instructor, I am about as dense as they come. Most people are positively buoyant in fresh water.

What does this mean when I mostly dive in calm tropical seas, always with at least a shorty on for flotation? Why should I need to demonstrate that I can survive in fresh water, alone, without help, for a mere ten minutes? Why should a not-so-sprightly-anymore, middle-age man need to demonstrate a skill of dubious use? Why did my perfect written test scores not exempt me from this portion of the test?

Conversely, what expectation should I have of being exempt from any one of the requirements, useful in my mind or not?

Michael.

3409. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37363938.123C@sir.com>
Source record: 143401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Rich Mulvey wrote:
>
> On Fri, 7 May 1999 08:21:11 -0500, jpos <jpos@mobilemark.com> wrote:
> >No one complains about having to learn how to use windows before they can
> >surf the net....
> >
>
> Considering that I was "surfing the net" before it was even
> *possible* with MS-Windows, you might want to choose a different
> analogy. Sigh.

The best analogy would be having to learn Morse Code in order to use the internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work a Ham radio.

3410. Scholarship

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7h5dn2ahg1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143402

In article <19990509005938.12839.00001085@ng-cm1.aol.com>,
bcolenso@aol.com (BColenso) wrote:

> Seems two-face Fisher can insult, harass, defame and defile hams, ham
radio and
> ARRL but their money is still green. Didn't tell his daughter not to take
money
> from "losers" as he calls us ?

My daughter apparently applied for this from Austria. She was in the ARRL book, "Now You're Talking" and has appeared in several area newspapers punlisizing ham radio in years past. Her GPA is 3.99 and SAY 1430, she is now in Austria and applied from there and is going to Brandeis. She will use the award productively.

Burt

3411. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fbhmct1.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 143403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 09 May 1999 03:46:33 GMT, K0HB wrote:

[Re: Stacy Mesa's little boo-boo]

> No one, except the ILHW (Internation League of Hand Wringers)
> gives a rip! Go take a pill.
>
> de Hans, K0HB

If it would have been anyone else in any other FCC Bureau or Office it would have blown over. But it came from the Office of Public Affairs to the distribution list of the FCC Daily Digest which is directed e-mail subscribed to and read by regulatory professionals world-wide, and it carried the name of the person who is most associated with said distribution.

Much too public, and as far back as I can remember to the advent of the Commission;s e-mail system in 1995, the rule was "keep your personal stuff off the net". We had numerous instances of folks posting "for sale" items agency-wide and it took some disciplinary action to get that to stop.

It's bad enough when it's only inside the firewall, but when it gets out to the Wide World .... YaZowieee......

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

3412. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926304825.973.29@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I have great news for you! You CAN become a ham without learning Morse code. Looking at FCC Part 97, you can qualify for a Technician's license with only a written procedure and absolutely minimal theory test. No Morse code test!

It seems your wish has been granted, and quite some time ago at that. Run on over to your nearest VEC testing facility. There's no need to stop to thank me.

Michael.

Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote in message news:373628A7.213F@sir.com...
> If your son doesn't have to learn or like radio to enjoy Morse Code,
> then people who want to use or like radio do not have to learn Morse
> Code.

3413. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBT1 <ObtuseOne@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7h5i78$4f7$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

As always Gary you are right on the target with your message...

Gary Coffman <ke4zv@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:3791c68d.1012145982@news.atl.bellsouth.net...
> On Mon, 03 May 1999 13:53:15 -0500, Lyle Koehler <lyle@mlecmn.net> wrote:
> >W6RCecilA wrote:
> >>
> >> Lyle Koehler wrote:
> >> > If I remember correctly, the time allowed was on the order of ten or
> >> > fifteen seconds, and the exam was passed successfully with 25
> >> > consecutive correct answers; equivalent to one minute of solid copy
if
> >> > the exam had been given at 5 wpm.
> >>
> >> That's interesting, Lyle, and certainly meets the ITU/IARU treaty
> >> requirements. What does the FCC say about it?
> >> --
> >> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
> >>
> >There has probably been a more detailed clarification from the FCC, but
> >the only thing I can find in the Part 97 rules is a statement that:
> >
> >"The administering VEs must accommodate an examinee whose physical
> >disabilities require a special examination procedure. The administering
> >VEs may require a physician's certification indicating the nature of the
> >disability before determining which, if any, special procedures must be
> >used."
> >
> >It's interesting that the VEs *must* accommodate those with
> >disabilities, and *may* require a physician's certification.
> >
> >Here are some relevant paragraphs from the ARRL VE manual regarding
> >Morse testing:
> >
> >"Pausing the examination message, where warranted, may be a successful
> >accommodative procedure to overcome candidates' ability to write or
> >respond quickly. The pauses may be included after each sentence or
> >phrase, after each word or even after each character, to allow the
> >examinee the time to write, absorb and/or interpret what was sent. The
> >decision as to the level of pausing warranted is determined by the VE
> >team in conjunction with input from the candidate or the candidate's
> >Doctor's Statement. The level of accommodation should be the least
> >necessary to overcome the candidate's handicap."

> >
> >In a later paragraph: "For a character-by-character examination, a grade
> >of 70% or more correct characters can be considered passing".
> >
> >Unfortunately, then comes the kicker, in Mark's case: "If the candidate
> >doesn't have a readily identifiable handicap/disability or if the
> >candidate doesn't provide a Doctor's Statement describing the
> >handicap/disability he/she suffers from, you are not to offer the more
> >flexible accommodations in administering the Morse code examination."
> >
> >In many situations, that puts the VE team between a rock and a hard
> >place, because the VEs are generally not qualified to assess "hidden"
> >disabilities like dyslexia, stroke after-effects, etc. In the case of
> >the Handi-Ham camps, the staff and instructors (including at least one
> >MD) who have been working with the students all week can advise the VE
> >team as to the level of accommodation that might be needed. It's a lot
> >tougher at a VE session where people simply walk in off the street.
> >
> >Lyle, K0LR
>
> There seems to be an issue of equity here. When we recently remodeled our
> plant, we were required to install ramps for the handicapped. But there
was no
> requirement that we restrict the use of the ramps to only the handicapped
> and require our able bodied employees to continue to use the stairs. We
were
> required to remodel our restrooms, with lower urinals and wider stalls,
but our
> able bodied employees weren't required not to use them. To do so would be
> inequitable. The able bodied should have equal access to facilities too.
It
> seems to me that this should apply to amateur licensing. What's good for
the
> goose should also be good for the gander. If anyone can be accomodated,
> then everyone should be permitted to use the same accomodation. To do
> otherwise would be unequal treatment under law.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3414. Re: W4AMP's sue nuts!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <pesZ2.267$I3.19328@news5.ispnews.com>
Source record: 143406

Radiosigs:

Sir, here is a quote clipped from your earlier post entitled something like "Who's the rogue at BellSouth."

QUOTE

Anyone know FOR SURE the I.D. of the BellSouth rogue who's been unlawfully nuking my postings? I've been told it's W4AMP, . James O'Brien and also he's supposedly the filthy-mouthed Jew baiter called DONKBOY666.

END QUOTE.

May I suggest that what you should have said done was to contact BellSouth's abuse folks and talk with them. Instead, you came up in public and pointed a finger at W4AMP, whom I do not know from Adam's housecat. If I were W4AMP, I would be pissed off also. Of course, maybe what you wanted to do was start a flame war.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Radiosigs wrote in message <19990508165635.08233.00000957@ng-fe1.aol.com>...
>The man's gone off the deep end..I swear. In answer to my question."Are you
on
>Bell South?" he replies "See you in court." And heavens..I haven't a thing
to
>wear! And now why everyone knows why I do suspect W4AMP of unlawfully
nuking my
>postings and I'm going to do something about it which is going to irritate
>Mr.O'Brien something awful.
>
>radiosigs@aol.com AF2Y Doc
>

3415. CRAZY ON EBAY??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <37361669.5BDE577B@qsl.net>
Source record: 143407

Hello All,
I just wanted to comment on the sales on ebay auction web. I been
watching ham gear beeing sold on ebay and the prices people are paying
for some of this stuff is
unreal. What's your thoughts on this matter?

Steven R. Baker
ARS KB9HGI
-=Quincy,IL=-
Kilo Bravo 9 Ham Going Insane
KB9HGI'S HAM SHACK

3416. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dean Craft <w4ihk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <7h5n7v$5fd$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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>> analogy. Sigh.
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>The best analogy would be having to learn Morse Code in order to use the
>internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate
>and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work a
>Ham radio.

True enough; however, it has everything to do with the es-prit de corps of ham radio. Knowing that one has gone through, and survived, the identical trials and tribulations of his or her counterparts, builds a unique bond of dedication and purpose. The instant gratification crowd of today has no appreciation for that bond.

Dean Craft -- W4IHK

3417. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h5vi6$4es$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 143409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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>internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate
>and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work a
>Ham radio.

Now that sounds like a plan, a Morse code test to get on the internet
would keep some of you no-code peckerwoods out of the DX newsgroup
and about a half dozen other ones this 'discussion' doesn't belong in.

Is it REALLY necessary to post this crap to every ham newsgroup there
is ? Some of us have already learned Morse code, we aren't looking for
any good reasons not to....

73, Jim KH2D

3418. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mzenier@netcom.com
Message-ID: <mzenierFBJ1Hz.54v@netcom.com>
Source record: 143410
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7h30aajro1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <oap1@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>From your responce you sugest that the Harmony converter will not work with
>CGA, Vga nor EGA

For different reasons, yes. A cheap CGA monitor doesn't have Analog RGB
inputs. VGA and EGA have different scan rates and won't properly display
at NTSC scan rates. Either the monitor won't run, or will burn out, or it
will display a side by side doubled picture.

>I am taking this to mean that the output is a composite
>signal and only if I have one of those cga monitors that also has a composite
>input could I use it?

The output of the Harmonic Research convertor is Analog RGB. If you
have a CGA monitor with a composite input, you don't need the converter.
Some monitors of that era did have both composite and RGB, and some
didn't. For example, the Zenith monitors for the Z-100 color machines
did, but (I think) the NEC Multisync didn't.

>I am using an anolog C Band dish and am currently
>feeding the composite output to my VCR and then to the TV antenae as the tv
>lacks a composite inputand wanted to know if the improvement in picture
>quality would be worth buying a new tv with composite inputs.

I'd suggest a short term rental of a newer TV and see what it looks like.
Most cheap TV's don't do much better than a VHS recording, so you won't
seen any real improvement until you spend some $$$.

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com Washington State resident

3419. testing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Peter M <123370x@bud.cc.swiin.edu.au>
Message-ID: <3734785E.FCA3CC01@bud.cc.swiin.edu.au>
Source record: 143455

testing email

3420. KDK Instruction Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmiller@fix.net
Message-ID: <37356e50.830562@news.fix.net>
Source record: 143456

Hello, this is Harry Miller KB6CGG in sunny California.
I have a copy of the Manual for the FM2016A/E with
schematic, price $6 mailed.

Also, the manual for the KDK FMN240, 640
and 740, no schematic, price $2.50 mailed

If interested, email me hmiller@fix.net
Tnx es 73 Harry Miller KB6CGG

3421. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373e74f1.296484@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143457
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS

The Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
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wd4gdb@qsl.net
www.web-cycat/hart
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407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

3422. ### VISITORS TO FLORIDA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <373f7500.311042@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 143458
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is a mesage for all Radio Amateurs visiting the Central Florida
area and the world's largest family attractions destination...

Walt Disney World, Sea World, Universal Studios, MGM Studios,
and lots others

http://www.qsl.net/lmars

If you need information on amateur radio resources in the area try
surfing over to the web site of the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio
Society. Here you'll find email links to club members that can assist
with information and other contacts in the area.

And if you need to know what repeaters are active in the area check
the "WD4GDB Repeater List" link for a complete list of active
repeaters here in the Central Florida area and around the attractions.

http://www.qsl.net/lmars

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

3423. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7h2nvd$ec9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3734829D.D2D4F675@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> Oscar wrote:
> > The above are personal situations I've been involved with so I chose to
> > lock up my guns. I doubt I could convince you otherwise about weapons,
> > nor do I want to, but being an adult, you will of course accept the
> > consequences.
>
> I live alone (with my two dogs) and my nearest neighbor is out
> of pistol/shotgun range.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Cecil, you still need to lock up your weapons. Some Crack Mom might be
driving by and abandon her 3 year old Crack Baby on your doorstep. The Crack
Baby might play with the handguns and shoot one of your dogs. And it would
be all yopur fault cause you don't care about Crack Moms and Crack Babies.
See the logic?

Brian

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3424. Re: who's the rogue at BellSouth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508203459.10380.00000755@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 143460

>We MUST HAVE FREE EXPRESSION..demand it! If someone
>can't take the heat, then let him or her get out of the kitchen. Rogue
>cancelling is cowardly at best and must not be tolerated. Stand up and be
>counted. Thanks people. Doc radiosigs@aol.com

Tell that to "root@phantom.warez.com" He thinks he is the Net God and
threatens to have peoples ISP accounts cancelled if the posts don't agree with
him or he dos'nt care for them at all.

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http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3425. Re: KV4FZ and N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508203825.10380.00000757@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 143461

Answer this for me,

How come you spent all the time supposably in Dental College and only be a practicing dentist for only 5 or 6 years??

I really want to know!

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3426. I pose a Question to AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508204407.10380.00000762@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 143462

This it for PorkButt and Doc Hate to answer for us....

Question: "Why don't all the parties to this disagreement just sit down at the bargaining table and hash out this mess? Isn't this whole affair giving Ham Radio a 'black eye'?"

Answer: The B.A.R.F. has offered, on many occasions, to meet with the leadership of the opposition, the FCC, and the ARRL, in an attempt to reach some measure of accord. The so-called "service" nets refuse to discuss the matter. They would rather continue their hate campaign as a method of silencing the B.A.R.F. On 75 meters, every offer of discussion with the opposing faction has been met with comments like, "We don't talk to trashï¿½ we burn it!" Ask yourselfï¿½ what does a comment like that do to the possibility of peacefully negotiating a settlement? At some point, it becomes very difficult to discuss matters with a group that finds such joy in character assassination and personal attacks. Regardless, the B.A.R.F. remains open to any and all suggestions on how best to end the conflict. The B.A.R.F. seeks a just peace and an end to the daily insanity on 14.313 and 75 meters. Can the same be said of the nets and their followers? If so, let them propose a meeting time and place, with mutually agreed upon referees (such as the ARRL might provide), where discussions may begin. The B.A.R.F. will be thereï¿½ ready to talk and present our case. But the continued attempts to destroy the personal lives of our leadership must stop. The vendetta against KV4FZ must end. The B.A.R.F. agrees that this whole situation is, indeed, giving Ham Radio a "black eye". We are willing to explore any avenue that might resolve the conflict.

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3427. WB2OTK Threatens harm to people going to Hamfests!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508211031.10380.00000777@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 143463

There are some new .wav file on WB2OTK? I don't know, but I'd be very careful
at Dayton this year! He might just carry out this threat!

Hear it at:

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

Under the Heading:

The PORKBUTT PROJECT!

Enjoy!

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3428. New Amateur radio web ring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hotradio@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h2qnk$g8m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143464

All Amateur radio operators with web pages are invited
to join the new Amateur Radio Links Web Ring. For more
information visit:
<http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/Floor/2632/webring.
html>

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3429. Turner Proves You Don't Need to be Smart to get DXCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h2sth$ho9$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143465
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'd think a guy who manages to work over 150 countries at once, 24 hrs a day would think more clearly than this....(but think of the ratings bonanza !!)

Ted Turner: Nuclear War in Future

Saturday, May 8, 1999; 9:05 p.m. EDT

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) -- Ted Turner told University of Georgia graduates today to keep thinking and learning, then rained on their parade by suggesting that NATO bombing in Yugoslavia could lead to nuclear war.

``Here's the class of '99, and y'all are just starting out. Wouldn't it be terrible to have nuclear war in the next week or two and mess up y'alls careers before they have gotten started?'' Turner said in a commencement address to 5,000 graduates.

Turner, who founded CNN, said that as a child during the Cold War he worried that he wouldn't live to see the end of the millennium. At age 60, he said he has the same worries.

(I'd be worrying I'd die and Jane would donate my money to Save the Wallabee)

Referring to the NATO bombing of China's Embassy in Belgrade, Turner said: ``If we drop a bomb on the Russian Embassy, we could be at war with Russia and China tomorrow, and they both got lots of nuclear weapons. We might not even get to see the millennium.''

(Hey Ted, get NATO to bomb MSNBC, they're annoying !)

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3430. New web ring (sorry wrong URL)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: hotradio@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h2tt8$i9h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143466

All Amateur radio operators who have web pages are invited to join the New Amateur Radio Links Web Ring. I apologize for the previous post which did not show the complete URL. The correct URL is:<www.geocities.com/WallStreet/Floor/2632.webring.html>

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3431. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: oap1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h30aajro1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143467
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

From your responce you sugest that the Harmony converter will not work with CGA, Vga nor EGA I am taking this to mean that the output is a composite signal and only if I have one of those cga monitors that also has a composite input could I use it? I am using an anolog C Band dish and am currently feeding the composite output to my VCR and then to the TV antenae as the tv lacks a composite inputand wanted to know if the improvement in picture quality would be worth buying a new tv with composite inputs.

Orville Phillips

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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3432. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7h30epjtl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham
> radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the
> air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily
> Digest recipients received this today.....
>
> Wonder what ARRL thinks ?

Why would ARRL care because someone mistakenly punches up the wrong address
for a joke they wanted to share with some friends.

No one, except the ILHW (Internation League of Hand Wringers) gives a rip!
Go take a pill.

de Hans, K0HB

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3433. Re: I pose a Question to AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990508230105.09675.00001069@ng-da1.aol.com>
Source record: 143469

<< @ng23.aol.com>

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>>Because one can't do business with right wing screwballs led by a lying, cheating felonious bastard who created all this crap to begin with, invented horror stories about nice folks on a fine net,preached anti-Semitism as a way of stopping phone patches and on and on and on.If you Lloyd think that breaking bread with Satan can bring about peace, you're nuts. The only way for this stuff to end is to have KV4FZ permanently removed from ham radio and have his clones stop creating trouble by jamming,slandering,harassing etc. And if his nutcases don't stop, then the FCC will bring about their end too. Neville Chamberlain in 1938 came back to England waving a piece of paper signed by Hitler. "Peace in our time" he proclaimed. A year later we had W.W.2 because of

appeasement. Good people don't appease BARF or the STUMPJUMPERS. Good people stand up to them and drive THEM goofier than they already are. Case closed.
AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com Doc

3434. Planning your New England vacation ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <Bm7Z2.625$xa.7547@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143470

Familiarize yourself with the Cape Cod hams on 146.955 and 147.045, New England's answer to Channel 19 and 20 !

The Drudgery Report has been updated ! Don't get caught in the nets...

The Rawchestuh Report is coming soon !

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269
--
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3435. Re: Riley Hollingsworth & 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509001018.01318.00000060@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 143471

>why in God's name did you tune the radio to 3950
>for him to hear in the first place???
>

Because, quite simply, 3950 is truly "The Most Exciting
Frequency In Amateur Radio".

3436. WB2OTK at it agian!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509002106.16400.00001208@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 143472

New wave files of PORKBUTT!

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

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3437. Davy At Warez inserts his foot in his mouth!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-09 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509002707.16400.00001211@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 143473

>How strange you are. Someone illegally cancels other people's posts, someone
>else points that out and posts the cancel messages with full headers, and you
>figure that *I* am squelching other's posts because I suggest that there is
>a remedy in which the person whose posts are canceled complains to BellSouth?
>
>Go back to start, do not pass GO, and do not collect $200. You have failed
>elementary language skills.
>

Davy Boy,

I did not say you cancelled posts. You have on many, many times wanted to have
someones account cancelled becuase you considered the post "spam" or
"off-topic" YOU are not the judge of that. IF you do not like that post,
then why do you read it and post your drivel?

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3438. Atlanta ham fest,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fearon <john@peach.negia.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.990510160604.8784D-100000@peach.negia.net>
Source record: 143224
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio

Please don't forget the Atlanta ham fest on June 5 and 6. It will be held at Miller Park, in Marietta, Ga. There will be room for seven thousand cars. There will be an active flee market. We have 180 commercial tables and many of them are already gone. If you are interested in commercial tables at $20.00 each then contact Ben Dasher, ke4yzx at bdasher@mindspring.com and if you are interested in flee market spaces at $10.00 each, contact Gars, P. O. box 88 Lilburn, Ga. 30048-0088. For other information, contact John Fearon w4wkp at john@negia.net. We hope that this ham fest will prove to be one of the best and most enjoyable fest we have had in recent years. By the way, the admission will be $5.00 each. There will be food on site. Come one come all. 73 John Fearon, w4wkp

3439. Re: Want Info Alinco DJ-S11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Duane Park <dspark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37373B65.27FC0A9E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Don't think that's a option. There are a few things like you
mention that are left out of Alinco's DJ-S11 and S41 firmware,
but it's still a good buy @ $88.00.

Boyd wrote:

> Hi all,
> Does anyone know how to set the Scan Resume function.
> On the DJ-S11 & DJ-S41T. Mini HT's.
>
> I would like. The Scan to stop when finding a signal and
> resume scanning after the signal disappears.
>
> It now stops scanning when a signal is found, then resumes
> scanning in 5 sec.
>
> Thank You,
> Boyd W6DSB boyd@humboldt1.com

3440. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <VpHZ2.1454$xa.16394@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143226

On Mon, 10 May 1999 18:57:02 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> AF2Y has said many times in the past that he "invented" the cloudwarmer
> antenna.Now that he has been uncovered as a Al Gore type who invents
> everything, he chooses to crawfish out of his brags. What a goof ball.

More disinformation. Check his original post, George. He said that he
"homebrewed" the antenna, not that he invented it.
Your attempted obfuscation may work on the air, but becomes
impotent in this medium. You see, spoken words, unless recorded (As
your friends like to do) are subject to the limitations of the
listener's memory, so you might be able to get away with twisting
peoples words and claiming this or that was said when it wasn't. One
fantastic thing about the written word is that it, by virtue of it's
nature, creates a tangible history. This allows it to be recalled,
allowing it to be used to refute claims such as yours.
Now here's the fun part: Jeff has quoted and pointed out each
instance of false information in your post, and included the text from
AF2Y's original message as supporting evidence. By doing so, he has
exposed you to anyone capable of thinking beyond the brain stem for the
misleading and deceitful person that you are.
Have a nice day!
--
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3441. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <6SHZ2.7999$Fw3.2441565@news1.mia>
Source record: 143227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Michael Young wrote in message <926314830.032.100@news.remarQ.com>...

" ... I thought it odd that I can easily sidestroke a half hour without rest, but come close to full exhaustion treading water for ten minutes. I also didn't understand the breast stroke until I tried it in salt water. It's as easy as they say it is, if you carry enough body fat. As I said, a 2mm shorty supplies what nature gave the rest of us.

For the group's info:

What you said makes perfect sense. The breast and sidestoke are "survival" swimming strokes. The stroke itself contains at least a fifty percent rest at the glide. This is what enables the swimmer to travel very long distances without tiring. The idea with these strokes is to generate as much glide as possible. Treading, OTOH, is a one hundred percent work stroke. I'll take the former over the later any day. (:-]

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

"What Hath God Wrought?"

3442. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510174143.23285.00000289@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 143228

Hey Mr.Smurf,thanks a bunch for sticking up for me. You're a real pal, not a "realdeal"phony.Of course I never said I invented the Cloudwarmer but these fool take everything out of context to twist and distort to their own ends. And I also compliment you on your writing skills. EXCELLENT. Your spelling is impeccable; your sentence structure excellent; you're coherent as all hell and put these lummoxes to shame. It's good having intelligentsia in my corner and count me in as one of your fans. But don't ask me for money 'cause you ain't getting a friggin' dime. Your fan, Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com and it's tons of fun getting the boneheads riled up,isn't it?

3443. NEED INFO ON HARRIS 505A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jsimon1026@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510174226.19489.00001529@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 143229

NEED MANUAL ON HARRIS 505A 781 289 6305 OR LEAVE YOUR NUMBER

3444. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Ryding <zionluth@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <37375A1A.B46AA4@southwind.net>
Source record: 143230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

My understanding of why we still have morse code as a requirement is simply because of international agreements. In order to work DX, the ITU still requires a code proficiency. What speed varies with the country issuing the license, so the FCC could easily reduce the speed, but there would still be the minimum requirement.

I consider myself an "appliance operator" and haven't used code for a long time. I am one of those that would like to see it dropped as well. We are not preserving a tradition, trying to keep anyone out, or making ourselves an exclusive group. Amateur radio should advance the radio art, have a trained pool of operators for emergencies, and improve international relations. These can be done without CW, but until the ITU changes its policy, the FCC has no choice.

Rev. John Ryding
WW0H

3445. ** FLEA at MIT ** Sunday May 16th Cambridge MA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: w1gsl@mit.edu
Message-ID: <7h7lga$gio@senator-bedfellow.MIT.EDU>
Source record: 143231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info,sci.electronics.misc,ne.forsale,ne.general,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Subject: ** FLEA at MIT ** Sunday May 16th Cambridge MA
Summary: Buy Sell SWAP Ham Radio Electronics Computers 9AM - 2PM

This coming Sunday....

Sellers Season Passes will be still be sold however, NOW is the
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in the prepaid line, which will be admitted first.

*** !!!! In our Traditional GARAGE and lot !!!! ****
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FLEA all SUMMER at MIT
Sunday May 16th 1999
9AM-2PM

Come to the city for a great flea - plenty of free parking.

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The flea will be held at the corner of Albany and
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By ..... Stamp

Enclose SASE for return by mail.

****
Steve Finberg W1GSL w1gsl@mit.edu
PO Box 82 MIT Br Cambridge MA 02139-7082 617 258 3754
****

3446. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: the_butler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37375b92.21162471@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143232

Never have I had a problem with my Radio Shack HTX-202, I also travel regularly, and often have the rig in my carry on, along with my laptop. I have been given grief about my leatherman and lighter (one of those pyro types <g>) but those go in my bag instead of on my person, and I've had no problems. Many of these rules do vary from airport to airport, but I would suggest that you should have asked to speak to a supervisor, shown your license (you carry it don't you?) and that should (not always) have taken care of that. Your are a licensed operator by the FEDERAL govt. and that has helped me in the past...

My $.02

Ed Murphy
N1OQF

On Thu, 6 May 1999 12:12:36 -0700, "William G. Graves" <bgraves@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>I was NOT allowed to carry my ICOM HT in a backback. This was even after
>assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be turned
>on. The supervisor at the Xray station said they will not allow any
>"walkie-talkies" (!!) on board period.
>
>Now I have gone back with dejanews and checked and many of you have carried
>radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on. There
>are laws limiting operation aboard aircraft.
>
>I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.
>
>Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal limitations
>are?
>
>I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good reason.
>I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not
>broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
>
>thanks
>bill
>- - - - - - - - - - - - - - -
>Bill Graves
>bgraves@ix.netcom.com
>
>

"The Butler" Thanks You and goodnite...

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Constitution nor prohibited by it to the States, are
reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

"Ultimately, most problems can be solved by applying a large
brick to the correct skull. Difficulties arise when you don't
have a brick or can't find the right skull. The devil is always
in the details." --Marcus Cole

Zero Tolerance: the politically correct term for zero thought, zero common sense.

3447. Re: New Radio Shack 2M HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: the_butler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37375b99.21170042@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143233

I'm not so sure about that eval. I've had mine for a few years now,
used it with/without amps, external (read roof or home) antennas,
external microphones/speakers, packet, batteries (both nicad and
alkaline) and I've had nothing but good results. Saved me from a
night in my car way up north in New England....

My $.02

Ed Murphy
N1OQF

On Thu, 06 May 1999 15:23:25 -0600, AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net> wrote:

>Scarpad wrote:
>>
>> Anyone have or try it yet?
>>
>> Is this Radio and Icom or Standard Product
>>
>> Any info Appreciated.
>>
>> ----- Posted via Deja.com, The People-Powered Information Exchange -----
>> ------ http://www.deja.com/ Discussions * Ratings * Communities ------
>A friend brought one over and the squelch kept popping so I hooked it up
>to my base antenna and found out why,full scale signal desensing ALL of
>the freqs the thing was capable of tuning.
> Poor VHF recievers,a radio-shack tradition.Tracy

"The Butler" Thanks You and goodnite...

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3448. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510190113.03405.00000070@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 143234

<< State your cedentials Burt and I'll give you some due consideration.
Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol,com. P.S. If you like in any way, KV4FZ or any part of
the BARF and StumpJumper parasites,you need not apply. >>

3449. Re: SPAM abuse - Pacific Supernet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510190341.03405.00000071@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 143235

<< >>

HANG CHEONG...HANG IT UP!
Doc,AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com

3450. Re: W4AMP's sue nuts!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510191718.09593.00000369@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 143236

>Of course, maybe what you wanted to do
>was start a flame war.
>

That's what Doctor Hate is good at, Joe!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3451. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: m c beutler <mbeutler@powerweb.net>
Message-ID: <37376E59.CF64F8AB@powerweb.net>
Source record: 143237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Barry O'Grady wrote:

> "Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net> wrote:
>
> :
> :Hey Joe,
> :
> :Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you other
> :'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you cannot even
> :make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.
>
> I built my own RTTY demodulator and used it with an M100 telex machine.
> I can remember times when the signal disapeared into the noise and yet
> the telex machine continued printing correctly. it also used very
> little bandwidth.
>
> :Food for thought.
>

yes, isnt it though? the point, i hope, is that hams have always been the
ones to lead the way, not weigh the anchor.....
--
-
Regards,
mark beutler
-

3452. Re: FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Don Vlack <k2dv@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <37376F2B.EBF7F826@rochester.rr.com>
Source record: 143238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Yes.
--

-73 from
-Don Vlack K2DV
-
-What Would You Attempt To Do If You Knew You Could Not Fail?

3453. Re: Modem anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <37377006.44708591@news.mint.net>
Source record: 143239

On 10 May 1999 19:40:38 GMT, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

>Esteemed gentlemen of this forum...I just inserted a brand new Best Data 56K
>modem in line and my other one, a mint Best Data 33.6 modem is in a box being
>stored. I have all the wires and connectors. I'll try to find the poop sheet on
>it too. If anyone's interested in buying it,I'll ship but will not discuss
>business on these postings. Methinks that's illegal. So if you're interested,
>write to me at P.O Box 1347, Clifton,NJ 07015 and we'll take it from there.
>Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

Illegal on Usenet? Nope. You just can't sell pics of gross stuff,
like Burp Fisher.

Kevin, N1UYW

3454. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7h7tjm$ia8$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 143240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7h6025$ovg@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> >Actually Ham radio has always assisted in giving communications to
> >national disaster areas such as Earthquake, Flood, or Tornado
> >disasters.
> >However, Morse Code is never used in these instances, mostly voice on
> >the 2 meter band.
>
> Neither is SSB used on 2m during disasters. So what? // KH6O
>

It's not common, I'll admit, but I have used 2m SSB from
fire camps in deep canyons where there were dead spots in
the local repeater's coverage area. The extra performance
enabled simplex contact, using knife-edge diffraction where
FM contact was impossible.

--
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

3455. FS: Kenwood TM-741 Tri-Bander (Has 10 Meter Module)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <926385028.371.95@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143241
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TM-741 with 10 Meter Module installed. Radio comes with TSU-7 CTCSS decoder, DTU-2 DTMF unit, DTMF mic, books, remote kit, service manual. Radio is clean and fully operational. $495.00 shipped. Email bike@vvm.com for more info or to buy radio. 73 DE WB5TTY

3456. FS: Kenwood TM-741 Tri-Bander (Has 10 Meter Module)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7h80d4bbc1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 143242
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TM-741 with 10 Meter Module installed. Radio comes with TSU-7 CTCSS decoder, DTU-2 DTMF unit, DTMF mic, books, remote kit, service manual. Radio is clean and fully operational. $495.00 shipped. Email bike@vvm.com for more info or to buy radio. 73 DE WB5TTY, Anthony Mikulastik.

3457. BC245XLT LIST ICOM R2 YAESU VX5 YAESU FT100 YAESU VX1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: james coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <7h82k7$oq9$1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 143243
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/BC245XLT
Is the list devoted to the new BC245XLT trunktracker.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/Ft90
Is a new list devoted to the new Micro micro mobile radio from Yaesu the
FT-90.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/ft2600
Is a new List devoted to the new Mystery radio from Yaesu the FT-2600.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YAESUVX5
Has over 522users so far. Come join us if you are interested in the VX5 a
super cool little radio!!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YaesuVX1
Has about 101 users If you have a VX1 this is the place to be!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/icomr2
Is the nerve center of everything that has to do with the ICOM R2.
If you have a R2 Come on and join us we need you !!! This is a great radio
with a great following of over 209 users on this mail list!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/FT100
So Far we only have 238 users! Not to bad. If you are even thinking about
one of these units come join us. Join Us and get the MOD!!
we may all learn somthing!!!

3458. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a loser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37379312.3703@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143244

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:

More lies from a known loser. Anyone that defends porkbut has got to be
a loser.
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3459. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spike <spike@eyeball.org>
Message-ID: <82B5857EFFB38CA0.A7EFBFD597971A12.9E7B75CB7865FBD9@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> yes, isnt it though? the point, i hope, is that hams have always been the
> ones to lead the way, not weigh the anchor.....

Hahaha, funny.
The way I see it, old HAMs are the anchor.

3460. Kenwood TM-741 Tri-Bander SOLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <926392093.905.13@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143246
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Kenwood TM-741 Tri-Bander with the 10 meter module has already sold, that was fast! Thanks for the several inquiries on the radio. 73 de WB5TTY, Anthony.....

3461. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a loser(Oris)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24939-3737A2DE-50@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143247

When was the falling out? You and otk used to be good friends.

3462. Re: Oris Grin is the roag can seller i can proof it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24947-3737A1D7-2@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143248

That was funny,lol. Someone has a Great sense of humor....n'all that shit:~) <K4RUB>

3463. Re: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OHdvPa1m#GA.239@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 143249
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

This an up-grade Kit from Motorola they are genuine Parts. Left over kits
that where not used only a few left

Eddie wrote in message <7h4krq$pg3$1@news.monmouth.com>...
>Hmmmm, cloning copyrighted EEPROMS's (and SELLING them too ?!?!),
>what a dumbass ! (say hello to that twit posting received MDT
>traffic on his website for us, and the Cheeks to !).....
>
>I suspect the Moto IPP division will be notifying the US Marshalls,
>USSS, and they're going to be busting your door down pretty soon...
>And for what ? A lousy $150 ? IDIOT !!
>
>Hmm, unless you're just selling a bunch of "genuine" Moto upgrade
>kits ? Well, too late now...your now a big red blip on Motorola's
>copyright protection/intellectual property protection radar....
>and at the very least, they're going to be looking into this to
>see if your legit.
>
>
>
>Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com> wrote in message
>news:uPsE2nem#GA.310@cpmsnbbsa05...
>> Motorola KVL Up Grades for T3011 & T3014 AX,BX or CX
>>
>> Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
>> and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
>> such as Astros and MTSX 2000.
>>
>> $150.00 Parts Labor And Shipping
>>
>>
>> For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/
>>
>> E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
>> Thanks !!! Rich
>>
>>
>
>

3464. Re: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#EH50b1m#GA.245@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 143250
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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that where not used only a few left

3465. FS: Dell Latitude LM Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Virus327 <Virus327@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <37377982.B500FAD4@yahoo.com>
Source record: 143251

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Forsale:

Dell Latitude LM Laptop
166MMX
1.34Gig
40 Megs RAM
33.6 Modem
Windows 95 - Will Upgrade to Windows 98 if requested...
Enhanced Docking Station

Will send pictures by requests...

$500.00 Plus Shipping

Shipped from Houston, TX

Please contact me: Virus327@yahoo.com
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3466. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509224804.10242.00000013@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143274

You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the Cloudwarmer. I said I used one and if anyone sends for my instruction sheet, it opens with the disclaimer stating so. You sound like a run-of-the-mill BARFie StumpJumer, screwing up meanings, words, messages and what not. Putting words into peoples' mouths. Along with Schoenbohm,they ought to pull you off the air too. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs

3467. Re: Lying hams on 3.950 and here - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7h5i3j$g9i@dfw-ixnews7.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143275

In <19990509115212.21071.00001257@ng-ca1.aol.com> kk7ho@aol.com (KK7HO)
writes:
>
>KKKevin strom wb4aio is trying to lead people to believe, with that
silly wav
>file, that I have or was jamming the "so called" libertynet. Not true.
He has
>put out a .wav of me calling the libertynet a bunch of NIT Wits, they
are. The
>date on the file is incorrect it was in 1998 NOT 1999.
> It seems to pretty far reaching for you to call that jamming you
liar. A one
>time transmition done inbetween comments is not jamming.

How about the night I recorded you doing that 60+ times. Was that
jamming or "just making comments"? Timmie you're a jammer and Reiley's
gonna get you. Even Sid the Lid has better sense.

I see you have a new fan with a most interesting nickname. How was
that multiple guess Element 1B?

>Hell if it were all
>hams would be guilty of it every night. You just don't like the
comments. so
>you call anyone opposing YOUR views a jammer.
>\ Get a Life you Lying bunch of LIDS.
>
>Check out the radio atrocities perpetrated by the "So called"
libertynet or
>it's participants. Hell check out some of their participants
affiliations!
>
>
> CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

3468. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509235411.09888.00000031@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 143276

>From: henry@wolfenet.com (Henry Knouse)

>I would be for the fcc getting rid of kk7ho just as soon as they get
>rid of the lawbreakers on liberty. Both are a cancer on Ham radio

I have not jammed this "So Called" NET. Tell ya what Henry, if I thought it would clean up 3950 and that Libertynet gang - I'd give up my license! I don't need it. I thought ham radio was something until I ran into this gang on 3950. Kevin Strom (wb4aio) a member of the National Alliance. AA8DP Stephen Anderson a KKK ranking official. Along with various others that are either Western Imperative Netwerk members, Ernst Zundel followers, or admirers of Hitler. Condoning the bombing of abortion clinics, calling for race wars, the dragging of the black behind a pick-up etc. etc. They do have a right to say what they want. So does everyone else. Ham radio isn't the proper forum for it though, at least I don't think so.
The whole issue is not "jamming" as they call it. Although they do get jammed. The inflammatory remarks they make incite the jamming. The" issue" which they are hiding very well in the guise of being jammed is the use of 3950 by them, EXCLUSIVLY. That's what it's about.
They want it (3950) every night, in order to get it, they harass, jam, heckle and lie. This has been the sole underlying issue. The reason for their chanting jammer, jammer, jammer, when all one (anyone) tried to do was get in and make a comment. Whether it's myself or someone else it does not matter, if the comments are not INLINE with theirs - you are "automatically called" a jammer. It's their programmed response for everything. They have it in their minds that even though the "So Called" net is only on on Sat evenings they should have 3950 every night and have done massive amounts of their own jamming and "Moving in to Take-over" the frequency when it was occupied by others.
I like talking with some that operate 3950. There are many good hams on there. When the liberty gang is not in there causing chaos the frequency is like any other and the QSO's are enjoyable. The minute they arrive, they "instigate" and start talking about people, peoples family members, their wives, just heckling, thowing out snide offensive comments all to disrupt the civil QSO's that go on on 3950. They are "fanatical" about that frequency. I guess some others are too but the "So Called" net is only on on Sat. evening.
The "So Called" net, in the last couple of years have done the same (harassed) to other amateurs that wished to use 3950 for normal amateur operations They have harrassed, offended, walked on, jammed, etc. and that's where their jamming is coming from. I don't jam them, but I would give up my license voluntarily if would do ANY good, I don't need this, it won't do any good though if some of them continue to get away with their activities. I have been on 3950 for three years now, before that I listened on and off for 3 more. Even with that I am still new compared to "some" that have been there for years and years. Even at that, I know who is doing what and why.
Taking jabs at me for "Speaking Out" is all that they are doing. Harassing me

for expessing my op[inions and observations. They don't like the fact that I am bringing this to light. I AM telling the truth about this but they certainly will have another "take" (spin) on it. Bottom line is take all the licenses of those that this gang complains about and let them have 3950 as their "Private Shortwave Broadcast Frequency" or see thru their lies and spin, watch their activity when "someone else" is on 3950 and you'll get to the heart of the problem. Hell the "So Called" net control- w1wcr has said many times that he was going to run Sid and the others off of 3950 and that it IS the "So Called" libertynet's frequency. I know, after that last statement they'll go to complaining about Sid, the language etc. etc. Oh well, he's not like that until they start HARASSING him.
Like last night they provoked him into anger by talking about his wife (who's very ill) in a most offensive manner, Then him(Sid), then his son(george). All of this the day before mothers day and All to "instigate" him into losing his cool so they can get another "SOUND BYTE" to send in and lie about. Ham Radio isn't _ Self Policing_ it is
_Self Destructive.
I have not "jammed" them - period. The silly little .wav file is about the extent they can come up with to call jamming. I did call them the NIT WIT NET in between transmitions. I notice that they never play THEIR conversation before such instances, hell no they won't, that would give you the WHOLE picture.. Other than that if I have something to say, I key up, in between, and, say it, give my call. All becuse they don't allow "freedom of speech" on that "So Called" net. ONLY if you follow they "beliefs" can you get acknowledged to make a comment. Other than that just be quick with the key and you can get it in. Oh, I know, now that I said that they'll say that they don't let me in because I'm a jammer. Not True. But who really gives a damn. They'll continue and it's everyone else's fault. I have but one question. What the hell does a "So Called" net have to do to get LISTED IN A HATE DIRECTORY Created a College Profesor and used by Law Enforcement agencies all over the country??
TAKE A LOOK

http://www.bcpl.lib.md.us/~rfrankli/hatedir.htm

ALSO CHECK OUT

"3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

3469. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. C. Kelley" <km4o@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7h5m9f$g3e@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143277

Why don't all you name callers meet one evening in a 10X10 roped in area and get with it. Now that will prove something... No sense in all this name calling GET WITH THE PROGRAM with a closed fist>>>>>>>>>>
Heny

Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message news:19990509224804.10242.00000013@ng-fc1.aol.com...
| You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the
| Cloudwarmer. I said I used one and if anyone sends for my instruction sheet, it
| opens with the disclaimer stating so. You sound like a run-of-the-mill BARFie
| StumpJumer, screwing up meanings, words, messages and what not. Putting words
| into peoples' mouths. Along with Schoenbohm,they ought to pull you off the air
| too. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs

3470. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dogbert@mindless.com
Message-ID: <373661ad.18190002@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143278
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 26 Apr 1999 18:22:42 -0400, "The Conqueror"
<joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I was just wondering why they still keep the Morse code testing requirements
>if the military doesn't use it anymore and telegraphs are not that common. I
>think because they stopped it for the marines, there's no point in using it
>in ham radio either. And if you want to say it is for security, you are not
>allowed to use codes when intended to obscure meaning.
>
>-Dan K3DRQ
>
>k3drq@qsl.net
>
>

Now, LOOK. Haven't you watched the movie Independence Day?
It was Morse Code that saved the world! :-)

>
>

3471. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926314830.032.100@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

Your students deserve better than you showed them. I thought it odd that I can easily sidestroke a half hour without rest, but come close to full exhaustion treading water for ten minutes. I also didn't understand the breast stroke until I tried it in salt water. It's as easy as they say it is, if you carry enough body fat. As I said, a 2mm shorty supplies what nature gave the rest of us.

I think a swimming instructor -- you are the instructor, right? -- who won't teach that much perhaps shouldn't be teaching. Which agency issued your credentials?

I passed the "float" test by treading water for the full period; that's not fun for an old fart. I also dive recreationally in the tropics only, wearing at least a shorty. I've since learned that half-full lungs are enough for neutral buoyancy in salt water; the shorty is a safety measure. Near home, for training dives, 3mm full suits are required even in the hottest part of summer. As I said, Dingleberry, I am 6 lbs negative in fresh water. A 3mm full suit makes me 12 lbs too positive.

Don't worry about being my partner. You pack far more baggage than I. And, yes, I passed the test legitimately, without special consideration.

Michael.

----- Original Message -----
From: BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com>
Newsgroups:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,
rec.radio.scanner
Sent: Sunday, May 09, 1999 8:46 PM
Subject: Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing
about CW.)

> In <926299016.154.42@news.remarQ.com> "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
> writes:
>
> >
> >Mark,
> >
> >I don't float so well, but managed to pass my scuba tests. OW
> >certification requires a 10 minute survival float. I wonder if you
> know what it's
> >like to be at the limit of physical endurance, with the pool edge --
> and
> >safety -- far, far out of reach. At the end of the ten minutes, I was

> >exhausted to where I needed help getting out of the pool.
>
> I don't know if you should have been passed.
> I've asked people to leave swimming classes because
> they could not float at all. Their bodies just
> sunk. Upon showing them how to do a basic float with
> sculling, they went under every time. on back and on
> stomach and on side.
>
> If they don't pass the float test they cannot go on.
> The extreme non-bouyancy of their bodies impossible
> to overcome in the water. Like dead weights.
>
> I remember in Scuba classes one woman who could not
> stay afloat...just sunk every time
> she was told the rules state she has to FLOAT. or
> seek another sport to learn.
>
> or move to a salt-water environment to help.
>
> maybe.
>
> hard decisions, but if no able to float, then
> it's hard to teach. One guy over in rec.
> sport.swimming says that he cannot float and
> learned how to swim. Can be done. But he
> also gets tired out more.
>
> you are pulling dead weight...that's why.
>
> your weight is working against you.
>
> If i was asked to be your Scuba partner, I'd
> defer. I'd be afraid of your problem underneath
> overcoming you and taking me down with you when
> you see me and grab me from behind and will not
> let go...i'd get out of it, but at what cost.
> to me or you.
>
> i'd think that swimming would be your non-
> participating sport in more than 3 feet of
> water. Or high salt content.
>
> bill conduit
> etc.

3472. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926314894.160.99@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I think you're making a strong argument for maintaining the status quo.

Michael.

Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote in message news:37363938.123C@sir.com...
> Rich Mulvey wrote:
> >
> > On Fri, 7 May 1999 08:21:11 -0500, jpos <jpos@mobilemark.com> wrote:
> > >No one complains about having to learn how to use windows before
they can
> > >surf the net....
> > >
> >
> > Considering that I was "surfing the net" before it was even
> > *possible* with MS-Windows, you might want to choose a different
> > analogy. Sigh.
>
> The best analogy would be having to learn Morse Code in order to use
the
> internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate
> and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work
a
> Ham radio.

3473. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h5vbl$oin@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mark Morgan wrote:
> The ARS will benift for any influx of people at all, but it is

That's not true. HF consists of 3.75 MHz, with only about half of that spectrum useful at any one time. There is really no frequency reuse possible as with V/UHF. Where the growth is needed is already code-free. If you were really altruistic with regard to the health of the ARS, you'd be spending your time exploring V/UHF rather than posting here. // Jeff KH6O

3474. Re: Some thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h6025$ovg@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Actually Ham radio has always assisted in giving communications to
>national disaster areas such as Earthquake, Flood, or Tornado
>disasters.
>However, Morse Code is never used in these instances, mostly voice on
>the 2 meter band.

Neither is SSB used on 2m during disasters. So what? // KH6O

3475. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <37368CC0.C4FF41D6@mindspring.com>
Source record: 143283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

But Don did say he was operating mobile CW; best *not* write it down,
methinks!

I'm a bit in between; write down name, qth, rst, etc. -- but usually
head-copy the rest.

Phil

Monty Northrup wrote:
>
> On Fri, 07 May 1999 12:29:02 -0700, Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com> wrote:
> > I forgot one other important point in my post. DON'T WRITE STUFF
> >DOWN. Copy it in your head; that is how you will be using it
> >for ham radio ragchewing. Writing it down is an (unnecessary and
> >limiting) habit that you don't want to get into if you can
> >avoid it. I sometimes run into ops on the air who ask me
> >(as I am working mobile CW) "how do you write it down?". Egad.
>
> Hi Don!
>
> Hmmm... I've heard this admonishment before, and I really don't
> understand it. I've been operating almost exclusively CW for over 30
> years, and I've always written it down. It feels natural to me. It
> goes in my ears, it comes out my hand. It's not particularly legible
> above 30 wpm, mind you, but I can refer back to my notes in a ragchew
> and remind myself of what was said. (I can't recall a 10 minute
> monologue, but I can if it's written in front of me). Later on (2 or
> 3 qsos late), I can jot down a note or two in the log if I want. My
> wife can look over my shoulder if she wants. When visitors come over,
> they can see that the process actually works... morse in, words out.
> Above 35 wpm or so, I'll put the pencil down and copy entirely in my
> head, but if somebody throws a long unfamiliar and non-phonetic word
> out there at 45 wpm, I'll probably miss it, and I've found that's
> usually the case for people that "only copy in their head", even at
> slower speeds. And speaking of slower speeds, people that copy only
> in their heads have difficulty with copying 10 wpm qsos... I think you
> forget what was sent at the beginning of the word at that speed... hi.
>
> Besides the practicalities, I think it's easier and faster to learn
> code while writing it down. As you decipher a letter aurally, you
> write it down, see it with your eyes, and it connects you with the
> part of your brain that already knows how to read and write.
>

> Hey, different strokes for different folks, but I think it's a lot
> easier and more practical to learn code while writing it down, and
> make the transition to head-only copy later on if you need or want to.
> Am I the only one in hamdom that thinks so?
>
> 73,
> monty N5FC

3476. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <37368DC2.58299E14@mindspring.com>
Source record: 143284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Monty Northrup wrote:
>
> Above 35 wpm or so, I'll put the pencil down and copy entirely in my
> head,

Not up to those speeds, alas; above 35 wpm or so I tune in a slower
station.

> but if somebody throws a long unfamiliar and non-phonetic word
> out there at 45 wpm, I'll probably miss it, and I've found that's
> usually the case for people that "only copy in their head", even at
> slower speeds.

Agree!

> And speaking of slower speeds, people that copy only
> in their heads have difficulty with copying 10 wpm qsos.

And with that: Too slow and you cannot copy words, only letters; then I
must write it all down.

Phil

3477. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Wheeler <w7ox@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <37368E39.5C4B4783@mindspring.com>
Source record: 143285
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

And I'm trying to recover former CW skills/speed at 62; we will see if
enough brain cells and reflexes are left!

Phil

Monty Northrup wrote:
>
> On Fri, 7 May 1999 12:35:56 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>
> >2 weeks?? ;) It took me, a 35yr old, almost 4mnths to learn it...
>
> I know what you mean... I took up the piano at 45...
>
> monty N5FC

3478. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7h69ov$4om$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143286

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990509120207.24912.00001346@ng-fq1.aol.com>...
> Without a doubt, KK7HO, Tim Volz, is one of the finest hams to ever hold a
>ticket!

What about me?

Burt

3479. Re: Planning your New England vacation ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7h69vg$5lu$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143287

Bill Mather wrote in message ...
>Familiarize yourself with the Cape Cod hams on 146.955 and 147.045, New
>England's answer to Channel 19 and 20 !

And meet K1OIK.

Burt

3480. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <3736B9A2.3C82@wt.net>
Source record: 143288

William G. Graves wrote:
>
> I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.
>
> Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal limitations
> are?

They can do anything they want. It's their plane.
>
> I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good reason.
> I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not
> broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?

I imagine the x-rayer was just following instructions. For one thing, he
probably didn't have the time or skills to determine that it wasn't say
a bomb. Also the pilots frown on radios in the cabin. It could possibly
cause interferance to radios or nav instruments.
It may have been a pain in the rear, but I don't think it's anything
outragous. When you have a 10 million dollar "or whatever" jet boring
holes in the sky at 35,000 ft, you don't want to have to worry about
gadgets in the cabin causing problems. MK

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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

3481. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3736cb52.76321192@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 10 May 1999 00:59:22 GMT, W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
wrote:

>Dick Carroll wrote:
>> So go park in a handicapped parking space without an
>> authorizing placard, then tell your story to the judge. You
>> won't get a sympathetic ear in my part of the world.
>
>There's a big difference. Handicapped parking spaces are limited. Code
>test accomodations are not.

Thanks Cecil I have beentriing to put my fingers on the right way to
say that.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

3482. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ray <cougar@net2000.com.au>
Message-ID: <EkAZ2.321$B94.2319@nswpull.telstra.net>
Source record: 143290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Learning morse code is like having to learn to program in binary before you
can turn your computer on or learning to ride a horse before you can get
your driving license just so you can relate to horse power.

Bring back the dark ages too!

Ray
Jim <kh2d@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7h5vi6$4es$1@brokaw.wa.com...
> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>
> >The best analogy would be having to learn Morse Code in order to use the
> >internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate
> >and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work a
> >Ham radio.
>
> Now that sounds like a plan, a Morse code test to get on the internet
> would keep some of you no-code peckerwoods out of the DX newsgroup
> and about a half dozen other ones this 'discussion' doesn't belong in.
>
> Is it REALLY necessary to post this crap to every ham newsgroup there
> is ? Some of us have already learned Morse code, we aren't looking for
> any good reasons not to....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
>
>

3483. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3736cfee.77500702@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143291
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 7 May 1999 08:21:11 -0500, "jpos" <jpos@mobilemark.com> wrote:

>I just finished giving my seven year old his code lesson. He's learning the
>code to earn a award in his Tiger Cub Scout group. He is a seven year old
>that came to me to learn the code, and has no interest in radio, I would
>think that anyone who is interested in radio should stop crying about it and
>donate the 15 minutes a night for 2 weeks, and learn it.

If only it were that simple. You and the otehr ProCoders can't accept
the fact it aint so. Haven't you read QST lately
>
>No one complains about having to learn how to use windows before they can
>surf the net....

You have to learn window before using the Net. Gee did not know that.
Indeed I know plenty of Net users that don't do windows. but then if
it were true that you did it is not likely that we would hear much
from them.

But My My the Federal governement requires knowledge of windows in
order to surf the net. I never knew that Thanks for telling me
>
>Jerry N9DKQ
>not a Brass Pounder.....

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

3484. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <3736cde8.3463364@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 143292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net> wrote:

:
:Hey Joe,
:
:Written a good FFT PSK algorithm lately? No? Yes? How about all you other
:'old timers'? Why not? Too difficult? Hey, it copies when you cannot even
:make out the signal, and with very little bandwidth.

I built my own RTTY demodulator and used it with an M100 telex machine.
I can remember times when the signal disapeared into the noise and yet
the telex machine continued printing correctly. it also used very
little bandwidth.

:Food for thought.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
Web page: http://www.acay.com.au/~barryo

3485. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <3736d0fa.77769205@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 143293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

On Sun, 9 May 1999 23:23:53 -0400, "Dean Craft" <w4ihk@mindspring.com>
wrote:

>True enough; however, it has everything to do with the es-prit de corps of
>ham radio. Knowing that one has gone through, and survived, the identical
>trials and tribulations of his or her counterparts, builds a unique bond of
>dedication and purpose. The instant gratification crowd of today has no
>appreciation for that bond.

That is saying that it is a hazing ritual. If more of you wanted to be
honest and call it that and defend it on that bais I'd have more
resopect, I'd alos be on HF becuase the FCC would acted even sooner to
end but..

It is also incorrect and inaccurate to say that the trails of all
people learning Code are indentical, as can be claerly seen by reading
the claims of the ProCoders on the ease of learning code
>
>Dean Craft -- W4IHK
>
>
>

Mark Morgan
kb9rqz.

Privacy of unsolicted email is not assured
Unsolictied email will be published forwared
or ourwise disclosed as I see fit.

sending unsolitcied Email will be
deemed aceptance of these terms

3486. Free Morse Tutorial - Win 95/98 32-bit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jragsdal001@iamerica.net
Message-ID: <tjBZ2.1990$XT.27525204@dca1-nnrp1.news.digex.net>
Source record: 143294

I have written a free Morse tutorial program for Windows 95/98 that works with soundcard or pc speaker. You can download it at:

http://www.qsl.net/w5la/ham.html.

Be sure to download the 32-bit Windows program.

I am just learning to program in Delphi, so If you want to give me feedback you can e-mail me at w5la@qsl.net.

73, Jim W5LA

3487. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7h6o9p$n66$1@nntp1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 143295

I would disagree with that Gary, I DO think that things that require effort to obtain are valued more than those that are free and easy to get. It's a personal opinion, like yours.

William Lee N5WRX

Gary Coffman wrote in message
<3790c1a6.1010890646@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 02:18:48 -0400, Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
wrote:
>>Would I want to see the no-code license abolished?
>>Of course I wouldn't ... but I also WOULDN'T want the tests simplified
>>just to make it easier. People tend to appreciate something more if they
>>have to EARN it.
>
>Is that how you feel about your children? Or more mundanely, do you
>value your driving license for the effort you expended once, perhaps
>a long time ago, or do you value it for what it enables you to do, today
>and tomorrow? I'd suggest it is the latter. An amateur license is no
>different. It isn't a trophy on the shelf comemorating some long ago
>triumph. It is a working tool, and its value is in what it enables you
>to do, today and tomorrow. If it had come in a box of Cracker Jacks,
>you'd value it no less, because if it were taken away you would no
>longer be allowed to do all the things an amateur can do.
>
>Gary
>Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>534 Shannon Way | We break it |
>Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3488. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3736E884.F0B3E200@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

It was a very human mistake.... one any of us might make
given the typical 12-16 hour work days in those positions.
I wrote letters to every commissioner, the FCC public
affairs office and their personnel office asking
that they show a little mercy-- I encourage others to do so.
It's easy to sit on our butts and scream "I'm offended!'
when we aren't the one facing a ruined career.
There but for the grace of God....
Disipline, yes; There are lots of measures that will
bring about some real contrition.
But nothing is served by severing the head
of someone who has otherwise done well.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

3489. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3736EDED.703A@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143297

H. C. Kelley wrote:
>
> Why don't all you name callers meet one evening in a 10X10 roped in area and
> get with it. Now that will prove something... No sense in all this name
> calling GET WITH THE PROGRAM with a closed fist>>>>>>>>>>
> Heny
>
> Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:19990509224804.10242.00000013@ng-fc1.aol.com...
> | You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the
> | Cloudwarmer. I said I used one and if anyone sends for my instruction
> sheet, it
> | opens with the disclaimer stating so. You sound like a run-of-the-mill
> BARFie
> | StumpJumer, screwing up meanings, words, messages and what not. Putting
> words
> | into peoples' mouths. Along with Schoenbohm,they ought to pull you off the
> air
> | too. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs
I have tryed that and all they do is send mamma (their wives) out to
fight. You know the I'm going to tell my mom syndrone. Some of these
guys are married to there mothers. So the 10 X 10 roped in area will not
work. Some of these guys talk real tough typew real tough but one goes
to meet em and what happens they run and sceam I'm going to tell my MOM!
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3490. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorbs@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3736F0F4.64F6695F@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.scuba

H. Adam Stevens wrote:> pressurized Baron
>
Oscar wrote:
>You lucky dog. All I can manage is a rented Seneca.

3491. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Kaplan <akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com>
Message-ID: <3736EF2D.49DF9AE2@fallschurch.esys.com>
Source record: 143299
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I agree with all of Don's points, except for writing down the copy,
where my experience seems to match Monty's pretty well. CW forever!
73 de W1AEL, Allan.

3492. FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John M. Boggs" <bogg0010@tc.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <7h6rum$9c7$1@news1.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 143300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=101392420

3493. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3736FD6A.6642C2A5@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> There is really no frequency reuse possible as with V/UHF.

Are you saying that there are never five simultaneous 75m QSOs
going on in Florida, Texas, California, Alaska, and Hawaii on
the same frequency? If so, you're wrong. And I hear higher band
QSOs on top of each other all the time where they can't hear
each other but I can.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3494. Re: Poor "Donkeyboy666" the devil

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25261-3736FAA7-28@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143302

:~)

3495. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25262-3736F82B-19@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143303

Doc...are you aware..that the Iranians are also Aryan's? First Cousin to the German!

That the tall fair haired light skined German..is not German, but is Scandian?

That the true German, is squat, dark complected, with dark hair?

Its true!! <K4RUB>

3496. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike not Mic <w5old@sonetcom.com>
Message-ID: <01be9a38$29e0d880$360231d1@default>
Source record: 143304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I've been looking for some CW wav. files in this string of re.re.re.re so I
can upgrade. I guess talk is cheap or where the neck are my Elmers.
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Howdy! I'm "Mike not Mic"!
You are in contact with Tornado Alley
I'm a Storm Spotter here in Lawton Oklahoma.
My call is W5OLD and all my radios smell like smoke!
Send all traffic to w5old@sonetcom.com

Phil Wheeler <w7ox@mindspring.com> wrote in article
<37368CC0.C4FF41D6@mindspring.com>...
: But Don did say he was operating mobile CW; best *not* write it down,
: methinks!
:
: I'm a bit in between; write down name, qth, rst, etc. -- but usually
: head-copy the rest.
:
: Phil
:
: Monty Northrup wrote:
: >
: > On Fri, 07 May 1999 12:29:02 -0700, Don W6JL <W6JL@ixpres.com> wrote:
: > > I forgot one other important point in my post. DON'T WRITE STUFF
: > >DOWN. Copy it in your head; that is how you will be using it
: > >for ham radio ragchewing. Writing it down is an (unnecessary and
: > >limiting) habit that you don't want to get into if you can
: > >avoid it. I sometimes run into ops on the air who ask me
: > >(as I am working mobile CW) "how do you write it down?". Egad.
: >
: > Hi Don!
: >
: > Hmmm... I've heard this admonishment before, and I really don't
: > understand it. I've been operating almost exclusively CW for over 30
: > years, and I've always written it down. It feels natural to me. It
: > goes in my ears, it comes out my hand. It's not particularly legible
: > above 30 wpm, mind you, but I can refer back to my notes in a ragchew
: > and remind myself of what was said. (I can't recall a 10 minute
: > monologue, but I can if it's written in front of me). Later on (2 or
: > 3 qsos late), I can jot down a note or two in the log if I want. My
: > wife can look over my shoulder if she wants. When visitors come over,
: > they can see that the process actually works... morse in, words out.
: > Above 35 wpm or so, I'll put the pencil down and copy entirely in my
: > head, but if somebody throws a long unfamiliar and non-phonetic word

: > out there at 45 wpm, I'll probably miss it, and I've found that's
: > usually the case for people that "only copy in their head", even at
: > slower speeds. And speaking of slower speeds, people that copy only
: > in their heads have difficulty with copying 10 wpm qsos... I think you
: > forget what was sent at the beginning of the word at that speed... hi.
: >
: > Besides the practicalities, I think it's easier and faster to learn
: > code while writing it down. As you decipher a letter aurally, you
: > write it down, see it with your eyes, and it connects you with the
: > part of your brain that already knows how to read and write.
: >
: > Hey, different strokes for different folks, but I think it's a lot
: > easier and more practical to learn code while writing it down, and
: > make the transition to head-only copy later on if you need or want to.
: > Am I the only one in hamdom that thinks so?
: >
: > 73,
: > monty N5FC
:

3497. Re: New web ring (sorry wrong URL)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <37370A24.AA22D029@uakron.edu>
Source record: 143305

A real link
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

hotradio@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> All Amateur radio operators who have web pages are invited to join the New
> Amateur Radio Links Web Ring. I apologize for the previous post which did not
> show the complete URL. The correct URL
> is:<www.geocities.com/WallStreet/Floor/2632.webring.html>
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

3498. Want Info Alinco DJ-S11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boyd <boyd@humboldt1.com>
Message-ID: <dTDZ2.668$nq2.137031@news2.randori.com>
Source record: 143306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi all,
Does anyone know how to set the Scan Resume function.
On the DJ-S11 & DJ-S41T. Mini HT's.

I would like. The Scan to stop when finding a signal and
resume scanning after the signal disappears.

It now stops scanning when a signal is found, then resumes
scanning in 5 sec.

Thank You,
Boyd W6DSB boyd@humboldt1.com

3499. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard R. Plourde (Dick)" <rplourde@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7h72j4$63s$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143307
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

:Jeffrey Herman wrote:

:> There is really no frequency reuse possible as with V/UHF.

W6RCecilA wrote in message <3736FD6A.6642C2A5@IEEE.org>...

:Are you saying that there are never five simultaneous 75m QSOs
:going on in Florida, Texas, California, Alaska, and Hawaii on
:the same frequency? If so, you're wrong. And I hear higher band
:QSOs on top of each other all the time where they can't hear
:each other but I can.

Cecil...

You've got to remember, he lives in Hawaii and has a VERY parochial view of
the world. ;-)

--
73 de Dick, N1SJM
http://home.att.net/~rplourde/
http://www.qsl.net/n1sjm/

3500. Re: FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John M. Boggs" <bogg0010@tc.umn.edu>
Message-ID: <7h7493edt1@news1.tc.umn.edu>
Source record: 143308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

JJ wrote in message <37362CD8.1335@no.net>...
>Is it for sale or for auction?

It is for auction. Sorry about the confusion.

3501. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h75s4$mjk@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143309

In article <7h2fos$8u7$1@1cust.83.tnt6.memphis.tn.da.uu.net>
<realdeal@my-dejanews.com>, posting from uu.net, wrote:

>This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented this
>antenna.

He said he "homebrewed" it -- nowhere did he say he "invented" it. I
homebrew radios from plans others have drawn up.

>For his information , this antenna is in the book "The Radio Amateur
>Antenna Handbook". It is on page 152-153. This book was copyrighted 1978.

All my homebrewed radios have come from such publications, too.

>Yet
>this lame brain takes credit for the design.

No where did he say that. The word "design" does not appear in his
comments.

>The book was written by W6SAI and W2LX Bill Orr, and Stuart D. Cowan .

I've built gear from Orr's designs. Those items are called "homebrew"
as opposed to commercially built.

>Dr Hate, you did not invent this antenna.

He did not mention the word "invent."

>Quit trying to reap rewards that you have not sown. The Antenna has
>been around for years.

Doug Demaw's QRP designs have been around for years. Yet if I send
someone info on how to build one, you'd be hard pressed to accuse me
of trying to reap the late Mr. Demaw's designs.

Comparing your comments to Doc's, I'd say you're the one filled with
hate.

> article <19990508080310.08242.00000978@ng-fe1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
>> I use a homebrewed Cloudwarmer on 20 meters and actually it's a two element
>> fixed wire Yagi that beams straight up to saturate the ionsophere with RF. It
>> has enormous gain over any conventional dipole or vertical. If anyone's
>> interested, I have an instruction sheet printed up. You simply can't believe
>> how well this antenna works. For a copy of the sheet, send NO MONEY but just a
>> self-addressed STAMPED size ten envelope and I'll send it. SEND NO MONEY! If
>> you've ever heard about the NVIS antennas on which the military is
>> experimenting, the Cloudwarmer is an example of it.

>> radiosigs@aol.com Doc

Hey Doc, NVIS is playing a big role in emergency communications, too. Utilizing NVIS on HF allows for solid regional comms; good to have in case the V/UHF repeaters fail.

73, Jeff KH6O

3502. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h7a5t$e0b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143310

AF2Y has said many times in the past that he "invented" the cloudwarmer antenna.Now that he has been uncovered as a Al Gore type who invents everything, he chooses to crawfish out of his brags. What a goof ball.

article <7h5m9f$g3e@dfw-ixnews3.ix.netcom.com>,
"H. C. Kelley" <km4o@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> Why don't all you name callers meet one evening in a 10X10 roped in area and
> get with it. Now that will prove something... No sense in all this name
> calling GET WITH THE PROGRAM with a closed fist>>>>>>>>>>
> Heny
>
> Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:19990509224804.10242.00000013@ng-fc1.aol.com...
> | You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the
> | Cloudwarmer. I said I used one and if anyone sends for my instruction
> sheet, it
> | opens with the disclaimer stating so. You sound like a run-of-the-mill
> BARFie
> | StumpJumer, screwing up meanings, words, messages and what not. Putting
> words
> | into peoples' mouths. Along with Schoenbohm,they ought to pull you off the
> air
> | too. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs
>
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3503. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510144801.23114.00001690@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143311

<<
>This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented this
>antenna.
>>Jeff,my feelings are hurt. I never called you names BUT I WILL. If you don't understand ham radio jargon, HOMEBREWED does not mean INVENTED! Get it. Homebrewed means "I put one up after I built it." What's so difficult about understanding that? I never said I invented the Cloudwarmer and on my sheet, it's prefaced by that statement. The idea was given to me by WB2OTK who likewise did NOT invent it. Heck, I can take criticism but kindly don't put words in my mouth. Thank you.
Doc radiosigs@aol.com AF2Y

3504. F.S.4 SSB Heathkit monobanders

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: KØIMJ <docky@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <373735C3.6898@earthlink.net>
Source record: 143312

4 200 watt ssb Heathkit monobander transceivers for sale look
http://home.earthlink.net/~docky look under for sale, lots of test
equipment too thanks KØIMJ

3505. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oh Yeah! <maps75@pvtnetworks.net>
Message-ID: <37372A60.6987@pvtnetworks.net>
Source record: 143313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> Well, well, well, looks like the good old FCC has its share of jerks like ham
> radio. Ironic that they are telling hams THEY can't speak their minds on the
> air, when they are using government computers and work time for this. Daily
> Digest recipients received this today.....
>
> Wonder what ARRL thinks ?
>
> Subject:
> Fwd: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd) -Forwarded
> Date:
> Fri, 7 May 1999 13:09:57 -0400 (EDT)
> From:
> Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
> Reply-To:
> digest@info.fcc.gov
> To:
> Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
>
> Received: From [165.135.0.253] gatekeeper2.fcc.gov By mail.fcc.gov
> (GroupWise SMTP/MIME daemon 4.11) Fri, 7 May 99 12:12:34 EDT Received: by
> gatekeeper2.fcc.gov; id MAA25802; Fri, 7 May 1999 12:11:45 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from gbmcinternet.gbmc.org(205.229.239.2) by gatekeeper2.fcc.gov
> via smap (4.1) id xma025793; Fri, 7 May 99 12:10:49 -0400 Received: by
> gbmcinternet.gbmc.org; id IAA13741; Fri, 7 May 1999 08:04:06 -0400 Received:
> from mail.gbmc.org(129.100.0.28) by gbmcinternet.gbmc.org via smap (V3.1) id
> xma013725; Fri, 7 May 99 08:04:03 -0400 Received: from
> GBMCMAIN-Message_Server by gbmc.org with Novell_GroupWise; Fri, 07 May 1999
> 12:08:00 -0500 Message-Id: <s732d7a0.085@gbmc.org> X-Mailer: Novell GroupWise
> 5.5 Date: Fri, 07 May 1999 13:07:47 -0400 From: "SARA B. GUMNIT"
> <SGUMNIT@gbmc.org> To: laurie@clack.com,sheila_duffy@dodd.senate.gov,
> barbara.kellman@espire.net, SMESA@fcc.gov, hkarche@gwgate1.jhmi.jhu.edu,
> csevel@hcfa.gov, funner@pol.net, preamer@radix.net Subject: Fw: Nuns in
> heaven (fwd) -Forwarded Mime-Version: 1.0 Content-Type: multipart/mixed;
> boundary="=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7"
>
> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
> Content-Type: text/plain
> Content-Disposition: inline
>
> This is totally sacrilegious, so if you may be offended - don't open the
> attachment.

> --=_C593CCBA.F495BCA7
> Content-Type: message/rfc822
>
> Return-Path: <kat918@erols.com>
> Received: from rly-st02.mx.aol.com (rly-st02.mail.aol.com [172.31.36.135])
> by air01.mail.aol.com (v59.4) with SMTP; Wed, 14 Apr 1999 23:37:22
> -0500
> Received: from rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (rly-yd01.mail.aol.com [172.18.150.1])
> by rly-st02.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA05489;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:14 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (smtp4.erols.com [207.172.3.237])
> by rly-yd01.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
> with ESMTP id VAA10591;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from smtp2.erols.com (smtp2.erols.com [207.172.3.235])
> by smtp-hub.mail.erols.net (8.8.8/smtp-v1) with ESMTP id VAA18117;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 21:58:13 -0400 (EDT)
> Received: from default (207-172-206-233.s42.as4.blb.md.dialup.rcn.com
> [207.172.206.233])
> by smtp2.erols.com (8.8.8/8.8.5) with ESMTP id WAA26252;
> Wed, 14 Apr 1999 22:05:52 -0400 (EDT)
> Message-Id: <199904150205.WAA26252@smtp2.erols.com>
> Reply-To: <kat918@erols.com>
> X-MSMail-Priority: Normal
> X-Priority: 3
> X-Mailer: Microsoft Internet Mail 4.70.1162
> Date: Wed, 14 Apr 1999 20:47:20 -0500
> From: "Kathie Schisler" <kat918@erols.com>
> To: accent956@aol.com,bubba83191@aol.com, crb1206@aol.com,
> Dealldy@aol.com, decobake@aol.com, Jeslo1213@aol.com,
> KH1120@aol.com, KMyers442@aol.com, Kristada@aol.com,
> kuka97@aol.com, pulsar56@aol.com, RChan87112@aol.com,
> sea67vet@aol.com, sickgirl01@aol.com, Stasia67@aol.com,
> sweetee325@aol.com, TOTI674@aol.com, djcum@erols.com,
> lmherold@erols.com, netcruzr@erols.com, TFIKE@erols.com,
> able-1@ix.netcom.com, kwhiteley@mcsbalt.com
> Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> Mime-Version: 1.0
> Content-Type: text/plain
> Content-Disposition: inline
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> > From: jillk <jillk@gateway.net>
> > To: kat918@erols.com
> > Subject: Fw: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
> > Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 8:54 PM
> >
> >
> > -----Original Message-----

> > From: Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>
> > To: Toni Spagnolo <tspagnol@bcpl.net>; Melissa Weese
> > <mickeymouse_96@yahoo.com>; Aunt Jill <jillk@gateway.net>
> > Date: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 5:52 PM
> > Subject: Nuns in heaven (fwd)
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> > >
> > >---------- Forwarded message ----------
> > >Date: Wed, 7 Apr 1999 10:32:37 -0400
> > >From: "Franco, Pedro I (Ivan)" <pifranco@lucent.com>
> > >To: Angel Pratt <drkangel1@aol.com>, Brandi Leap <taz@bcpl.net>,
> > > Fernando Franco <francocesa@aol.com>,
> > > Timmy Barnhart <tcbarnhart@lucent.com>
> > >Subject: Nuns in heaven
> > >
> > >> Sent: Wednesday, April 07, 1999 10:21 AM
> > >> To: Eric; James Saltzgiver; Jen; Megan Foss; Michael Smith; mikey-p;
> > >> Pedro Franco
> > >> Subject: Nuns in heaven
> > >>
> > >> A bus full of nuns plummets off a cliff. They all die.
> > >>
> > >> Nuns are admitted to Heaven through a special gate and are expected to
> > >> make one last confession before they become angels.
> > >> Several nuns are lined up at this gate waiting to be absolved of their
> > >> last sins before they are made holy.
> > >>
> > >> "And so," says St. Peter, "have you ever had any contact with a
> penis?"
> > >> "Well," says the first Nun in line, "I did once just touch the tip
> of
> > >> one with the tip of my finger."
> > >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Dip your finger in the holy water and pass on
> > into
> > >> heaven."
> > >> The next Nun admits that "Well, yes, I did once get carried away and
> > I,
> > >> you know, sort of massaged one a bit."
> > >> "OK" says St. Peter, "Rinse your hand in the holy water and pass on
> > >> into heaven."
> > >> Suddenly there is some jostling in the line and one of the nuns is
> > >> trying to cut in front.
> > >> "Well, now, what's going on here?" says St. Peter.
> > >> "Well, your holiness," says the Nun who is trying to improve her
> > >> position in line, "If I'm going to have to gargle that stuff, I want
> to
> > >> do it before Sister Mary sticks her ass in it!"
> > >>

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> ------------------------------------
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> Subject:
> Earlier Email
> Date:
> Fri, 7 May 1999 14:16:43 -0400 (EDT)
> From:
> Stacey Mesa <SMESA@fcc.gov>
> Reply-To:
> digest@info.fcc.gov
> To:
> Multiple recipients of list <digest@info.fcc.gov>
>
> Please excuse the interruption.
>
> An email inadvertently went out under my name earlier this afternoon to the
> digest list server. I want to apologize for this email.
>
> Stacey Mesa
>
> -----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

Sir: I don't get it! This message was passed over secure lines, being read by people, just plain people like yourself. They didn't transmit it over the airwaves that can be picked up not only by amateurs and lowely little CBers like myself. But by the YLs and children in the vicinity of ones shack. Tell me where you are going with this. You have the right to speak your mind even over the airwaves. But, in a civilized manner, that is what you would expect of your children, right!!!! Cry over something like the children killing other children just because they are atheletes and give the rest of us a break.

3506. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510145230.23114.00001692@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143314

<< My dear Mr.Kelley, I am sorry for ticking you off but the truth of the matter is that these fools are putting words in my mouth. I never said I invented the Cloudwarmer, but instead homebrewed my own and the critics don't know the difference between HOMEBREWED and INVENTED. And so if I bothered, you, please relax and take a suppository, Best 73, "Doc", AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com Why don't all you name callers meet one evening in a 10X10 roped in area and get with it. Now that will prove something... No sense in all this name calling GET WITH THE PROGRAM with a closed fist>>>>>>>>>>
Heny

Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote in message news:19990509224804.10242.00000013@ng-fc1.aol.com...
| You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the
| Cloudwarmer. I said I used one >>

3507. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510145611.23114.00001694@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143315

<< Oris to my rescue again. Thanks buddy for telling off the dopes. Can you imagine anyone trying to punch out anyone over this ham radio donneybrook? Have we all gone bonkers? 73, Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
I have tryed that and all they do is send mamma (their wives) out to fight. You know the I'm going to tell my mom syndrone. Some of these guys are married to there mothers. So the 10 X 10 roped in area will not work. Some of these guys talk real tough typew real tough but one goes to meet em and what happens they run and sceam I'm going to tell my MOM!
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpo >>

3508. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510151337.23114.00001695@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143316

<< I see you're not playing music on 75 anymore, Francine. I guess all the prompting by Queenie the Weenie and Farty Marty has shown you that crime does NOT pay as long as Riley's listening. So continue to be a good little fairy and everything'll be fine. 73,Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol and send me regards to the Boys From Brazil >>

3509. Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9gyc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h7f3ahne1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143317

Need hotel room in dayton for next Thursday and Friday
Contact me at w9gyc@yahoo.com

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3510. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510152118.23114.00001696@ng124.aol.com>
Source record: 143318

<< Doc...are you aware..that the Iranians are also Aryan's? First Cousin to the German!

That the tall fair haired light skined German..is not German, but is Scandian?

That the true German, is squat, dark complected, with dark hair?

Its true!! <K4RUB>
<<Yes Rube, we've gone over Aryan derivation previously and you've adequately walked me through it. But dark hair, dark skin, light hair,fair skin....these 75m. "Boys From Brazil" are nauseating beyond belief, Hitlerian clones and must be confronted VOCIFEROUSLY on every medium possible to stunt their growth,humiliate their ideology and tactics and prove that true Americans HATE bigotry. They wrap themselves in an American flag and yell"I have rights'" but in reality theyt'd like to burn our flag,take away our rights and destroy "undesirable" people. They will die in a hail of Federal agents' bullets if they try to put their words of hate into action.
Doc. AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

>>

3511. Re: Oris Grin is the roag can seller i can proof it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510153539.24661.00000207@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143319

<< Donkeyboy,I don't know if you're spoofing or just plain illiterate, but your postings show the worst spelling,grammar and sentence structure I've ever seen. How the hell you can exemplify such stupidity on a keyboard is beyond comprehension. Furthermore Oris Grim is one of the bast hams to ever hold a ticket.AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com, Doc. >>

3512. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Fearon <john@peach.negia.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.3.95.990510153605.8784A-100000@peach.negia.net>
Source record: 143320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Well, I would like to let you know that I have a handycap. I never got any free rides from anyone. I got my license in the 1950's when people had to draw diagrams and know the answers to the questions and send and recieve code. I couldn't draw diagrams, so I had to explain what they looked like. Noone gave me anything and that is the way I prefere it. That way, I don't have to pay anything back later. John Fearon w4wkp, Loganville, Ga.

On Mon, 3 May 1999, BD wrote:

3513. Modem anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510154038.26120.00001734@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143321

Esteemed gentlemen of this forum...I just inserted a brand new Best Data 56K modem in line and my other one, a mint Best Data 33.6 modem is in a box being stored. I have all the wires and connectors. I'll try to find the poop sheet on it too. If anyone's interested in buying it,I'll ship but will not discuss business on these postings. Methinks that's illegal. So if you're interested, write to me at P.O Box 1347, Clifton,NJ 07015 and we'll take it from there.
Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3514. Re: who's the rogue at BellSouth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510154441.26120.00001736@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143322

<< It's not against the law to cancel posts >>

You're right as long as one cancels his OWN post. It is illegal for anyone to cancel another's post.
73, Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3515. Re: KV4FZ and N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510154722.26120.00001740@ng123.aol.com>
Source record: 143323

<< >>

If anyone's interested, I replied via E to N0VFP.It's BARF-StumpJumper hogwash started by that fascistic slob from the V.I. Herbie Hitler Schoenbohm.
Doc AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com

3516. More modes for use with the sound card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fred <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
Message-ID: <37360578@news.iprolink.co.nz>
Source record: 143411
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.exotic-modes,alt.ham-radio.hf,aus.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

By now you all know about PSK31 for sound card by Peter G3PLX. You may also know about BTL for RTTY with a sound card, by Rob ZL2AKM.

But do you know about Hellschreiber? Have you tried it? It has a fast growing and dedicated following -

All you need is a Win95/98 PC with a sound card, like PSK31 and BTL, and the performance is very good. Hell is particularly good at rejecting noise, because it is "human readable", so the eye sees patterns and rejects noise. In addition, it is barely affected by ionospheric doppler, and it therefore works fine at times when PSK31 is not usable. It is also is far better performer than RTTY, and occupies similar bandwidth.

There are some 100 or more Hell operators in nearly 40 countries at present. For more information see my web site:

http://www.qsl.net/zl1bpu

For the absolutely AWESOME Hell software by Nino IZ8BLY, see my site or Nino's which is at:

http://www.freeweb.org/varie/ninopo/radio/Hell/index.htm

Encourage your friends to try Hell, which is a neat mode that has a fascinating history and offers both high performance and simplicity to rival CW. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to send me a note.

73,

Murray ZL1BPU
http://www.qsl.net/zl1bpu
as149@detroit.freenet.org

BUT DON'T SPAM ME!

3517. Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509201351.29000.00001164@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143412

Gentlemen, I submit the following for your approval. The 3.950 nest is fond of Germany, especially that from 1933-1945. You know...all the screaming,Sieg Heiling,bunting,swastika flags(in German they're Hakenkreuzfahnen), the shiny black jackboots, the Aryan philosophy based on manure etc.
Therefore, based on all that ugly jazz plus a very excellent and famous novel penned about 20 years ago regarding Hitlers being cloned,I feel it's fitting to now refer to the 3.950 assembly as:
THE BOYS FROM BRAZIL. Anyone second the motion?
Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com

3518. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37362F60.2657955E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> So go park in a handicapped parking space without an
> authorizing placard, then tell your story to the judge. You
> won't get a sympathetic ear in my part of the world.

There's a big difference. Handicapped parking spaces are limited. Code
test accomodations are not.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3519. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509210417.29315.00002155@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 143414

Dr. Hate,

Go crawl back in your hole, you worthless piece of human flesh.

Frank
http://members.home.com/dspman

--
"Where's that big 'ol Dspman??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3520. Miscellaneous Parts FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: gharmon@idworld.net
Message-ID: <37363021.140479353@news.idworld.net>
Source record: 143415

The following parts are available for sale. If you have an interest
or further questions please contact Ed directly at

Ed Kotkiewicz
ekotkie@ezl.com
1325 Carribean Dr.
Edwardsville, IL 62025-5146
618-656-6358

Regards,
gary

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Military Surplus (new unless otherwise indicated)

UG-528/U 53ohm unbal. to 53ohm unbal Test adapter BNC(F)/N(M)
1

UG-201A/U N(M)/BNC(F) Adapter 12

UG-564/U C(F)/N(M) Adapter 1

UG-274A/U BNC(F-M-F) T Adapter 3

UG-309/U BNC(F)/HN(M) Adapter 6

UG-273/U BNC(F)/PL-259 Adapter 2

UG-306/A BNC(F)BNC(M) Right Angle 2

UG-914/ BNC(F)/BNC(F) Adapter, straight 1

UG-349/(2 A, 1B BNC(M)/N(F) Adapter, straight 3

UG-88 BNC(M) Connector 16

CW-159 BNC Cap with chain 5

UG-1095/A N(F) Bulkhead connector 6

UG-1185B/U N(M) Connector 11

UG-212C/U N(M)(F) Right angle 2

Amphenol 82-856 N(M) Right angle connector 1

Fuseholder, chassis mount, fsn 5920-642-7554, pn 387001, qty. 5 per
box, --
4 boxes

Circuit breaker, aircraft, 20amp, fsn 5929-811-2973, pn MS-24506-20 -4 in
wrap, 1 loose.

Circuit breaker, aircraft, 50amp, pn MS-25017-50 - 2 loose

Shock mount, equipment, 18-40 lbs, pn 7002-W, Met-L-Flex -4 loose

Shunt motor, 27.5vdc, 4.17 amp, 1/10hp, 10,000 rpm, dual shaft - 2

Motor, on small platform, 24vdc, Globe pn B3A722, fsn 6105-500-4676, single
shaft w/gear - 1

Motor, 27.5vdc, 1.3amp,fsn 6105-248-5188, Globe pn 110A131, single
shaft - 1

Relay, 30vdc, 2a, fsn 5945-578-3735, pn 520M-31 - 4 packaged, 2 loose

Relay, 26.5vdc, 2a, fsn 5945-578-4527, pn mhx-6104 -- 1 packaged, 2
loose

Relay, fsn 5945-230-2176, pn 5888-1 -- 1 packaged, 2 loose

Relay, fsn 5945-234-6370, pn g55370 -- 1 packaged, 1 loose

Relay, fsn 5945-230-2176, pn 5788-1 - 1 packaged

Relay, fsn 5945-502-8234, pn Collins 972-1202-009 - 1 packaged

Relay, fsn 5945-810-7330, pn Potter-Brumfield MH90164-1 - 1 packaged

Relay, 26.5vdc, 2a, fsn 5945-578-3735, pn Struthers Dunn FC-6-178B - 3
loose

Relay, 27.5vdc, 525 ohms, fsn 5945-254-2309, pn Aemco 40-1142 - 4
loose

Relay, 27.5vdc, fsn 5945-539-2958, pn Aemco 95-2519 (micro) - 3
packaged

Relay, pn p26C1P6AS-5, Filtors CHS 588622 (micro) - 1 packaged

Relay, 29vdc, 2a, fsn 5945-578-9084, pn Allied Control mhx-2135 - 2
packaged, 5 loose

Relay, pn ES-Portland R400-2-f-11K(2) - 1 loose

Relay, thermal time delay, 7 pin tube socket, 90 sec/6.3v, pn GV
Controls
GT-3037 - 1 loose

Switch, (appear to be thermal) spst,115ac,400cps,1a,pn Heinemann
Electric
SM3 - 2 loose

Meter movement, 1.75" square, 100microamp, fsn 6625-585-6002, pn
Phaostron

Inst. 100-05369 - 1loose

Capacitor, tuning, small, 11rotor/10 stator, pn E.F.Johnson 160-110 -
1
boxed

Switch, 3 micros ganged to a pushbutton, pn Micro 3PB11 - 1 loose

Connector set, D-shell 50 pin male/female - 2 loose

3521. Re: GHOST WRITER?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h5f7h$7nt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143416

In article <19990509194928.29001.00001117@ng-fc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> I JUST HEARD THAT LLOYD, N0VFP HAS A GHOST WRITER, none other than
Marty
> Chittum,W9XN. Is that true Lloyd? Just perhaps it's a tale of one
Stump Jumper
> with half a brain helping one with none?
>
> AF2Y radiosigs@aol.com
>

Oh would you try to be polite? All you know how to do is spew hate and
discontent on this NewsGroup. As long as you are here, I will make
your internet experience a living Hell!!
--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3522. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h5fca$7og$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143417

In article <13034-3735F5AB-35@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> Tell Us who George is. We would like to know who the masked man is.
>
>
We know who you are: A PORKBUTT SUCKUP!!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3523. Re: All the WB2OTK screwballs on Deja News

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h5ffs$7qb$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143418

In article <7guubd$a5e$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rich7@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Yup, now we have all the Atlanta white trash,in the news groups
dumpimg
> posts, because they are afraid of the T*R*U*T*H.
>

White Trash? Where? I thought you were the white trash!!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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3524. Re: FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <37362CD8.1335@no.net>
Source record: 143419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

John M. Boggs wrote:
>
> Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=101392420

Is it for sale or for auction?

3525. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7h5dqe$stp@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

In <926299016.154.42@news.remarQ.com> "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
writes:

>
>Mark,
>
>I don't float so well, but managed to pass my scuba tests. OW
>certification requires a 10 minute survival float. I wonder if you
know what it's
>like to be at the limit of physical endurance, with the pool edge --
and
>safety -- far, far out of reach. At the end of the ten minutes, I was
>exhausted to where I needed help getting out of the pool.

I don't know if you should have been passed.
I've asked people to leave swimming classes because
they could not float at all. Their bodies just
sunk. Upon showing them how to do a basic float with
sculling, they went under every time. on back and on
stomach and on side.

If they don't pass the float test they cannot go on.
The extreme non-bouyancy of their bodies impossible
to overcome in the water. Like dead weights.

I remember in Scuba classes one woman who could not
stay afloat...just sunk every time
she was told the rules state she has to FLOAT. or
seek another sport to learn.

or move to a salt-water environment to help.

maybe.

hard decisions, but if no able to float, then
it's hard to teach. One guy over in rec.
sport.swimming says that he cannot float and
learned how to swim. Can be done. But he
also gets tired out more.

you are pulling dead weight...that's why.

your weight is working against you.

If i was asked to be your Scuba partner, I'd
defer. I'd be afraid of your problem underneath

overcoming you and taking me down with you when you see me and grab me from behind and will not let go...i'd get out of it, but at what cost. to me or you.

i'd think that swimming would be your non-participating sport in more than 3 feet of water. Or high salt content.

bill conduit
etc.

3526. Look who's back CBFAGBO AKA Drew Durigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37363a01.1678862@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143421

Drew Durigan, the fatboy who gave us a good cry when the heart wrenching message of his not coming back was posted here a few months ago, is back as Radio-Rambo@hotmail.com his NNTP posting host comes back as (DNS lookup of IP address '152.171.230.83' resolves to server:

98ABE653.ipt.aol.com). CBRambo is back. They lying scumbag who swore he wouldn't be back is back. I knew it was too good to be true. Look at the below message from the scumbag himself:

Subject: An Open Letter, Apology, and Final Message from CB Rambo
Date: 1999/03/16
Author: CBRambo <cbrambo@aol.com>

Over the past few days, I have spent a great deal of time in reflection of my past behavior on the radio newsgroups. My conclusion is that I have wasted a great deal of time and effort engaging in pointless arguments and petty bickering with other participants here. This is time and effort that would have been much better spent on other, more meaningful pursuits. I have also come to the realization that I have offended some of you with my comments, as some have inadvertently taken my remarks in a personal manner. This was never my intention...and for this, I am truly sorry.

Contrary to popular belief, I am not a "bad guy". If you were to know me in person, you would probably say that I am kind-hearted, free-spirited, fun to be around, and generally easy to get along with. But, like all of us, I also have my character flaws and shortcomings. Specifically, I tend to be particularily stubborn at times (especially when provoked) and I am also prone to "carrying things too far" upon occasion. I like to play games, tease, and joke around...and sometimes, I don't know when to stop. This has always been a weakness of mine, and I am now working very dilligently to control it.

As I read some of my past newsgroup postings, I must admit that I am rather embarrassed and upset with myself for engaging in some of this nonsense. I have made off-topic comments here which have had the effect of causing chaos and disrupting the flow of information for which this forum was designed. I am certainly not the only one who has done this, but that doesn't justify my behavior. Lack of maturity, insecurity, poor judgement, the "thrill" of being safe behind a keyboard, and an occasional feeling of boredom in my life right now...all of these were contributing factors. Again, that does not justify my behavior, but I can see now how these feelings and character flaws caused me to behave as I did.

I also tend to get a little "touchy" when someone accuses me or implies that I engage in illegal radio operations. This is simply not true. Never has been, never will be. I am a law-abiding citizen who does not have even as much as a traffic ticket on his police record. I don't mention this as an attempt to justify my behavior, but only so that you might understand why I occasionally acted the way that I did.

In an effort to restore order and tranquility to this newsgroup, I will immediately and forever cease from posting here. I will be available via e-mail for the next 24 hours, and would appreciate hearing from those of you who have thoughts on this matter and do not wish to post them publicly on the newsgroup. When the 24 hours has expired, I will permanently delete the "CB Rambo" screenname from my America Online account and I will not appear online again. I'm sure many of you are skeptical here...and rightfully so...but time will indeed prove my sincerity. Again, I apologize to those whom I offended here and for being a nuisance on this newsgroup.

Thank you for your time. Radio is a wonderful thing. May it have a long and prosperous life. Goodnight and God bless you.

"WHERE'S THAT BIG 'OL CB RAMBO?"
"HE APOLOGIZED, LEFT THE NEWSGROUP, AND WENT AWAY FOR GOOD!"

Stupid little child.

3527. Re: FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: quatsein@island.net
Message-ID: <37364d64.2506706918@news.cr.island.net>
Source record: 143422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Most of the E-Bayers do not know the differance. Steve Carlisle

On Mon, 10 May 1999 01:49:14 GMT, JJ <jj@no.net> wrote:

>John M. Boggs wrote:
>>
>> Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS
>>
>> http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=101392420
>
>Is it for sale or for auction?

3528. Re: GHOST WRITER?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990509223845.10242.00000006@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143423

<< You're gonna do what to whom? You're going to make me miserable? Listen you scumbag, I have more brains in my pinky than you have in your whole fat head and if you want to play with words, you've come to MY TURF. If I were you I'd leave this forum and go back to the local schoolyard to once again try to pick up a seven year old student. Rambo my buttocks. You're a great big unidentified sissy. Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com >>

3529. Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511153621.19852.00001538@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143124

Will someone tell me who is Burt Fisher and why they're saying nasty things about him?

Doc,af2y,radiosigs

3530. Motorola Systems Saber III: Programming Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: trynorZZZ@nbnet.nb.ca
Message-ID: <7ha162mlj1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 143125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm trying to program my Motorola Systems Saber III but am having a little trouble. I've got all 256 channels entered but in the MODE SUMMARY, there is a field for PHONE RVT CHANNEL which only allows me to define 16 channels. All I am looking to do is active DTMF on each channel with having it revert to a default DTMF channel. Anyone have any experience in this area?

I'm using Systems Saber Lab Software.

Don

trynorZZZ@nbnet.nb.ca (remove ZZZ to e-mail)

3531. HELP!!! Police Motorcycle Radio Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Masa <mark@kelltech.com>
Message-ID: <3738A103.186E8CDF@kelltech.com>
Source record: 143126

I'm restoring a 1952 Harley Davidson police motorcycle and the only thing that I'm missing is the radio setup. I am interested in ANY pre 1970 police motorcycle radio since I can use it as trading material with the few other people in the country who are into this sort of thing. Specifically, I think what is correct for my bike is a Motorola FM TRU41. It is two boxes about 18" long x 10" wide x 10" high. (these dimensions are approximate) The receiver was in one box and the transmitter was in the other. The power supply was in one of the boxes also, but I'm not sure which one. There are interconnecting cables between the two boxes as well as a cable that went up to the control head mounted on the handlebars. The mic came from one of the boxes and was mounted on the tank. It is a tube radio. This is the one I need for my bike but am interested in ANY ANY ANY ANY pre 1970 motorcycle radio, especially if it has tubes. I hope somebody can help me.
Regards
Mark

3532. *****NEED MODS FOR HT YAESU 51R *****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: eurotas@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511161055.29961.00000431@ng-xa1.aol.com>
Source record: 143127

HI ALL,

DOES ANYONE HAVE THE MODS FOR THE 51R DUAL BAND HT?
ARE THERE ANY MODS THAT THIS RADIO BE MODIFIED TO TRANSMIT
AND RECEIVE ABOVE THE HAME BANDS LIKE AROUND 900MHZ?
I SEEN A POSTING THAT THEY CLAIMED THE Y HAD DONE THIS MODE TO THIS RADIO FROM
60MHZ TO 999MHZ ???? IT WAS ON EBAY
IS THAT TRUE? PLEASE HELP..... EMAIL ME

THANK YOU
SPYRO N2XZM

3533. Free Amateur Radio Logging Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: SRC Software <SRC_Software@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37389B0B.1B1EE3E4@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143128

SRC Software's Amateur Radio Utility v1 Release 1.100
==========

Tired with the standard old logging applications... un-user-friendly interfaces etc?

Well, your time of searching may be over!

The long awaited next release of SRC Software's Amateur Radio Utility v1 is now available (1.100). It uses the windows interface, which allows quick and easy logging. Many features are included such as automatic frequency identification, contact information, full locator support with distance mapping, shortcut and custom keys, full QSL label printing support, import/export partial logs, the list goes on!

Major additions to this new version since version 1.001
==========

Added customised QSL label printing support
New database added which stores information about your amateur radio setups
Now allowed to export selected contacts, as well as exporting the whole logbook
Import wizard allows a selection of contacts to import
On click information displayed when users clicks on a log entry
QSL label grabber wizard to help you to collect contacts for QSL labels
More pages added to help file
Extended contact information for more details about stations
UTC time offset feature

This programme uses database files which allow data to be entered in any order and format. It is designed mainly for home day
to day logging and also after contest logging and general sorting out. It supports import/export to and from RSGB LOG format, a commonly used computer logging format, and you can choose the contacts you want to import, rather than doing the whole file. The programme will re-index your log into date/time order, meaning that contacts can be imported how you like. There are hundreds of other features which you will be able to see when you start using this newly developed application.

AND THE BEST PART OF IT IS THAT IT IS COMPLETELY FREE!!!!!!!!!

YES : It is... all you have to do is download it, enter a few details into the page and click on register. As soon as possible I will send you the registration details, no costs or catches apply!!!

If you already have a previous version installed (1.001) you can get the update patch from my website. You will not have to register your new copy again, as you will automatically have the full version.

Background Info

This programme has recently been produced, and is available to anyone. It was programmed, designed, written and debugged by me, Simon Chudley, a student in the UK. I am a qualified amateur, M1BWT, and have been operating for about two years ish. Please distribute this programme as you wish, as long as all the files are exactly as I distributed them, and EVERY USER THAT INSTALLS A COPY REGISTERS - REMEMBER, REGISTRATION IS FREE!

How?

Simply go to the following website and click on Products. Then select Amateur Radio Utility v1. You will be able to see more detailed informaiton on that page, and to download it, scroll down to the bottom of the page. You will then have to select E-Mail, and click on Register AMV1. Enter your details along with the programme details (you can find these out from General Preferences) and click on submit. I will send you the registration code via e-mail asap. View the readme.txt file for installation details after unzipping the zip file.

Any problems please contact SRC_Software@hotmail.com

DOWNLOADS AND PATCHES FROM

http://www.members.tripod.com/SRC_Software

3534. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jones <no_email@none.com>
Message-ID: <7hac3bdd1@news.orbitworld.net>
Source record: 143129
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote
>Soon only the biased views of QST will get published,
>and then only through subscription.

Actually the net supplies most of the ham news I need. I let my QST subscription expire, and so far haven't missed much it. Maybe the internet will be as dangerous to ARRL as it is to ham radio...

3535. Re: Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3738BC2B.FBE6CF28@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143130

He's Doc and Pork Butt, Walter Barstool, WA6MFJ,
K6FU, KV4FZ, Brain-Dead Dave, Vietnam Dan, Rain Coat Charlie,
Jammin' for Jesus John, Seeks-Y-Five-God's-Radio,
about half the BARFs and
a third of the Stumpjumpers
all rolled into one.
Now add a really serious case of impacted constipation
so that it all has to come out the other end.
Give this creature a keyboard instead of a microphone
and you've got your basic Burt Fisher.
Comes in regular and menthal.

73 Dave AB5S

3536. FS: Motorola DVP KVL T3010 AX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OrbSpYAn#GA.290@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola DVP Key Variable Loader (KVL) T3010 AX

$500.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3537. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Cummings <ve3xj@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <3738EE6F.66E0@rac.ca>
Source record: 143132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael Young wrote:
>
> Jim Cummings <ve3xj@rac.ca> wrote in message
> news:GrXZ2.12$TP4.26228@client.news.psi.net...
> >
> > >No surprise there; weak-signal work on HF needs no protection -- many
> of
> > >us work QRPp right along side the big boys. But FM and WS operation
> are
> > >not compatible. Thus it only makes sense to have a protected VHF
> segment
> > >for WS work so as to keep the FMers from causing interference.
> > >
> >
> > The reasons for those particular allocations is irrelevant to the
> > observation that they exist. Moreover, it only points out that Morse
> code
> > operation is not as robust as many in the PCA would like us to
> believe.
>
> This substitutes for logic? Weak signals are often swamped beneath
> strong local signals, be they CW or otherwise. Wide-band FM is a poor
> choice for DX; CW is a reasonable choice.
>

It was Herman who deviated from the point of the discussion by
addressing the need for having special CW-only sub-band in the two metre
band. I had merely responded that such an observation certainly did not
detract from the irony that the CW-only sub-bands are above 30 MHz where
there is no requirement for testing prior to being authorized to use
those bands. Seemingly, Young doesn't see the irony either. None the
less, I would be pleased if he would direct his comments to Herman on
points of logic.

> > >Most of the V/U spectrum is designated for FM usage; pretty difficult
> > >for CW stations to compete with mountain-top rptrs, especially in the
> > >congested metro areas.
> > >
> >
> > In other words, Morse code testing is justified only in those bands
> where it
> > can compete. However, with the advancement of digital modes, Morse
> code can
> > no longer compete with other modes either. In accordance with

> Herman's
> > logic, there is no need for Morse code testing below 30 MHz either.
>
> Herman err's only in his assumptions of the audience. It's clear that he
> means weak signal when he said "CW stations". I find it interesting
> that, even to your narrow mind, DX and QRP operation is synonomous with
> CW.
>

I guess I can live with Young's judgement that I have a narrow mind with
respect to opinions that I do not hold. But at least I don't jump to
conclusions. For Young's information, I have an interest in QRP
operation also, but is is with using the digital modes of baudot,
pactor, clover and soon, PSK31.

> It's a big hobby. There are bands for local FM repeaters. There are
> other bands that encourage other types of operation. It's not the
> no-coders that I find so objectionable, but the narrow perspective their
> education affords them.
>

I agree that it is a big hobby, but I fail to understand how being an
advocate to abolish an unnecessary test for amateur certification could
be deemed to hold a narrow viewpoint. To the contrary, I find that
those who advocate its retention have the narrow viewpoints because they
are based on beliefs unnrelated to whether the individual is properaly
qualified to operate an amateur station. Moreover, Young has no idea
what my educational background is so he is hardly in a position make a
judgement as to whether it is relative to my views on this issue.

> > >Together, true, but separately, no. Digital modes do not surpass the
> > >use of code.
> > >
> >
> > To the contrary, they do. For example, I was at a recent club meeting
> in
> > Ottawa club meeting and I overheard one amateur state that he will
> > oftentimes find that the CW parts of the bands have shut down and he
> will go
> > up and hear the digital bands still active. Perhaps if Herman had the
> > capacity to be even-handed on this issue, he would see that reality is
> far
> > different from his opinions.
>
> Your limited exposure reveals itself yet again. The only conclusion a
> reasonable person can draw from one Ottawa club member's observation is
> precisely what you say he stated: he heard digital traffic when he did
> not hear CW traffic. Nothing more, nothing less.
>

My limited exposure? I have been an amateur for over 24 years, holding
not only Canada's highest amateur certifcate, the Amateur Advanced Radio

Operator Certificate, but also a Second Class Certificate for operation on board ships in the maritime mobile service. So as far as I have been able to determine, I have the highest country total in Canada for DXCC in RTTY, including RTTY QRP. In addition, I am in the process of establishing a 56 kBit UHF network in the Ottawa area and up-link to via satellite to link with a similarly established network in Vancouver. BC. In addition, I am working with a number of amateurs to establish an HF e-mail network for use by Canadian amateurs, during routine and emergency operations. Moreover, if Young were to obtain the Radio Amateurs of Canada most recent publication, The RAC Operating Manual, he will notice that my callsign is the first in the list of acknowledgements, merely because I wrote well over one half that manual. In addition, while with my previous employer, I was a radio inspector with the Department of Communciations, one of my duties being to administer and mark radio operator examinations, of which the amateur class was but one of them. Moreover, I was also responsible for the genesis and ignauguration of the current amateur examination system that is currently used by Industry Canada. Although I am no longer with Industry Canada, I am pleased that my advice and councel is still sought by the executive of the Radio Amateurs of Canada. If Young has any doubts tp these claims, he can confirm the above by sending an e-mail to Ms. Debbie Norman, the General Manager of RAC, at rachq@rac.ca and she will be able to confirm my extensive experience in amateur radio.

> Anecdotally: I heard the PY5ARL (Brazil) 5w CW beacon on 28230 this
> afternoon. Also heard ZS6PW (S. Africa) on 28186. And LU1FHH (Argentina)
> at 28199. I copied them 569, 559, and 559 on a multi-band vertical in
> Chicago. It says one thing to me, and one thing only: that 10m is open
> to SA and SAfrica. Should I also infer from their absence that wide-FM
> and digital signals are inferior to CW?
>

I wouldn't, but then again, the comment made by the fellow at the meeting had nothing to do with relative merits of one mode over another. It's a big hobby and it is pointless arguing which mode is superior to another, each is free to do what they wish. I merely related an overheard a discussion and this individual station that oftentimes he had observed that there was still activity in the digital bands when seemingly CW signals have disappearred. He made no judgement on the relative merits of each mode. Nothing more, nothing less.

> > >Connect a decent antenna to your HF receiver, and conduct your own
> > >informal survey.
> > >
> >
> > Been there, done that and got the T-shirt to prove it, I am just
> relaying
> > observations made by others. Besides, Herman would envy my antenna
> farm.
>
> What did you hear?

I spend most of my time on the HF bands with digital operation; the exceptions are when I am in my truck operating Single Slush Bucket while HF mobiling. Typing on a keyboard doesn't lend itself to driving a truck, but I am developing an interest in digital voice processing, so there is hope yet!

> Why would your anonymous anecdotes be more compelling
> than your first-hand observations?

My anonymous anecdote is more compelling than my first-hand observation because my observations would be judged as being overly subjective. (Indeed, I haven't the foggiest notion as the relative popularity of Morse code and digital modes, and I don't really care either.) The comment to which I referred to was made by a prominent individual who is well-known as an avid CW operator; while my interests are focused on digital operation. If I were to state that digital operations were more popular than Morse code, I would be accused, and rightly so, of being biased. (Regretably, Herman is utterly oblivious of his bias and hasn't enough sense to recuse himself on making such pronouncements.) I related the incident to show that it is becoming evident that perhaps the popularity of digital operations has overtaken that of Morse code, at least judged by an individual who has no interest in digital operation and who is seeminly more impartial than Herman or I.

> Why would Herman envy your antenna
> farm?

Maybe because I lots of antennas on a one acre plus lot.

>
> Michael.

73 and live better digitally
Jim, VE3XJ

3538. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926482234.282.16@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143133
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim Cummings <ve3xj@rac.ca> wrote in message
news:3738EE6F.66E0@rac.ca...
> > It's a big hobby. There are bands for local FM repeaters. There are
> > other bands that encourage other types of operation. It's not the
> > no-coders that I find so objectionable, but the narrow perspective
their
> > education affords them.
> >
>
> I agree that it is a big hobby, but I fail to understand how being an
> advocate to abolish an unnecessary test for amateur certification
could
> be deemed to hold a narrow viewpoint.

You've got my attention. I honestly mistook your reply to Herman to be yet another whine. Cogent thoughts on the relative merits of testing versus not testing Morse proficiency were lost in the slew of unrelated posts. I would appreciate your sharing those views with me, and others late to the party.

Michael.

3539. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nick Meacher <kajent@ptialaska.net>
Message-ID: <7hb5otbsd1@news.ptialaska.net>
Source record: 143134

I have carried mine on several occasions without a problem. It depends
which airport you go through.

Several months ago there was an article in one of the major newspapers or on
the news about the fact that the personnel who do airport security are paid
just above minimum wage - so what do you expect.

Actually I know some people who are airport security staff, they are only
paid about $6.50/hr.....

Mark Keith wrote in message <3736B9A2.3C82@wt.net>...
>William G. Graves wrote:
>>
>> I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.
>>
>> Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal
limitations
>> are?
>
>They can do anything they want. It's their plane.
>>
>> I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good
reason.
>> I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was not
>> broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
>
>I imagine the x-rayer was just following instructions. For one thing, he
>probably didn't have the time or skills to determine that it wasn't say
>a bomb. Also the pilots frown on radios in the cabin. It could possibly
>cause interferance to radios or nav instruments.
>It may have been a pain in the rear, but I don't think it's anything
>outragous. When you have a 10 million dollar "or whatever" jet boring
>holes in the sky at 35,000 ft, you don't want to have to worry about
>gadgets in the cabin causing problems. MK
>
>--
>http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

3540. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Kaplan <akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com>
Message-ID: <37389F9D.566A2CA5@fallschurch.esys.com>
Source record: 143135
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc

SHAME ON YOU FOR PICKING ON A NEWBIE! You really cannot make any connection between a No-Code license, and a beginner's question about just what is meant by a term (wire antenna) that we all take for granted. You certainly cannot make a valid correlation between Morse Code proficiency and intelligence or knowlege of radio theory. We all started out ignorant, but some of us have had more opportunity to learn (contact with Elmers, study, etc) than others. Worse yet, some of us, despite our code and theory expertise, still have lessons to learn in civility, tolerance, and the utility of extending a helping hand to new radio amateurs, regardless of their code proficiency -- that is a shame!!

That said, I'd better tell you that I am a 45 year licensed Extra-Class 35 WPM (on a good nite, HI!) CW operator, who wishes that it was not necessary to delete the code requirement, but realizes that the codeless Technician license is a net gain for our hobby. I am not in favor of deleting the code requirement for all classes of licenses, but in view of the reluctance of many people to tackle it, I fell we may need to go that way. For me, and for many of us, CW is one of the most attractive features of our avocational radio hobby; for others it seems a rite of passage, but while it may be a motivation filter, CW IS NOT AN INTELLIGENCE OR WORTH FILTER.

73 in the fraternal spirit of amateur radio, and
cw forever!
W1AEL, Allan H. Kaplan

3541. Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3737C0B6.59CB@dirtball.com>
Source record: 143174

N0VFP wrote:
>
> >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> >HI HI HI HI HI
>
> You are asking for the Burt Fisher "HI HI" Warning!!!!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
So the wife is going to pay for another trip to Dayton for old PORKBUT!
Na I don't think so. He didn't go last year and he will not go this
year. He will be at the Heartwell hamfest just like last year. Mommy
said no again! HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3542. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37a2b43a.1135991595@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143175

On Mon, 10 May 1999 08:50:08 -0500, "William Lee" <willee@interconnect.net> wrote:
>I would disagree with that Gary, I DO think that things that require effort
>to obtain are valued more than those that are free and easy to get. It's a
>personal opinion, like yours.
>
>William Lee N5WRX

Okay, William, are you willing to back up your opinion with action?
If so, get rid of the things that took you very little effort to obtain.
Tear up your driver's license. It took very little effort to get, so
it must not be worth much to you. Put your kids up for adoption.
They took very little effort on your part (and pleasurable at that)
to procreate. So they can't be very valuable to you. Shoot your
dog. He isn't likely to have cost you much effort to get, so you
can't value him very highly. Etc.

When I look around me, the things I value most are mostly
things that cost me very little effort to get, but would cause
me much anguish to lose.

OTOH some things I worked very hard for at one time are
no longer important to me and are cast aside without a qualm.
They are yesterday's rubbish.

I have no idea what happened to most of the awards and
diplomas I once earned. They probably got tossed out
somewhere along the way. It doesn't matter. They are
part of the dead past, something I once did. It is today
and tomorrow that matter. What I may have once done
isn't as important to me as what I have yet to do.

The moving finger writes, and having written moves on.
We can't alter a line of what once was, we can only shape
that which is yet to be. Or as a famous Italian race car
driver replied when asked why he had no rear view mirrors
on his car, "What'sa behind me doesn't matter." It is
the road ahead that matters. It is no longer important
how I got to be here, it is how I proceed forward that
is important.

Gary

>Gary Coffman wrote in message
><3790c1a6.1010890646@news.atl.bellsouth.net>...
>>On Thu, 29 Apr 1999 02:18:48 -0400, Scott Verity <sverity@hoflink.com>
>wrote:

>>>Would I want to see the no-code license abolished?
>>>Of course I wouldn't ... but I also WOULDN'T want the tests simplified
>>>just to make it easier. People tend to appreciate something more if they
>>>have to EARN it.
>>
>>Is that how you feel about your children? Or more mundanely, do you
>>value your driving license for the effort you expended once, perhaps
>>a long time ago, or do you value it for what it enables you to do, today
>>and tomorrow? I'd suggest it is the latter. An amateur license is no
>>different. It isn't a trophy on the shelf comemorating some long ago
>>triumph. It is a working tool, and its value is in what it enables you
>>to do, today and tomorrow. If it had come in a box of Cracker Jacks,
>>you'd value it no less, because if it were taken away you would no
>>longer be allowed to do all the things an amateur can do.

Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3543. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37a3c363.1139872955@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143176

On Sun, 09 May 1999 17:49:06 GMT, konstans@one-eleven.net (Mark Morgan) wrote:
>On Sun, 09 May 1999 17:18:32 GMT, ke4zv@bellsouth.net (Gary Coffman)
>wrote:
>
>>Is that how you feel about your children? Or more mundanely, do you
>>value your driving license for the effort you expended once, perhaps
>>a long time ago, or do you value it for what it enables you to do, today
>>and tomorrow? I'd suggest it is the latter. An amateur license is no
>>different. It isn't a trophy on the shelf comemorating some long ago
>>triumph. It is a working tool, and its value is in what it enables you
>>to do, today and tomorrow. If it had come in a box of Cracker Jacks,
>>you'd value it no less, because if it were taken away you would no
>>longer be allowed to do all the things an amateur can do.
>
>Normal Gary I agree with just every word you post, wish you'd post a
>bit more, but I must correct here. there do indeed seem to be hams to
>whom the licnese is that old trphy on the self and not valued for it's
>utillity. You and I value it so, but not everybody does. Indeed That
>seems to be part of the problem some value and see our licenses very
>differently than others. That is one problem that ending Code testing
>when it happens (be to tomarrow or in few years) will not solve. I
>wish I had a solution for that but I don't, OTH I am convinced that
>there are people that really don't care what they can do with their
>licnese just how they got it

Alas, that does seem to be true. There are those who must have
a severe crick in their necks from looking backwards so often.
I don't have time for that. I've got too much yet to do. Those things
which can help me do it are important, wherever or however I
got them once upon a time isn't. That time is spent. I can't get
it back. Whether it was spent wisely or foolishly, with great toil
or great ease, no longer matters. It's a sunk cost, fully depreciated,
I have to move on.

Gary
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Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3544. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kinkster88@aol.com
Message-ID: <3737d5fa.8826101@news.usol.com>
Source record: 143177

On Mon, 10 May 1999 05:43:42 -0400, "Burt" <burt@imfamous.com> wrote:

>
>Radiosigs wrote in message <19990509120207.24912.00001346@ng-fq1.aol.com>...
>> Without a doubt, KK7HO, Tim Volz, is one of the finest hams to ever hold a
>>ticket!
>
>
>What about me?

The message was about gentleman hams, not about assholes. That's why
your name didn't come up.

>
>Burt
>

3545. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h8lht$rt5@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cummings <"Cummings"> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>> >You don't understand. Perhaps he wants to be a Ham that can talk on HF
>> >frequencies and never use Morse Code. There are a lot of us like that
>> >that are licensed hams now.

>> It's doubtful that you're licensed, for you'd know better than to be
>> cross-posting this thread to rra.space. Regardless, when one operates
>> on HF, he's operating on a CW frequency, for CW is the only mode
>> permitted anywhere on any frequency.

>This of course is true in the US. Amateurs in all the other
>administrations have no such restictions... all frequencies are for all
>modes.

What restriction might you be referring to? CW being permitted every-
where is certainly no restriction.

>> Thus, it only makes sense that
>> one should have the capability to copy code to be on HF. (Not necessary
>> for V/UHF operation, for unlike HF, 50% of the QSOs up there are not
>> conducted via CW.) // Jeff KH6O

>Let's examine this bit of twisted logic by Herman. On the one hand, he
>claims the since Morse code is permitted on all the HF bands , it makes
>sense that there is CW testing. Yet, is this not the case for
>permissable usage of Morse code in the VHF and UHF bands?

The grand experiment to flood the V/UHF spectrum with quality tech
folks so as to protect it from commercial interests is the reason we
no longer see no code requirement for access up there. Besides, the ITU
only requires a knowledge of code for frequencies below 30 MHz.

>(The irony is
>that the only pieces of the amateur spectrum in the US that are devoted
>only to CW is in bands above 30 MHz!)

No surprise there; weak-signal work on HF needs no protection -- many of
us work QRPp right along side the big boys. But FM and WS operation are
not compatible. Thus it only makes sense to have a protected VHF segment
for WS work so as to keep the FMers from causing interference.

>Not according to Herman, it
>isn't. According to Herman, Morse code testing is not required for

>those bands because "it isn't popular".

Most of the V/U spectrum is designated for FM usage; pretty difficult
for CW stations to compete with mountain-top rptrs, especially in the
congested metro areas.

>Not unsurprisingly, Herman is
>once again demonstrated his penchant for being inconsistent. Would he
>be kind enough to explain which is the appropriate criteria for
>justifying Morse code testing - is it due to widespread permitted use,
>or its popularity? Since the use of SSB and digital modes far surpass
>the use of Morse code

Together, true, but separately, no. Digital modes do not surpass the
use of code.

>(I don't know where Herman gets his statistics
>from, but he really should get someone else to do his surveys for him in
>order to obtain a truer picture of the usage of the amateur HF
>spectrum),

Connect a decent antenna to your HF receiver, and conduct your own
informal survey.

>it can hardly be argued that popularity is hardly an
>arguement to continue Morse code testing; while Morse code's permitted
>use is hardly supportative either. We can only conclude that Herman
>uses only those statistics that satisfy his and that of his fellow
>Pro-Code Agenda advocates while ignoring those which contradict their
>beliefs.

You don't like the popularity argument? Fine, then we can always say
"It's the law," or that it's still the only common mode amongst the
world's HF-licensed operators.

>73 and live better digitally

Still waiting for your response from my challenge: Let's have a race
to see who can build a station from junkbox components -- yours being
digital, mine being CW.

Remember, Nature works in an analog fashion.
Jeff KH6O

3546. Re: Old monitor->television conversion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <7h8mc5$7m$4@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 143179
Cross-posted to: alt.electronics.analog.vlsi,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mark Zenier (mzenier@netcom.com) wrote:
: In article <7h30aajro1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <oap1@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
: >From your responce you sugest that the Harmony converter will not work with
: >CGA, Vga nor EGA

: For different reasons, yes. A cheap CGA monitor doesn't have Analog RGB
: inputs. VGA and EGA have different scan rates and won't properly display
: at NTSC scan rates. Either the monitor won't run, or will burn out, or it
: will display a side by side doubled picture.

: >I am taking this to mean that the output is a composite
: >signal and only if I have one of those cga monitors that also has a composite
: >input could I use it?

: The output of the Harmonic Research convertor is Analog RGB. If you
: have a CGA monitor with a composite input, you don't need the converter.
: Some monitors of that era did have both composite and RGB, and some
: didn't. For example, the Zenith monitors for the Z-100 color machines
: did, but (I think) the NEC Multisync didn't.

: >I am using an anolog C Band dish and am currently
: >feeding the composite output to my VCR and then to the TV antenae as the tv
: >lacks a composite inputand wanted to know if the improvement in picture
: >quality would be worth buying a new tv with composite inputs.

: I'd suggest a short term rental of a newer TV and see what it looks like.
: Most cheap TV's don't do much better than a VHS recording, so you won't
: seen any real improvement until you spend some $$$.

: Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com Washington State resident

One hint....look at junk shops/flea markets for old Commodore
monitors-many of them have composite inputs(and generally the sellers do
NOT realize this, so they tend to underprice them).
One model to look for is the 1909.
If working well, they give a VERY good NTSC picture indeed, in fact, often
better than the average TV set.

If you find a different model, look for a composite jack(RCA, usually),
and a switch, used for changing modes.
Also, if you get one working, but all you get is green, look for another
slide switch...it was intended to mimic the older green-screen monitors in
one position, and give color in the other one.
Not knowing about this switch can lead to needless troubleshooting!

3547. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <7h8n9p$7m$5@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 143180

K5pf (k5pf@aol.comPaul) wrote:
: >Never have I had a problem with my Radio Shack HTX-202, I also travel
: >regularly, and often have the rig in my carry on, along with my
: >laptop.

: Same here. I travel with a handi-talkie, cell phones, batteries for all of
: them, and never have been questioned.

: (I have quite a story about a flare pistol, however).

: K5PF

I've not traveled by plane for a few years, but I almost ALWAYS carried
han radio and/or scanner equipment in my carry-on bag(I prefer to
hand-carry any small, costly items of that nature(camera gear too).
I've gotten a odd look or 2, and I've sometimes had to turn on a radio to
convince them that it was not a bomb, but I've NEVER had a problem taking
the gear aboard(I WAS once told, that I could not use it on board(I had
not asked about this, BTW)).
Either way-there's no reason that a HT/scanner should be treated any
differently than a cell phone-and these are frequently brought on board
aircraft.
In fact, in many cases, the guy at the X-ray machine will probably mistake
a HT/scanner for a cell phone anyway.

3548. The scholarship Hans

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7h8uo7nvk1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143181

In article <37371C20.3FBB@arrl.org>,
k0hb@arrl.org wrote:

> Apparently Samantha, KA1VBQ, did not let pride get in the way of
> applying
> for a scholarship based on her association with amateur radio.

Samantha has done a lot for ham radio, appearing in "Now Your Talking"
several years ago, appearing at local Radio Shacks on ham radio days,
serving at events as a communicator, numerous articles in local newspapers
and appearing at local club meetings. Thus the scholarship received shows
that ham radio wishes to help her as well.

> I'm proud that the ARRL committee overlooked her fathers' denigrating
> attitude and comments in making their decision.

Samantha has her own opinion. Why would the "sins" of the father be held
against the daughter?
That the ARRL has chosen not to hold those "sins" against her. That shows me
that the ARRL is better than I would have expected.

> Good luck in your studies, Samantha.

She heard about the scholarship while in Germany. She was surprised and
pleased.

Burt K1OIK

3549. FS: Reduced Motorola HT-90 UHF 4Watt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#FTY$y4m#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 143182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $35.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3550. FS: Reduced Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#TB6wx4m#GA.247@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 143183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Genuine Motorola KVL Up Grade Kits for T3011 & T3014 AX,BX or CX
There left over kits that where not used only a few left

Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
such as Astros and MTSX 2000.

$100.00 Parts Labor And Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3551. FS: Reduced Motorola HT-440 VHF 4 Watt 4 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Okc9ey4m#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 143184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT440 VHF 140-170 4 Watt 4 Channel
Ch 1: Blank
Ch 2: TX/RX 151.955
Ch 3: TX/RX 146.280
Ch 4: TX/RX 144.480

Asking $35.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3552. Re: FS/FA(ebay) Yaesu FT-51R Dual-Band HT + EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Aichinger <ralph@wildsau.idv.uni-linz.ac.at>
Message-ID: <7h95k9arr1@asyncXXX.uni-linz.ac.at>
Source record: 143185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

John M. Boggs <bogg0010@tc.umn.edu> wrote:

> JJ wrote in message <37362CD8.1335@no.net>...
>>Is it for sale or for auction?

> It is for auction. Sorry about the confusion.

But it is in the wrong Newsgroup nevertheless!
Please keep this Stuff out of rec.radio.amateur.misc!
Please read the FAQ

73 ralph
--
ralph aichinger
ralph@wildsau.idv.uni-linz.ac.at
<blatant plug>wer hat ein altes 486er mainboard mit pci bus fuer mich?
(in linz) </blatant plug>

3553. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: xkb8pnn@bright.net
Message-ID: <37382181.1715612@news.bright.net>
Source record: 143186

On Fri, 07 May 1999 09:27:01 -0400, Dm <dmock@clarion.edu> wrote:

>Did anyone get the April issue of 73? And are you experiencing problems
>with the issues
>arriving late at the end of the month?
>
nope. never got mine. I have called them twice in the last 3 months
about the magazine being late, even email wayne green about it .
magazine still came late. i guess my subscription ran out 6 months
early.

3554. Re: Here's another one for you AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h9bnu$63$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143187

In article <19990510215155.29959.00000176@ng-xa1.aol.com>,
mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA) wrote:
> >Why were you kicked out of one of the Jewish Churches in New
Jersey?
>
> umm.......Jewish CHURCHES?
> Hey Doc. do you now understand the low end trash were dealing with?
"Jewish Churches" How simple, can one get........

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3555. Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h9c18gv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143188

In article <3737C0B6.59CB@dirtball.com>,
Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> N0VFP wrote:
> >
> > >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> > >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> > >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> > >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> > >HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
> > >HI HI HI HI HI Oris, make sure you bring a bar of soap to
> > Hartwell,it will be your first bath in months!!!!!!!!!!
> >
> > You are asking for the Burt Fisher "HI HI" Warning!!!!
> >
> > LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> > Athens, Alabama
> > ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> > ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> > WEB PAGES:
> > http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> > http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
> So the wife is going to pay for another trip to Dayton for old
> PORKBUT!
> Na I don't think so. He didn't go last year and he will not go this
> year. He will be at the Heartwell hamfest just like last year. Mommy
> said no again! HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3556. Re: The Late Show Disses Amateur Radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7h9c2k$a4d$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143189

H. Mark Nadel wrote in message <372F7387.C308E8A8@banet.net>...
>I guess it is time to stop watching David Letterman and start tuning in
>to Jay Leno. Dave, where did you and your staff learn how to treat
>invited guests?
>
>Check out http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo to see how Dave treated members of
>the amateur radio community.

Where's the info about the Late Show? Are we to click on every hyperlink on your page until we find it?

3557. FS: Printer and Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8tbw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511094935.12384.00000409@ng35.aol.com>
Source record: 143190

PANASONIC KX-P2135 Color Printer
PERFECT CONDITION! With :
(1) New Color ribbon (in unopened box)
(2) New B&W ribbon (in unopened box)
(3) 15 Ft. Printer Cable
SOFTWARE:
McAfee Virus Scan
Microsoft Money 98
Microsoft Works
Netscape Communicator
Norton Anti Virus
Grolier Encylopedia
Multimedia Sports Almanac
All for $99.95
Buyer pay shipping charges. Payment by
Bank or Postal Money-order.
Bill k8tbw@aol.com or 419 435 4127

3558. WTB: USB Quickcam VC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8tbw@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511095459.28642.00001965@ng33.aol.com>
Source record: 143191

Want to buy USB Quickcam VC .
Must be Brand new in sealed box, NOT a factory Refurbished model !

Tnahks,
Bill K8TBW k8tbw@aol.com or 419 435 4127

3559. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <37383C1A.68623E5D@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143192

N0VFP wrote:

> >I was a trying to defend you!
> >
> >Do you understand how this works now?
> >
> >73, Jeff
> >
>
> Jeff,
>
> You are too smart to be used for Doc Hate's evil adgendas that he has been
> goading newsgroups users with! Please don't fall into Doc Hate's evil plans!!!
>
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

What is this "evil agenda" and "evil plans" crap? Let me guess... He's gonna take over the world, then power his rig with a human powered generator. You and others like you will be chained to spokes on the generator shaft and will have to walk in circles until you drop. You will be whipped by an overseer to keep the generator output up. Your oldest male child will be forced to get a CB license.

Evil indeed.

Marv Luse
AB0IO

3560. Diagram or manual of Telemobile GX3000V VHF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Adolfo Cobo <acobo@teisa.unican.es>
Message-ID: <7h9heb$bmd4@cchp4.unican.es>
Source record: 143193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi to all,
I've got an old (and broken) GX3000V transceiver from Telemobile. First of all, I don't know exactly what it is. It seems to emitt at 173 MHz with CTCSS, but I'm not sure. Any idea of wht it is? Is there on the internet some repository of manuals and diagrams of such products?
Thanks to all in advance.

3561. Re: Cloudwarmer antenna.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511104431.10286.00001652@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 143194

<< Richard Whiten. don't rain on my parade! >>
Doc AF2Y radiosigs

3562. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511104810.10286.00001653@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 143195

<< Hey moron, you're supposedly a ham who doesn't know the difference between HOMEBREW and INVENT? Damn that VEC who put you on the air! >>
AF2Y Doc radiosigs

3563. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Cummings <ve3xj@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <GrXZ2.12$TP4.26228@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 143196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote in message <7h8lht$rt5@news.Hawaii.Edu>...
>Cummings <"Cummings"> wrote:
>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>
>>> It's doubtful that you're licensed, for you'd know better than to be
>>> cross-posting this thread to rra.space. Regardless, when one operates
>>> on HF, he's operating on a CW frequency, for CW is the only mode
>>> permitted anywhere on any frequency.
>
>>This of course is true in the US. Amateurs in all the other
>>administrations have no such restictions... all frequencies are for all
>>modes.
>
>What restriction might you be referring to? CW being permitted every-
>where is certainly no restriction.
>

But all the other modes that may be used in the US are subject to sub-band
restrictions; whereas in Canada, one can operate any mode on any frequency.

>>> Thus, it only makes sense that
>>> one should have the capability to copy code to be on HF. (Not necessary
>>> for V/UHF operation, for unlike HF, 50% of the QSOs up there are not
>>> conducted via CW.) // Jeff KH6O
>
>>Let's examine this bit of twisted logic by Herman. On the one hand, he
>>claims the since Morse code is permitted on all the HF bands , it makes
>>sense that there is CW testing. Yet, is this not the case for
>>permissable usage of Morse code in the VHF and UHF bands?
>
>The grand experiment to flood the V/UHF spectrum with quality tech
>folks so as to protect it from commercial interests is the reason we
>no longer see no code requirement for access up there. Besides, the ITU
>only requires a knowledge of code for frequencies below 30 MHz.
>

Ahhh yes... the great PCA myth - codeless amatuers were permitted to
operate in these bands as a bulwark against perfidous commercial interests.
To the contrary, from all the postings that I have seen, the FCC modified
their requirements because indeed the ITU Radio Regs allowed for such
certication. However, even though amateurs no longer have to be certified
for such use, they are none the less permitted to use that mode.

>>(The irony is
>>that the only pieces of the amateur spectrum in the US that are devoted
>>only to CW is in bands above 30 MHz!)
>
>No surprise there; weak-signal work on HF needs no protection -- many of
>us work QRPp right along side the big boys. But FM and WS operation are
>not compatible. Thus it only makes sense to have a protected VHF segment
>for WS work so as to keep the FMers from causing interference.
>

The reasons for those particular allocations is irrelevant to the observation that they exist. Moreover, it only points out that Morse code operation is not as robust as many in the PCA would like us to believe.

>>Not according to Herman, it
>>isn't. According to Herman, Morse code testing is not required for
>>those bands because "it isn't popular".
>
>Most of the V/U spectrum is designated for FM usage; pretty difficult
>for CW stations to compete with mountain-top rptrs, especially in the
>congested metro areas.
>

In other words, Morse code testing is justified only in those bands where it can compete. However, with the advancement of digital modes, Morse code can no longer compete with other modes either. In accordance with Herman's logic, there is no need for Morse code testing below 30 MHz either.

>>Not unsurprisingly, Herman is
>>once again demonstrated his penchant for being inconsistent. Would he
>>be kind enough to explain which is the appropriate criteria for
>>justifying Morse code testing - is it due to widespread permitted use,
>>or its popularity? Since the use of SSB and digital modes far surpass
>>the use of Morse code
>
>Together, true, but separately, no. Digital modes do not surpass the
>use of code.
>

To the contrary, they do. For example, I was at a recent club meeting in Ottawa club meeting and I overheard one amateur state that he will oftentimes find that the CW parts of the bands have shut down and he will go up and hear the digital bands still active. Perhaps if Herman had the capacity to be even-handed on this issue, he would see that reality is far different from his opinions.

>>(I don't know where Herman gets his statistics
>>from, but he really should get someone else to do his surveys for him in
>>order to obtain a truer picture of the usage of the amateur HF
>>spectrum),
>
>Connect a decent antenna to your HF receiver, and conduct your own
>informal survey.

>

Been there, done that and got the T-shirt to prove it, I am just relaying observations made by others. Besides, Herman would envy my antenna farm.

>>it can hardly be argued that popularity is hardly an
>>arguement to continue Morse code testing; while Morse code's permitted
>>use is hardly supportative either. We can only conclude that Herman
>>uses only those statistics that satisfy his and that of his fellow
>>Pro-Code Agenda advocates while ignoring those which contradict their
>>beliefs.
>
>You don't like the popularity argument? Fine, then we can always say
>"It's the law," or that it's still the only common mode amongst the
>world's HF-licensed operators.
>

I like the popularity arguement, because it is easy arguement to make. Unfortunately, its application to the justification for Morse code testing doesn't stand up to critical examination. In so far as the law is concerned, that is a man-made construct and can be changed and is being acitively pursued by many like-minded individuals because we realize that such laws are not carved in stone.

Finally, I have no objection for Morse code to continue as the common mode of operation HF-licensed operators, but if that pre-emmeninence is dependent upon world-wide national government welfare programmes, then it deserves to lose that status. In other words, if Morse code is the common mode of choice among amateurs, then it will continue to be so after testing is abolished. If it doesn't continue, then the PCA were only fooling themselves, and not the rest of us.

>>73 and live better digitally
>
>Still waiting for your response from my challenge: Let's have a race
>to see who can build a station from junkbox components -- yours being
>digital, mine being CW.
>

The differences between a digital rig and a CW rig are trivial, so there would be little difference in the time to construct either device. So there is no point in undertaking such a fruitless competition. Oh yes, Herman is determined that I be capable building a computer from scratch. Well, I don't want to; indeed, I don't have to because the ability to communicate digitally is not dependent on whether my ability to build a computer. I can assure him that there a heck of a lot more computers out there than there are radioes so the necessity of building one is inconsequential. On the other hand, Herman continues to fail to acknowledge the expenditure of an inordinate amount of resources in order to train individuals to be competent in the establishment and maintanence of a network of CW stations. I can train individuals to do so in half an hour on a radio digital network (and have done so in Africa); he can't. So if he wishes to pursue his silly

little challenge, he can go right ahead, but I have better things to do.

>Remember, Nature works in an analog fashion.

So what?

>Jeff KH6O
>
>

73 and live better digitally
Jim, VE3XJ

3564. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511105027.10286.00001654@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 143197

<< I don't think, even with a well thought out instruction sheet, you have the brains to erect a Cloudwarmer.
Doc AF2Y radiosigs>>

3565. NEWBIE - Seeking Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alex <mathcsstudent@somehw.com>
Message-ID: <37380941.3F0BA857@somehw.com>
Source record: 143198
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.tv.tech.plain-tv,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I am a university math/cs student. Years ago I learned how to program GPIB
devices (using a library) and custom RS-232 to switch a device on and off.

I'd like to get a DAC/ADC card that would be suitable for capturing analog (NTSC and FM/AM) signals for use as a PC card. The idea is as much in software as possible, including interpretation of color bursts, carriers, etc, treating
a digital clipped signal as a bitstream, and control of frequency tuning. Just a plain vanilla DAC/ADC with a plain vanilla driver. This I believe would be a similar
setup to the converter included in NeXTStep PC's. (?)

I'm seeking advice as to what I need "on the other side" of the card to control
gamma correction/gain, and especially basic analog knowledge as pertains to
communications equipment. I know *of* these things, not any specifics. Any
suggestions/directions?

Thank you in advance.

3566. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7h9gjt$cu7$0@208.207.71.154>
Source record: 143199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
it is time to reform licensing so that the requirements
> match the privileges granted in a rational and reasonable way.

There's a statement I can fully agree with. It is senseless
to grant a No-Code Tech the right to put a 2KW transmitter
on any of his authorized frequencies on the strength of what
he "learned" to pass the memorized, word associated "test"
which he took after studying the pool of all the questions
and their exact answers for a few days prior to sitting for
the test.

Has this caused any serious problem?? If not, it's more a
feature of the fact that many of those 2kw licenses people
use low power HT's and other 40-50 watt output VHF rigs
which the Japanese engineered to be clean of spurious
products. And of course, the fact that FCC demands type
acceptance of these and other commercial rigs before they
are marketed.

At least when Cecil rote-memorized his Novice exam as a
braindead teenager in 1951 the power was limited to 75watts
INPUT on very narrow subbands, and the license was only good
for a year. It was mandatory that he learn something about
radio within that year or find another hobby.

> They don't
> now. The division of spectrum between various license classes is completely
> arbitrary, and the requirements for accessing functionally identical spectrum
> using the same modes and power limits differ wildly and arbitrarily. That
> doesn't make sense, and people realize it doesn't make sense.

Of course it makes very much sense, or the FCC wouldn't
have set it up this way in the first place.
The large numbers of American hams make it very desirable
to separate the modes into subbands, for the purpose of
preventing the chaos of interference that inevitably results
from mixing widely differing modes and power levels.
Otherwise, the outcome could only be a horsepower race with
the overwhelming of weaker signal modes by those who intend
to have their way, regardless.
When most hams begin to observe the rule that mandates use
of minimum power necessary to complete the intended
communication, that might change. Such compliance is not

within sight.

Another consideration is that American hams would otherwise overwhelm the many fewer foreign hams using the bands, by their sheer numbers. Many of these foreigners are limited to much narrower bands and lower power levels. It is an international "good neighbor" policy as well as a practical domestic consideration.

It is sometimes noted that "Foreign hams have no mode-specific band segments, and it works very well for them" as reason to change to that format here. It would be a huge mistake to adopt such a one-band-segment system, whatever the licensing system evolves into. The sheer numbers of American hams clearly would cause chaos of proportions never before seen, even in the days of AM predominance.

Only those who were around to listen to 75 meter phone in the late 50's can appreciate the magnitude of that chaos. If you can imagine a 75 meter band that consisted of hundreds of heterodynes from end to end, then you have some idea of what it was about. You'll never hear that again, but if you don't think that a 2KW SSb signal won't wipe out a CW, PACTOR or PSK31 station running a few watts - well, just try it.

The one-band concepts is promoted by those who would have the ARS placed in a position that there would be little choice but to adopt some heretofor unproven digital or spread spectrum modes. Oh, I know - before you attempt yet again to label me as a unknowing Luddite, I'm fully aware that ALL these modes are indeed "proven" - in COMMERCIAL and GOVERNMENT usage, where such congestion is never a factor, where FCC sorts and assigns users spectrum with the intention of obviating interference. No such system exists on ham radio. Interference mitigation is on the "Honor" system, and as we so often see clarified on RRAP, honor can be a fleeting, etherial substance.

W0EX

3567. Radar Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob@SPAMBEGONEae1m.com
Message-ID: <37384342.89656879@news.ae1m.com>
Source record: 143200

Does anyone know a source for those little transmitters
that transmit X-band signals to set off other people's
radar detectors? My 3 yr old one died recently. These
are great fun.

Bob

3568. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h9jn3$6fo$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143201

In article <19990510212829.17520.00001565@ng154.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> >You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the
> >Cloudwarmer. I said I used one and if anyone sends for my
instruction sheet,
> >it
> >opens with the disclaimer stating so.
>
> Send me one, I want to see it for myself!!
>
> You sound like a run-of-the-mill BARFie
> >StumpJumer, screwing up meanings, words, messages and what not.
Putting words
> >into peoples' mouths.
> Doc. your dealing with someone that can't pass the General class
exam.Your just expecting to much.
> Is'nt that what you are doing Doc Hate??
>
> Along with Schoenbohm,they ought to pull you off the
> >air
> >too. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs
>
> Would you please stop pointing the finger at Herb! You better watch
your own
> camp, Mr WB2OTK is about get a big NAL!
> >
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
>

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3569. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37384707.5A923E9E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

73 is near death, if not dead already.
Wayne's been trying to find a buyer for a long time without success.
Recently, our local magazine wholesale services
dropped 73, CQ and Popular Communications from
their mix that they place on the racks-- lack of readership.
Soon only the biased views of QST will get published,
and then only through subscription.

73 Dave AB5S

3570. Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dana Myers K6JQ <DMyers@Qnet.com>
Message-ID: <373849BE.7B62F297@Qnet.com>
Source record: 143203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:

> Has this caused any serious problem?? If not, it's more a
> feature of the fact that many of those 2kw licenses people
> use low power HT's and other 40-50 watt output VHF rigs
> which the Japanese engineered to be clean of spurious
> products. And of course, the fact that FCC demands type
> acceptance of these and other commercial rigs before they
> are marketed.

Actually, Dick, you're a little mistaken. The FCC does *not* demand type acceptance of VHF/UHF radios. There are requirements for certification and notification, but not type acceptance. Further, the FCC requirements of certification/notification only apply to the *receivers* of these VHF/UHF radios. Amateur service regulations impose strict purity requirements, but there is no type acceptance required for the transmitters. The FCC requires certification or notification of unwanted receiver radiation, and this applies to all VHF/UHF receivers, not just the receivers in amateur radio equipment.

The only type acceptance required for amateur radio equipment is for external HF power amplifiers.

Amateurs are free to build and modify transmitters without being subject to type acceptance.

Dana K6JQ
Dana@Source.Net

3571. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3738497C.216F2216@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143204

Radiosigs wrote:
>It's good having intelligentsia in my corner....
What???
I thought you said only jewish people could be "intelligentsia?"

>...But don't ask me for money 'cause you ain't
> getting a friggin' dime. Your fan, Doc,AF2Y
Ohhhhh.... I could say something, but I'd get in
sooooo much trouble... heh heh.

Dave AB5S

3572. FT-50R vs VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Humberger <KB9TFH@MichianaToday.com>
Message-ID: <01be9b60$fba039a0$4a9cead0@Cyberlink.MichianaToday.com>
Source record: 143205

Hello,
My name is Joe Humberger and i a Ham in Northern Indiana, I am looking to buy a new HT. The two hts i am looking @ are the Yeasu FT-50R and VX-5R. I was woundering if somone could compare these for me. I am NOT looking for the reasons like "one is triband and the other is dual band" But i AM looking for "one has a better audio"... Thanks

73sss Joe Humberger KB9TFH

3573. Re: Radar Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jstrohm@texas.net
Message-ID: <7h9qifbrn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143206

In article <37384342.89656879@news.ae1m.com>,
bob@SPAMBEGONEae1m.com wrote:
> Does anyone know a source for those little transmitters
> that transmit X-band signals to set off other people's
> radar detectors? My 3 yr old one died recently. These
> are great fun.

IIRC, Ramsey used to sell a kit, and if you had a Ramsey
dealer in town, they might still have one on the wall.

I've seen the same kind of think in a lot of other electronic
catalogs -- you might try Jameco, TechAmerica, and some of the
others.

It's good to keep a stack of electronic catalogs around for a few
years -- you never know whan you'll want a gadget.

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3574. Re: More modes for use with the sound card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: olympus@SPAMLESSjimdee.prestel.co.uk
Message-ID: <37371e85.4464156@news.prestel.co.uk>
Source record: 143207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

On Mon, 10 May 1999 10:02:48 +1200, "Fred" <as149@detroit.freenet.org>
wrote:

>By now you all know about PSK31 for sound card by Peter G3PLX. You may also
>know about BTL for RTTY with a sound card, by Rob ZL2AKM.
>
>But do you know about Hellschreiber? Have you tried it? It has a fast
>growing and dedicated following -
>
>All you need is a Win95/98 PC with a sound card, like PSK31 and BTL, and the
>performance is very good. Hell is particularly good at rejecting noise,
>because it is "human readable", so the eye sees patterns and rejects noise.
>In addition, it is barely affected by ionospheric doppler, and it therefore
>works fine at times when PSK31 is not usable. It is also is far better
>performer than RTTY, and occupies similar bandwidth.

ANYTHING is a better performer than RTTY.

>There are some 100 or more Hell operators in nearly 40 countries at present.
>For more information see my web site:

Interesting, but I've never heard it. Where does it live?

--
- 73 de Jim, g(m)4rga | Hier stehe ich. Ich kann nicht
olympus%jimdee.prestel.co.uk | anders. Gott helfe mir.
dynastic%cwcom.net | Amen.
marula%zdnetmail.com |
nordland%lineone.net | - Martin Luther. 1483-1546.
g4rga@gb7tjf.#45.gbr.eu |
Pgp key: pgpkeys.mit.edu:11371

3575. Wanted TE Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Leach <wa1hjr@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <37384426.E0E420CD@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 143208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.radio.oldtime

Friend of mine is looking for manuals & schematics for the following
test equipment.
Please send information and price to:
tebo3@juno.com
Thanks

tektronix 2235
tektronix 576

fluke 8800A
fluke 8810A

hp 204C
hp 8011A
hp 5315A
hp 6236B

3576. VOTER circuit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: tech <tech@dp.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.3.95.990511130951.5682C-100000@home.dp.net>
Source record: 143209

Hi,

Does anyone recall seeing a circuit I BELIEVE appeared in QST for constructing a Voter circuit. I recall seeing one somewhere and though I didn't analyze it completely as to specs or any faults, I'd like to build one for some experiments to try.

If anyone knows of the article I speak, please let me know via direct e-mail as to where it had appeared.

IF you BUILT the circuit or know someone who did, or have any comments on it if you did review it, I'd be interested to hear from you as well.

Thanks......

Lou/tech@dp.net

3577. Ham Radio Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <373868c7.2650445@news.hughes.net>
Source record: 143210

Hello All,

I have a Web Page that has info on:

Satellites, Satellite Tracking, HF, VHF/UHF, Yaesu, FT-847,
FT-50R, MY HF Rig Reviews, plus tons of useful Ham Radio
and misc Electroincs Links!!!

Please check it out:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

WebMasters: Please add me to your links section. In return, I will add
you to my links section.

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
DM04 Palmdale, CA

3578. Re: Diagram or manual of Telemobile GX3000V VHF transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6inm@telusplanet.net
Message-ID: <7h9sr3dna1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Adolfo,
I think the radio you have is a Standard GX-3000V. If so, it is a
64chan, scanning, EPROM programmed, 40W, VHF-FM transceiver. All the
info on freqs (RX+TX), the CTCSS, chan. number, priority chan, etc. are
all burned into a 2716 EPROM. You will have to erase the eprom and
"burn" in the new data. Hope that helps.
de VE6INM

In article <7h9heb$bmd4@cchp4.unican.es>,
"Adolfo Cobo" <acobo@teisa.unican.es> wrote:
> Hi to all,
> I've got an old (and broken) GX3000V transceiver from Telemobile.
First of
> all, I don't know exactly what it is. It seems to emitt at 173 MHz
with
> CTCSS, but I'm not sure. Any idea of wht it is? Is there on the
internet
> some repository of manuals and diagrams of such products?
> Thanks to all in advance.
>
>

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3579. Dayton Hamvention Spaces: 2615, 2616, 2617

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Washa <w0tok@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#Mr66X9m#GA.186@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143212

Paul Washa, W0TOK books will be at Dayton with a Suburban
full of books: one and one half tons of books, all current
ARRL, the New Hallicrafters book, books on telegraph keys,
Lindsay reprints of electronics books no longer available, we
have low prices, an excellent selection (300 titles) stop by
and say hello Paul and Muriel Washa PS we are 14.300 at
the show Look for the flag flying from the Suburban.

3580. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926445665.356.29@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim Cummings <ve3xj@rac.ca> wrote in message
news:GrXZ2.12$TP4.26228@client.news.psi.net...
>
> >No surprise there; weak-signal work on HF needs no protection -- many
of
> >us work QRPp right along side the big boys. But FM and WS operation
are
> >not compatible. Thus it only makes sense to have a protected VHF
segment
> >for WS work so as to keep the FMers from causing interference.
> >
>
> The reasons for those particular allocations is irrelevant to the
> observation that they exist. Moreover, it only points out that Morse
code
> operation is not as robust as many in the PCA would like us to
believe.

This substitutes for logic? Weak signals are often swamped beneath
strong local signals, be they CW or otherwise. Wide-band FM is a poor
choice for DX; CW is a reasonable choice.

> >Most of the V/U spectrum is designated for FM usage; pretty difficult
> >for CW stations to compete with mountain-top rptrs, especially in the
> >congested metro areas.
> >
>
> In other words, Morse code testing is justified only in those bands
where it
> can compete. However, with the advancement of digital modes, Morse
code can
> no longer compete with other modes either. In accordance with
Herman's
> logic, there is no need for Morse code testing below 30 MHz either.

Herman err's only in his assumptions of the audience. It's clear that he
means weak signal when he said "CW stations". I find it interesting
that, even to your narrow mind, DX and QRP operation is synonomous with
CW.

It's a big hobby. There are bands for local FM repeaters. There are
other bands that encourage other types of operation. It's not the
no-coders that I find so objectionable, but the narrow perspective their
education affords them.

> >Together, true, but separately, no. Digital modes do not surpass the
> >use of code.
> >
>
> To the contrary, they do. For example, I was at a recent club meeting
in
> Ottawa club meeting and I overheard one amateur state that he will
> oftentimes find that the CW parts of the bands have shut down and he
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> capacity to be even-handed on this issue, he would see that reality is
far
> different from his opinions.

Your limited exposure reveals itself yet again. The only conclusion a reasonable person can draw from one Ottawa club member's observation is precisely what you say he stated: he heard digital traffic when he did not hear CW traffic. Nothing more, nothing less.

Anecdotally: I heard the PY5ARL (Brazil) 5w CW beacon on 28230 this afternoon. Also heard ZS6PW (S. Africa) on 28186. And LU1FHH (Argentina) at 28199. I copied them 569, 559, and 559 on a multi-band vertical in Chicago. It says one thing to me, and one thing only: that 10m is open to SA and SAfrica. Should I also infer from their absence that wide-FM and digital signals are inferior to CW?

> >Connect a decent antenna to your HF receiver, and conduct your own
> >informal survey.
> >
>
> Been there, done that and got the T-shirt to prove it, I am just
relaying
> observations made by others. Besides, Herman would envy my antenna
farm.

What did you hear? Why would your anonymous anecdotes be more compelling than your first-hand observations? Why would Herman envy your antenna farm?

Michael.

3581. Re: Zero-beating Kenwood 830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Keith <nm5k@wt.net>
Message-ID: <37386FC1.2876@wt.net>
Source record: 143214

Hanson Family wrote:
>
> Can someone e-mail me step-by-step directions on
> how to zero-beat my 830S. Understand the concept,
> need the how-to...
>
> Thanks,
>
> Steve KE1LG

To zero beat a signal means to tune it until you are on the exact carrier freq. Lets take your xtal calibrater as an example, It will work every 25 kc. Now if you tune the signal from either side you will hear a tone. Lets say, you are on 3.800 calibrate signal. If you tune 3.801 , you will hear an appx 1000 cycle tone. If you tune back to 3.800 this tone will drop lower and lower in pitch until gone. When you are tuned exactly the same freq as the 3.800 signal , you hear no tone, and are zero beat. In other words you can zero beat any carrier signal you can receive. If you want to adjust the readout to be accurate, you need a freq counter. You would want to adjust the reference trimmer to have the readout match the counter say on a carrier sent from the rig. The readout on the 830 is a true frequency readout. As long as the reference trimmer is set correctly, the radio will accurately read freq in any mode. But you must be carefull to set the readout to match your reference right when the 9 clicks over to 0. So you want to be real carefull to set the dial correctly. This will let you tune to a freq and be right on the money when you click over from 9 to 0. If this makes any sense...Lets say I tune 3.799.9 and move to 3.800.0. When I click to zero, my rig is right on the money. It was way off when I first got the rig. But is easy to correct.
If you use the vfo-230, get the rig right on the money FIRST, and then match the vfo to the rig. Once you do this and have all perfect, the vfo will give you your first readout, and the readout on the rig is an accurate verification of the first one, being it's a real counter. They should perfectly match. When I click from 9 to 0 on the vfo, the readout on the rig perfectly follows. Hopefully I haven't totally confused you..
:/ MK

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http://web.wt.net/~nm5k

3582. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a loser(Oris)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <28123-37386AB9-37@newsd-122.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143215

How about it,Oris?

3583. Re: QRP Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <37386dfe.899760@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 1 May 1999 18:45:15 -0400, "The Conqueror"
<joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Hi,
>
>I was wondering if there was any way for me to homebrew or make from a kit a
>2 meter QRP <1W transceiver with only 2 or 3 frequencies and PL support.
>
>-Dan K3DRQ

Yes - check out:

http://home.earthlink.net/~af4k/mega/megakits.htm

for sources of kits.

3584. Re: who's the rogue at BellSouth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511144319.19860.00001805@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143217

<< Joe, you know what you can do with your "legalese?" I accused NO ONE and if O'Brien wants to make something out of it,let him try but this guy's posted so much libelous garbage about me(which I have printed out)...oh who give a you know what. When I get 5 E-mails from 5 individual persons who are sure it's W4AMP and when I ask him if he's on BellSouth and when I receive "See you in court" as the evasive answer,that tells me something. Do you agree? In the meantime, the nuking stopped because the person doing it eithger got a warning E or a warning phone call or he simply wised up. Let's hope it continues and if my suspicions about Jim O'Brien are proven WRONG, I'll issue a PUBLIC APOLOGY right here. Doc, AF2Y,radiosigs >>

3585. Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511144605.19860.00001806@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143218

<< ct: Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Tue, May 11, 1999 2:13 AM
Message-id: <19990510221309.12946.00001832@ng155.aol.com>

>HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
>HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
>HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
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>HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
>HI HI HI HI HI

You are asking for the Burt Fisher "HI >>

<<IS THERE SOMETHING WRONG WITH YOUR HEAD, O.M?>>
Doc,af2y,radiosigs

3586. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511145105.19860.00001807@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143219

<<Thanks Marv for defending me against this crazy man, Sounds like he really bought the BARF-Stumpie garbage about people being recruited by nets and all the rest of that conspiratorial bullbleep. And by the way. when was the last time an Intercon aficionado had to stand before Judge Edward Luton and lie in order to both save face and to lose his ticket? Doc,af2y,radiosigs >>

3587. Re: AF2Y "Talks Tough" and gets his rear Kicked!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511145303.19860.00001809@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143220

<< RAMBOFACE...YOU'RE ON MY HIT LIST. KEEP IT IN MIND. af2y, Doc,radiosigs >>

3588. Re: Here's another one for you AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511150515.19860.00001812@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143221

<< They kicked me out of Jewish church because I brought my Rosary with me to services. And right before we sang "Adon. Olom" I asked Rosary where she'd like to go for lunch . Also they didn't like the way I used to light up my cigars using the altar candles. Also they didn't like me putting my mops and brooms in the confessional box. And lastly they hated the way I kept addressing Mother Superior by"Mother Shapiro". af2Y, Doc,radiosigs>>

3589. Re: Here's another one for you AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511150649.19860.00001813@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 143222

<< You got that right Rich and WB2OTK is one of the finest hams to ever hold a ticket. >>

Doc,af2y,radiosigs

3590. FA: TAC1 40M QRP Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: wpeloqui@ismi.net
Message-ID: <7ha3kt$iu5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143223

FA: TAC1 40M QRP Transceiver

Very nice TAC1 40 QRP Transceiver for auction.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=102896071

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Willie Peloquin
Senior Software Engineer - Contract
http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui

"It is unwise to stray from the simple and the obvious."

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3591. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510201857.14447.00000296@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 143252

> Tim is a true American is every way.
>He cares about others and hates demagoguary and SHOWS IT
>

OH .. BBWWAAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!!

HAW HAW HAW!!! HAHAHAHAHAHAAAAAAHAA!!

HO HO ho ... heh heh ..... Wooo!! Oy Vay!

Whew .... um ... yeah, he's .. umph ...

Snicker .... chortle .... er ohahAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!!

BWWWAAAHHHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!!!!!

3592. Re: Look who's back CBFAGBO AKA Drew Durigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h828evto1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143253

In article <37363a01.1678862@news.mindspring.com>,
NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com (CRT&#65533;) wrote:
> Drew Durigan, the fatboy who gave us a good cry when the heart
> wrenching message of his not coming back was posted here a few months
> ago, is back as Radio-Rambo@hotmail.com his NNTP posting host comes
> back as (DNS lookup of IP address '152.171.230.83' resolves to server:
>
> 98ABE653.ipt.aol.com). CBRambo is back. They lying scumbag who swore
> he wouldn't be back is back. I knew it was too good to be true. Look
> at the below message from the scumbag himself:
>
>

You had to take a minute from your plastic toy submarines to inform the
world of my arrival?

> Stupid little child.
>

At least I don't play with toy submarines in my bathtub! Having a
midlife crisis??

"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3593. AF2Y "Talks Tough" and gets his rear Kicked!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h82ds$n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143254

My hat is off to Mr. Lloyd Davies, N0VFP from "The Heart of Dixie"
Athens, Alabama. He is doing a fine job of keeping Doc Hate in Check!
Lloyd, If you ever need anything, let me know!

--
"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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3594. Whatever Happened to the "Oye Boy"??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7h82h9$11$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143255

What happened to Eric Oyen, aka "The Oye Boy" and his
buddy "FRANKBURNZ" Are they one in the same??

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"Where's that Big Ol' Radio-Rambo?"
"I wanna hear him Talk-TOUGH!"

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3595. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h7vgu$c68@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143256

In article <19990510144801.23114.00001690@ng124.aol.com>,
Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com> wrote:

><<
>>This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented this
>>antenna.
> >>Jeff,my feelings are hurt. I never called you names BUT I WILL. If you don't
>understand ham radio jargon, HOMEBREWED does not mean INVENTED! Get it.
>Homebrewed means "I put one up after I built it." What's so difficult about
>understanding that? I never said I invented the Cloudwarmer and on my sheet,
>it's prefaced by that statement. The idea was given to me by WB2OTK who
>likewise did NOT invent it. Heck, I can take criticism but kindly don't put
>words in my mouth. Thank you.
>Doc radiosigs@aol.com AF2Y

Hey Doc, I didn't write the ">>This goofball..." sentence. Note that
it has two indentation marks. Let's review my comments -- they'll be
the ones below with one single indentation mark looking like: >

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@hawaii.edu> wrote:
>In article <7h2fos$8u7$1@1cust.83.tnt6.memphis.tn.da.uu.net>
><realdeal@my-dejanews.com>, posting from uu.net, wrote:

>>This goofball tells everyone who will listen to him that he invented
>>this antenna.

>He said he "homebrewed" it -- nowhere did he say he "invented" it. I
>homebrew radios from plans others have drawn up.

>>For his information , this antenna is in the book "The Radio Amateur
>>Antenna Handbook". It is on page 152-153. This book was copyrighted
>>1978.

>All my homebrewed radios have come from such publications, too.

>>Yet this lame brain takes credit for the design.

>No where did he say that. The word "design" does not appear in his
>comments.

>>The book was written by W6SAI and W2LX Bill Orr, and Stuart D. Cowan .

>I've built gear from Orr's designs. Those items are called "homebrew"
>as opposed to commercially built.

>>Dr Hate, you did not invent this antenna.

>He did not mention the word "invent."

>>Quit trying to reap rewards that you have not sown. The Antenna has
>>been around for years.

>Doug Demaw's QRP designs have been around for years. Yet if I send
>someone info on how to build one, you'd be hard pressed to accuse me
>of trying to reap the late Mr. Demaw's designs.

>Comparing your comments to Doc's, I'd say you're the one filled with
>hate.

Then I added at the bottom:

>Hey Doc, NVIS is playing a big role in emergency communications, too.
>Utilizing NVIS on HF allows for solid regional comms; good to have in
>case the V/UHF repeaters fail.

>73, Jeff KH6O

Those indentation marks exist for a reason -- they point to who said
what. The flammer's remarks are preceeded with the >> and my remarks
are preceeded with the single >. I was a trying to defend you!

Do you understand how this works now?

73, Jeff

3596. Here's another one for you AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510212317.17520.00001560@ng154.aol.com>
Source record: 143257

Why were you kicked out of one of the Jewish Churches in New Jersey?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3597. rogue cancelling.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510212452.07447.00000311@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 143258

This is a free country and the Internet is not supposed to be censored.When your posting is cancelled by another party,that's CENSORSHIP and cyberspace illegal. When someone cancels YOUR post it's because that person is afraid of YOU. He or she knows that your message is powerful and therefore is afraid of its imapct. COWARDS cancel someone else's mail,MEN don't. If you don't like what I write, tell me and/or tell it to the general public but don't mess with my freedoms! If you can't rebut intelligently or wittily

or sarcastically or..you get the drift, then GET THE HELL OFF THIS FORUM OR JUST SIT THERE AND READ AND WISH YOU COULD WRITE! I dislike the Boys from Brazil and the BARF and StumpJumpers but I'll be damned if I'd ever try to censor them. I'll react, I'll censure but never sneakily as a rogue does. Appreciate what our country and the Internet offers-don't tread on it. Here we have a platform to be heard-everyone has that right...SO BE HEARD. Take advantge of your opportunity instead of lurking in the shadows in order to do a dirty deed to expression. DON'T UNDERCUT THE OTHER GUY'S RIGHTS. That kind of stuff is good for dictatorships and there's none in Wash.D.C.
73,Doc,AF2Y,radiosigs@aol.com

3598. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510212829.17520.00001565@ng154.aol.com>
Source record: 143259

>You're definitely a "no deal" halfass. Never did I say I invented the
>Cloudwarmer. I said I used one and if anyone sends for my instruction sheet,
>it
>opens with the disclaimer stating so.

Send me one, I want to see it for myself!!

You sound like a run-of-the-mill BARFie
>StumpJumer, screwing up meanings, words, messages and what not. Putting words
>into peoples' mouths.

Is'nt that what you are doing Doc Hate??

Along with Schoenbohm,they ought to pull you off the
>air
>too. AF2Y, Doc,radiosigs

Would you please stop pointing the finger at Herb! You better watch your own
camp, Mr WB2OTK is about get a big NAL!
>

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3599. Re: THE TRUTH RE:KK7HO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510213355.07447.00000316@ng18.aol.com>
Source record: 143260

<<Leave Tim alone, you ignorant putz.>>

Doc. af2y,radiosigs@aol.com

3600. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: GH <nbc_red@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37377E5C.5C30@hotmail.com>
Source record: 143261

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> AF2Y has said many times in the past that he "invented" the cloudwarmer
> antenna.Now that he has been uncovered as a Al Gore type who invents
> everything, he chooses to crawfish out of his brags. What a goof ball.
>

Please reference the posts where he makes such claim.

3601. Re: Here's another one for you AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510215155.29959.00000176@ng-xa1.aol.com>
Source record: 143262

>Why were you kicked out of one of the Jewish Churches in New Jersey?

umm.......Jewish CHURCHES?

3602. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990510220617.26993.00000304@ng-fq1.aol.com>
Source record: 143263

>Never have I had a problem with my Radio Shack HTX-202, I also travel
>regularly, and often have the rig in my carry on, along with my
>laptop.

Same here. I travel with a handi-talkie, cell phones, batteries for all of them, and never have been questioned.

(I have quite a story about a flare pistol, however).

K5PF

3603. frequency co-ordination

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nigel G Mann <ngmann@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <373791EC.75214474@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143264

Hello,
I am a recent EE graduate who is interning as a frequency co-ordinator for an AFC group. Suffice it to say nothing in the EE program or in my industry experience and PCIA licensing has covered the process of frequency co-ordination. It would appear that this art/science can only be acquired through years of hands-on tweaking and repeater installation. I am becoming familiar with the RadioSoft RF package and would like to know of any recent (circa 199X) books or trade publications that may be helpful. I have read the ARRL manual but their treatment on the subject was cursory at best.

73's Nigel G Mann KF4LLM

3604. Re: PORKBUTT AND DOC ARRIVE AT DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510221309.12946.00001832@ng155.aol.com>
Source record: 143265

>HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
>HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI HI
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>HI HI HI HI HI

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3605. Re: Look who's back CBFAGBO AKA Drew Durigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37379337.90066220@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143266

On Tue, 11 May 1999 01:47:58 GMT, Radio-Rambo
<Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com> wrote:

Over the past few days, I have spent a great deal of time in reflection of my past behavior on the radio newsgroups. My conclusion is that I have wasted a great deal of time and effort engaging in pointless arguments and petty bickering with other participants here. This is time and effort that would have been much better spent on other, more meaningful pursuits. I have also come to the realization that I have offended some of you with my comments, as some have inadvertently taken my remarks in a personal manner. This was never my intention...and for this, I am truly sorry.

Contrary to popular belief, I am not a "bad guy". If you were to know me in person, you would probably say that I am kind-hearted, free-spirited, fun to be around, and generally easy to get along with. But, like all of us, I also have my character flaws and shortcomings. Specifically, I tend to be particularily stubborn at times (especially when provoked) and I am also prone to "carrying things too far" upon occasion. I like to play games, tease, and joke around...and sometimes, I don't know when to stop. This has always been a weakness of mine, and I am now working very dilligently to control it.

As I read some of my past newsgroup postings, I must admit that I am rather embarrassed and upset with myself for engaging in some of this nonsense. I have made off-topic comments here which have had the effect of causing chaos and disrupting the flow of information for which this forum was designed. I am certainly not the only one who has done this, but that doesn't justify my behavior. Lack of maturity, insecurity, poor judgement, the "thrill" of being safe behind a keyboard, and an occasional feeling of boredom in my life right now...all of these were contributing factors. Again, that does not justify my behavior, but I can see now how these feelings and character flaws caused me to behave as I did.

I also tend to get a little "touchy" when someone accuses me or implies that I engage in illegal radio operations. This is simply not true. Never has been, never will be. I am a law-abiding citizen who does not have even as much as a traffic ticket on his police record. I don't mention this as an attempt to justify my behavior, but only so that you might understand why I occasionally acted the way that I did.

In an effort to restore order and tranquility to this newsgroup, I will immediately and forever cease from posting here. I will be available via e-mail for the next 24 hours, and would appreciate hearing from those of you who have thoughts on this matter and do not

wish to post them publicly on the newsgroup. When the 24 hours has expired, I will permanently delete the "CB Rambo" screenname from my America Online account and I will not appear online again. I'm sure many of you are skeptical here...and rightfully so...but time will indeed prove my sincerity. Again, I apologize to those whom I offended here and for being a nuisance on this newsgroup.

Thank you for your time. Radio is a wonderful thing. May it have a long and prosperous life. Goodnight and God bless you.

"WHERE'S THAT BIG 'OL CB RAMBO?"
"HE APOLOGIZED, LEFT THE NEWSGROUP, AND WENT AWAY FOR GOOD!"

3606. Re: CRAZY ON EBAY??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11a15be2e81b60a19896e3@news>
Source record: 143267

In article <37361669.5BDE577B@qsl.net>, kb9hgi@qsl.net says...
> Hello All,
> I just wanted to comment on the sales on ebay auction web. I been
> watching ham gear beeing sold on ebay and the prices people are paying
> for some of this stuff is
> unreal. What's your thoughts on this matter?

There's a certain mentality among amateurs that even the TH-27a that they paid $250 for is worth the same amount ten years and several hundred hours of use later. I think we're on a different depreciation schedule.

Tony

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== Tony Pelliccio, KD1S formerly KD1NR
== Trustee WE1RD

3607. Re: a great wire antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990510225227.11457.00000302@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143268

>I was a trying to defend you!
>
>Do you understand how this works now?
>
>73, Jeff
>

Jeff,

You are too smart to be used for Doc Hate's evil adgendas that he has been goading newsgroups users with! Please don't fall into Doc Hate's evil plans!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3608. Re: Look who's back: Drew Durigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7h875r$hik@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143269

Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com> wrote:
>At least I don't play with toy submarines in my bathtub! Having a

Aren't those RC subs? If so, I don't believe they fall in the catagory
of "toys." The military is utilizing RC helocopters for recon duty. Each
costs more than you make in one year working as a DJ.
Jeff KH6O

3609. Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9gyc@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7h8bt7$8a0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143270

Lookig for hotel room for next Thursday and Friday
contact me at w9gyc@yahoo.com

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3610. Re: Look who's back: Drew Durigan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3737a501.94620903@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 143271

On 11 May 1999 03:11:55 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Radio-Rambo <Radio_Rambo@hotmail.com> wrote:
>>At least I don't play with toy submarines in my bathtub! Having a
>
>Aren't those RC subs? If so, I don't believe they fall in the catagory
>of "toys." The military is utilizing RC helocopters for recon duty. Each
>costs more than you make in one year working as a DJ.
>Jeff KH6O

I've told the idiot this. Most cost around $1000.00 for the low end
models. He said he was never coming back, but I guess he started using
the old crack pipe again. Too bad.

3611. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37a1a5d4.1132304882@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 4 May 1999 18:04:54 -0400, "Karina Wright" <karina@cafekarina.org> wrote:
>Dave Heil wrote in message <372F5A24.6BBD@cats-net.com>...
>>But if it is illegal to drive at 70 mph, you'd still do that because the
>>road was engineered for that speed?
>
>
>Oh, absolutely. And, that's why I made sure I got a car with cruise
>control. That's exactly my point. If the natural speed of a road is higher
>than the artificial speed limit, one must make a concerted effort to stay
>within the limit. If I am driving locally, keeping to the limit is
>relatively easy, but if I drive long distances, part of me goes into
>automatic and I drive to what feels comfortable on that particular road.
>Fortunately, most of the highways I travel have reinstated a limit closer to
>the natural speed, so the cruise control is mostly to give my ankle a rest.

The interstates were designed, back in the 1950s, for 70 MPH with the
cars of the day. The radius of turns, the banking, etc are all designed for
that "natural" speed. If you don't watch the speedometer closely, you'll
find yourself automatically driving at the road's natural speed. Today's
cars handle better than the tanks of the 1950s too, so the "natural"
speed has actually increased somewhat. Without cruise control, it
is very difficult to stay within the posted limits on many roads. And
most people don't. Staying with the flow of traffic is safer than driving
15 MPH slower than everyone else and creating a rolling hazard.

>>Why was a third party study needed? There certainly were studies
>>indicating that 55 mph was safer than 70 mph. Common sense would
>>indicate it even without a study. Safety was a selling point. The real
>>issue was conserving oil.
>
>Because a study needs to be done by someone who has no vested interest in
>the speed limit in either way. Because I have read studies that show no
>real increase in accidents (except immediately after a changeover when
>people were getting used to the speed change). Because statistics can be
>manipulated by anyone to convey whatever their particular point of view
>wants.

If you look at the actual highway accident statistics, fatalities have
declined on interstates which have raised the speed limit back up
closer to the natural speed of the roadway. This is no fluke, the statistics
show it time and again as each state brought its speed limits back up.
The "studies" which purported to show that lowering the speed limits on
the interstates would decrease fatalities were simply *wrong*. They
got the physics right, but they didn't properly account for the human

factor. To put it bluntly, lots of people didn't obey the 55 MPH speed limit, and mixed in with them were those who did. The wildly differing speeds that resulted made driving more hazardous.

There are several reasons for the decline in fatalities with the increase in speed limits. When all vehicles are travelling at roughly the same speed, their relative speeds are very low, so there's much more time to react to traffic, and any vehicle-vehicle collisions have a relatively slow closing rate. NASCAR takes this to extremes, with cars travelling upwards of 200 MPH, but *all* the cars are travelling at about the same speed, so drivers have time to react. If their closing rates were large, even super drivers would have great difficulty driving.

Second, when you drive nearer the natural speed of the highway, there is less of a tendency to get highway hypnosis, in other words you tend to pay more attention to what you're doing when travelling at higher speeds. Lots of single vehicle accidents are due to the driver's attention wandering. Driving much slower than the road's natural speed promotes this.

Third, when laws seem to make sense, people are more likely to obey not only that particular law, but others as well. Loss of respect for law has a bleedover factor which causes people to ignore other laws too. Conversely, when laws seem to make sense, people tend to respect them. So not only is speeding less of a factor, but other moving infractions on the interstates are down too.

This latter brings us back to amateur radio. When a law doesn't seem to make sense, people lose respect for not just that law, but for other laws as well. This is very human, and is a factor that always needs to be taken into account by those making laws. The 55 MPH speed limit had unintended consequences, and so did Incentive Licensing. We've mostly gotten rid of the 55 MPH limit now, it is time to reform licensing so that the requirements match the privileges granted in a rational and reasonable way. They don't now. The division of spectrum between various license classes is completely arbitrary, and the requirements for accessing functionally identical spectrum using the same modes and power limits differ wildly and arbitrarily. That doesn't make sense, and people realize it doesn't make sense.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3612. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: the_butler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3737b34c.1736564@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143273

Details I say!!!! That has got to be a good one!!!

-Ed

N1OQF

On 11 May 1999 02:06:17 GMT, k5pf@aol.comPaul (K5pf) wrote:

>>Never have I had a problem with my Radio Shack HTX-202, I also travel
>>regularly, and often have the rig in my carry on, along with my
>>laptop.
>
>Same here. I travel with a handi-talkie, cell phones, batteries for all of
>them, and never have been questioned.
>
>(I have quite a story about a flare pistol, however).
>
>K5PF
>

"The Butler" Thanks You and goodnite...

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Constitution nor prohibited by it to the States, are
reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

"Ultimately, most problems can be solved by applying a large
brick to the correct skull. Difficulties arise when you don't
have a brick or can't find the right skull. The devil is always
in the details." --Marcus Cole

Zero Tolerance: the politically correct term for zero thought, zero common sense.

3613. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37398CEE.E4BC596A@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

robinson wrote:
> Hey Cecil, I'm a Texan, and I prefer a compact 1911 variant. I would rather
> carry one than two of them even if I had one tricked out for lefthand use.
> Two ratchet guns of meaningful calibre would be especially hard to
> conceal...

"Is that your Colt Python or are you just glad to see me?" :-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3614. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37398DAA.CCBC9992@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143075
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

robinson wrote:
> Funny thing is, a 223 doesn't sound like a cannon at all, or is it just me?

Bet it sounded like a cannon to those FBI guys in the Florida shootout.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3615. FS "new" TONE boards, & FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7hc4b3ldd2@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143076

I have a small bunch of brand KENWOOD accessories, and here is the
list:

TEN (10) TU-4C Tone Boards for a TW-4000A dual bander (new in the
box) $42.00 EACH shipped in the USA

One (1) TU-3A Tone board for a TM-201A/TM-410A/TM-211A/TM-411A $42.00
EACH shipped
in the USA

ONE (1) TU-8 Tone board for a TS-440S/TS-140S/TS-680S encoder $42.00
EACH shipped in
the USA

TWO (2) TU-6 Tone boards for a TH-21,TH-31,TH-41 encoder $42.00 EACH
shipped
in the USA

FOUR (4) BS-5 Pan Adaptors for the SM-220 scope . Used with the
TS-520, S, SE $58.00 EACH shipped in the USA

TWO (2) YK-88A AM filter for TS-430S/TS-660/TS-670S $69.00 EACH
shipped in the USA

ONE (1) YK-88S SSB filter for TS-440S $69.00 EACH shipped in the USA

SIX (6) YK-88SN 1.8 khz SSB filter for
TS-130S/TS-430S/TS-440S/TS-530S/R-5000 $69.00 EACH shipped in the
USA

THESE FILTERS, AND TONE UNITS, AND BS-5 ARE" ALL BRAND NEW", AND
ALL HAVE BOXES EXCEPT 2 FILTERS

AGAIN ALL THE STUFF IS BRAND NEW.......

73, AND THANKS LEO
Ph/Fax (310) 670-6969

3616. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512112016.19142.00002144@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 143077

<< AF2Y
From: "Jim Martin" <jjm@shore.net>
Date: Wed, May 12, 1999 2:25 PM
Message-id: <KXf_2.27$9x5.8657@news.shore.net>

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7hc0v8$24d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>You forgot plagiarizing, he takes credit for antenna designs. He claims
>to have invented the "CLOUDWARMER".

>>You are an undomesticated lowlife!
AF2Y

3617. Re: Radar Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <7hc7tr$7ji@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 143078

Bob (bob@SPAMBEGONEae1m.com) wrote:
> Does anyone know a source for those little transmitters
> that transmit X-band signals to set off other people's
> radar detectors? My 3 yr old one died recently. These
> are great fun.

There was a certain John DeArmond that used to prowl the
internet ten years ago or so that started an automotive
thread titled "Trolling for Taillights"...had great fun
with his radar transmitter.

You might try one of the alarm companies - some of them
use X-band doppler radar.

73
Don K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

3618. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37b6a437.1262984237@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 12 May 1999 06:12:29 GMT, "robinson" <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
>I'm sure as hell glad we don't equip our troops with these so-called
>"assault weapons". You couldn't assault a well defended outhouse with them
>if faced with selective-fire equipped defenders.

No fair confusing the liberals with facts. :-)

However, spray and pray weapons aren't always your best bet,
unless you have the ammo resupply contract. We managed quite
well with semiauto M1s in WWII. One good hit is worth a thousand
misses, and puts much less strain on the logistics tail.

Besides, single shot weapons are often the infantryman's best tool
against a defended outhouse. A M79 or a LAW takes care of the
problem without a bunch of fuss and bother. Unless, of course, you
are assaulting the outhouse so you can use it. Then a pipsqueak
caliber select fire weapon might be handy.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3619. WTB: Johnson, Globe and Command Sets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <LIh_2.4432$IE2.165600@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 143080
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

Im looking to set up a 1940's-50's era station for some kids to allow them the use of some older equipment in order to familiarize them with newer technology.
Must be in pretty good "working" shape. Please, nothing thats been dropped out of a B-52 at 50K feet.

Any contributions would also be appreciated.

Please email me at paulvanasse@tp.net

Thanks and 73's de W1PEV

3620. Need TEMPO ONE Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: BillJones <LWILLIAMJONES@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <yWh_2.2569$xa.25982@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143081

After using a Variak to bring up my rig after many years of domancy I
was able to make several DX contacts. The next night I turned on the
rig without the Variak (all 120V at once) and the receiver appears to
be stuck on receiving only one frequeny no matter where I turn the
dial. Does anyone have any suggestions on what I should check first!!
- much appreciated. Bill WA2HYA
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3621. Re: Radar Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7hcdla$f2j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143082

In article <7hc7tr$7ji@canyon.sr.hp.com>,
donrm@sr.hp.com (Don Montgomery) wrote:

> There was a certain John DeArmond that used to prowl the
> internet ten years ago or so that started an automotive
> thread titled "Trolling for Taillights"...had great fun
> with his radar transmitter.
>
> You might try one of the alarm companies - some of them
> use X-band doppler radar.

SHF Microwave (among others) have them. Check the ads in
VHF Communications as well. You might also try alarm/security
companies, and folks who make door openers.

I've always bought mine at hamfests, and am hoping to pick
up a couple of 24 GHz units over the weekend. Or, for that
matter, extra 10 GHz units to play with/blow up/give away.

The local public transit folks (Toronto) use 24 GHz Doppler
radar for the automatic door openers in subway stations,
but I've never been able to find out where they get them. :-(
--
Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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3622. KH2D a Moronic Troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hceicfli1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143083

Hey fatso, there are other reasons for using lpwa besides the one your chicken ass thinks of first.

Lpwa caches pages sent through it to speed up your connection to the net by not having to refer to the original all the time.

Of course a waste of food resources, radio spectrum and internet bandwidth like you wouldn't give a flying crap about effiency.

Why don't you tell us how how hard it is to be DX and why we should foot the bill for your QSL, while you sit out there in the sun under the US defense aegis, avoiding taxes and filing a FEMA claim everytime it gets windy.

Better yet, go eat until you explode, you fat slob.

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3623. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: George White <deeply@serv.net>
Message-ID: <7hcbe9$7ea$0@199.201.191.2>
Source record: 143084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

James Keller wrote:

> In dal.net on IRC (thats the Dalnet network)
> I find this:
> Topic set for #amateur_radio is: This is a restricted channel. If I didn't ask
> you to join it then you are not welcome in it, no
> matter who you are. Why is it that way? None of your business,(but you can
> thank the lying, theiving mormons on
> xmission.com for it happening)! (KE6YZZ)
>
> Ke6YZZ who is now N2GOD. Email him at: n2god@angelfire.com
>
> Do we need folks like this controlling our hobby and lifestyle?
> Please lets have jerks like this create their own channel and leave
> our hobby alone.
>
> In article <7hau7hrii1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, mrguard@iname.com
> says...
> >
> >Hello Everyone.
> >I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
> >Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
> >During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
> >require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
> >force me into using my callsign as my nick.
> >I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on irc.
> >Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
> >via callsign servers.
> >Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
> >I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
> >Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
> >saying that it is his channel.
> >In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
> >do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
> >plus:
> ><AH6KA> he came with nick and said he wudnt use his call and gave me static
> >so i moderated then he tried to use
> > both calls
> ><othercall> you gave him static
> ><othercall> he stated what both calls were.
> ><AH6KA> i shoulld have just kicked his ass
> >
> >Is this how decent we want ambassadors of our hobby to be to hams and

> >to those interested in our hobby?
> >Several attempts were to tell Don that the hobby has enough problems on
> >40 meters as well as losing folks to irc and the internet.
> >
> >Does everyone accept the fact that folks like Don can deem the channel
> private
> >and alienate everyone from the hobby?
> >My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
> >
> >I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
> >feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
> >
> >You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net
> >
> >Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
> >
> >Thanks Again
> >James
> >N8KGU
> >
> >

You can try #hamradio on EFNet: seems like a quiet channel.
I'm not a ham and I haven't been harrassed there....
irc.idle.net and irc.lagged.org are 2 good EFNet servers.

--Deeply Shrouded And Quiet

3624. WTB: CDE "BIG TALK" rotor control box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1ALH <k1alh@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <gsi_2.117$ke6.8033@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 143085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I'm looking for the CDE "BIG TALK" control box. It is a 5 wire unit. If you have one or know of a substitute please let me know.

3625. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <K0HB@arrl.org>
Message-ID: <7hcfdn$gg0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:

> This just gets curiouser and curiouser.

Nothing curious about it. It is (as it has always been) *YOU*
who is responsible for the quality of the signal your station
radiates. This is true (as it has always been) whether you
built your equipment from a discarded Silvertone TV chassis, or
bought it from Harvey-Wells or Kenwood or Knight Kit or
KV4FZ-going-out-of-business-sale.

73, Hans, K0HB

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3626. Satellite Info & Satellite Tracking Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <3739b44d.929458@news.hughes.net>
Source record: 143087

Hello All,

I have a web page that has info on Satellites & Satellite Tracking, as well as Yaesu, FT-847, FT-50R, HF/VHF/UHF, HF Rig Reviews,
Tons of useful Ham Radio Resource Links, plus many other useful resources.
Please check it out:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Webmasters:

Please add me to your links section. In return, I will add you to my links section.

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
DM04 Palmdale, CA

3627. noaa radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: matthew hudson <meh@univrel.tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <3739B0FA.5F9BBA55@univrel.tamu.edu>
Source record: 143088

Does anyone know where I can find a circuit that I can build for a Noaa weather radio. I don't want to buy one, I would love to see what it takes to build one..

3628. Yaesu FT-50R Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <3739b5f2.1350739@news.hughes.net>
Source record: 143089

Hello All,

I have a web page that has info on the Yaesu FT-50R.
Includes:

Features, Technical Specifications, Options for this HT, plus
soon-to-be Mods & my review of this HT.

Also:

Satellites & Satellite Tracking, as well as Yaesu, FT-847, HF/VHF/UHF,
HF Rig Reviews, Tons of useful Ham Radio Resource Links, plus many
other useful resources.Please check it out:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Webmasters:

Please add me to your links section. In return, I will add you to my
links section.

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
DM04 Palmdale, CA

3629. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Todd <rwtodd@airmail.net>
Message-ID: <3F1A9F02BE28E17A.6F49751746B45747.BF9BB22A205FBE54@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

You wont find that problem in #cqdx on the othernet servers. Come on over some time for good chat and real time dx spots.

James Keller wrote:

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> Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
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> Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
> I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
> Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
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> do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
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> and alienate everyone from the hobby?
> My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
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> I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
> feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
>
> You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net
>
> Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
>

> Thanks Again
> James
> N8KGU

3630. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Piero Sassu <n3fvg@worldlynx.net>
Message-ID: <3739BB27.533DABA9@worldlynx.net>
Source record: 143091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

What is this doing on rec.radio.swap? What does it have to do with the sale or purchase of radio equipment?

3631. Mod needed for Icom 2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: gilhammer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512133630.23991.00001117@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 143092

I really want to purchase a 2710H to accompany a 2100H 2 meter rig I already own, but due to work and so forth, I need a modifiable radio. I can't locate a mod for the 2710H ANYWHERE!!

Anybody that can help will be worshiped as a deity....ok, maybe not, but I would really appreciate it.

Also, what's with all this anti gun crap on this newsgroup??? I thought it was an amateur radio newsgroup....what the heck was I thinkin'.....

3632. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: K0HB <k0hb@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7hcjkvjvr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143093

mrguard@iname.com (James Keller) wrote:

> I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio

You just got done with a long whiny hand-wringing lamentation about
how you were mistreated there, and now you want us to go there too?

That has to qualify for the DAIOTW Award.

73, Hans, K0HB

DAIOTW = Dumb Assed Idea Of The Week

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If you make people think they're thinking, they'll love you;
but if you really make them think, they'll hate you.
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--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3633. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrguard@iname.com
Message-ID: <7hcg5s$307$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143094
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

That is an an idea..
but still do we want folks like this ruining our hobby:
What I received in email today:
You must have me mistaken for someone who cares about this whining.

And no, I don't control the hobby, I just control MY IRC channels. Dalnet channels that are
registered ARE considered by Dalnet to be OWNED by their founders who are sovereign in the
government of their channels, so long as there is no violation of the rules of Dalnet, which
plainly decree I may ban anyone from my channels for any reason or without any reason at all and
any Dalnet IRC-op can easily tell you this is 100% true.

End of discussion.

By the way, your solicitation of others to help you harass me may be a violation of the law I cite
at the bottom of my bio in my QRZ listing, which I strongly advise you to heed. Harassing a
political campaign worker is a federal felony. You are now notified to NEVER bother me again and
to not incite others to bother me. Having notified you of that, there will be no way that you
could deny you are harassing me if you EVER bother me or cause others to bother me again. So just
remember all that you stand to lose if you go to prison.

What this all means is this: LEAVE ME ALONE!

A timestamped copy of this one-time notification to you has been saved as evidence for both your
internet provider and for law enforcement authorities.

Jonathan DeFabritis

This Gentleman decides to threaten everyone..
By not providing a copy, I have no idea what he is talking about
laws.. I didnt use QRZ..

Maybe some letters to www.dalnet.com should do.

Whatta guy eh?

In article <7hcbe9$7ea$0@199.201.191.2>, deeply@serv.net says...
>
>James Keller wrote:
>
>> In dal.net on IRC (thats the Dalnet network)
>> I find this:
>> Topic set for #amateur_radio is: This is a restricted channel. If I didn't
ask
>> you to join it then you are not welcome in it, no
>> matter who you are. Why is it that way? None of your business,(but you can
>> thank the lying, theiving mormons on
>> xmission.com for it happening)! (KE6YZZ)
>>
>> Ke6YZZ who is now N2GOD. Email him at: n2god@angelfire.com
>>
>> Do we need folks like this controlling our hobby and lifestyle?
>> Please lets have jerks like this create their own channel and leave
>> our hobby alone.
>>
>> In article <7hau7hrii1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, mrguard@iname.com
>> says...
>> >
>> >Hello Everyone.
>> >I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
>> >Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
>> >During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
>> >require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
>> >force me into using my callsign as my nick.
>> >I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on
irc.
>> >Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
>> >via callsign servers.
>> >Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
>> >I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
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>> >In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
>> >do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
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>> >so i moderated then he tried to use
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>> >
>> >Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
>> >
>> >Thanks Again
>> >James
>> >N8KGU
>> >
>> >
>
>You can try #hamradio on EFNet: seems like a quiet channel.
>I'm not a ham and I haven't been harrassed there....
>irc.idle.net and irc.lagged.org are 2 good EFNet servers.
>
>--Deeply Shrouded And Quiet
>
>
>

3634. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37b9c3de.1271087767@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 12 May 1999 12:59:22 GMT, Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote:
>Gary Coffman wrote:
>>
>> The certification falls under Part 15 and deals with spurious
>> emissions by scanning receivers operated above 30 MHz.
>> Since virtually all present amateur VHF+ transceivers have
>> receivers that can scan, they have to be certified. That has
>> nothing to do with transmitter spectral purity, however. The
>> FCC doesn't even require that to be tested by the manufacturer.
>>
>> The individual amateur is solely responsible for that under the
>> Part 97 regulations. A lot of amateurs seem to be under the
>> mistaken impression that the FCC certification means that
>> their radio is clean. It isn't necessarily so. It is solely up to the
>> amateur to assure that his signals are clean.
>>
>> The manufacturer is under no obligation to test for this, though since
>> there is often a lot of commonality between their amateur products
>> and their commercial products, which *do* require Type Acceptance,
>> most of the rigs produced are pretty clean when they leave the factory.
>> But they may not stay clean in use. The manufacturers aren't obligated
>> to idiot proof their amateur equipment. It can still be operated in such
>> a fashion that it is dirty.
>
>
> This just gets curiouser and curiouser. The more that is
>revealed, the scarier it gets. Turns out the only the
>Japanese manufacturers stand between all those
>test/answer-studying word associaters and trash on the ARS
>spectrum.

In some cases, it is true that it is the good design of the
Japanese engineers which accounts for the lack of really
trashy signals on the bands. I'd posit to say that this applies
just as strongly to many of the older higher class amateurs
as it does to the newer ones, however. I offer as witness
a long time Extra, quoted above, who apparently wasn't
even aware of the facts of the matter.

> Let's just instigate a rule requiring them all to buy
>spectrum analyzers.

Oddly enough, in Britain there was a requirement, until
very recently, that amateurs have equipment present in

their stations capable of independently checking the
emissions of their transmitters. The good engineering
practice section of Part 97 implies the same thing for
US amateurs.

A spectrum analyzer is a very convenient tool for performing
these checks, and older laboratory grade ones are inexpensively
available on the surplus market. But a spectrum analyzer isn't
required. A separate tunable general coverage receiver, or a
selective voltmeter (wavemeter, which is what British hams
were required to have), will substitute for the spectrum analyzer,
though it is more tedious to use.

Lord Kelvin stated that if you can't measure a physical quantity,
assign a number to it, then your knowledge of it is of a meager
and unsatisfactory kind. Amateurs, even long time Extras,
should take note of this. If you aren't setup to properly monitor
your own signals, your knowledge of your station's performance
and compliance with good engineering practice is of a meager
and unsatisfactory nature.

>W0EX
>Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.

Unfortunately for that view, quantum mechanics shows us that
Nature is indeed discrete at a fundamental level. The notion that
anything is analog is just an illusion of the statistical properties
of large numbers. This became generally known to the scientific
community around the turn of the last century.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3635. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <0Wk_2.2639$xa.26870@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143096

On Wed, 12 May 1999 13:50:35 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You forgot plagiarizing, he takes credit for antenna designs. He claims
> to have invented the "CLOUDWARMER".
>

Here we go again, George. My, you are truly a simple minded
individual, aren't you? Below is the text of Doc's message regarding
the cloudwarmer:

Subject: a great wire antenna
From: radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs)
Date: 1999/05/08
Message-ID: <19990508080310.08242.00000978@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
[More Headers]
I use a homebrewed Cloudwarmer on 20 meters and actually it's a two
element fixed wire Yagi that beams straight up to saturate the
ionsophere with RF. It has enormous gain over any conventional dipole
or vertical. If anyone's interested, I have an instruction sheet
printed up. You simply can't believe how well this antenna works. For a
copy of the sheet, send NO MONEY but just a self-addressed STAMPED size
ten envelope and I'll send it. SEND NO MONEY! If
you've ever heard about the NVIS antennas on which the military is
experimenting, the Cloudwarmer is an example of it.
radiosigs@aol.com Doc

Now, anyone can see that he never claimed to have invented it. In
fact, he mentions that the military is experimenting with the antenna
as well. So, once again, your attempts to spread disinformation are
exposed before the world. Further, your attempts are so feeble that I
would encourage the Barf/Stumpjumpers to distance themselves from you,
as your ineptitude certainly does more harm than good to their cause.

Have a nice day!
Smurf69
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3636. Re: KH2D a Moronic Troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512154751.09677.00002291@ng-da1.aol.com>
Source record: 143097

<< ubject: KH2D a Moronic Troll
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Date: Wed, May 12, 1999 5:42 PM
Message-id: <7hceicfli1@nnrp1.deja.com>

Hey fatso, there are other reasons for using lpwa besides the one your chicken ass thinks of first.

Lpwa caches pages sent through it to speed up your connection to the net by not having to refer to the original all the time.

Of course a waste of food resources, radio spectrum and internet bandwidth like you wouldn't give a flying crap about effiency.

Why don't you tell us how how hard it is to be DX and why we should foot the bill for your QSL, while you sit out there in the sun under the US defense aegis, avoiding taxes and filing a FEMA claim everytime it gets windy.

Better yet, go eat until you explode, you fat slob.
>>Good Lord, there certainly is a lot of dissension on this net, or forum or message board(which ever you prefer). Cool it mf_luden before you get ulcers. And does that "mf" cyberspace appellation of yours stand for what I think it does? AF2Y Doc

3637. Re: KH2D a Moronic Troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hcr4aqao1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143098

In article <19990512154751.09677.00002291@ng-da1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> >>Good Lord, there certainly is a lot of dissension on this net, or forum or
> message board(which ever you prefer). Cool it mf_luden before you get ulcers.

Good advice, although in my defense, I was only "sharing what I know" so
his Guamian Rotundity could "learn what he doesn't". It's such a dang
catchy slogan.

> And does that "mf" cyberspace appellation of yours stand for what I think it
> does? AF2Y Doc

Right, Martin Fitzsimmons.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3638. KH2D a troll? MF_LOSER, King of the Trolls!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hcr6eqbh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143099

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> Hey fatso, there are other reasons for using lpwa besides the one your
> chicken ass thinks of first.

The biggest troll on rec.radio.amateur.* is *you*, MF_LOSER, hiding
behind your phony LPWA address. Whatta jerk!

We could all play that game if we didn't have the balls to identify
ourselves! Maybe you got none.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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3639. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <926542512.848.31@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143100

Hi Robinson, the morse code link on your site doesn't work. At least when I
just tried it anyway. Very nice site by the way.

73,
Tom

In article <bZ8_2.2668$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>, "robinson"
<rc@crusoe.org> wrote:
>You need flame retardant clothing in this newsgroup, Joseph, but all you
>gotta do is killfile the authors of unwarranted flames... though sometimes
>even the grouches will teach you a thing or two even if they don't mean to.
>
>Find a copy of QST somewhere... the League publishes a lot of books that
>will help you out in just about any niche within the broader context of ham
>radio. I suggest starting with the ARRL Handbook for Radio Amateurs, updated
>yearly. This is kind of an encyclopaedia of Amateur Radio. No real need to
>get a new one every year... if you get one about every three years you
>really won't miss much as most articles last about that long.
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>---------------------------------
>Robinson in San Benito TX
>A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
>By the Border By the Sea
>
>Meet a Redneck!
>See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
>Build your own Web Page!
>Get your Ham License!
>
>For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying
>in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
>http://crusoe.org
>---
>
>
>Joseph Merfalen wrote in message <37260044.63A7DFA3@engr.csulb.edu>...
>>I am located in Long Beach Ca. Thank you for understanding where I am
>>coming from.
>>I am a student at California State Univ. Long Beach and I am majoring in
>>Electrical Engineering. I am always studying it seems and when I studied
>>for the exam I did it all on my own. I do not know one person who is into
>>ham radio. No friends or family at all. I was simply interested in it so I
>>bought a book and studied on my own. I passed the exam the first time and I

>>am curently learning morse code with a program on my computer. I want to
>>upgrade to at least Tech Plus. I thought that this hobby was a learn as you
>>go type of thing. It actually adds to my fun having to learn all of these
>>things. Like I said I do not know anyone personnaly that I can ask these
>>questions. I thought what better place to ask questions that this
>>Newsgroup. Then people like Joe pop up and belittle newbies like myself.
>>Joe, I do not have the luxury of being surrounded by experienced HAM
>>operators. Please believe me when i say I am brand new to this hobby. I
>>literally woke up one day and said "I would like to get into amateur
>>radio". So I went to radio Shack and I bought the book and began studying.
>>I would like to thank all of the fellow hams that have sent me e-mail with
>>answers to my questions. I appreciate all of you. Even you Joe. To everyone
>>i wish 73's...God bless you all. joseph merfalen...KF6VVQ
>>
>>Jesper Kristiansen wrote:
>>
>>> Why not help him instead of scare him !!!!!!!!!!!!, what a HAM fellow.
>>> To Joseph, where are you located ?.
>>>
>>> Jesper
>>> W6KTO
>>>
>>> Joe wrote:
>>>
>>> > How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license without learning
>>> > even this most basic operating procedure?
>>> >
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>>
>
>

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

3640. FS GE desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512170139.28642.00002528@ng33.aol.com>
Source record: 143101

Looks like a Shure 444 except is beige in color. Good condition. $30 plus shipping.

3641. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512171727.07411.00002426@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 143102

<< Subject: Re: In Defense Of AF2Y
From: "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com>
Date: Wed, May 12, 1999 7:48 PM
Message-id: <0Wk_2.2639$xa.26870@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>

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as your ineptitude certainly does more harm than good to their cause.

Have a nice day!
Smurf69
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything >>
<<Smurfele daling..I luv you. Oy vey, what a head you got on your shoulders!
It's a mitzvah knowing you. Bless you my son for coming to my rescue. Oy, day
do nuttin' but pick on me. Maybe as a present I could send you an onion bagel

mit cream cheese, lox and a slice tomato?
Your loyal fan,
Doc AF2Y

3642. To REAL DEAL & Jim Martin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512173053.07411.00002433@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 143103

BOTH OF YOU SHOULD GAY COCKIN,YOU MEESKEIT BASTARDS.
THE NEXT TIME YOU SIT ON THE TOILET, IT SHOULD FEEL LIKE YOU'RE PASSING
WATERMELONS. IF YOU SAY ANYTHING ELSE ABOUT MINE CLOUDWARMER,YOU'LL GET WORKED
OVER BY ME SO HARD,YOU'LL WISH YOU TOOK UP BALLET INSTEAD OF HAM RADIO.

3643. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: the_butler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3739f905.4047116@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143104

Yep... Thought I was safe for a reason...

-N1OQF
Ed

On Tue, 11 May 1999 21:59:43 -0800, "Nick Meacher"
<kajent@ptialaska.net> wrote:

>I have carried mine on several occasions without a problem. It depends
>which airport you go through.
>
>Several months ago there was an article in one of the major newspapers or on
>the news about the fact that the personnel who do airport security are paid
>just above minimum wage - so what do you expect.
>
>Actually I know some people who are airport security staff, they are only
>paid about $6.50/hr.....
>

"The Butler" Thanks You and goodnite...

The powers not delegated to the United States by the
Constitution nor prohibited by it to the States, are
reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

"Ultimately, most problems can be solved by applying a large
brick to the correct skull. Difficulties arise when you don't
have a brick or can't find the right skull. The devil is always
in the details." --Marcus Cole

Zero Tolerance: the politically correct term for zero thought, zero common sense.

3644. For Sale: Kenwood TS-450S/AT in *Excellent* Condition!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steve.w3sy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7hd14v$724$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143105
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: Kenwood TS-450S/AT in excellent cosmetic, mechanical, and electronic condition. Looks practically new! Includes internal automatic antenna tuner. Has cascaded CW filers in each IF for RAZOR SHARP CW selectivity. If you are looking for a TS-450S/AT, this one would be an excellent choice. Hot receiver! Selling because I plunked down some big bux for a more expensive rig.

Power cable, manuals included.

Selling for $850, and will split cost of shipping and insurance to continental USA.

73, Steve W3SY Jarrettsville, MD

STEVE.W3SY@EROLS.COM

3645. Need Kenwood TK 320 and 340's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald E. Smith" <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <373A0DF4.744DBEE7@innercite.com>
Source record: 143106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I am trying to locate a small quantity of Kenwood TK-340 or 320 UHF
walkie talkies in the 450 frequency range. Also can use a couple of
rapid chargers and some as-is radios for parts.
Please respond by email. Thanks Don KB6GQA

3646. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: George White <deeply@serv.net>
Message-ID: <7hd42osta0@199.201.191.2>
Source record: 143107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Rick Todd wrote:

> You wont find that problem in #cqdx on the othernet servers. Come on over some
> time for good chat and real time dx spots.
>
> James Keller wrote:
>
> > Hello Everyone.
> > I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
> > Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
> > During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
> > require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
> > force me into using my callsign as my nick.
> > I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on irc.
> > Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
> > via callsign servers.
> > Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
> > I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
> > Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
> > saying that it is his channel.
> > In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
> > do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
> > plus:
> > <AH6KA> he came with nick and said he wudnt use his call and gave me static
> > so i moderated then he tried to use
> > both calls
> > <othercall> you gave him static
> > <othercall> he stated what both calls were.
> > <AH6KA> i shoulld have just kicked his ass
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> > Is this how decent we want ambassadors of our hobby to be to hams and
> > to those interested in our hobby?
> > Several attempts were to tell Don that the hobby has enough problems on
> > 40 meters as well as losing folks to irc and the internet.
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> > Does everyone accept the fact that folks like Don can deem the channel private
> > and alienate everyone from the hobby?
> > My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
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> > I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
> > feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
> >
> > You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net

> >
> > Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
> >
> > Thanks Again
> > James
> > N8KGU

If I wanted to be a real pain in the kiester, I could hook my irc network into dalnet and make his life hell.
That's only if I want to be a pain in the kiester. I figure it this way...as long as he don't harrass me, I won't
have to drop his client every time he logs on. :)

--Deeply Shrouded And Quiet

3647. Rig is being held for buyer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steve.w3sy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7hd53esql1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143108
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Holding rig for buyer who is sending deposit.

3648. For Sale: Kenwood DSP-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steve.w3sy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7hd5ok$33r$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143109
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale: RARE Kenwood DSP-100. Works with Kenwood TS450, 850, etc.
Excellent, like-new condition. This unit can tailor your SSB signal to make
it sound like anything from a broadcast station to a sharp, narrow signal
for DX, pileups, contests, etc. by adjusting high and low cutoff
frequencies. Adds unwanted-sideband and carrier suppression!

Also can shape CW waveform.

Also sets high and low cutoff frequencies on receive, but does its best work
on transmit!

Sell for $400, and I'll split shipping cost to continental USA.

73,
Steve W3SY
Steve.W3SY@EROLS.COM

Jarrettsville, MD

3649. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spike <spike@eyeball.org>
Message-ID: <CCE1FAAA77B2D602.87FB783728CED2CB.A03D9920CA034C88@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 143110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

If #hamradio was started and ran by someone who insists that you use your callsign then sorry,
you either need to abide by his rules or leave the channel.
It is his channel you know, he can do whatever he wants in HIS channel.
I agree though, I sure the hell don't want people on the internet knowing who I am.
If I posted my callsign here, then someone could easily look me up, find my home # and address.
I don't want a bunch of internet freaks knowing who I am or where I live as the internet has proven
itself extremely dangerous with some of the kooks out there.

3650. High Gain Antenna for HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: TheLoad@webtv.net
Message-ID: <16727-373A1C6A-151@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143111

HI

I was wondering if anyone could point me in the right direction .

I have a Kenwood TH-G71 Radio.

I'm Looking for a good Dual band Antenna , to add some sound quality and distance to my radio.

Looking to keep the price under 75.00 preferably under 50.

Any help or suggestions would greatly be appreciated.

--- 73 ----
-- TOM --

3651. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <373A231E.D9EFB102@innocent.com>
Source record: 143112

It might be wise, and even fun, to investigate both sides of the
story:

http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv052993.html

http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv060593.html

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

3652. FS: Motorola MTX 800 & 810

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#orblCOn#GA.213@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola MTX 800 & 810 (Used & Working)
2 800Mhz MTX 800 Type I 1:SYS 1:SUB Model H25JGB5170_N $125.00ea + Shipping
Comes with Antenna
2 800Mhz MTX 810 Type I 2:SYS 3:SUB Model H25JBF51B4_N $150.00ea + Shipping
Comes with Antenna & Belt Clip
1 800Mhz MTX 810 Type I 6:SYS 3:SUB Model H25JBF51B4_N $160.00 + Shipping
Comes Key Pad Front Has Missing * Button.& Antenna

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3653. Re: Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7hdaa5$13k$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143114

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990512203014.10981.00001249@ng-cs1.aol.com>...
urt, my secret agents report you're one of the finest hams to ever hold a
>ticket and so I urge you to forge on to the bitter end and we two shall
march
>to the glorious refrains of
>"Sunrise Sunset."
>AF2Y Doc

Of course your agents are correct.

Burt

3654. Why flux lows longer than highs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <461-373A318F-88@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143115

Anyone notice that when we get a low point in the solar flux. it lasts for days....if not weeks.

But when we get a peak, it's usually only for a few hours.

A couple of weeks ago, we hung around a flux of 100 for a couple of weeks. When the flux decided to go back up, it went to around 170...but only for a few hours.

Why doesn't the flux remain at a peak for as long as it stays at a low?

Jr.

3655. WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <461-373A3303-90@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143116

Not only did WA9KJI make a monkey out of Riley two weeks ago, by DARING W. Riley Hollingsworth to do something to him....which, of course, Riley didn't. But tonight, May 12, Mr. Castle is using these W. Riley Hollingsworth approved words:

shit
fuck
bastard
faggot
asshole
jack-off/hand-job

This, of course, opens the floodgate for the rest of the amateur outlaw community. If W. Riley tries to harrass you, just cite the David Castle case and have your lawyer scream: "SELECTIVE ENFORCEMENT!!!"

Jr.

3656. Re: Help with Motorola P110 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gery Jakub <gxj119@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <373A463D.C8D9F555@psu.edu>
Source record: 143117
Cross-posted to:
alt.firefighters,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

the button is programmed to ignore a pl or dcs tone when the light turns
yellow. it only is yellow for the four seconds to let you know you are
in the monitor mode.

Igor wrote:

> Jason wrote <926009733.400.12@news.remarQ.com> ...
> >Greetings. I just acquired a used Motorola P 110 ht. The radio did
> not come
> >with an instruction manual. I have one nagging problem with it.
> There is a
> >small round button above the PTT button that doesn't seem to do
> much of
> >anything once pressed. On my other radios, this is a monitor
> button. On
> >this radio, when I press this button, a yellow light comes on for 4
> seconds
> >in front of the volume control. Can anyone offer any insight as to
> what this
> >is for? I wrote Motorola about it but got the cold shoulder I
> guess because
> >I bought it used. I dunno. Any help is appreciated
>
> Dunno how to program your P-110 and would like to do it yourself?
> Need software and homebrew programmer?
> Let me know by E-mail and you'll get it.
> Igor

3657. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373A4706.D96B0577@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143118

They may say they're for "the dignity of every man," Doc,
but their actions say differently.

The ADL, like the NAACP, actually
champions causes for their particular ethnic group only.
And then only for politically liberal/leftist members of that group.
All other cases get lip-service or even less.
If I -a politically right caucasian male of european decent-
asked for their help for myself,
they would most likely lead the parade
to light the bonfire to which I had been staked.
When will we see the ADL defend a white Southern Baptist
republican running for congress who's been defamed by
a bigoted leftist media?
When Hell is frozen solid and Satan takes up ice fishing.

It's currently fashionable to blame all evil on us WASP males,
but Bigotry and Hatred come in every color, Doc.
Every race, creed, color and sex has their fair share of bigots.

Since the dawn of humanity, people have sought a "boogieman"
on whom they can blame their miserable lives and foolish choices.
Jews, blacks, asians, hispanics, caucasions, Hootoos, Tootsies, males-
we all get a turn as the scapegoat of the hour.
The choice of "primary oppressed group" depends on
who's in power at the time and what they gain by
picking one group as the focus of hatred over another.

Until humans understand that the only person in the universe
who can cure their misery looks back at them from the mirror,
hate will fester and grow.
I won't hold my breath waiting for the big change.
Blaming it on "honkey" is so much easier.

In the mean time, I think I'll reserve my personal support
for an organization that actually *does*
respect the dignity of all.
If I ever find one.....

Regards,
Dave Stinson AB5S

3658. Re: FS 2-meter rigs, mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmiller@fix.net
Message-ID: <37394579.249466@news.fix.net>
Source record: 143136

These units have been sold. Thanks to all who
answered.

73 de Harry Miller KB6CGGOn Fri, 07 May 1999 12:10:55 GMT,
hmiller@fix.net (Harry Miller) wrote:

>Hello, this is Harry Miller KB6CGG in sunny California.
>I have a couple of 2-meter rigs:
>
> Kenwood TM 2350A with mike and manual
>
> Azden 4000 with manual, no mike
>
>Price $66.66 ea plus UPS
>
>If interested, email me hmiller@fix.net
>
>Tnx es 73, Harry Miller KB6CGG

3659. FS:Uniden Trunk Tracker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan <catdoc@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3738CD5B.7D767457@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143137

I have a brand new Uniden BC235xlt Handheld Trunk Tracker Scanner..It comes with two ni-cad rechargeable batteries and charger..I want $150.00 plus the shipping cost.

3660. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hajurldh0@208.207.71.141>
Source record: 143138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dana Myers K6JQ wrote:
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> Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> > Has this caused any serious problem?? If not, it's more a
> > feature of the fact that many of those 2kw licenses people
> > use low power HT's and other 40-50 watt output VHF rigs
> > which the Japanese engineered to be clean of spurious
> > products. And of course, the fact that FCC demands type
> > acceptance of these and other commercial rigs before they
> > are marketed.
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> Actually, Dick, you're a little mistaken. The FCC does *not* demand
> type acceptance of VHF/UHF radios. There are requirements for
> certification and notification, but not type acceptance. Further,
> the FCC requirements of certification/notification only apply to
> the *receivers* of these VHF/UHF radios. Amateur service regulations
> impose strict purity requirements, but there is no type acceptance
> required for the transmitters. The FCC requires certification or
> notification of unwanted receiver radiation, and this applies to
> all VHF/UHF receivers, not just the receivers in amateur radio
> equipment.
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> The only type acceptance required for amateur radio equipment is
> for external HF power amplifiers.
>
> Amateurs are free to build and modify transmitters without being
> subject to type acceptance.
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Hi Dana, Thanks for that clarification between full type
acceptance and FCC certification of receivers. I wasn't
aware that was the extent of FCC's interest in ham V/UHF
gear. Seems odd that they wouldn't be at least as concerned
with what the transmitter itself outputs, but evidently
their spectral purity requirements cover that. And it is
often presented by vendor/manufacturers in their ads as
though it was full type acceptance-with statements like
"this unit has not been approved for sale by the FCC as of
this time". Requirements for spectral purity are probably
about as strict as if it was, with just the label changed
since this is Amateur radio.

Dick W0EX

3661. In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990511211732.23426.00000734@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 143139

Dear Doc,

Somebody recently told me that you were "a lying, stinking, Christian-hating,
homosexual, communist/marxist Jew bastard pus-bag asshole".

I stuck up for you and defended you. I set this guy straight.
I told him that "AF2Y does NOT stink".

You're quite welcome.

3662. Re: Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <ux5_2.2239$xa.23308@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143140

Do you want the latest info on all your favorite Cape Cawd hams ? Then
you need the Drudgery Report, updated as ham drivel unfolds.

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3663. FCC Anti Dentites ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <ZD5_2.2247$xa.23522@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143141

With all the recent hullabaloo over Doc and friends, and in light of
the FCC's own little Dirty Digest fiasco, the editors wonder whether
the FCC and ARRL might have a grudge against the dentic community ?

73, Bill
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3664. Timewave at Dayton, Booth 111, but not on List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: rgawtry@timewave.com
Message-ID: <7har73$686$1@news.minn.net>
Source record: 143142
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.packet,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

We have had a flood of inquiries about not having a booth at the Dayton Hamvention, because we are not listed on "The final list of 1999 Hamvention Exhibitors" on the Hamvention website. Timewave will definitely be at Dayton at Booth 111. We registered late and it appears the "final list" is the last one they posted, but does not have all the exhibitors who may have registered late. (I notice Kantronics is not on the list either, but I don't know if they will have a booth or not.)

Check our website (www.timewave.com) for any late info on new products (PK-232/DSP Multimode Controller, PK-900/DSP upgrade, DSP-232 Pactor upgrade, PC Pakratt 2.1 software upgrade) that we will introduce at Dayton.

Stop at Booth 111 to see the new goodies and a software demonstration. Peter, KC0CLY and Randy, K0CBH will man the Timewave booth.

Thank you all for your support.

73,
Randy Gawtry, K0CBH
Timewave Technology Inc.
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3665. Re: VOTER circuit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <se6_2.2299$xa.23582@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143143

Uusually voters are associated with districts, while judges are
associated with circuits. Either way, I don't see what this has to do
with QST or ham radio.

73, Bill
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3666. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37b0efa5.1216750556@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143144
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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The certification falls under Part 15 and deals with spurious
emissions by scanning receivers operated above 30 MHz.
Since virtually all present amateur VHF+ transceivers have
receivers that can scan, they have to be certified. That has
nothing to do with transmitter spectral purity, however. The
FCC doesn't even require that to be tested by the manufacturer.

The individual amateur is solely responsible for that under the
Part 97 regulations. A lot of amateurs seem to be under the
mistaken impression that the FCC certification means that
their radio is clean. It isn't necessarily so. It is solely up to the
amateur to assure that his signals are clean.

The manufacturer is under no obligation to test for this, though since
there is often a lot of commonality between their amateur products
and their commercial products, which *do* require Type Acceptance,
most of the rigs produced are pretty clean when they leave the factory.
But they may not stay clean in use. The manufacturers aren't obligated
to idiot proof their amateur equipment. It can still be operated in such
a fashion that it is dirty.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3667. Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrguard@iname.com
Message-ID: <7hau7hrii1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hello Everyone.
I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
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You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net

Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.

Thanks Again
James
N8KGU

3668. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: mrguard@iname.com
Message-ID: <7hb0b0$ht8$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 143146
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

In dal.net on IRC (thats the Dalnet network)
I find this:
Topic set for #amateur_radio is: This is a restricted channel. If I didn't ask
you to join it then you are not welcome in it, no
matter who you are. Why is it that way? None of your business,(but you can
thank the lying, theiving mormons on
xmission.com for it happening)! (KE6YZZ)

Ke6YZZ who is now N2GOD. Email him at: n2god@angelfire.com

Do we need folks like this controlling our hobby and lifestyle?
Please lets have jerks like this create their own channel and leave
our hobby alone.

In article <7hau7hrii1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, mrguard@iname.com
says...
>
>Hello Everyone.
>I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
>Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
>During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
>require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
>force me into using my callsign as my nick.
>I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on irc.
>Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
>via callsign servers.
>Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
>I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
>Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
>saying that it is his channel.
>In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
>do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
>plus:
><AH6KA> he came with nick and said he wudnt use his call and gave me static
>so i moderated then he tried to use
> both calls
><othercall> you gave him static
><othercall> he stated what both calls were.
><AH6KA> i shoulld have just kicked his ass
>
>Is this how decent we want ambassadors of our hobby to be to hams and
>to those interested in our hobby?
>Several attempts were to tell Don that the hobby has enough problems on
>40 meters as well as losing folks to irc and the internet.

>
>Does everyone accept the fact that folks like Don can deem the channel
private
>and alienate everyone from the hobby?
>My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
>
>I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
>feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
>
>You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net
>
>Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
>
>Thanks Again
>James
>N8KGU
>
>

3669. W7AQ, Washington State Ham Convention & Hamfest, Yakima, Wa May 22,23

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <373911a4.2855031@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 143147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

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James Fenstermaker K9JF--ARRL NW Division Vice Director
Dean Straw N6BV--ARRL Senior Assistant Technical Editor
Kyle Pugh KA7CSP--Eastern Washington Section Manager
Jack Babbitt WA5ZAY--Eastern Washington Emergancy Coordinator

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3670. Re: *** How do you remove "DIODES"? ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <9Z8_2.2666$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143148

First of all, is operating on your newly accessible frequencies legal? Are you a MARS operator? I have to tell you, operating out of band is not a trivial offense, and while you may well get away with it for a while, should you get caught you are looking at paying a couple grand, losing your rig, and suspension, restriction, or even revocation of your ticket.

I once used an opened-up TS-50S on CB. While I had the box open, I also reduced the low power setting to just under 4 measured watts out. As long as I was transmitting AM full carrier, USB, or LSB fone, my signal was no different than any high quality CB rig. I observed the max power output, 4W AM and 12W SSB, I did not overdrive the audio, used no wierd sound effects like roger beeps, reverb, etc, and operated responsibly. However, technically I was in violation as the rig was NOT type accepted for Citizen's Band. This was illegal. Would I have ever got caught? Highly unlikely in view of my operating practices. Nevertheless, I decided to cease, and for a while I had a cheap realistic, unmodified, into an inverted vee.

Now if I had been making an ass o myself, or running a kilowatt, or broadcasting music or RTTY or whatever, causing TVI and pissing people off in general, I have no doubt I would no longer be able to call myself AB5VH.

Consider carefully what you are doing. That said, there are rare circumstances where opening up general coverage XMIT has legitimate uses. You miht have got a better reception with this somewhat trollish question by stating your need or reason for doing this.

The only diodectomy I have ever performed was done with a small pair of dikes. Cut close to the body of the diode. Leaving the stumps makes it easier to find the location in case you ever want to reinstall the diode. You should return normal function to a rig before selling it.

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JHulet wrote in message <19990405045726.17318.00002762@ng122.aol.com>...
>Hello,
>
>I am wondering what is involved in removing diodes? Say if someone was to
>modify a radio and it required a couple of diodes to be removed.... First,
>what tool would be used and what special features would one want in this
tool?
>What is the "hard" part in removing the diodes? Is is just a matter of
using a
>fine tip soldering iron and heating the diode contacts and removing the
diode?
>
>
>Is seems that so many modifications out there today require the removal of
>diodes that I am considering learning the trade...
>
>Thanks again for any light you can shed on the subject...
>
>Jason S. Hulet
>W1WOW
>

3671. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <bZ8_2.2668$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143149

You need flame retardant clothing in this newsgroup, Joseph, but all you gotta do is killfile the authors of unwarranted flames... though sometimes even the grouches will teach you a thing or two even if they don't mean to.

Find a copy of QST somewhere... the League publishes a lot of books that will help you out in just about any niche within the broader context of ham radio. I suggest starting with the ARRL Handbook for Radio Amateurs, updated yearly. This is kind of an encyclopaedia of Amateur Radio. No real need to get a new one every year... if you get one about every three years you really won't miss much as most articles last about that long.

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Joseph Merfalen wrote in message <37260044.63A7DFA3@engr.csulb.edu>...
>I am located in Long Beach Ca. Thank you for understanding where I am
>coming from.
>I am a student at California State Univ. Long Beach and I am majoring in
>Electrical Engineering. I am always studying it seems and when I studied
>for the exam I did it all on my own. I do not know one person who is into
>ham radio. No friends or family at all. I was simply interested in it so I
>bought a book and studied on my own. I passed the exam the first time and I
>am curently learning morse code with a program on my computer. I want to
>upgrade to at least Tech Plus. I thought that this hobby was a learn as you
>go type of thing. It actually adds to my fun having to learn all of these
>things. Like I said I do not know anyone personnaly that I can ask these
>questions. I thought what better place to ask questions that this
>Newsgroup. Then people like Joe pop up and belittle newbies like myself.
>Joe, I do not have the luxury of being surrounded by experienced HAM
>operators. Please believe me when i say I am brand new to this hobby. I
>literally woke up one day and said "I would like to get into amateur
>radio". So I went to radio Shack and I bought the book and began studying.
>I would like to thank all of the fellow hams that have sent me e-mail with
>answers to my questions. I appreciate all of you. Even you Joe. To everyone

>i wish 73's...God bless you all. joseph merfalen...KF6VVQ
>
>Jesper Kristiansen wrote:
>
>> Why not help him instead of scare him !!!!!!!!!!!!, what a HAM fellow.
>> To Joseph, where are you located ?.
>>
>> Jesper
>> W6KTO
>>
>> Joe wrote:
>>
>> > How on earth did you get an Amateur Radio license without learning
>> > even this most basic operating procedure?
>> >
>
>
>

3672. Re: A new ham that needs help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <cZ8_2.2669$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143150

Yeah, the entry book in the ARRL series really gets into a lot of stuff
besides just the exam content. A lot of material there on
buying/getting/building gear, setting up a station, operating practices,
different modes, etc. It costa sbout twice what the G West book costs
though. BTW most Rat Shacks seem to carry "Now You're Talking!" as well as
the West books.

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Tony Pelliccio wrote in message ...
>In article <37260044.63A7DFA3@engr.csulb.edu>, jmerfale@engr.csulb.edu
>says...
>
>> I literally woke up one day and said "I would like to get into amateur
>> radio". So I went to radio Shack and I bought the book and began
studying.
>> I would like to thank all of the fellow hams that have sent me e-mail
with
>> answers to my questions. I appreciate all of you. Even you Joe. To
everyone
>> i wish 73's...God bless you all. joseph merfalen...KF6VVQ
>
>This isn't a slam against the Gordon West books you find at Radio Shack
>but I find they're more rote memorization than actually learning the
>theory.
>
>I'll shamefully admit that right up through 3B I used the West books. For
>my 4A I bought the ARRL book and it really walks you through the theory.
>I won't even say how I did 4B... I'd be too ashamed. :)
>
>Tony
>

3673. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <dZ8_2.2670$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143151
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

That's a great way to practice, FWIW

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Arnie Macy wrote in message ...
>Hey Dan and Tony,
>
>You both are right. I was sending using a straight key to a guy
>(handicapped) who was using a reader. He complimented me on my sending,
>saying "My reader usually can't read a straight key too well"
>
>Regards,
>
>Arnie -
>KT4ST
>
>Tony - GeezerGlide wrote in message
><37219ef4.952865953@client.news.psi.net>...
>>On Fri, 23 Apr 1999 15:21:30 GMT, Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@my-dejanews.com>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>In article <01be8d7b$8508e8c0$da60b6cd@cbx-nt>,
>>> "Christopher Cox" <cobox@netexp.net> wrote:
>>>> Oh, its you again, long time!
>>>>
>>>> I was wondering if the FCC auctioned the frequencies you wanted or not,
>its
>>>> been so long.
>>>>
>>>> Anyhow, no-coders can read CW just fine, isn't technology wonderful.
Now

>>>> please stop posting flame bait. It is obvious what you are trying to
do.
>>>>
>>>> Regards from the thinking part of the Country.
>>>>
>>>> Christopher Cox
>>>>
>>>> radiate <Hate@spam.org> wrote in article
>>>> <7fouog$47m$1@nntp5.atl.mindspring.net>...
>>>> >
>>>> > You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby
>>>> whiners
>>>> > won't know you're talking about them.
>>>> >
>>>> > 73, Have a nice day!
>>>> >
>>>>
>>> You know how to tell if a guy is using a "code reader" ??
>>> Send to him on a bug. Works everytime.
>>>
>>> Dan/W4NTI
>>
>>Or a hand pump. Real brass pounding is a lost art.
>>
>>Tony
>>
>
>

3674. Re: Farnsworth method

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <eZ8_2.2671$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143152

I think I still got it at my site. URL in the sig. I really like the prog, but it is not a no-brainer to set up on a W95/98 machine. It really runs better, for me, on a 486 than a pentium etc. It will run on my 233 MHz notebook, but it took some tweaking.

Not quite as useful IMHO but far easier to set up on a windows machine is Nu-Morse. I got that at my site too. The shareware version only goes up to 10WPM word, 20WPM character speeds. It is a native Windows program and is a nobrainer to install.

One reason so many users like Supermorse besides the fact that it is an excellent program is that many many of us (me too) used it to get our tickets in bygone days when a big HD was 20 Megs and processor speed in MHz was still in the single digits. Oh how smug I was... I'm NEVER gonna fill up THAT hard drive! Well I had to doublespace it a couple months after I bought it, and currently my RAM use is bigger than that old AT's hard drive. So many of us have a slightly biased opinion of this still very nice prog.

Try both. The two of them are the most popular progs. SM can be used to key your rig, BTW with a very simple interface.

HINT: get one of those microcasette recorders and make your own custom tape every other day or so. Carry the machine around with you and get in a minute or two of drill several times a day. Always listen faster than you can copy... if you aren't straining your brain, you are learning slowly if at all.

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Tom@astro.net wrote in message <7g55eb$t8i$2@east43.supernews.com>...
>In article <372611f3.10380496@news.ot.centuryinter.net>, nhoop@centuryinter.net (Nat) wrote:
>>Hi;
>>

>>What's the best software for learning CW via the Farnsworth method?
>>
>>73 Nat NA5NA
>
> Try Supermorse. Just do a web search for it. GREAT program!
>
>73,
>Tom
>
>
>
>
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>

3675. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <fZ8_2.2672$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The press by and large are liberal types who think it is perfectly alrigght to send me off to work and take a crippling amount of my money away from me to give it to people who don't even say thanks. A large protion of them grew up in homes where they learned nothing about guns other than what they see on TV. The press is indeed largely an anti-gun institution, though I have yet to hear a reasonable plan for disarming the criminals come from that sector. They want to disarm the honest man, and I guess not take the primary tool for earning a living from the poor, oppressed, misunderstood criminal.

The press, whether intentional or not, has acted as an agent provocateur in spreading the latest fad of shooting up schools.

"The people will not understand the importance of the Second Ammendment until it is too late." -Thomas Jefferson-

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Oris wrote in message <37231801.3F1D@dirtball.com>...
>Hello,
>I bet you could get alot of ducks with a MAC-10. At least you wouldn't
>go home without anything if you used a MAC-10!
> All kidding aside I do beleive that the press wants to disarm the
>public. I mean the system failed these two brats in Littleton. I have
>heard cryes that the Constitution is to old and needs to be revised.
>Bullhockey! I want to know what is different about 1953 1959 1969 1973
>1999 as far as the Constitution is concered? Boy I would love to hear
>the press cry if they where to say that freedom of the press is now
>illeagal. That Bill of Rights has made this nation the great power that
>it is. I say don't fix whats not broken. The fact that there are so many
>guns in the USA is what keeps other contries from invading the USA.
> I would sujest we look at the real problem here. Its the teachers of
>the schools today (I bet they are afraid that they are going to be sued

>for caring to much) , and the students themselves. I think that the
>students need to be tought a little love and tolerance. What ever
>happened to the Plege of Alegance, what ever happened to school prayer?
>What is this seperation of church and state? If this is true why is In
>God We Trust on our money? I know In God We Trust all others pay cash!HA
>HA! I remember back in 1st grade there was a student had a religous
>reason for not particapating they didn't. I remember what it was like to
>be a teenager in high school back in Aberdeen. It was hard! I was
>littler then everyone! I would say more has to be done about mentoring
>trouble kids. The kids that seem to be getting into all this rype of
>trouble are the kids that all the more popular kids pick on. Its always
>the kids who play sports or the good looking kids that seem to get all
>the attention. Thats the real problem not weather or not kids can get
>guns or not. Back in my old neighborhood we all had guns and nobody was
>killed or even wonded. A window got put out once but that was stupidy
>nothing more.
> Thats Just My Opinion I Could Be Wrong!
>
> 73 Oris
>--
>
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
>97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3676. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <gZ8_2.2673$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Actually, IMHO the Mini-14 is more reliable than most AR-15s. A genuine Colt or a really good custom AR-15 are okay, but most of the socalled "kit guns" are pretty shoddy. Earlier examples of this general design had atrocious reputations for feeding failures.

Therefore, while cosmetically the Mini-14 is not a "black gun", and is widely used for hunting, pest control, etc, it would actually be slightly "deadlier" than the AR-15.

Funny thing is, a 223 doesn't sound like a cannon at all, or is it just me?

A trained and armed security guard would have had a fair chance of dropping those two snot-nosed brats before they had offed so many innocent kids. What kind of security is a fat bald guy with a uniform? I know... it is illegal (that can be fixed) to posess a gun in a school, and guns are barbaric, and two wrongs don't make a right, but given a choice between two dead kids who were the attackers and a whole bunch of them who were victims, the arithmetic isn't hard to figure out. Flame away. I can take it.

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Arnie Macy wrote in message ...
>Mark,
>
>It did involve semi-automatic pistols, but by far, the most damage was
>inflicted by "Maddox" who was armed with a mini-14. It took a shotgun
blast
>at close range to finally stop him. Officers at the scene said it sounded
>like a cannon every time he fired it (mini-14) at them. Anyone who has
been
>in war, or involved in a shooting knows what that sounds like.
>

>I guess my point here is the same as yours. If an AR-15 and a Mini-14 use
>the same round, what sense does it make to "ban" one and not the other.
>They both kill equally effectively. Unless we ban ALL weapons, banning
just
>the ones that "look" bad won't do any good at all. And we all know that
>banning all weapons is never going to happen. The Congress should stop
>playing political games with this issue and deal with the real problem.
The
>people behind the guns.
>
>Regards,
>
>Arnie -
>KT4ST
>
>Mark A. Fuller wrote in message <372896a5.97731591@news.primenet.com>...
>>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 04:14:33 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
>><JEwU2.12497$oH.3338026@news3.mia>) wrote:
>>
>>>Not to carry this thread on forever, but there was a weapon banned that
>used
>>>the same caliber round as the mini-14. It was cosmetically different and
>I
>>>suspect that's why it received the attention. Do you recall what weapon
>it
>>>was? It was mentioned in the law enforcement critique of the Florida FBI
>>>shooting, but I can't recall the name - brand - etc.
>>
>>No, I don't know what guns were used in that shooting and it's not too
>>clear what was banned since most of them have reappeared with cosmetic
>>changes. :) The mini-14 uses the .223. The only gun that comes to
>>mind that was banned (until cosmetics were altered) is the AR-15 (M-16
>>look-alike). It might have been that one but I didn't realize the
>>Florida shooting involved rifles. I thought it was machine-pistols
>>(Uzis and Mac-10s), but I don't know.
>>
>>It's all senseless since the Mini-14 without bayonete, flash
>>supressor, pistol grip and folding stock, would have killed just as
>>effectively as the AR-15.
>>
>>Mark
>>
>>Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
>>http://www.2ndlawlib.org/
>
>

3677. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <hZ8_2.2674$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'm sure as hell glad we don't equip our troops with these so-called
"assault weapons". You couldn't assault a well defended outhouse with them
if faced with selective-fire equipped defenders.

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3678. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <iZ8_2.2675$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hey this is getting interesting, Cecil. An off-topic thread on guns turning into a thread on CW...

-Robinson-
http://crusoe.org
(armed with a 45 ACP and a semiautomatic vibroplex assault key, pre-ban.)

W6RCecilA wrote in message <3723DAF2.49C3@ibm.net>...
>Dick Carroll wrote:
>> And who said anything about ignoring better emergency
>> modes??? But we'll have one that you codehaters won't.
>
>I'm not a code hater, Dick, I'm a code lover. CW is my favorite mode.
>But I've got better sense than to rely on CW for emergencies. If I
>ever use CW for an emergency for the entire rest of my life, I promise
>to mail you a $1000 check and eat crow for a week.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3679. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <iZ8_2.2676$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Well said, Dick. One good gun is worth a hell of a lot of bad ones.

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Dick Carroll wrote in message <7gfv1n$6r1$0@208.207.71.149>...
>Reg Edwards wrote:
>>
>> Gary, how many firearms do you or your family own ?
>> ---
>> Reg.
>
>
> Hey, Reg--If you choose well it only takes one.
>
> That is the folly of so much concern surrounding "numbers
>of guns" owned by any one individual...he can only use one
>at at time anyway.
(snip)

3680. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <jZ8_2.2677$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hey Cecil, I'm a Texan, and I prefer a compact 1911 variant. I would rather carry one than two of them even if I had one tricked out for lefthand use. Two ratchet guns of meaningful calibre would be especially hard to conceal...

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W6RCecilA wrote in message <372B8C79.D280F84E@IEEE.org>...
>Dick Carroll wrote:
>> That is the folly of so much concern surrounding "numbers
>> of guns" owned by any one individual...he can only use one
>> at at time anyway.
>
>That may be true for you damned Yankees, Dick, but us Texans
>like to pack a six-shooter on each hip, one for each hand.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3681. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <kZ8_2.2678$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I don't understand... how does a ban on concealed weapons stop criminals from having them? It only stops those with an irrational (it would seem at times) obsession with obeying the law from having them. In other words, the only people who will turn them in are those who obey and support the law, any law, no matter what, because it is the law. The criminal by definition doesn't give a rats ass about the law.

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Ken Harrison wrote in message <371ED1BD.83F5CBD1@cds1.net>...
>w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> BUT unless there is a total national
>> ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and cut
>> down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
>
>Yeah, yeah... just like the ban on illegal drugs has stopped
>drug addict criminals from getting coke, heroine, marijuana, etc...
>
>oops, sorry... ham radio here...

3682. Re: ❓Radio that receives Worldwide stations?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <aZ8_2.2667$Yy4.70242@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.talk

I bought a Sony in Yokohama I was quite pleased with, except for the archaic slide rule tuning. Cost: $29.95 (Navy Exchange... I had priveleges because I was on an MSC ship) One of my favorite sets is the YachtBoy 400. Retail... around $169. The only $1000 sets I have ever bought were ham transcievers, most of which are fine for SWLing. Yeah you can spend $1000 even $5000 for a really classy reciever, but most of us don't care to spend that kind of money and find sub $200 receivers quite good enough.

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twelch749@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7fcsi0$7rc$1@nnrp1.dejanews.com>...
>Chris, thank you for this post! Most of us
>don't realize how blessed we are and that
>the vast majority of folks in this world
>have never even seen, let alone used, a
>telephone.
>
>I love my Sangean ATS 909 and Ten Tec RX 320
>radios and would be lost without these tools.
>You don't need to spend fortune to be well
>informed.
>
>Tom Welch
>
>
>In article <p9PR2.237$2z3.77852@news4.atl>,
> remove, spam, hater, to, reply wrote:
>> HI there
>> Nope You don't have to go out and buy a $1000 radio to hear shortwave
>> stations . Depending on where you live a simple little radio from Radio

>> Shack would work just fine for you in a lot of cases.
>> Ummm I can't speak for overall quality of the various overseas
>> broadcasters but since we are talking about stations that are usually
>> very very far away the quality will not be like your cd for the most
>> part excepting the major broadcasters such as Voice of
>> America,BBC,Deutsche Welle,and possibly Radio France Intl.For a idea on
>> what it is and what it sounds like I have some RealAudio files of
>> various stations I have heard here at my location loaded up on my
>> website.Some will be of good quality some may not be that cd quality
>> you are asking about.It all has to do with things called propagation
>> ,transmitter wattage ,direction the signal is beamed and propagation(how
>> the signals are being reflected back to earth to you).The files I have
>> were recorded off an older tube type radio called a Drake R-4A and as
>> such the receiving ability is a bit limited but does serve the purpose
>> :) If you have RealPlayer 5.0 or the newer G2 you can hear these
>> audioclips I have put up at
>>
>> http://members.tripod.com/~swlchris/index.html
>>
>> This will give you an idea of what can be heard using a basic setup that
>> was under 200 dollars us.Also in there is some info on how get started
>> listening to shortwave stations and while some may laugh at that info
>> it is how I got started :)
>> Contrary to popular belief the majority of SW broadcasters will be using
>> radiowaves instead of pc lines for sometime to come because the simple
>> fact is majority of world population doesn't have telephones or
>> computers let alone internet service.Live in a third world country in
>> middle of nowhere and you might see that fact.Hell even batteries are
>> sometimes hard to come by there :)
>> Until those usually extremely poor countries get a basic Westernised
>> infrastructure complete with non interuppted power,basic telecoms, and
>> someone who is willing to buy a ton of computers for the general
>> population and then figure out how to get win 95 to recognise the
>> native language I can't picture the SW broadcasters relying exclusively
>> on internet feeds.
>> Only the more modernised countries are clamoring for this new internet
>> radio thingy but take away their phonelines,powerlines,computers and
>> asdl or cable modems and they would be relying on an old radio too :)
>> Truth be told I rarely if ever use my RealPlayer to listen to stations
>> on the Internet because it sucks to have the little net congestion
>> thingy show up all the time.I would rather hear a bit of fading but no
>> 1 or 2 minute interruptions on a Sangean ATS803a :) Not to mention half
>> the stations I chase after aren't anywhere near an Internet Service
>> Provider :))))))
>> Chris
>>
>> --
>> Remove spam hater to reply
>> Monitoring in Kentucky with Drake R-4A\Sangean ATS-803A\Realistic
>> DX-160\Realistic DX-380\Hallicrafters SW-500

>> 21 ft vertical \60 ft v antenna
>> HEY If you got some time come check out my now updated website with some
>> cool stuff and now with some audio files Whatcha waitin for? come to
>> http://members.tripod.com/~swlchris and leave a note on how you like it
>> or if you want to make a complaint here's a quarter :)
>>
>>
>
>------------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

3683. Re: Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7hbjh1sre1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 143161

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990511153621.19852.00001538@ng-cd1.aol.com>...
>Will someone tell me who is Burt Fisher and why they're saying nasty things
>about him?

Hams do not like me because I dare to critisize their habits.

Burt

3684. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512061003.22602.00000964@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143162

<< I no "kapeesh." How do your statements relate to the issue of "Jewish racists" and Rich in particular.?
AF2Y Doc>>

3685. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512061450.22602.00000967@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143163

<< I've never been so emulsified in my life. And here I thought you were really going to defend me and what happened? You turned out to be a lying,stinking,Christian homosexual communist bastard plus pus-bag anus.>>
Sincere 73,
Doc AF2Y

3686. DOES ANYONE KNOW?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512063515.22393.00000948@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143164

Anyone know the E-mail address for Angelfire? I want the E not the www address.
Tnx.

Doc AF2Y

3687. Re: Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <37396f5f.7347931@news.mint.net>
Source record: 143165

On Wed, 12 May 1999 06:00:44 -0400, "Burt" <burt@imfamous.com> wrote:

>
>Radiosigs wrote in message <19990511153621.19852.00001538@ng-cd1.aol.com>...
>>Will someone tell me who is Burt Fisher and why they're saying nasty things
>>about him?
>
>
>Hams do not like me because I dare to critisize their habits.
>
>Burt
>
>
You criticizing my habits has nothing to do with why I actively
dislike you. You are a spineless asshole who attacks people for no
reason. You love to threaten physical violence and preach against it
in your next breath. You are a waste of time.

Kevin, N1UYW

3688. QST Review on VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Humberger <KB9TFH@MichianaToday.com>
Message-ID: <01be9c69$46b32fc0$899cead0@Cyberlink.MichianaToday.com>
Source record: 143166

Hello again,
Does anyone have a copy of the QST Review on the VX-5R that they could
email to me? I would be greatly appreciate it...Thanks
73s....
Joe Humberger KB9TFH

3689. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hc0v8$24d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143167

You forgot plagiarizing, he takes credit for antenna designs. He claims
to have invented the "CLOUDWARMER".

article <19990511211732.23426.00000734@ng-fu1.aol.com>,
nomonkeys@aol.com (No Monkeys) wrote:
>
> Dear Doc,
>
> Somebody recently told me that you were "a lying, stinking,
Christian-hating,
> homosexual, communist/marxist Jew bastard pus-bag asshole".
>
> I stuck up for you and defended you. I set this guy straight.
> I told him that "AF2Y does NOT stink".
>
> You're quite welcome.
>
>

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3690. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hbtvacch0@208.207.71.143>
Source record: 143168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> The certification falls under Part 15 and deals with spurious
> emissions by scanning receivers operated above 30 MHz.
> Since virtually all present amateur VHF+ transceivers have
> receivers that can scan, they have to be certified. That has
> nothing to do with transmitter spectral purity, however. The
> FCC doesn't even require that to be tested by the manufacturer.
>
> The individual amateur is solely responsible for that under the
> Part 97 regulations. A lot of amateurs seem to be under the
> mistaken impression that the FCC certification means that
> their radio is clean. It isn't necessarily so. It is solely up to the
> amateur to assure that his signals are clean.
>
> The manufacturer is under no obligation to test for this, though since
> there is often a lot of commonality between their amateur products
> and their commercial products, which *do* require Type Acceptance,
> most of the rigs produced are pretty clean when they leave the factory.
> But they may not stay clean in use. The manufacturers aren't obligated
> to idiot proof their amateur equipment. It can still be operated in such
> a fashion that it is dirty.

This just gets curiouser and curiouser. The more that is
revealed, the scarier it gets. Turns out the only the
Japanese manufacturers stand between all those
test/answer-studying word associaters and trash on the ARS
spectrum.
Let's just instigate a rule requiring them all to buy
spectrum analyzers.

W0EX
Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.

3691. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7hc1t8$3ri$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143169
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37384707.5A923E9E@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> 73 is near death, if not dead already.
> Wayne's been trying to find a buyer for a long time without success.
> Recently, our local magazine wholesale services
> dropped 73, CQ and Popular Communications from
> their mix that they place on the racks-- lack of readership.
> Soon only the biased views of QST will get published,
> and then only through subscription.

Here in Toronto the only ham magazines you can get
at a regular bookstore (e.g. Chapters, World's Biggest)
are QST, CQ VHF and Communications Quarterly. They dropped
73, CQ, etc. some time ago.

Electronics magazines generally are much easier to find.
My fave is Electronics World from England, though Elektor
and Electronique Pratique are always at least worth leafing
through, especially when they publish something other
than yet another audio amplifier (Elektor), or yet another
widget with "des moteurs pas a pas" (stepper motors - EPrat)...

A propos 73: while it hasn't amounted to much for some time,
it hasn't always been this way. Look at some 1970s issues,
for example.
--
Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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3692. WTB AT DAYTON: UNIDEN HR 2510

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: DT614 <na>
Message-ID: <373971da.0@news.busprod.com>
Source record: 143170
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I want to buy a couple of Uniden HR 2510 10 meter radios at the Dayton, Ohio hamfest this weekend. If you have one for sale bring it by fleamarket space # 3646 (look for the big balloon and the Texas flag). Thanks!

3693. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: EyesOnly <TheMonitor@SEEitALL.org>
Message-ID: <7hc0encch1@208.207.71.143>
Source record: 143171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

robinson wrote:
>
> I don't understand... how does a ban on concealed weapons stop criminals
> from having them? It only stops those with an irrational (it would seem at
> times) obsession with obeying the law from having them. In other words, the
> only people who will turn them in are those who obey and support the law,
> any law, no matter what, because it is the law. The criminal by definition
> doesn't give a rats ass about the law.

robinson wrote:
>
> I don't understand... how does a ban on concealed weapons stop criminals
> from having them?

In exactly the same way that laws prohibiting possesion of
drugs prevent people from obtaining them. Exactly. By making
them more expensive thus creating an instant black market.
But the fools who advocate banning *legal* guns have no
clue. Starting at the top.

Contacts within US Customs tell some very strange stories
about happenings on the southern border. Of 'Pre-approved'
loads that they are *required* to allow to pass into the
country unchecked, by NAFTA treaty. Carried in trucks that
intelligence has logged as 'known to have carried
contraband', driven by drivers 'known to have criminal
records'... while officialdom -including their own
supervisors- insists they look the other way......

$$$$$$$$$$

Not all of it comes from China......

And a few MORE laws will even help the 'problem'?? Where is
all that high intelligence when it comes to REAL solutions
to REAL problems???

> >w2ilp9243@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >> BUT unless there is a total national
> >> ban on concealed weapons we can not stop criminals from getting guns and
> cut
> >> down gun related killing and wounding in our cities.
> >>
> >Yeah, yeah... just like the ban on illegal drugs has stopped
> >drug addict criminals from getting coke, heroine, marijuana, etc...

>

3694. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Martin <jjm@shore.net>
Message-ID: <KXf_2.27$9x5.8657@news.shore.net>
Source record: 143172

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7hc0v8$24d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>You forgot plagiarizing, he takes credit for antenna designs. He claims
>to have invented the "CLOUDWARMER".

"Discovered" is more like it..... L;)

3695. Re: QST Review on VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926518290.229.62@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143173

ARRL members can view all present and past reviews from QST online at www.arrl.org, in the members-only section. If you're already a member, you can just sign in, pick a password, and get to the reviews. If you are not already a member, allow one or two days for your membership to process.

Michael.

Joe Humberger <KB9TFH@MichianaToday.com> wrote in message news:01be9c69$46b32fc0$899cead0@Cyberlink.MichianaToday.com...
> Hello again,
> Does anyone have a copy of the QST Review on the VX-5R that they could
> email to me? I would be greatly appreciate it...Thanks
> 73s....
> Joe Humberger KB9TFH

3696. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513191427.22835.00000231@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142974

<< So as not to confuse you Smurfee, it's Zsa Zsa Lipshitz>> AF2Y Doc
Hey Doc,
I can't really tell if you're trying to sound yiddish or like one of
the Gabor sisters, but I'll gladly accept the bagel; hold the lox!
73 Dahling,
Smurf
-- >>

3697. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: tree <xcommace@usa.net>
Message-ID: <373B6536.52942948@usa.net>
Source record: 142975

Don't forget - that security guy is highly qualified. After all he makes slightly more than minimum wage and may even know how to read. He does know how to follow instructions. Next time ask for an airline representative.
I have been stopped a ouple of times with an HT and either the senior scurity man or an airline rep cleared it.

3698. FS Icom 821H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513195145.09303.00000265@ng-ck1.aol.com>
Source record: 142976

Like new in box used 1 hour. Comes with box, hand mic, power cord and manuals.
$800 plus shipping.

3699. Re: US ham in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank <ve6cb@cadvision.com>
Message-ID: <01be9d9b$a7db2040$748e94cf@default>
Source record: 142977

No paper work Tim, just operate /VE.

73,

Frank

Tim Miller <miller@dynamo.ecn.purdue.edu> wrote in article
<7hfeea$1d$1@mozo.cc.purdue.edu>...
> I will be traveling in Canada this summer and was wondering
> what the procedure is for an American Amateur to operate in Canada.
> i. e. how much paperwork is involved?
>
> 73 de tim, n9dki
>

3700. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <373B6DA7.A25B2D2A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142978

Curtis CCR wrote:

> If I was
> denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back
> to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight.
> Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I
> wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.
>
> Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.

Typical snotty know-it-all wannabe-secret-agent ham attitude. And all of the fuss over some toy radio.

Some folks would argue with a billboard......

3701. Re: I'll be at Dayton: Who wants to Thumb Wrestle ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <373B6DEE.7678AD8F@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142979

I think you just described most of the people at Dayton Hamvention :-)

3702. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B7360.5E20@sir.com>
Source record: 142980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Michael Young wrote:
>
> I have great news for you! You CAN become a ham without learning Morse
> code. Looking at FCC Part 97, you can qualify for a Technician's license
> with only a written procedure and absolutely minimal theory test. No
> Morse code test!
>
> It seems your wish has been granted, and quite some time ago at that.

The technician license does NOT allow you to use ANY of the Ham bands
below 6 meters. Thus you DO have to pass a Morse Code test if you want
to be a HAM without restrictions. A technician license is like a
fishing license that only allows you to fish in a small fraction of
small lakes. Only you don't have to know Morse Code for the fishing
license with no restricions on lakes.

3703. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B74EC.988@sir.com>
Source record: 142981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Jim wrote:
>
> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>
> >The best analogy would be having to learn Morse Code in order to use the
> >internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate
> >and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work a
> >Ham radio.
>
> Now that sounds like a plan, a Morse code test to get on the internet
> would keep some of you no-code peckerwoods out of the DX newsgroup
> and about a half dozen other ones this 'discussion' doesn't belong in.
>
> Is it REALLY necessary to post this crap to every ham newsgroup there
> is ? Some of us have already learned Morse code, we aren't looking for
> any good reasons not to....

Well if they would replace the Morse Code with Russian and make you learn Russian with a test to keep your HF priviledges, I'm sure you would be posting some comments on how you don't understand why you need to learn Russian if you only plan to use English. And then the Hams that allready KNOW Russian would tell YOU to shut up and stop complaining and posting as they aren't looking for any good reasons not to have to learn Russian.

There are going to be a lot of posts to newsgroups that don't happen to have subject matter that is of personal interest to you. Lots of YOUR posts will not have any interest to lots of other people too.

Read the threads of the subjects you find interesting and skip over the ones you do not. Seems like a lot of wasted time to reply to threads that don't interest you.

3704. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Baker <bakergsj@maranatha.net>
Message-ID: <FMK_2.5629$LP2.104993@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

What about Tech Plus license holders?

Sir wrote in message <373B7360.5E20@sir.com>...
>Michael Young wrote:
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>> I have great news for you! You CAN become a ham without learning Morse
>> code. Looking at FCC Part 97, you can qualify for a Technician's license
>> with only a written procedure and absolutely minimal theory test. No
>> Morse code test!
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>> It seems your wish has been granted, and quite some time ago at that.
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>The technician license does NOT allow you to use ANY of the Ham bands
>below 6 meters. Thus you DO have to pass a Morse Code test if you want
>to be a HAM without restrictions. A technician license is like a
>fishing license that only allows you to fish in a small fraction of
>small lakes. Only you don't have to know Morse Code for the fishing
>license with no restricions on lakes.

3705. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B7940.23EE@sir.com>
Source record: 142983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Dean Craft wrote:
>
> Sir wrote in message <37363938.123C@sir.com>...
> >Rich Mulvey wrote:
> >>
> >> On Fri, 7 May 1999 08:21:11 -0500, jpos <jpos@mobilemark.com> wrote:
> >> >No one complains about having to learn how to use windows before they
> can
> >> >surf the net....
> >> >
> >>
> >> Considering that I was "surfing the net" before it was even
> >> *possible* with MS-Windows, you might want to choose a different
> >> analogy. Sigh.
> >>
> >
> >The best analogy would be having to learn Morse Code in order to use the
> >internet, as Morse Code has as much to do with knowing how to operate
> >and work the internet as it does with knowing how to operate and work a
> >Ham radio.
>
> True enough; however, it has everything to do with the es-prit de corps of
> ham radio.

Ham radio has changed. Packet, Satellite, R/C, television, and so much
more had nothing to do with what you said above. Perhaps all wood
workers should be required to be able to use old hand made tools of the
1800s before they are allowed to use modern power tools for the same
reason you gave.

Knowing that one has gone through, and survived, the identical
> trials and tribulations of his or her counterparts, builds a unique bond of
> dedication and purpose.

If I want to wash my clothes, I would find no bond of dedication or
purpose by using a washboard. I would prefer to use a washing machine
and dryer, and would not appreciate being forced to perform a test using
the washboard before I am given the PRIVILEDGE of being allowed to use a
washing machine. Would you? Or are you one of those lazy people that
think they should be allowed to use Washing Machines without ANY sort of
a test? How would we be able to keep CB'rs from using washing machines?

The instant gratification crowd of today has no
> appreciation for that bond.

Better sell your car and walk to work, don't use that Microwave oven either as that is for instant gratification and convienience too. Get out those two sticks, rub them together, and cook your food the hard way.

Using Morse Code was at one time an instant gratification and convienient thing too over writing and sending a letter pony express. Did people despise Morse Code back then because IT was more convienient and gave instant gratification?

All inventions give us convienience and instant gratification. That is a GOOD thing. Civilization finds better more efficient ways of doing things. Wanting to find an easier and better way of doing things is intelligent. Finding ways to make things more difficult is idiotic and stupid.

3706. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B7A70.744E@sir.com>
Source record: 142984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Now, LOOK. Haven't you watched the movie Independence Day?
> It was Morse Code that saved the world! :-)

Yes, in science fiction movies you can show that Morse Code is very important and usefull. But what if I make a movie in which Morse Code causes the destruction of our entire universe?

3707. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <373B7C48.F5313AD1@innocent.com>
Source record: 142985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I usually don't respond to unidentified persons whose lies are as transparent as "Kropotkin"'s. But in this case there are some interesting facts to be gleaned from his frothings, especially the headers.

You'll notice that the "reply-to" address in the previous post from "Kropotkin," webmaster@bcb.yorks.com ("BCB"), is the same email address sometimes used by a person calling himself "Tez Burke G6ROV."

This "Tez Burke" person, after posting to this thread, posted another message ("Renaming," et cetera.) -- this time under his real name, if it really is his real name -- also, coincidentally I'm sure, in support of the same odious person from New Jersey who has been adorning this newsgroup in the last few weeks.

Odd that a person from Britain should suddenly become so concerned about 75 meters in the US, isn't it? He couldn't have been recruited by the almost friendless New Jersey creature, could he?

To show that this "Tez Burke" person does indeed use the same address as "Kropotkin," see:

http://x25.deja.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=452454412&CONTEXT=926640336.666828829&hitnum=2

Another very enlightening Usenet message of his, which contains the "f" word, and not much else, is at:

http://x25.deja.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=477471665&CONTEXT=926640336.666828829&hitnum=0

(You may have to use an editor to rejoin the wrapped part of these quite long urls from deja.com. Or just go to http://www.deja.com and do a search on webmaster@bcb.yorks.com and you'll find these messages and a few others, all quite interesting.)

And, in case anyone wants to hear my response to this wants-to-be-anonymous person's absurd charges: There are no links to "nailbomb murderers" (whatever that is) on my web page, there is no link to a "nazi national anthem" (whatever that is), nor are there any indecent pictures of any kind there.

By the way, I wonder why the New Jersey creature, who complains so loudly about "gutless" anonymous posters, hasn't called Mr. "Kropotkin" on the carpet for that?

What is truly interesting about all this is the fact that the thing which squats in the Garden State, and which has recently been chased

here by the cries of "cheese it, the cops!" on 14313, is so careless
of the impression he makes that he openly allies himself with liars,
forgers, and obscenity-spewers like "Kropotkin."

Quite telling, indeed.

With best wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

3708. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B8878.1CDE@sir.com>
Source record: 142986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Greg Baker wrote:
>
> What about Tech Plus license holders?

What about it? Code test required.

>
> Sir wrote in message <373B7360.5E20@sir.com>...
> >Michael Young wrote:
> >>
> >> I have great news for you! You CAN become a ham without learning Morse
> >> code. Looking at FCC Part 97, you can qualify for a Technician's license
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> >license with no restricions on lakes.

3709. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hg1r4el1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 142987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:

>There are going to be a lot of posts to newsgroups that don't happen to
>have subject matter that is of personal interest to you. Lots of YOUR
>posts will not have any interest to lots of other people too.

You appear to be so engrossed in your efforts to convince the rest
of the world that you are incapable of attaining anything in life that
requires effort that you seem to have totally missed the point.

The reason we have thousands of newsgroups is because the world is
filled with millions of people with different interests.

Although your inability to learn Morse code seems to be the current
focus in YOUR life, the rest of us don't necessarily view your lack
of motivation as an earthshaking event.

REC.RADIO.AMATUER.POLICY was created with the sole intent
of giving you a forum in which to air your views. Please feel free to
use it to your hearts content.

Posting your Morse code dribble in multiple newsgroups is not going
to gain you any support. Many unmotivated whiners before you have
proven this point.

Some people have things they want in life because they are willing to
expend the effort required to obtain those things, whatever that effort
may be. It is obvious to us that you are not one of those people.

What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.

73, Jim KH2D

3710. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <373B945E.43E4B406@rconnect.com>
Source record: 142988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I will try one last time. THIS BELONGS ON THE POLICY GROUP
NOT THE REST OF THE HAM GROUPS PLEASE TAKE IT WHERE IT
BELONGS!!!!!!!

Sir wrote:
>
> > Now, LOOK. Haven't you watched the movie Independence Day?
> > It was Morse Code that saved the world! :-)
>
> Yes, in science fiction movies you can show that Morse Code is very
> important and usefull. But what if I make a movie in which Morse Code
> causes the destruction of our entire universe?

3711. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B9819.6776@sir.com>
Source record: 142989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.

You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
can not resist reading and replying to this.

3712. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <373B9839.662A@sir.com>
Source record: 142990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Mark Brown wrote:
>
> I will try one last time.

I hope that's a promise.

3713. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926652739.087.96@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142991
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Good! You now know the choices available. Choose one.

Michael.

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> Michael Young wrote:
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> license with no restricions on lakes.

3714. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373B9A54.D56521E9@uswest.net>
Source record: 142992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Yeah so?
I probably have made some real serious mistakes in my life,
but at least they didn't lose me a JOB!

My mistakes are mine to make, and in so long as they don't affect
others,
I could handle them effectively.

However, it seems that you are doing a little digging. Go ahead and dig.

However, if you want to start a flame war on this point, you'd better
be prepared to defend your position (and believe me, I know how to find
things out).

Otherwise, if someone at a federal agency break regulations and does
personal stuff via the "in house" network (clearly in violation of those

"in house regulations"), then they definitely deserve whatever they get.

Rules and regulations are there for a reason. If you don't like it,
tough shit!
Life is never fair dude.

Hawke

Clint Bradford wrote:

> In article <373AD2DA.335421F2@uswest.net>,
> hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net> wrote:
>
> >>If whoever started this whole fiasco gets fired, then so
> >>be it! They earned it. Hawke
>
> Yeah, Hawke...as if you have NEVER made ANY little mistakes in your
> personal or private life....
>
> - Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
> http://www.clintbradford.com
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3715. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373B98A0.7CD14AB7@uswest.net>
Source record: 142993

I am not going to debate ethics with you.
As an uninvolved party who has observed all the behavior over the last 8 years
in here and on the ham bands (ain't SWL wonderful), I can tell you this:
all the parties concerned are equally guilty. Throwing mud around
and placing blame elsewhere doesn't help the problem.

Actions speak far louder than words and so far, all the actions seem to be
related to attacking one-another via radio and in here..

Why don't you set a good example for those seeking entrance into ham radio?

Hawke

Radiosigs wrote:

> << Subject: Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside
> From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
> Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 1:20 PM
> Message-id: >>
> <<You're nuts. KK7HO, Tim Volz,is a real American who takes exception to the
> rantings and ravings of ANTI-EVERYTHING DECENT by the Boys from Brazil on
> 3.950. Do you bigoted screwballs think you can run a HATE FORUM and get no
> feedback or flack? Whom do you think you are, you fascist guttersnipes? As long
> as you vermin keep preaching hate, guys like Tim will counter you and make you
> look sick, since that's exactly what you are-you intolerant bastards.And if you
> think Riley Hollingsworth thinks any more of you than I, you've got another
> thing coming.
> Doc AF2Y>>

3716. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926652998.698.27@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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> Ham radio has changed. Packet, Satellite, R/C, television, and so
much
> more had nothing to do with what you said above.

Yep. So what's the problem doing this above 50 MHz?

Michael.

3717. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373B9D4F.5767A2DC@uswest.net>
Source record: 142995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Read below...

Curtis CCR wrote:

> radiosigs@aol.com
>
> Are you serious? "Even unfair rules" are OK?"

Airlines have the right to refuse service for nearly any reason.

>
>
> What else should they ban? Laptop computers? Car keys?

Laptops, cd players, radio recievers and other rf producing electronic
devices
not pertanent to the operation of an aircraft are already on the list of
"banned devices"
via the Flight Aviation Rules and general policy of most airlines.

>
>
> BTW - I'm a pilot and I have no knowledge of any Federal Aviation
> Regulation the prohibits passengers from carrying tranceievers on board
> aircraft. There are rules about *using* portable electronic devices
> (FAR 91.21).

Look a little closer at that regulation. Part of the RCPA of 1996 included
provisions related to the use of specified electronic equipment on board
any commercial aircraft flying within or over any territory owned
or controlled by the US Government.

This vary same arguement was held in here and on rec.radio.scanner
some 11 months ago.

>
>
> I usually have a pretty flexible schedule when I travel. If I was
> denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back
> to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight.
> Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I
> wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.

Carrying them is ok, using them aboard aircraft is not.

>
>

> Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3718. I'll be at Dayton: Who wants to Thumb Wrestle ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hdickfdu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143024

Just look for the middle aged balding man whose nose hairs haven't been trimmed recently, wearing a short sleeve plaid shirt, blue Keds sneakers, with a name/callsign badge and sporting 4 belt mounted HTs (10, 6, 2/440 and 220).

Other identifying traits: Stomach hangs over belt, pant length too short, exposing white socks. May be toting Whopper with large fry. Also, look for the notepad and pens in my shirt pocket and official "YAESU, CHOICE OF THE WORLD'S TOP DXERS" hat.

I will be at the Wouff Hong ceremony, front row (sobriety unlikely).

One free 807 to anyone who can outrun me to the hospitality bar ! Hope to C U there OM !

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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3719. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <373A47EB.F7A47B9A@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.(Cecil's digital 'explanation' aside)

They laughed at Einstein's Special Theory of Relativity also, Dick.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3720. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <Jvs_2.3007$AL5.4241@ndnws01.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 143026

Excellent response Dave! Good observation and well articulated.
I agree!!
Chuck...K1KW

David Stinson wrote in message <373A4706.D96B0577@ix.netcom.com>...
>They may say they're for "the dignity of every man," Doc,
>but their actions say differently.
>snip

3721. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373A5C7B.F738E5C9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143027

Don't blame Riley.
He is forced to proclaim and try to implement
the incompetent policies excreted onto him from above.
The fact that the Clinton appointees haven't got
a gram of management ability between them isn't Riley's fault.
Add to that the attempted power-grabs by the ARRL
and all the loonies calling and writing him every day.
He's stuck with the dirty end of the stick so give him a break.

73 Dave AB5S

3722. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <373A1983.6B4CB73@qsl.net>
Source record: 143028
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Those guys on there are bone heads and a bunch of smart ass's They have
to be some of those guys I here on 80 meters. hi hi

James Keller wrote:
>
> Hello Everyone.
> I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
> Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
> During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
> require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
> force me into using my callsign as my nick.
> I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on irc.
> Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
> via callsign servers.
> Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
> I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
> Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
> saying that it is his channel.
> In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
> do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
> plus:
> <AH6KA> he came with nick and said he wudnt use his call and gave me static
> so i moderated then he tried to use
> both calls
> <othercall> you gave him static
> <othercall> he stated what both calls were.
> <AH6KA> i shoulld have just kicked his ass
>
> Is this how decent we want ambassadors of our hobby to be to hams and
> to those interested in our hobby?
> Several attempts were to tell Don that the hobby has enough problems on
> 40 meters as well as losing folks to irc and the internet.
>
> Does everyone accept the fact that folks like Don can deem the channel private
> and alienate everyone from the hobby?
> My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
>
> I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
> feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
>
> You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net
>
> Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.

>
> Thanks Again
> James
> N8KGU

3723. kenwood mc-50 wiring diagram needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Antoon <antoonm@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7hdr9tlpa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143029

dear OM's,

I'm looking for the wiring diagram of a Kenwood MC-50 microphone.
I've got one from a friend but all wires are removed.
Who can help me ???

best regards, Antoon PA3BWE

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3724. HELP..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <373A6C80.146E1193@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 143030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce

Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so Tracking
software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are out
there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
Ya'll at DAYTON.....
73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
--
" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

3725. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe <mitstoll@flinet.com>
Message-ID: <373A6D38.ACEF3BC7@flinet.com>
Source record: 143031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

May 99 issue arrived in the mail Wednesday, the 12th. Getting slower and slower here for it. Too bad it is also getting thinner. I never see the mag in either of our three mag. stores here, so I am lucky to get each issue per month. I have 13 more issues to go on my subscription, I hope the mag. at least holds on that long. Been a reader of 73 since the 1st issue, sorry to see it going away. I hope in the end that it continues for a long time, but it is not looking too good right now.

Cheers!

Joe

3726. HELP-HAM..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <373A78E8.FBFCADB@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 143032
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

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3727. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ke4zv@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <37c4818b.1319652850@news.atl.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 143033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 13 May 1999 00:23:00 GMT, Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote:
>K0HB wrote:
>>
>> Dick Carroll wrote:
>>
>> > This just gets curiouser and curiouser.
>>
>> Nothing curious about it. It is (as it has always been) *YOU*
>> who is responsible for the quality of the signal your station
>> radiates. This is true (as it has always been) whether you
>> built your equipment from a discarded Silvertone TV chassis, or
>> bought it from Harvey-Wells or Kenwood or Knight Kit or
>> KV4FZ-going-out-of-business-sale.
>>
>
> I beg to disagree, Sir! To me it *is* curious that FCC
>would mandate testing for receiver spurious emissions in the
>microwatt range while ignoring the much more likely, and
>higher transmitted power, transmitter variety. After all,
>the licensee is responsible for both.
> If regenerative receivers were still common it might be
>another matter-but with hams their emissions would fall
>within a ham band, at least!
> Evidently some problem happened along that caused them to
>instigate this rule. If so I missed it.

What you missed is that the scanning receiver LO is offset
by the IF of the radio, IE 10.7 MHz, 45 MHz, 70 MHz, etc,
so the emissions fall on the frequencies of radio services
the FCC cares about. When scanners first became common,
they were causing all sorts of problems for other services.
That's why the Part 15 requirement exists.

Gary
Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
534 Shannon Way | We break it |
Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

3728. Re: WTB: CDE "BIG TALK" rotor control box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6inm@telusplanet.net
Message-ID: <7hejl0$6fj$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143034
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

In article <gsi_2.117$ke6.8033@news.cwix.com>,
"K1ALH" <k1alh@cwix.com> wrote:
> I'm looking for the CDE "BIG TALK" control box. It is a 5 wire unit.
If you
> have one or know of a substitute please let me know.
>
>

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3729. Does anyone know about the MAHA Docking Booster.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: TheLoad@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3716-373AC501-12@newsd-112.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 143035

HI
I am THinking about purchasing a Maha DUal BAnd Docking Booster for my Kenwood TH-G71A.

I am wondering IF anyone who has one or used one could tell me a little more about them.

Also any pros or cons they feel about this unit.
Also if you have any other suggestions of other equipment to buy instead.

Thanks for the Help
-- TOM --

3730. Re: To REAL DEAL & Jim Martin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Martin <jjm@shore.net>
Message-ID: <X%z_2.172$9x5.52005@news.shore.net>
Source record: 143036

You are making me laugh oh you discoverer of cloud
warmer....blehehehehehehehheee.....

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990512173053.07411.00002433@ng-cr1.aol.com>...
>BOTH OF YOU SHOULD GAY COCKIN,YOU MEESKEIT BASTARDS.
>THE NEXT TIME YOU SIT ON THE TOILET, IT SHOULD FEEL LIKE YOU'RE PASSING
>WATERMELONS. IF YOU SAY ANYTHING ELSE ABOUT MINE CLOUDWARMER,YOU'LL GET
WORKED
>OVER BY ME SO HARD,YOU'LL WISH YOU TOOK UP BALLET INSTEAD OF HAM RADIO.

3731. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373AD183.44AF21C1@uswest.net>
Source record: 143037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Really?
funny, I have been listening there for a while now.
If he is in there, then he is buried in the noise floor.

Besides, who broke the laws (regulations) first?
From what I understand, there is plenty of guilt to go around.

Hawke

Jeff Tobias wrote:

> Tim Volz Continues to break the law on a weekly basis.
> Hear KK7HO jam the liberty net at the web page:
>
> http://members.xoom.com/_XOOM/kevin_strom/kk7ho_jamming_19990313.wav
>
> Volz has also been recorded threatening the lives of fellow
> amateur radio operators. Responsible amateur radio
> operators need to continue to alert authorities to Volz's
> dangerous behavior.
>
> Thanks for helping clean up our hobby. We are winning!
>
> I encourage all those who are fed up with Tim and the
> criminal element to contact the FCC and encourage them
> to step up enforcement. The sooner pond scum like
> KK7HO and K5BLB are off the air the better. Make
> tapes,send email do anything you can to get rid of these
> vermin.You shouldn't have to be embarassed to let non
> hams listen to the amateur bands. We have an
> opportunity to clean up 75M lets use it.
>
> The person to contact is William R. Hollingsworth
> (K4ZDH) aka, Rilley Hollingsworth at:
>
> rholling@fcc.gov
>
> Thanks for helping clean up our hobby. We are winning!

3732. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373AD2DA.335421F2@uswest.net>
Source record: 143038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dave,
yes. However, the FCC made in clear that "personal items" were
not to be broadcast via the internal e-mail network
(just in case the unthinkable could happen, which it did).

If whoever started this whole fiasco gets fired, then so be it!
They earned it.

Hawke

David Stinson wrote:

> It was a very human mistake.... one any of us might make
> given the typical 12-16 hour work days in those positions.
> I wrote letters to every commissioner, the FCC public
> affairs office and their personnel office asking
> that they show a little mercy-- I encourage others to do so.
> It's easy to sit on our butts and scream "I'm offended!'
> when we aren't the one facing a ruined career.
> There but for the grace of God....
> Disipline, yes; There are lots of measures that will
> bring about some real contrition.
> But nothing is served by severing the head
> of someone who has otherwise done well.
>
> 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
> arc5@ix.netcom.com

3733. Re: NEWBIE - Seeking Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Leland C. Scott" <no-spam@junk-mail.net>
Message-ID: <7hdqok$lf6@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 143039
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.tv.tech.plain-tv,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Alex,

Interesting idea, however I doubt a desktop PC has the computing horsepower to keep up with anything above audio frequency. Most of the DAC/ADC cards I have seen only support conversion rates up to the low 10's of Khz, which again limits you to audio frequency work. The fastest cards (conversion rates around 100 to 500 Khz) I have seen use a buffered type of design and are very expensive.

If your needs are only in the audio range then check out Texas Instruments, Motorola, Bur Brown etc. for info on their DSP evaluation boards. These boards are normally complete systems with analog I/O, memory and a fast DSP chip. Some of these boards can be had with a floating point DSP chip for under $200 USD. You would most likely spend just as much for a PC DAC/ADC card alone. In addition these evaluation boards come with manuals, programming software (assembler and linker), and a RS232 port so you can use your PC to develop/write the software on for down load to the board.

Leland C. Scott
KC8LDO

Alex wrote in message <37380941.3F0BA857@somehw.com>...
>I'd like to get a DAC/ADC card that would be suitable for capturing
>analog (NTSC and FM/AM) signals for use as a PC card. The idea is as
>much in software as possible, including interpretation of color bursts,
>carriers, etc, treating
>a digital clipped signal as a bitstream, and control of frequency
>tuning. Just a plain vanilla DAC/ADC with a plain vanilla driver.

3734. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7heo7m$a0g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143040

In article <7hcjkvjvr1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
K0HB <k0hb@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

> You just got done with a long whiny hand-wringing lamentation about
> how you were mistreated there, and now you want us to go there too?
>
> That has to qualify for the DAIOTW Award.
>
> 73, Hans, K0HB
>
> DAIOTW = Dumb Assed Idea Of The Week

Hola OM Hans,

Keller is a lamer Techie-Plus masquerading as a ham. Has another club call sign for "ARRL VE Team" or some such made-up name -- he's not even eligible to be on a VE team. We're sick of him here in Michigan. Ignore his crap.

73, BGO

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3735. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7herfecgf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <373AD2DA.335421F2@uswest.net>,
hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net> wrote:

>>If whoever started this whole fiasco gets fired, then so
>>be it! They earned it. Hawke

Yeah, Hawke...as if you have NEVER made ANY little mistakes in your
personal or private life....

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

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3736. Re: Why flux lows longer than highs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <926612305.602.54@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143042

The sun takes 28-30 days to make one revolution. If our side of the sun is active and that action rotates out of view it'll be another 27-30 days before it comes back around to our side. That is IF the activity still exists and hasn't disappeared. The sun is a very interesting thing to study because you never know what it'll do next.

73,
Tom

In article <461-373A318F-88@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone) wrote:
>Anyone notice that when we get a low point in the solar flux. it lasts
>for days....if not weeks.
>
>But when we get a peak, it's usually only for a few hours.
>
>A couple of weeks ago, we hung around a flux of 100 for a couple of
>weeks. When the flux decided to go back up, it went to around 170...but
>only for a few hours.
>
>Why doesn't the flux remain at a peak for as long as it stays at a low?
>
>Jr.
>

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

3737. Re: Why flux lows longer than highs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <373B04F5.BFA25086@dimensional.com>
Source record: 143043

In-the -Zone wrote:

> Anyone notice that when we get a low point in the solar flux. it lasts
> for days....if not weeks.
>
> But when we get a peak, it's usually only for a few hours.
>
> A couple of weeks ago, we hung around a flux of 100 for a couple of
> weeks. When the flux decided to go back up, it went to around 170...but
> only for a few hours.
>
> Why doesn't the flux remain at a peak for as long as it stays at a low?
>
> Jr.

Hi Jr.,

Note that you can mitigate this problem by installing a flux capacitor on
your antenna. :-)

73,

Marv
AB0IO

3738. Re: MAKES LOTS OF MONEY..please read on

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513130913.00966.00000125@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143044

<< Subject: MAKES LOTS OF MONEY..please read on
From: "UCT Student SBYMAF001" <DTSIGN001@mail.uct.ac.za>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 1:58 PM
Message-id: <7hels1$3sf$1@news.adamastor.ac.za>
<<Sir,you are full of you know what.Chain letters are as old as the hills;I remember them from high school way back in the mid-'50s. No one makes a buck except for the guy who begins one because he knows exactly where to place his name in order to reap maximum effect. You are a crook and furthermore, CHAIN LETTERS ARE ILLEGAL according state and government statutes. And so, consider taking your garbage elsewhere. The folks on this "wreck radio" group are geniuses and see right through you and I am one of those geniuses.
AF2Y Doc>>

I found this on a bulletin board and decided to try it. A little while back, I was browsing through newsgroups, and came across an article similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $6.00! So I thought, "Yeah right, this must be a scam", but like most of us, I was curious, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 6 names and address stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the bottom of the list at #6, and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups. (There are thousands) No catch, that was it. So after thinking it over, and talking to a few people first, I thought about trying it. I figured: "what have I got to lose except 6 stamps and $6.00 right?" Then I invested the measly $6.00. Well GUESS WHAT!?...within 7 days, I started getting money in the mail! I was shocked! I figured it would end soon, but the money just kept coming in. In my first week, I made about $25.00. By the end of the second week I had made a total of over $1,000.00! In the third week I had over $3,000 and it's still growing. This is now my fourth week and I have made a total of just over $8,000 and it's still coming in rapidly.
It's certainly worth $6.00, and 6 stamps, I have spent more than that on the lottery!! Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, WHY it works... Also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you can get the information off of it as you need it. I promise you that if you follow the directions exactly, that you will start making more money than you thought possible by doing something so easy! Suggestion:
Read this entire message carefully! (print it out or download it.)
Follow the simple directions and watch the money come in! It's easy.
It's legal. And, your investment is only $6.00 (Plus postage)
IMPORTANT: This is not a rip-off; it is not indecent; it is not illegal; and it is 99% no risk - it really works! If all of the lowing instructions are adhered to, you will receive extraordinary dividends.
PLEASE NOTE:

Please follow these directions EXACTLY, and $50,000 or more can be yours in 20 to 60 days. This program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants. Please continue its success by carefully adhering to the instructions. You will now become part of the Mail Order business. In this business your product is not solid and tangible, it's a service. You are in the business of developing Mailing Lists. Many large corporations are happy to pay big bucks for quality lists. However, the money made from the mailing lists is secondary to the income which is made from people like you and me asking to be included in that list. Here are the 4 easy steps to success:
STEP 1: Get 6 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST." Now get 6 US $1.00 bills and place ONE inside EACH of the 6 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope (to prevent thievery). Next, place one paper in each of the 6 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 6 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the above phrase, your name and address, and a $1.00 bill. What you are doing is creating a service. THIS IS ABSOLUTELY LEGAL! You are requesting a legitimate service and you are paying for it! Like most of us I was a little skeptical and a little worried about the legal aspects of it all. So I checked it out with the U.S. Post Office (1-800-725-2161) and they confirmed that it is indeed legal. Mail the 6 envelopes to the following addresses:

#1)T. Schmit 2100 Date St. #1206 Honolulu, Hi. 96826
#2)K. Walker 3435 S. 173rd Street Seattle, WA 98188
#3) G. Perry GPO Box 119 Hampton 3188, Vic, Aus
#4)Michael Darmanin, P.O.Box 50733, Dubai, United Arab Emirates
#5) S. Henkes 31470 S. Dryland Rd. Canby, OR 97013
#6) I. DOTSEY, 3 RALEIGH,EUREKA RD, RONDEBOSCH,7700, CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

STEP 2: Now take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the other names up (6 becomes 5, 5 becomes 4, etc...) and add YOUR Name as number 6 on the list. STEP 3: Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as close to original as possible. Now, post your amended article to at least 200 newsgroups. (I think there are close to 24,000 groups) All you need is 200, but remember, the more you post, the more money you make! You won't get very much unless you post like crazy. This is perfectly legal! Keep a copy of these steps for yourself and, whenever you need money, you can use it again, and again. PLEASE REMEMBER that this program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants and by their carefully adhering to the directions. Look at it this way. If you are of integrity, the program will continue and the money that so many others have received will come your way. NOTE: You may want to retain every name and address sent to you, either on a computer or hard copy and keep the notes people send you. This VERIFIES that you are truly providing a service. (Also, it might be a good idea to wrap the $1 bill in dark paper to reduce the risk of mail theft.) So, as each post is downloaded and the directions carefully followed, six members will be reimbursed for their

participation as a List Developer with one dollar each. Your name will move up the list geometrically so that when your name reaches the #1 position you will be receiving thousands of dollars in CASH!!! What an opportunity for only $6.00 ($1.00 for each of the first six people listed above) Send it now, add your own name to the list and you're in business!

To do this follow the following steps:
Step 1) You do not need to re-type this entire letter to do your own posting. Simply put your cursor at the beginning of this letter and drag your cursor to the bottom of this document, and select "copy" from the edit menu. This will copy the entire letter into the computer's memory.

Step 2) Open a blank "notepad" file and place your cursor at the top of the blank page.From the "edit" menu select "paste". This will paste a copy of the letter into notepad so that you can add your name to the list.

Step 3) Save your new notepad file as a .txt file. If you want to do your postings in different settings, you'll always have this file to go back to.

Step 4) Use Netscape or Internet Explorer and try searching for various newsgroups (on-line forums, message boards, chat sites, discussions and etc.)

Step 5) Visit these message boards and post this article as a new message by highlighting the text of this letter and selecting paste from the the edit menu. Fill in the Subject, this will be the header that everyone sees as they scroll through the list of postings in a particular group, click the post message button. You're done with your first one! Congratulations... THAT'S IT! All you have to do is jump to different newsgroups and post away, after you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds for each newsgroup! ***REMEMBER THE MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF 200*** That's it! You will begin receiving money from around the world within days! You may want to rent a P.O. Box due to the large amount of mail you will receive. If you wish to stay anonymous, you can invent a name to use, as long as the postman will deliver it.

** JUST MAKE SURE ALL THE ADDRESSES ARE CORRECT.**

Now, if each of the five persons who send me $1.00 make a minimum of 200 postings, each with my name at #5 and only 5 persons respond to each of the original 5, that is $25.00 for me, now if those 25 each make 200 minimum posts with my name at #4 and only 5 replies each, I will have an additional $125.00! Now if those 125 persons turn around and post the minimum 200
with my name at #3 and only 5 replies each, I will make an additional $625.00!
OK, now here is the fun part, each of those 625 persons post a minimum 200 letters with my name at #2 and they only get five replies, that just

made me $3,125.00!!! Those 3,125 persons will all deliver this message
to 200 newsgroups with my name at #1 and still only five persons per 200

newsgroups react I will receive $15,625.00!

With an original investment of only $6.00! AMAZING! When your name is
no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting in the
newsgroups and send out another $6.00 to names on the list, putting your
name at number 6 and start posting again. The thing to remember is: do
you realize that thousands of people all over the world are joining the
internet and reading
these articles every day? So can you afford $6.00 and see if it really
works?? I think so.....People have said, "what if the plan is played out
and no one sends you the money?" So what! What are the chances of that
happening when there are tons of new honest users and new honest people
who are joining the internet and newsgroups every day and are willing
to give it a try? Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users every day,
with thousands of those joining the actual internet. Remember, play
FAIRLY and HONESTLY and this will really work.

ps...from the above names, it can be seen that, this scheme has been around
the world and therefore proves that it doe >>

3739. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: gws@nitetech.com
Message-ID: <7hf18a$q6k$2@usenet46.supernews.com>
Source record: 143045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

If he founded the channel then he sets the rules, Dont like it move on.
You have not rights to use IRC. It this childish BS thats killing the hobby.

In article <7hb0b0$ht8$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, mrguard@iname.com says...
>
>In dal.net on IRC (thats the Dalnet network)
>I find this:
>Topic set for #amateur_radio is: This is a restricted channel. If I didn't ask
>you to join it then you are not welcome in it, no
> matter who you are. Why is it that way? None of your business,(but you can
>thank the lying, theiving mormons on
> xmission.com for it happening)! (KE6YZZ)
>
>Ke6YZZ who is now N2GOD. Email him at: n2god@angelfire.com
>
>
>
>Do we need folks like this controlling our hobby and lifestyle?
>Please lets have jerks like this create their own channel and leave
>our hobby alone.
>
>
>In article <7hau7hrii1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>, mrguard@iname.com
>says...
>>
>>Hello Everyone.
>>I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
>>Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
>>During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
>>require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
>>force me into using my callsign as my nick.
>>I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on irc.
>>Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach me
>>via callsign servers.
>>Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
>>I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
>>Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
>>saying that it is his channel.
>>In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
>>do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his channel.
>>plus:
>><AH6KA> he came with nick and said he wudnt use his call and gave me static
>>so i moderated then he tried to use

>> both calls
>><othercall> you gave him static
>><othercall> he stated what both calls were.
>><AH6KA> i shoulld have just kicked his ass
>>
>>Is this how decent we want ambassadors of our hobby to be to hams and
>>to those interested in our hobby?
>>Several attempts were to tell Don that the hobby has enough problems on
>>40 meters as well as losing folks to irc and the internet.
>>
>>Does everyone accept the fact that folks like Don can deem the channel
>private
>>and alienate everyone from the hobby?
>>My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
>>
>>I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
>>feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
>>
>>You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net
>>
>>Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
>>
>>Thanks Again
>>James
>>N8KGU
>>
>>
>
>

3740. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513131746.00966.00000128@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143046

<< Subject: Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 1:20 PM
Message-id: >>
<<You're nuts. KK7HO, Tim Volz,is a real American who takes exception to the rantings and ravings of ANTI-EVERYTHING DECENT by the Boys from Brazil on 3.950. Do you bigoted screwballs think you can run a HATE FORUM and get no feedback or flack? Whom do you think you are, you fascist guttersnipes? As long as you vermin keep preaching hate, guys like Tim will counter you and make you look sick, since that's exactly what you are-you intolerant bastards.And if you think Riley Hollingsworth thinks any more of you than I, you've got another thing coming.
Doc AF2Y>>

3741. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513132313.00966.00000129@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143047

<< Kevin Strom, I hope you investigate both sides of the story from behind bars. AF2Y Doc>>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 12:55 AM
Message-id: <373A231E.D9EFB102@innocent.com>

It might be wise, and even fun, to investigate both sides of the story:

http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv052993.html

http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv060593.html

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

>>

3742. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513132524.00966.00000130@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143048

<< How do I size up this answer? WASP bullcrap? AF2Y>>
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 3:29 AM
Message-id: <373A4706.D96B0577@ix.netcom.com>

They may say they're for "the dignity of every man," Doc,
but their actions say differently.

The ADL, like the NAACP, actually
champions causes for their particular ethnic group only.
And then only for politically liberal/leftist members of that group.
All other cases get lip-service or even less.
If I -a politically right caucasian male of european decent-
asked for their help for myself,
they would most likely lead the parade
to light the bonfire to which I had been staked.
When will we see the ADL defend a white Southern Baptist
republican running for congress who's been defamed by
a bigoted leftist media?
When Hell is frozen solid and Satan takes up ice fishing.

It's currently fashionable to blame all evil on us WASP males,
but Bigotry and Hatred come in every color, Doc.
Every race, creed, color and sex has their fair share of bigots.

Since the dawn of humanity, people have sought a "boogieman"
on whom they can blame their miserable lives and foolish choices.
Jews, blacks, asians, hispanics, caucasions, Hootoos, Tootsies, males-
we all get a turn as the scapegoat of the hour.
The choice of "primary oppressed group" depends on
who's in power at the time and what they gain by
picking one group as the focus of hatred over another.

Until humans understand that the only person in the universe
who can cure their misery looks back at them from the mirror,
hate will fester and grow.
I won't hold my breath waiting for the big change.
Blaming it on "honkey" is so much easier.

In the mean time, I think I'll reserve my personal support
for an organization that actually *does*
respect the dignity of all.
If I ever find one.....

Regards,
Dave Stinson AB5S

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3743. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513132733.00966.00000132@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143049

<< Hey, O'Neal..go have another one. AF2Y>>
From: "Chuck O'Neal" <coneal@ultranet.com>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 4:26 AM
Message-id: <Jvs_2.3007$AL5.4241@ndnws01.ne.mediaone.net>

Excellent response Dave! Good observation and well articulated.
I agree!!
Chuck...K1KW

David Stinson wrote in message <373A4706.D96B0577@ix.netcom.com>...
>They may say they're for "the dignity of every man," Doc,
>but their actions say differently.
>snip

>>

Hey

3744. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373B1147.8EA43C81@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 143050

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << How do I size up this answer? WASP bullcrap? AF2Y>>

Doc- in those few words,
you have just illustrated my case more completely
and convincingly then I could have done in a hundred pages.
I thank you.

73 Dave AB5S

3745. KW1I XT-1-A Moves - See Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: rkhaupt <bobmar@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <373B11AA.147493F8@fuse.net>
Source record: 143051

Hello,

Dale Gagnon KW1I has sold me his 1950 GE XT-1-A transmitter. It is now set up and fully operational on 160 meters in my garage, remote controlled from my shack.

See: http://www.exit109.com/~jimh/xt1a.shtml

To see color pictures of this 50 year old "Rock Crusher"

I think I'll name it Bluto.

73,
Jim Hawkins
Direct e-mail to jimh@exit109.com

3746. TS - guestlicence for tunisia ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Redecke <mredecke@rz.hu-berlin.de>
Message-ID: <373B1463.BE7F7135@rz.hu-berlin.de>
Source record: 143052

does anybody know if it is possible to obtain a gust-licence for tunisia
?
73, michael DF1OX
pse e-mail
--
http://www.hu-berlin.de/~h0444wkz/index.htm

3747. Re: NEWBIE - Seeking Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jbolinger@Nloisnptaemk.com>
Message-ID: <373b1505.0@news.netwalk.com>
Source record: 143053
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.tv.tech.plain-tv,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Leland C. Scott wrote in message <7hdqok$lf6@nnrp1.farm.idt.net>...
>Alex,
>
>Interesting idea, however I doubt a desktop PC has the computing horsepower
>to keep up with anything above audio frequency. Most of the DAC/ADC cards I
>have seen only support conversion rates up to the low 10's of Khz, which
>again limits you to audio frequency work. The fastest cards (conversion
>rates around 100 to 500 Khz) I have seen use a buffered type of design and
>are very expensive.
>

Here at work we are currently using a 450 MHz pentium running NT for
developement work. This is in a VXI chassis which is designed for such
things, unlike a PC. We also have a 20 bit 20 MHz A/D with internal DSP
(for filtering and I/Q conversion) for collecting the data.

Even with all of this we can't do real time processing, of course we are
doing some pretty hairy stuff!!! (I programmed the DSP routines, by the
way.)

>If your needs are only in the audio range then check out Texas Instruments,
>Motorola, Bur Brown etc. for info on their DSP evaluation boards. These
>boards are normally complete systems with analog I/O, memory and a fast DSP
>chip. Some of these boards can be had with a floating point DSP chip for
>under $200 USD. You would most likely spend just as much for a PC DAC/ADC
>card alone. In addition these evaluation boards come with manuals,
>programming software (assembler and linker), and a RS232 port so you can
use
>your PC to develop/write the software on for down load to the board.
>

We are looking at using a DSP VXI board, but some of us doubt that it would
be any faster than doing it in the main processor with software, and
probably would be slower (clock rates are slower and you still have to
shovel the data back and forth). Of course we are digitizing a 5 MHz
signal, so audio on a DSP may be ok.

Have you looked into using the good ol' soundblaster card?

Jim
N8EE
DSP software engineer

3748. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9905131411550.15669-100000@Stratus.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 143054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 13 May 1999, Joe wrote:

> May 99 issue arrived in the mail Wednesday, the 12th. Getting slower and
> slower here for it. Too bad it is also getting thinner. I never see the
> mag in either of our three mag. stores here, so I am lucky to get each
> issue per month. I have 13 more issues to go on my subscription, I hope
> the mag. at least holds on that long. Been a reader of 73 since the 1st
> issue, sorry to see it going away. I hope in the end that it continues for
> a long time, but it is not looking too good right now.
>
> Cheers!
>
> Joe

A while back when 73 came up in a thread, maybe a thread similar to this since the magazine seems to have been off schedule for some time, someone brought up life subscriptions. Specifically, he mentioned that he'd bouth onein the early days, I think back when a life subscription to 73 was a ridiculously low price, though perhaps not ridiculously low at the time. I'm sure he's gotten his money's worth. Which is worse? the magazine faliling before you do, or the reverse? 73 has been around for nearly 40 years, and anyone still around who bought a life subscription in the early days probably got more than they expected at the time.

Michael VE2BVW

3749. Re:C.A.R.S. classified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513144450.00981.00000097@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143055

To the station that reported the C.A.R.S. is offering free classifieds, HUH? I just logged on to your site since I want to sell my Best Data 33.6K modem and got hit with "URL not available" or some other frustrating term. Fellow, "Is you is or is you ain't?"

Doc AF2Y

3750. Re: TS - guestlicence for tunisia ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513144800.00981.00000098@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143056

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<< M
Message-id: <373B1463.BE7F7135@rz.hu-berlin.de>

does anybody know if it is possible to obtain a gust-licence for tunisia
?
73, michael DF1OX
pse e-mail
--
http://www.hu-berlin.de/~h0444wkz/index.htm

>>Lieber Freund,es tut mir leid aber habe ich keine Antwort fuer dich.>>
Doc AF2Y
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3751. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kropotkin <arse@porkluncheonmeat.com>
Message-ID: <373b1e9d.0@katana.legend.co.uk>
Source record: 143057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kevin Alfred Strom wrote in message <3735CEF0.659F9C68@innocent.com>...
<SNIP>
<KILLFILE>

Precisely the sort of crap I expect from this racist shitehawk, who not only has links to the British nailbomb murderers' web page on his site, but also the Nazi national anthem and pictures of underage girls. They're all on the website.
Human garbage like this give our hobby, and the internet in general, a bad name.

3752. Bad bad band condx.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513145854.00967.00000094@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143058

I've been in ham radio for 30 years and NEVER have I seen lousier band conditions than now. Heck, I always remember 20 meters as always being open independent of other bands, but this time,NO! We're supposed to be in the upswing of a new sunspot cycle but I don't see it. My Cloudwarmer can hear everything from a JA making the trek up Mount Fujiyama to Mrs. Goldberg in Flatbush pouring chicken soup into a bowl but I'm hearing the sound of silence. What's up? Is there a propagation maven out there who can enlighten me? Doc AF2Y and oh yes, the rig is turned ON which should quiet down a wisecracker.

3753. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513150906.00967.00000095@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143059

<<THREE CHEERS FOR "KROPOTKIN." You tell it like it is regarding that subversive s.o.b.
Congrats!!!!!!

Doc AF2Y>>

<< Subject: Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits
From: "Kropotkin" <arse@porkluncheonmeat.com>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 6:49 PM
Message-id: <373b1e9d.0@katana.legend.co.uk>

Kevin Alfred Strom wrote in message <3735CEF0.659F9C68@innocent.com>...
<SNIP>
<KILLFILE>

Precisely the sort of crap I expect from this racist shitehawk, who not only has links to the British nailbomb murderers' web page on his site, but also the Nazi national anthem and pictures of underage girls. They're all on the website.
Human garbage like this give our hobby, and the internet in general, a bad name. >>

3754. help needed with siskin multicat and ft757gx mk1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: GM4JNW <les@norton1952.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7hf985$fn3$1@news5.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 143060

I would like to contact anyone who has used the siskin multicat with an FT757GX mark1 am having setup difficulties.GM4JNW at 01851 810899 or email les@norton1952.freeserve.co.uk

3755. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <dTF_2.3140$xa.31356@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 143061

> <<Smurfele daling..I luv you. Oy vey, what a head you got on your shoulders!
> It's a mitzvah knowing you. Bless you my son for coming to my rescue. Oy, day
> do nuttin' but pick on me. Maybe as a present I could send you an onion bagel
> mit cream cheese, lox and a slice tomato?
> Your loyal fan,
> Doc AF2Y
>
Hey Doc,
I can't really tell if you're trying to sound yiddish or like one of
the Gabor sisters, but I'll gladly accept the bagel; hold the lox!
73 Dahling,
Smurf
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3756. Re: NEWBIE - Seeking Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7hfdrg$s2c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.tv.tech.plain-tv,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.digital

In article <373b1505.0@news.netwalk.com>,
"Jim" <jbolinger@Nloisnptaemk.com> wrote:

> (snip)
> We are looking at using a DSP VXI board, but some of us doubt that it
would
> be any faster than doing it in the main processor with software, and
> probably would be slower (clock rates are slower and you still have to
> shovel the data back and forth). Of course we are digitizing a 5 MHz
> signal, so audio on a DSP may be ok.
>
> Have you looked into using the good ol' soundblaster card?

You could, at least theoretically, do sub-Nyquist sampling.

The catch would be like using a strobe light: while you can
flash (sample) at any convenient sub-multiple of the item
you're looking at, nothing significant must happen during
the flash. This translates into a moderate sampling rate
(definitely in the soundcard/DSP eval kit range) but a
very fast sample and hold ADC (which is not).
--
Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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3757. Re: MAKES LOTS OF MONEY..please read on

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bis Wichy <wichy@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <926625246.705.87@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143063
Cross-posted to: rec.pyrotechnics,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.

Waaay too complicated! Life should be simple...

Just send $1 to:

SignalOne purchase fund
c/o WD0HCO
5129 Pruitt St.
The Colony, TX 75056

and make someone very happy.

Remember, a ham is a terrible thing to waste...

3758. Re: HELP-HAM..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bubba <nunya@nazstarnet.com>
Message-ID: <926626508.266.60@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 143064
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

The built in terminal program should work for packet operation with your
PK-88. Here's link on how to set it up...

http://www.qsl.net/kc7gnm/packet_hpc.html

Good luck,
Jon/KC5MOP

Jeffrey M. Swiger wrote in message <373A78E8.FBFCADB@Ameritech.Net>...
>Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
>Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
>opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so Tracking
>software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are out
>there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
>Ya'll at DAYTON.....
>73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
>--
>" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> Jeffrey M. Swiger
> *** N8NOE ***

3759. Re:C.A.R.S. classified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hffpvthg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143065

In article <19990513144450.00981.00000097@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> To the station that reported the C.A.R.S. is offering free
> classifieds, HUH? I just logged on to your site since I want
> to sell my Best Data 33.6K modem and got hit with "URL not
> available" or some other frustrating term. Fellow, "Is
> you is or is you ain't?"
>
> Doc AF2Y

Halo OM Doc you idjit,

Take it private. The rest of the world don't care what
web sites you can't reach.

Obrigato,

BGO

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3760. Help need circuit 60w for FM transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar Pi&#65533;ones <pinones.oscar.oe@bhp.com.au>
Message-ID: <7hfchd$iv613@atbhp.corpmel.bhp.com.au>
Source record: 143066

Hi,

I am looking for electronic schematic diagrams in order to build my own non commercial radio station.
I would really appreciate if somebody can help me in locating this information and anything else regarding this topic.

Thanks,

Oscar

3761. US ham in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: miller@dynamo.ecn.purdue.edu
Message-ID: <7hfeea$1d$1@mozo.cc.purdue.edu>
Source record: 143067

I will be traveling in Canada this summer and was wondering
what the procedure is for an American Amateur to operate in Canada.
i. e. how much paperwork is involved?

73 de tim, n9dki

3762. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis CCR <curtisccr@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <7hfj3t$2k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143068

In article <19990506160341.00340.00000148@ng140.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << HT in a backback. This was even after
> assuring them it was off and removing the battery so it could not be
turned
> on. The supervisor at the Xray station said they will not allow any
> "walkie-talkies" (!!) on board period.
>
> Now I have gone back with dejanews and checked and many of you have
carried
> radios on-board with the understanding that you can't turn them on.
There
> are laws limiting operation aboard aircraft.
>
> I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm wrong.

> Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal
limitations
> are?

> I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good
reason.
> I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it was
not
> broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
>
> thanks
> bill
> - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -
> Bill Graves
> bgraves@ix.netcom.com

> Legal schmegal. I fly and when they say NO,it's NO. You want to
make waves
> if the FAA is doing everything possible to save your life in a plane.
Terrorism
> comes in many forms therefore we should all thank God for the
stringent, yes,
> even unfair rules by the FAA.Count your blessings! AF2Y Doc
radiosigs@aol.com

Are you serious? "Even unfair rules" are OK?"

What else should they ban? Laptop computers? Car keys?

BTW - I'm a pilot and I have no knowledge of any Federal Aviation Regulation the prohibits passengers from carrying tranceievers on board aircraft. There are rules about *using* portable electronic devices (FAR 91.21).

I usually have a pretty flexible schedule when I travel. If I was denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight. Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.

Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.

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3763. Re: HELP-HAM..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McLeman <jeffmcleman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7hff5u$kl4$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 143069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

What kind of tracking? WinAPRS for Windows CE will be coming around soon, so
if you are into APRS (Automatic Position Reporting System),
then wait a bit for WinAPRS for Windows CE.

Jeff

Bubba <nunya@nazstarnet.com> wrote in message
news:926626508.266.60@news.remarQ.com...
> The built in terminal program should work for packet operation with your
> PK-88. Here's link on how to set it up...
>
> http://www.qsl.net/kc7gnm/packet_hpc.html
>
> Good luck,
> Jon/KC5MOP
>
> Jeffrey M. Swiger wrote in message <373A78E8.FBFCADB@Ameritech.Net>...
> >Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
> >Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
> >opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so Tracking
> >software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are out
> >there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
> >Ya'll at DAYTON.....
> >73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
> >--
> >" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> > Jeffrey M. Swiger
> > *** N8NOE ***
>
>

3764. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Curtis CCR <curtisccr@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <7hfjppia1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 143070

In article <3736B9A2.3C82@wt.net>,
nm5k@wt.net wrote:
> William G. Graves wrote:
> >
> > I figure the xray supervisor was being capricious but maybe I'm
wrong.
> >
> > Can they just say NO to anything? Anyone know what their legal
limitations
> > are?
>
> They can do anything they want. It's their plane.
> >
> > I know this is trivial but I figure I was inconvenienced for no good
reason.
> > I had to check the radio, loose in a backback - thank goodness it
was not
> > broken. Is there a defense against unreasonable denials?
>
> I imagine the x-rayer was just following instructions. For one thing,
he
> probably didn't have the time or skills to determine that it wasn't
say
> a bomb.

Then passengers should not be able to take anything with them. We
should all have to fly naked. Not only would this "guarantee", it would
make airline travel fun again!

> Also the pilots frown on radios in the cabin.

No they don't - unless the radios are being used. Most pilots don't
give a rat if you have a technogadget in your baggage that isn't turned
on. You think they up there sweating bullets knowing that every other
pax is probably packing a cell phone or pager?

> It could
possibly
> cause interference to radios or nav instruments.

Not if it was turned off.

> It may have been a pain in the rear, but I don't think it's anything
> outragous. When you have a 10 million dollar "or whatever" jet boring
> holes in the sky at 35,000 ft, you don't want to have to worry about
> gadgets in the cabin causing problems. MK

That whatever million $$$ jet needs to be paid for. Being anal about things that don't present a hazard and making things inconvenient for no good reason is not a good way to get repeat business.

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3765. Re: US ham in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. Buckley" <cwbuckle@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <7hfh0k$n45$1@campus1.mtu.edu>
Source record: 143071

None. Just bring reciepts for your radio just in case they
think you bought it in Canada when you cross back...

All you have to do as far as ID is concerned is use
n9dki/ve3 if in Ontario, or if you are in another province,
just use their prefix. They are numbered from east to west,
if you don't have a map- just listen to check the ID's of the
stations you hear on VHF/UHF..

On 13 May 1999 20:58:50 GMT , Tim spewed forth to rec.radio.amateur.misc:
:TM> I will be traveling in Canada this summer and was wondering
:TM>what the procedure is for an American Amateur to operate in Canada.
:TM>i. e. how much paperwork is involved?

:TM> 73 de tim, n9dki

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Husky Amateur Radio Club -- W8YY (906)487-1303
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Electrical Engineering Undergraduate
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Long live Microsoft.
(This is not sarcasm)

3766. java ? Can I?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: joestalin@innocent.com
Message-ID: <7hfi9fkch1@hades.csu.net>
Source record: 143072

Hi.
I have a question that I'm hoping someone here can answer for me:
java ? Can I?
Thanks in advance for your help.

3767. Re:C.A.R.S. classified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513190937.22835.00000228@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 143073

<< YOU'LL READ IT AND LIKE IT!" AF2Y

Halo OM Doc you idjit,

Take it private. The rest of the world don't care what
web sites you can't reach.

Obrigato,

BGO

>>

3768. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hd614so0@208.207.71.159>
Source record: 143119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K0HB wrote:
>
> Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> > This just gets curiouser and curiouser.
>
> Nothing curious about it. It is (as it has always been) *YOU*
> who is responsible for the quality of the signal your station
> radiates. This is true (as it has always been) whether you
> built your equipment from a discarded Silvertone TV chassis, or
> bought it from Harvey-Wells or Kenwood or Knight Kit or
> KV4FZ-going-out-of-business-sale.
>

I beg to disagree, Sir! To me it *is* curious that FCC
would mandate testing for receiver spurious emissions in the
microwatt range while ignoring the much more likely, and
higher transmitted power, transmitter variety. After all,
the licensee is responsible for both.
If regenerative receivers were still common it might be
another matter-but with hams their emissions would fall
within a ham band, at least!
Evidently some problem happened along that caused them to
instigate this rule. If so I missed it.

W0EX
Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.(Ceceil's digital
'explanation' aside)

3769. Re: FCC Anti Dentites ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512202559.10981.00001247@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143120

<<
With all the recent hullabaloo over Doc and friends, and in light of
the FCC's own little Dirty Digest fiasco, the editors wonder whether
the FCC and ARRL might have a grudge against the dentic community ? >>

What's a dentic community? Do you mean a city whose residents have teeth?
Doc AF2Y

3770. Re: Burt Fisher?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512203014.10981.00001249@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143121

<< Subject: Re: Burt Fisher?
From: "Burt" <burt@imfamous.com>
Date: Wed, May 12, 1999 10:00 AM
Message-id: <7hbjh1sre1@autumn.news.rcn.net>

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990511153621.19852.00001538@ng-cd1.aol.com>...
>Will someone tell me who is Burt Fisher and why they're saying nasty things
>about him?

Hams do not like me because I dare to critisize their habits.

Burt >>

Burt, my secret agents report you're one of the finest hams to ever hold a
ticket and so I urge you to forge on to the bitter end and we two shall march
to the glorious refrains of
"Sunrise Sunset."
AF2Y Doc

3771. FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990512204514.11259.00000934@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 143122

I urge you to click on to this Website<A HREF="http://www.adl.org/">ADL, the world's leading organization to fight &#65533;</A>and realize that it is one of the most important organizations in this nation to care about the rights of everyone! The dignity of every man! An organization that keeps close tabs on skuzzies like the Boys from Brazil on 3.950 or for that matter any hate group hell bent on destroying your liberty. And I believe the ADL does work in concert with the FBI,ATF and city and state law enforcement personnel throughout the country. Bigots..EAT YOUR HEARTS OUT! AF2Y Doc

3772. Re: Some (shallow) thoughts on the CW debate...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hddvc$jln@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> There is really no frequency reuse possible as with V/UHF.

>Are you saying that there are never five simultaneous 75m QSOs
>going on in Florida, Texas, California, Alaska, and Hawaii on
>the same frequency?

That's a far cry from having simultaneous QSOs on 146.52 MHz
occurring in say, every county of the U.S. The key phrase is
"as with." // Jeff KH6O

3773. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <373CF839.5C780DD8@jump.net>
Source record: 142874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I use my amateur hand held radio in my plane and have never seen any interference, but I understand the commercial carrier's point of view - no control; They have no idea what's coming on board. The law gives them discretion, except for analog cell phones. The FCC forbids the use of analog cell phones when any aircraft is "not touching the ground". There is no such proscription for digital modes, however.
When you take the flying bus, look around; How many people don't turn off their computers? What amazes me is how often I see people faking having their seat belts fastened. More than anything else it's the passengers who make me worry in an airliner.
H.
WA5IGW
I prefer flying alone.
Call CQ on 146.52 while at 10,000 feet. Try it, you'll like it.

Phil Smalley wrote:

> Spike wrote in message ...
> >Damned right it is legal.
>
> Yes, this is true. It is at the pilots/airlines discretion.
>
> >Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
> And your laptop is even worse ;-)
>
> >You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
> >hold you down and rip the batteries out.
>
> Now, THAT'S mature.... Hope you keep your attorney's number handy. Here's to
> hoping we meet and you do just that - I could always use some extra spending
> money, and so could my attorney.
>
> >Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.
> Agreed. About the only way I could kill someone with my scanner would be to
> beat them over the head with it. Probably would do more damage to the
> scanner than to them, anyhow.
>
> Jeez..... what will we hear next? Wait, I've got it, some guy will cause a
> nuclear missile to launch because he went on a tour with his scanner. Yeah,
> that's it.....
>
> -Phil

3774. Re: Newbie Needs Antenna Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926752901.761.103@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142875

Tom,

That depends on what you want to do.

For repeater hopping from base, try a J-pole cut for each band. Cost: about $10 total in 300 ohm twin-lead, coax, and connectors. Add a dual-band vertical and magnetic mount to your car for $50. Get a filtered lighter adapter: $25. Get a headset with boom-mike: $60. Get ham plates for your car so you can use your headset: $50 (? depends on state). Get slightly more gain with a larger rubber duckie: $20. A small linear might help, but I doubt you need it around metro areas. $70 for up to 40w or so.

If you want good point-to-point line of sight comms, get the small linear and put up beams for each band. Roof-top tripod: $20. Small rotator: $100. Controller cable: $40. Coax: $50. Small beam for each band: $70 each. Antenna switch: $30. Ground rod: $10. Coax connectors: $20.

Where do you want to go today? What do you want to do?

Michael.

Thomas <TheLoad@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:24019-373CDDF7-60@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net...
>
> Hi
>
> I have recently received my amateur license. I have a handheld Kenwood
> dual band radio. I'm looking to improve my radio with a new antenna or
> possibly even a small amplifier,
>
> Unfortunately I 'm looking to spend only around 200 to 250 tops,
>
> What are my best ways to increase my signal in distance and clarity ,
> within my budget?
>
> - TOM -
>

3775. Re: FS: Reduced Motorola HT-90 UHF 4Watt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: k5pf@aol.comPaul
Message-ID: <19990514062328.17405.00000368@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 142924

>Asking $35.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer
>
>For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

For the record, I recently ordered one of Rich's Motorola offerings after seeing a NG post. The equipment arrived okay via UPS, and the condition and accessories are exactly as described.

Paul Folmsbee (K5PF)

3776. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514073641.12501.00000485@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142925

>THINK OF I DON'T GIVE A RAT'S ASS ABOUT THE WAY PYs
>FEEL SINCE THEY'RE THE LOUSES WHO PROTECTED JOSEF MENGELE FOR MANY MANY
>YEARS.
>73,Doc,AF2Y>>

Why do have to have to come on here and spread all this hate?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3777. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514074508.12501.00000487@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142926

>Strom, as an illiterate,scribbles okay but is still a Boy from Brazil, a
>subversive, liar, anti-Semite and instigator who indeed will meet with the
>wrath of Jehovah. It's just a matter of time.
>AF2Y Doc

Doc,

There's an old saying here in the great South that goes like this:
"If you are gonna point the finger, you get 3 pointing back at you"

What does the "Boy from Brazil" have to do with anything? Why such a
reference? Anyway, do you really think Kevin Strom loses any sleep over
you? I think not.

Oh and another thing, The Southern Poverty Law Center has done more to destroy
the South since your Yankee buddy Sherman made his "march to the Sea" by
Burning Atlanta and destroying everything in his path, all the way to Savannah.

Doc, just keep your Yankee ass up in New Jerksey!!!

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3778. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514074827.12501.00000488@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142927

>Let's be honest about this. The ADL is an anti-White
>and anti-Christian HATE GROUP.
>
>Doc screams about "bigotry", but totally ignores his
>own Jewish racism. What a hypocrite!
>

That what he's good at, What about the Southern Poverty Law Center? That group has done more to destroy the Christain Heritage and Cultrual values that are common down here in the Great South (ie banning of Confederate Flag etc)

I will stand up against such garbage...

There is a group that is fighting these cultrual bigots

http://www.dixienet.org

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3779. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Allan Kaplan <akaplan@fallschurch.esys.com>
Message-ID: <373C1D9E.580AAC9E@fallschurch.esys.com>
Source record: 142928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Jeff,
You are a contemporary example of a ham who put in an honest effort at CW instead of shying away from the work, and then found out how much satisfaction the mode affords! Good luck on your upgrade; CW operation is the best way to upgrade your code proficiency. Enjoy your hobby!
73 de W1AEL

3780. FS P200 Radius VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Garry Watts <gwatts@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <373C1F17.1CDD@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For Sale

Motorola Radius P-200 6 Channel 135-150 VHF
Radio on a scale of 1-10 is a 8.
2 batteries, no charger. (Keeping Charger for my other P-200)
250.00 plus shipping or best offer.
Selling because of the freq range. No good for much in this area.
COD - Cash - No Checks

Contact Garry Watts @ gwatts@ameritech.net

3781. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hhbcp$6g3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142930

In article <19990514074827.12501.00000488@ng-cd1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> >Let's be honest about this. The ADL is an anti-White
> >and anti-Christian HATE GROUP.
> >
> >Doc screams about "bigotry", but totally ignores his
> >own Jewish racism. What a hypocrite!
> >
>
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Center? That
> group has done more to destroy the Christain Heritage and Cultrual
values that
> are common down here in the Great South (ie banning of Confederate
Flag etc) The South was great before you got here Lloyd, It's trash
like you, that ruin it! "WTIA"
>
> I will stand up against such garbage...
>
> There is a group that is fighting these cultrual bigots
>
> http://www.dixienet.org
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> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
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3782. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hhbi9$6iv$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142931

Looks like smurf69, AKA "Bus Station Bobby is stroking up one of his masters the infamous Dr Hate. Been trespassing lately Bobby? We know a lot of dirt about you.....

article <dTF_2.3140$xa.31356@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>, "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
>
> > <<Smurfele daling..I luv you. Oy vey, what a head you got on your shoulders!
> > It's a mitzvah knowing you. Bless you my son for coming to my rescue. Oy, day
> > do nuttin' but pick on me. Maybe as a present I could send you an onion bagel
> > mit cream cheese, lox and a slice tomato?
> > Your loyal fan,
> > Doc AF2Y
> >
> Hey Doc,
> I can't really tell if you're trying to sound yiddish or like one of
> the Gabor sisters, but I'll gladly accept the bagel; hold the lox!
> 73 Dahling,
> Smurf
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>
>

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3783. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Yetsko <joe@user.com>
Message-ID: <7hh8a2$qs7$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

People underestimate the power here. The pilot in command can pretty much do any damn thing he wants to. He can be held accountable later, but he is pretty much totally in control. I've had pilots tell me I couldn't
use my HT. I've had other pilots ask me to just tell the flight attendant to
let him know when I'm useing it. And in a two cases, I've even had a pilot let me transmit, as long as he knew when it was going to be done, and in both cases it was only while in level flight. In all cases pilots
wanted the HT totally off during approach.

Back about 1975 I was denied boarding a Delta flight. It was a 'weapon' issue. But the pilot for the flight happened to be there (this was a 2am
flight out of Atlanta and at the time security was at each individual skyway)
and he stopped to see the commotion. He said 'let him board' and I did.

Mike Yetsko

3784. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373C3027.72966E5C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Anybody besides me think this guy sounds like a teenager?

He's really seen enough of life to decide this matter....
oooooh yeah.....

D.S.

3785. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hhbsf$lb5$0@208.207.71.148>
Source record: 142934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Dick Carroll wrote:
> > Hmmmmm...So an F5 tornado is digital?
>
> Yep, take away the individual air molecules and you have nothing.

So take away the circular ANALOG motion of the air molecules and you still have nothing-but static air molecules...doing NOTHING, existing however they exist. But nature is NOT static. The wind blows, even the solar wind, for it's own different reason.

Next you geniuses are gonna claim that the rotation of the planets around the sun is digital. Or the orbiting of electrons around an atom's nucleus. Or the expansion of the universe. Ad nauseum.

I sure am glad that I'm not so darn intelligent I have to swallow all that stuff. Gee, what some people will do to promote the digital 'agenda'. Next you'll be saying that sex is not analog because there's a "digit" involved...

Remember: You can "prove" 'mathematically' that you are as old as your grandfather. That opens up vast possibilities. 'Math' is valid when you can prove the proof that proved the proof that proved the calculation. Otherwise - well, maybe you ARE as old as your grandfather...

We know that nature is always seeking of equilibrium, to equalize charges, so your point is not obscure. Lightning, the most obvious equalization in nature, is essentially digital in nature. Just where Quantum Mechanics takes us from there would be another matter.

W0EX
Nature is ANALOG. Unless you're in love with 1's and 0's.

3786. New Version of Flexi-Tuner for the RX-320

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mktg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <377534fa.5386231@nntp.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142935

May 14, 1999

Hello All,

The beta versions of Flexi-Tuner for the RX-320 are finally done and over with! Many thanks to the testers for their feedback and suggestions. All comments were very helpful.

Version 2.0 of Flexi-Tuner for the Ten-Tec RX-320 is now available for ordering.

Priced at $20.00, version 2.0 is an inexpensive way to take advantage of the features on the RX-320 that Ten-Tec did not implement and, at the same time, to have a control program for both DOS and Windows.

The major features of Version 2.0 of Flexi-Tuner for the Ten-Tec RX-320 are as follows:

1. Operates the RX-320 from virtually any desktop or laptop computer, including older 386 machines. An excellent use for that old 386 machine in the closet or one of the many $100 older laptops available at pawn shops and used computer stores.
2. Works in either DOS or Windows (this is a DOS program with a DOS interface).
3. Implements 34 selectivity filters from 8Khz to 300Hz.
4. All modes: AM, USB, LSB, CW.
5. AGC implemented: Fast, Medium, Slow.
6. Tuning steps down go 1 Hz or up to 1 Mhz, including 9Khz and 3Khz.
7. Adjustable squelch.
8. Bandpass tuning for CW and SSB (offset from center freq.)
9. Scanning using scan files. Adjustable parameters.
New! You can now have up to 200 scan files with as many 100 entries in each.
10. Built-in scan file editor.
New! You can now tune to any entry while in the scan file editor.
11. Built-in logging function with log editor. Easily track, edit, sort, monitor, and export log entries. Items logged include station name (or notation), frequency, mode, filter, date, time, and S-meter reading. Time and date can be adjusted if you want to log in UTC or other time zone.
New! Sort by time added to the log editor.
12. More sensitive S-meter.

13. Pause S-meter function on front panel. This eliminates
the "chuffing" heard on some RX-320 systems.
New! 14. Instantly mute audio with a single key.
15. Almost all parameters adjustable (great for knob twiddlers
like me).
16. Tighter code for faster operation.
17. No mouse required (or supported).
New! 18. Supports color, B&W, and inverted B&W monitors (CGA or
better, including B&W VGA monitors).

The program is supplied along with several scan files in a single zip
file. It can be sent to you either by e-mail or regular mail on floppy
disk. Installation and removal are simple, as the program does not
affect any system settings. Operation is also straightforward -- just
press various keys as shown on the screen.

Installation, removal, and operating instructions are included.

I would be pleased to send you Version 2.0 of Flexi-Tuner for the
RX-320.

Regards and 73,

David
W7HTJ

P.S. A demo version is available at no charge. It has all the features
of Version 2.0 except that the number of scan files is limited 25, each
scan file can hold 25 records, and the log file is limited to 250 en-
tries. An RX-320 is needed in order for the demo to function.

RX-320 Flexi-Tuner V. 2.0

How To Order

The full program, Flexi-Tuner Version 2.0, is available for purchase.
Shipment can be made by e-mail or on diskette by regular mail.

Price: $20.00 US for shipment by e-mail.
$25.00 US on diskette shipped by regular mail.

Send payment (check or money order) in favor of David C. Andresen.

Address: 8103 104th St., S.W.
Tacoma, WA 98498

Tel. (253) 588-4149
Fax: (253) 588-4366
E-mail: mktg@ix.netcom.com

All shipments made within 24 hours of receipt of payment.

Please include your e-mail or mailing address with your order.

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
State: _____
Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

How to Ship? Mail or E-mail (circle one)

Please include payment. Invoices not sent.

3787. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <373C4353.81615A55@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
> > Yep, take away the individual air molecules and you have nothing.
>
> So take away the circular ANALOG motion of the air
> molecules and you still have nothing-but static air
> molecules...doing NOTHING, existing however they exist. But
> nature is NOT static.

Morse code testing requirements are not static either. :-)

As you probably know, the apparent analog motion of an air
molecule can be analyzed using calculus and making the *discrete
straight line increments* of the path as small as needed. The
answer is perfectly accurate. The delta-length and delta-time
of calculus are discrete values. Consider this, Dick. Man once
considered the entire universe to be analog. Now, the farther
away man gets from analog-type thinking and the closer he gets
to quantum-type thinking (discrete/digital) the better man
understands the universe.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3788. UROLOGY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514124104.24405.00000424@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 142937

The last time I went to the urologist to have my prostate checked, he asked me how strong my STROM was. I replied."Kevin Albert." He said "That's pathetic," to which I answered, "In more ways than one."

AF2Y Doc

3789. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hhjoq$6nk$0@208.207.71.170>
Source record: 142938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> As you probably know, the apparent analog motion of an air
> molecule can be analyzed using calculus and making the *discrete
> straight line increments* of the path as small as needed.

Yep. And a circle is nothing more than an infinite number
of straight lines, end to end. But I'll leave it up to you
to separate and count 'em while I work some CW.....and that
thing sure looks round to me.

The
> answer is perfectly accurate. The delta-length and delta-time
> of calculus are discrete values. Consider this, Dick. Man once
> considered the entire universe to be analog. Now, the farther
> away man gets from analog-type thinking and the closer he gets
> to quantum-type thinking (discrete/digital) the better man
> understands the universe.

As I said - You seemingly can "prove" about anything you
set out to prove. I'm glad I'm not saddled with all that
"knowledge". Sure would get in the way of my ham radio
fun.....as it does yours.

W0EX
Nature is ANALOG. Unless you're in love with 1's and 0's
and see the universe only through digital glasses.
Then you just have to Live With It.

3790. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <EyY_2.3601$xa.35016@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142939

On Fri, 14 May 1999 14:22:04 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Looks like smurf69, AKA "Bus Station Bobby is stroking up one of his
> masters the infamous Dr Hate. Been trespassing lately Bobby? We know a
> lot of dirt about you.....
>
Oh no, It looks like George figured out my true identity! Whatever
will I do now? Better be careful what you post, make sure it's
accurate. You seem to have a problem distinguishing fantasy from
reality, so it may be prudent to have any accusations you make checked
for accuracy by an impartial third party before you make them public.
Lawyers love this kind of stuff, ya know!

Have a nice day!
Smurf
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3791. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hhne9$qeb@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142940

In article <7hc0v8$24d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <realdeal@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>You forgot plagiarizing, he takes credit for antenna designs. He claims
>to have invented the "CLOUDWARMER".

Where? When? Certainly not in this forum. He said he "homebrewed"
the antenna, not invented it. Anything we build at home from someone
else's designed is called "homebrew," as opposed to purchasing a
commercially-made version.

Peruse our newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.homebrew -- you'll read of lots
of folks homebrewing gear, very little of which they've designed them-
selves.

73, Jeff KH6O

3792. Re: KH2D a Moronic Troll

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hhooj$r91@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142941

In article <7hcr4aqao1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <mf_luder@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

>> And does that "mf" cyberspace appellation of yours stand for what I
>>think it does? AF2Y Doc

>Right, Martin Fitzsimmons.

All this time I thought you were an avid 160m fan. How disappointing.

Jeff KH6O

3793. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hhpl3$rvh@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Dick Carroll wrote:

>> Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.(Cecil's digital 'explanation' aside)

>They laughed at Einstein's Special Theory of Relativity also, Dick.

Jim writes:

>>>Live better digitally

and I respond:

>>Remember, nature works in an analog fashion.

to which he says:

>So what?

(well thought response!)

I suggest Jim and Cecil get together to watch the sunset this evening...

Jeff KH6O

3794. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514143507.24414.00000490@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 142943

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: ycthulhu@aol.com (YCTHULHU)
Date: Fri, May 14, 1999 1:18 AM
Message-id: <19990513211818.26251.00000252@ng-fx1.aol.com>
<<<<This is AF2Y and here's my reply. The ADL was estabished as a deterrent to anti-Semitim. A Jew is a victim of anti-Semitism. A Jew is a Caucasian therefore how can the ADL be against whites? The ADL is anti-Christian? Wrong. If one is a true Christian, then one lives by Christian values. I see it written nowhere that a Christian is committed to hate Jews, to persecute Jews. to disrepect Judaic principles and to threaten and/or kill Jews. And so if a so-called Christian is guilty of such abhorrences,he's NOT actually Christian but rather an abomination to the faith. The ADL fights such abominations. The worst kind of Christian is one who boasts about his personal relationship with a Jew named Yeshua ben Joseph translated Jesus in Greek who likewise in GREEK is Christos, Christ, meaning the Messiah and then preaches and practices hatred toward the same people from which their Lord sprang. I therefore conclude that the person who wrote what's below my retort, a "thing" called YCTHULHU,is the very type of abomination against which the ADL fights which explains his rotten attitude. AF2Y Doc radiosigs>>>>>>>>>
Let's be honest about this. The ADL is an anti-White
and anti-Christian HATE GROUP.

Doc screams about "bigotry", but totally ignores his
own Jewish racism. What a hypocrite! >>

3795. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Ruther <michael.ruther@alliedsignal.com>
Message-ID: <373C700E.288E3D9B@alliedsignal.com>
Source record: 142944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I am in Arizona , and I do like my N framed Smith , but I wear a Bretta 96 when
I walk the dogs in the cool of the evening. cool = less than 85F hi hi
mike AA7QA

robinson wrote:

> My colt is a Defender, and if it is visible, then that means I am NOT glad
> to see somebody. It conceals fairly well, as does my P-10.
>
> I have a sentimental attachment to revolvers, but prefer a compact semiauto
> for serious social encounters. If I could carry openly as is the case in New
> Mexico or Arizona, I might opt for the ratchet gun. Then it would be a model
> 29, or a Super Redhawk if I was shopping on a budget. Big gun beats little
> gun.
>
> ---------------------------------
> Robinson in San Benito TX
> A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
> By the Border By the Sea
>
> Meet a Redneck!
> See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
> Build your own Web Page!
> Get your Ham License!
>
> For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying
> in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
> http://crusoe.org
> --
>
> W6RCecilA wrote in message <37398CEE.E4BC596A@IEEE.org>...
> >robinson wrote:
> >> Hey Cecil, I'm a Texan, and I prefer a compact 1911 variant. I would
> rather
> >> carry one than two of them even if I had one tricked out for lefthand
> use.
> >> Two ratchet guns of meaningful calibre would be especially hard to
> >> conceal...
> >
> >"Is that your Colt Python or are you just glad to see me?" :-)
> >--
> >73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3796. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(Smurf)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <109-373C6A52-5@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142945

It sounded to me like "RealDeal", threatend you....isnt that a violation
of the TOS for most servers?

3797. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514145705.24414.00000497@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 142946

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Fri, May 14, 1999 11:48 AM
Message-id: <19990514074827.12501.00000488@ng-cd1.aol.com>
>>>AF2Y replies. The Stars and Bars represents the Confederate States of America which was destoyed by Union Forces in 1865. The defeat of the South in the Civil War should have meant that we would become united under ONE FLAG, OLD GLORY. Furthermore that same STARS AND BARS represents a throwback to slavery which was negated by the Emancipation Proclamation and then outlawed as a result of the South's defeat. The Stars and Bars therefore SEPARATES, not unites us and UNITED WE STAND. I refute the idea that the STARS AND BARS represents the South of today. She has made more progress in integration than has the North. Great universities and important industry has sprung up throughout the South. The entire climate of south of the Mason-Dixon has changed for the better and more progressive. Southerners can be proud of their success and culture WITHOUT having to depend upon the Confederate Flag as an emblem. If anything, that flag sets the South back and gives the North the wrong impression. Regarding the Southern Poverty Law Center, what's wrong with keeping a close watch on the KKK and Nazis and just plain insurrectionist militia nuts? Any Southerner who's a loyal American should be proud of such a great Atlanta based organization. You think Morris Dees did wrong by hauling that Nazi bastard Tom Metzger into court and bankrupting him for his part in the orchestrated murder of that Ethiopian student in Oregon? Lloyd, do you like the idea of killing a black student, a hard working student trying to hold down a couple of jobs to pay for his education. Is that your idea of destroying Christian Heritage and Cultural values? If so, you're one sick dude who is in dire need of a psychiatrist. AF2Y Doc>>>>>>>>
>Let's be honest about this. The ADL is an anti-White
>and anti-Christian HATE GROUP.
>
>Doc screams about "bigotry", but totally ignores his
>own Jewish racism. What a hypocrite!
>

That what he's good at, What about the Southern Poverty Law Center? That group has done more to destroy the Christain Heritage and Cultrual values that are common down here in the Great South (ie banning of Confederate Flag etc)

I will stand up against such garbage...

There is a group that is fighting these cultrual bigots

http://www.dixienet.org

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama

ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/ >>

3798. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmcdonld@thezone.net
Message-ID: <7hhqe3$377$1@nova.thezone.net>
Source record: 142947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

IRC channels are controled by who ever owns them(created them) and has ops. They can so what ever they want. IRC unlike most forms of communication has almost no laws or rules.

3799. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spike <spike@eyeball.org>
Message-ID: <973BD25C3D2C3581.D110547DDD90AACD.103D66091F7EAEEA@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 142948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If I had too much time on my hands, it sure wouldn't go to waste learning how to poke at a damned
keyer, learning how to communicate the hard way like some hard up for entertainment idiot like you
code freaks.
You people need to get a life.
You have waaay too much time on your hands as you give in to follious things as in keying when there
is a whole world starving and suffering out there.
Get out once in a while and realize there is much more than your stupid code and HAM radio's.

3800. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spike <spike@eyeball.org>
Message-ID: <BA779EB0D02B0E40.420DECA6F1ABCD98.B3699CB357193F89@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 142949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Damned right it is legal.
Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
hold you down and rip the batteries out.
Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.

3801. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <373C7C4E.BEF@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 142950

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> ...The Stars and Bars represents the
> Confederate States of America...

> ...Southerners can be proud of their
> success and culture WITHOUT having to
> depend upon the Confederate Flag...

Yeah but it makes a pretty good ground cloth
when you're having sex with your
sister on the barn floor...

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

3802. Reprogamming ICOM IC-M710 to transmit on amateur radio bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G. Joseph Buck" <joebuck@postoffice.worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hhvbn$ba1$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142951

Does anyone have information on how to reprogram the ICOM IC-M710 Marine SSB transceiver so that it can transmit on the amateur radio bands, i.e. what instructions, etc. must be given to the transceiver to achieve this, or where software can be obtained that will effect this reprogramming?

3803. "KEVIN THE STROMTROOPER"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514162638.23708.00000589@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142952

ANYONE KNOW STROM'S WEB SITE ADDRESS.? I'M A BIT CONSTIPATED AND I CAN THINK OF NO BETTER FREE LAXATIVE.

AF2Y Doc

3804. Re: @ a genius

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514163000.23708.00000591@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142953

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<< Subject: @
From: "Sam Taylor" <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 3:03 AM
Message-id: <373a412c.0@nntp.quiknet.com>

<<<<This has to be the most intelligent posting I've ever seen.>>>>>>Doc AF2Y
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3805. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514163617.23708.00000598@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142954

<< <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Date: Fri, May 14, 1999 7:42 PM
Message-id: <373C7C4E.BEF@digitalcartography.com>

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> ...The Stars and Bars represents the
> Confederate States of America...

> ...Southerners can be proud of their
> success and culture WITHOUT having to
> depend upon the Confederate Flag...

Yeah but it makes a pretty good ground cloth
when you're having sex with your
sister on the barn floor...

Lumpy
-- <<Lumpy, you have a wonderful sense of humor. Make more posts. 73,Doc AF2Y>>
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/ap >>

3806. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael <MKlevickis@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <373C8B91.7F5B@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spike wrote:
>follious things as in keying ...
>stupid code and HAM radio's.

Calm yourself, Spike. You need not become so emotional about another's hobby. Then again, you might constructively use YOUR time to learn how to write and spell and construct proper sentences. The plural of radio is not "radio's"; and what, pray tell, does your word "follious" mean? In a way, I will agree with your position. If you cannot even use simple English, how COULD you learn code?

Michael K.

3807. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hi5g3$r0b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142956

This is not the only place that AF2Y spreads hate and outright lies.
And for your information, and we have people who have heard him. he
stated many times on twenty meters that he "INVENTED the "cloudwarmer
antenna". Which as we have proved is inaccurate, and is just a case of
someone trying to take credit for a antenna so old its invention is lost
in time. I guess he has to boost his ego by claiming inventions, heroic
acts etc. Give me a break!!!

n article <7hhne9$qeb@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> In article <7hc0v8$24d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, <realdeal@my-dejanews.com>
wrote:
> >You forgot plagiarizing, he takes credit for antenna designs. He
claims
> >to have invented the "CLOUDWARMER".
>
> Where? When? Certainly not in this forum. He said he "homebrewed"
> the antenna, not invented it. Anything we build at home from someone
> else's designed is called "homebrew," as opposed to purchasing a
> commercially-made version.
>
> Peruse our newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.homebrew -- you'll read of lots
> of folks homebrewing gear, very little of which they've designed them-
> selves.
>
> 73, Jeff KH6O
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3808. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hi60nrcv1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142957

Just like Ole "Bus Station Bobby" to holler "SUE, SUE, SUE" You know we have the goods on you "SAMMY"

article <EyY_2.3601$xa.35016@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>, "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
> On Fri, 14 May 1999 14:22:04 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Looks like smurf69, AKA "Bus Station Bobby is stroking up one of his
> > masters the infamous Dr Hate. Been trespassing lately Bobby? We know a
> > lot of dirt about you.....
> >
> Oh no, It looks like George figured out my true identity! Whatever
> will I do now? Better be careful what you post, make sure it's
> accurate. You seem to have a problem distinguishing fantasy from
> reality, so it may be prudent to have any accusations you make checked
> for accuracy by an impartial third party before you make them public.
> Lawyers love this kind of stuff, ya know!
>
> Have a nice day!
> Smurf
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3809. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(Smurf)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <0e0%2.3690$xa.36042@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142958

On Fri, 14 May 1999 14:24:18 -0400 (EDT) RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> It sounded to me like "RealDeal", threatend you....isnt that a violation
> of the TOS for most servers?
>
I'm sure it is, but really don't care. What can he do to harm me? I know his gang enjoys digging up what they consider dirt on people, credit histories, arrest records, etcetera. But so what? If he thinks he has something, let's see it. If it's factual, so be it. If it's fabricated or embellished, it'll come back to haunt him. Liars always live with the fear that they'll be exposed for what they are. Since they know no different, they expect that everyone else lives with the same fear: that someone is going to expose the lies that they live. The truth is that most of us don't live with such anxiety, since we have nothing to hide and therefore nothing to fear.

Since I had the facts on my side in this little thread, he realized that he could not argue his case successfully against me. This is why he is making his thinly veiled threats and accusations. His only hope of saving face is to discredit me in some way. But, if he truly has any mud to sling, why did he not do so? That question brings us back to the fear factor which I mentioned previously. Since he is dishonest, he has to hide from and obscure the truth. In his mind, everyone else carries similar baggage. So, he expects that the implication that he "has something on me" is going to scare me, keep me from pointing out his lies, keep me from summing up his character. Apparently, it isn't working!
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3810. Companies that won't fix defects but do correct spelling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hi7dp$s88$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Run Around that I experienced with Yaesu

[Follow Ups] [Post Followup] [The FT-847 Bulletin Board] [FAQ] [FT-847 Home Page]

Posted by George Nelson on May 13, 1999 at 16:42:56:

I sent this e-mail to Yaesu "Chip Margelli" May 5,1999 and have not received any response as yet. I thought you new FT-847 owners and perspective buyers, would be interested.
The following is a series of e-mail exchanges between Yaesu and I, concerning the problems encountered by me, after purchasing one of the first FT-847's over a year ago. As you can see, the problems have NEVER been resolved.
****
TO: YAESU U.S.A.
C. H. "Chip" Margelli, K7JA
Manager, Engineering/R&D Department

What Happened Chip and John??

The last time I heard from you folks at Yaesu, was a phone call on July 28, 1998 at 1604 PDST. John Lynn said that he was shipping back my radio, after two months in the shop without fixing the problems. He also said that I would be contacted when a fix was found.

The following e-mail responses from you, were very positive about fixing the CTCSS DECODE problem with my FT-847. All right, you lost my name, ham call, phone number, home and e-mail address. The excuse is accepted!!

Now that we are connected again, what did the Japanese Engineering team come up with to fix the ctcss decode, volume control and loud rear fan problem???

Please respond by phone or e-mail. Thank You, George Nelson K7GEN
****
THINGS THAT I DON'T LIKE ABOUT THE YEASU FT-847

1. VERY NOISY FANS, ALWAYS ON, (SOUNDS LIKE A PERSONAL COMPUTER)
2. CAN'T MEMORY SCAN BY MODE
3. ONLY 78 GENERAL MEMORIES FOR WHOLE RADIO NOT LIKE ADVERTISED (78 PER BAND)
4. NOT ABLE TO PROGRAM DIFFERENT CTCSS TONE ON XMIT AND RECEIVE
5. THE 12 SATELLITE MEMORIES NOT USABLE FOR SAME BAND REPT.
6. ONLY ONE WAY CROSSWIND REPEAT CAPABLE, IN SAT MODE ONLY

7. CTCSS DECODE CKT. OPENS ON SIGNALS WITHOUT PROPER TONE
8. REPEATER OFFSETS ADJUSTABLE, BUT IF USING DIFFERENT OFFSETS IN
THE SAME BAND, THE MEMORIES DO NOT STORE THEM SEPARATELY MORE TO
FOLLOW
****
Subject:
FT-847
Date:
Thu, 2 Apr 98 17:57:45 +0000
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net
CC:
n2jtx@weca.org

Dear OM George:

We're a bit confused. . .
1. Perhaps your fan(s) have some mechanical problem; they are really
quiet normally.
2. OK.
3. Where did we advertise 78 memories per band (can't locate such a
statement myself)?
4. May I assume that the separate CTCSS tones are for a non-amateur
repeater?
5. Amateur satellites do not uplink and downlink on the same band.
6. True. . .but we did not want the compromises (additional Local
Oscillators with their attendant birdies, etc.) of dual receive on a
high-performance weak signal DX/satellite product.
7. Can't duplicate this one. . .what tone does this happen on? Our units
here work perfectly, but we're willing to listen in case we need
to know somthing.
8. The "Offset" is a fixed item. But you can store split memories to
your heart's content. This takes less time than messing around
with the re-setting of a "default" offset, to boot. Take another
look at the manual, and I'm sure you'll agree.
9. It's "YAESU," not "YEASU" (!).
We hope you'll enjoy the 847 on the upcoming E season, this weekend's
DUBUS EME Contest, as well as Phase 3D OSCAR.
73,
YAESU U.S.A.
C. H. Margelli
****
Thank you for your e-mail response.
Here is my response to your answers.

1. Fan's: Everyone who has seen my radio , comments on the fan noise.
2. MODE SCAN: We agree on.
3. 78 memories per band: In your 6 side, 3 page flier B9200227 under
POPULAR MEMORY AND SCANNING FEATURES it states "The ft-847 includes

78 regular memories (comma)" plus other types of memories (comma) and
ends with "and a HOME channel on each band (period) When people read
this sentence, they tend to believe that this radio has all of these
memory types, "on each band", because the period does not appear
until after the statement "on each band." VERY MISLEADING!!
4. Different CTCSS tones on repeaters XMIT and RCV: This is done on many
amateur 6 meter repeaters to eliminate problems while linking. The
Icom 706 Mark II will do this!
5. Satellite Memories: OK!
6. Cross band Repeat: You could have designed the radio to jump back and
forth between the main band frequency and the sub band frequency,
like the early duel band, single freq. mobile transceivers did.
(Icon 3210)
7. Radio speakers passes audio (for an instant) while in full
CTCSS decode:
Not just an occasional pop when voice frequency matches the tone, but
while scanning the memory channels, some being in decode. Plus the
speaker clicks occasionally while listening to a single
decoded memory channel.
8. Offset: I understand, But some modern radios memories (Icom
575H) will remember shift frequency, and not have to refer to the
current shift setting.
9. YEASU YEASU YEASU: Sorry about the spelling error.
10.And one more concern: The AF or Vol pot, on the low end. Does not
activate the audio at a low enough level for my taste.

Question: Are these typical problems that all FT-847's have,
or should I send this one in to have you look at it??
****
Subject:
FT-847
Date:
Thu, 2 Apr 98 23:33:01 +0000
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net

Dear OM George:

Thanks for your follow up.
1. Dunno. . .but will try to get some relative perspective on the fans.
3. Thank you. I feel better, although I do understand your point about
the sentence structure. That sentence could use a re-write, but
I hope you can see that there was no intent to mislead. I must
ask, though, how you would have the time to load even 78 memories,
much less 156?
4. Hmmm. Thanks for the information. Yes, the 706 will do this. No, the
706 isn't worth much as a satellite radio.
6. Ditto on the IC-3210 as a satellite radio. Your point is noted,
though.

7. Thanks for the further information. We'll look into it.
9. Thanks, Goerge Goerge Goerge.
10. Ah. . .the "big step" at the bottom! We'll look into that, too.
Please QRX for further information. Thanks again for the helpful
input.

73,
YAESU U.S.A.
C. H. Margelli
****
Subject:
Re: FT-847 Web site
Date:
Thu, 04 Jun 1998 15:38:52 -0700
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net
GEORGE NELSON wrote:
Hello again Mr.Margelli,
Just a note to let you know, that I have returned my FT-847 for repair.
I finally got to view a properly working one, at the Seaside Oregon
Ham fair. The demo at SeaPac, had none of the problems that I mentioned
to you in earlier e-mail. The sales rep named Skip, said that repair
service, had fixes for all the physical problems that you and I talked
about. Hopefully, when I receive the radio back, all the defects will be
fixed and I will be able to get on with my life.
Just to mention, I'm sure you have seen the FT-847 site, at the
following URL. http://www.en.com/users/rayd/ft-847/
Very interesting postings!! Thanks, George WB7VWK
****
Dear OM George:

Thanks for your e-mail. We look forward to getting your 847, and getting
things resolved for you.

I don't know who "Skip" might have been at Seaside. The staff at Seaside
was Kevin and Chip, and the latter is me(!).

We'll get you taken care of, OB.

73,

YAESU U.S.A.
C. H. "Chip" Margelli, K7JA
Manager, Engineering/R&D Department
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GEORGE NELSON wrote:
Hello Chip,
If it's not misspelling Yaesu, it's misreading a venders name tag.
Sorry! I guess that it was you, that I talked to, about 10:00 AM
Saturday morning. No wonder the problems that we talked about, were not

a surprise to you. Please keep my radio as long as necessary, to assure all current change notices are installed.
Thanks Again, George WB7VWK
****
Subject:
Your radio
Date:
Mon, 08 Jun 1998 12:06:49 -0700
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
wb7vvk.george@worldnet.att.net

Dear OM George:

Your "baby" is here, and is getting better. I have a question, though:

Do you need this unit for the contest this weekend?

The CTCSS decoder is largely working, but there still is a little bleed-through on occasion. We don't know if we can get a solution by tomorrow or not, and if you need the 847 for the contest we need to ship it by then. I am confident of getting this resolved, but the exact day of a complete resolution is uncertain.

Please let me know, OM.

73/awaiting your word. . .

YAESU U.S.A.
Chip Margelli, K7JA
(relaying question from Service Department)
****
Subject:
Re: [Fwd: Your radio]
Date:
Tue, 09 Jun 1998 10:47:14 -0700
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net
References:
1 , 2

GEORGE NELSON wrote:
Hello again Chip,
Please keep my FT-847 as long as it takes, to correct all of the problems, even ones that you discover. Especially the CTCSS DECODE. As I said before, I did my best for about 5 minutes, to break through the CTCSS DECODE, on your display radio at Seaside. It worked perfectly. I understand that on occasion, with the proper voice frequency, a radio in PL or CG, CTCSS DECODE will pass a syllable or two through, to the speaker, but this should not happen very often. And it should never

happen, on just an unmodulated carrier.
I've also noticed, on the newsgroups and FT-847 web page, about questions people have about the PHONE JACK LEVEL. I have not plugged a headphone into my radio, but I would expect it to work properly, as all the radio's, I've owned sense 1963.
George WB7VWK
****
RRR. . .we're working on it.

As to the headphone level, I think we must have it right. Some guys gripe that the level is too low. Others have even posted mods to LOWER the headphone audio level. I think Goldilocks is at work here. I have both Yaesu and Heil headphones, and I blast my ears out at more than 50% advancement of the AF GAIN control. I think some Heils have low output (or a funny impedance), and that is behind the "low output" situation.

73 for now. . .

Chip
****
Subject:
847
Date:
Tue, 16 Jun 1998 16:05:30 -0700
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net

George:

I asked John Lynn to call you back, as I am involved in a project for Tokyo from which I am not presently coming up for air. I'm not on the same floor as the Service Department, and it takes a bit of time to research things.

Please drop me an e-mail if John can't answer your questions. . .I can check the e-mail occasionally.

Hope all is well, propagation notwithstanding.

73 de Chip
****
Re: 847
Date:
Tue, 16 Jun 1998 17:41:56 -0700
From:
GEORGE NELSON
To:
yaesu@postoffice.worldnet.att.net
References:
1

Hello Chip,
I received my FT-847 this afternoon, unpacked it, and immediately checked it out.
The first thing I checked, was the CTCSS DECODE. Nope, Not Fixed, it still does the same things it did before. Speaker clicks, when the radio is squelched in decode and white noise is occasionally emitted, when it is unsquelched in decode.
The AF control seems to be much better, but they didn't do anything with the rear fan, but that's OK.
The invoice says they replaced 17 assorted parts, I wonder what all the parts replacement fixes??
John Lynn called me, and asked questions about the decode problem. He suggested that I return the radio, and send him a copy of the UPS bill for refund. First one was $33.04.
Well, that's about it, I'm very discussed. The radio from hell, will be mailed back to you, tomorrow.(WED)
SUCKER,george
****
Subject:
847
Date:
Wed, 17 Jun 1998 12:20:09 -0700
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net

George:

Please don't send it, if you haven't already.

Tokyo's investigating your complaint, and we'll let you know when a better time would be. We just don't want you to be without your radio at the peak of the six-meter season (how can you even THINK of using this rig on FM at this time of year??!!?? hi).

73 de Chip
****
Subject:
Re: 847
Date:
Wed, 17 Jun 1998 13:03:12 -0700
From:
GEORGE NELSON
To:
Chip Margelli
References:
1

Hello Chip,
I just got back from Mail Boxes Etc. and the radio is on it's way!!
Don't worry, I have plenty of Rig's. I have two Icom 575H's, TS-50&60 and am not rig or antenna poor. Been working Ca.&Az. 6 meter repts quite

regularly this spring. Say Hi to Dan N6BKL and Will AA6DD on 6 Fr me.
Keep the radio until the ctcss decode is fixed, It's no good to me, in
the condition it's in. 73's George
****
Subject:
847
Date:
Thu, 18 Jun 1998 11:29:59 -0700
From:
"Yaesu U.S.A."
To:
WB7VWK.GEORGE@worldnet.att.net

OK. . .wilco.

73 de Chip
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****
George Nelson K7GEN E-Mail: K7GEN@worldnet.att.net

Follow Ups:

• Re: The Run Around that I experienced with Yaesu Lonnie (NT6B)
17:06:46 5/13/99 (0)

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3811. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7hi49p$7iv$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 142960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Spike wrote in message ...
>Damned right it is legal.

Yes, this is true. It is at the pilots/airlines discretion.

>Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
And your laptop is even worse ;-)

>You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
>hold you down and rip the batteries out.

Now, THAT'S mature.... Hope you keep your attorney's number handy. Here's to hoping we meet and you do just that - I could always use some extra spending money, and so could my attorney.

>Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.
Agreed. About the only way I could kill someone with my scanner would be to beat them over the head with it. Probably would do more damage to the scanner than to them, anyhow.

Jeez..... what will we hear next? Wait, I've got it, some guy will cause a nuclear missile to launch because he went on a tour with his scanner. Yeah, that's it.....

-Phil

3812. Leaving For Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hi7q5$si7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142961

Will be clamboring over the FT-736R and TS-850 to get into the Chevette after I send this. Hope to see you at the Chevette/Corvair/Yugo User's Symposium at the mezzanine.

With God as my Copilot and Second op (honk if you love Jesus !)

Over and out.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3813. Re: Where�is�this�hobby?�1920,�1960�or�2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hi883$su4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

KE4JCD wrote:
> As I and others in Amateur Radio quit and find other things to do
> with our time, Like I-Phone, Netmeeting, Qtalk, PalTalk, IRC Chat's.
> BBS's, Ect. For we see that you just don't get it!
> --
> Bob - KE4JCD
> Lakeland, FL.
> Jammer Information Center Of Amatuer Radio
> http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html

Hey OM Crummy Bob you idjit,

Could you please take AF2Y, WB2OTK, and the rest of that crowd
with you? Please don't let the door hit you in the ass on the
way out.

73, BGO

PS: Your lame warning about 'fines' for sending you mail is
strikingly unimpressive.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3814. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373CA0FE.719F6401@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142963

Doc, your posting on the War for Southern Independence,
the meaning of the St. Andrews Cross flag and etc.
is one of the more thorough recitations of the "party line"
on these subjects I've seen lately.

It's always been easier to take this complex issue
and pervert it into a simple, hateful idea.
The post is, of course, riddled with misinformation, misunderstanding,
half-n-quarter truths and utter falsehoods.

It's not your fault and I don't condemn you personally for it.
You're simply repeating what's been forced into
your mind and heart by Hollywood, academe and the feds.
The issue isn't and never was as simple and simple-minded
as most Americans believe.
A century and a half of lies and propaganda forced
on american children has set this bigotry more deeply and
more perniciously then that against any other ethnic group.

You may find it difficult to believe, but no single group
silently suffers more hate speech and hate propaganda then
the People of the South. The hatred towards us
is even sanctioned and propagated by academia and
brutally enforced by agencies of the federal government.
I'll bet you don't see many college professors damning Jews.
They might even go to jail for it.
Damning Southerners is practically a requirement for graduation.

The fact that sheet-wearing inbreds and skin-headed
morons abuse and defame the St. Andrews Cross flag
does not make that flag a symbol of hate.
Hippies wore the US flag in the 1960s.
Does that mean the US flag stood for drug abuse?
Native Americans have used the swastika for centuries.
Are Native Americans nazis?
The Rellians use the Star of David as one of their symbols.
Does this mean the Star of David stands for UFO belief?

No. Of course not.
Most people agree those ideas are silly--
nutty upside-down thinking.
Until you talk about the St. Andrews Cross.
Suddenly, logic goes completely out the window
and brainwashing takes over.

It's easier for lazy people to point to a
Southern symbol then to deal with the real problems;
to go find a "boogieman" rather then frigging *THINK.*
They want someone to whom they might feel superior
and distract them from their own mean and degraded spirits.

What better way to justify themselves
then to regurgitate their training?
It's so much more satisfying to damn the people and symbols that
academe and the federal government have sanctioned for that purpose.
Southerners are ready-made scapegoats-- Step right up!
Ease your guilty conscience by pointing fingers
and speaking hate about that which you don't understand;

It's truly The American Way!

Sincerely,
David L. Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com
Occupied Texas, CSA

"Gentlemen, you have no reason to be ashamed of your Confederate dead.
Make sure they have no reason to be ashamed of you."
R.L. Dabney, Chaplain to Stonewall Jackson

3815. Re: HELP-HAM..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff McLeman <jeffmcleman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7hi759$9d5$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 142964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

You need to get on the APRS reflector at www.tapr.org to watch for the announcement.

As fas as the terminal inside CE, it works fine with my PK88 and KAM controllers.

Jeff

Jeffrey M. Swiger <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net> wrote in message news:373BCBAF.F914CB5B@Ameritech.Net...
> When this comes out, I"d be MORE than interested... PLEASE let me know? The
> terminal in CE don't talk and this CE unit is a pile! I'm not happy with CE, But
> if I can use the HP620LX for Somthing.... Let me know about the APRS!!!...
> Thanks, Jeff-N8NOE
>
> Jeff McLeman wrote:
>
> > What kind of tracking? WinAPRS for Windows CE will be coming around soon, so
> > if you are into APRS (Automatic Position Reporting System),
> > then wait a bit for WinAPRS for Windows CE.
> >
> > Jeff
> >
> > Bubba <nunya@nazstarnet.com> wrote in message
> > news:926626508.266.60@news.remarQ.com...
> > > The built in terminal program should work for packet operation with your
> > > PK-88. Here's link on how to set it up...
> > >
> > > http://www.qsl.net/kc7gnm/packet_hpc.html
> > >
> > > Good luck,
> > > Jon/KC5MOP
> > >
> > > Jeffrey M. Swiger wrote in message <373A78E8.FBFCADB@Ameritech.Net>...
> > > >Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
> > > >Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
> > > >opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so Tracking

> > > >software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are
out
> > > >there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
> > > >Ya'll at DAYTON.....
> > > >73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
> > > >--
> > > >" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> > > > Jeffrey M. Swiger
> > > > *** N8NOE ***
> > >
> > >
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> --
> " What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> Jeffrey M. Swiger
> *** N8NOE ***
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>

3816. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam.tonypo1@nospam.home.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11a66e02da315fb19896ec@news>
Source record: 142965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <373B8878.1CDE@sir.com>, sir@sir.com says...
> Greg Baker wrote:
> >
> > What about Tech Plus license holders?
>
> What about it? Code test required.

5WPM isn't impossible. And there are currently efforts to make the
maximum 12WPM. Kind of frosts me when I think about it but I'm glad I got
my 20WPM over and done with.

Tony

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== Tony Pelliccio, KD1S formerly KD1NR
== Trustee WE1RD

3817. KE4TEW = "THE TAMPA TURD"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514183543.04874.00000522@ng19.aol.com>
Source record: 142966

Ever went to the bathroom and wonder what always came out?

Jimmy Dale!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3818. Synthesized Voice Vocabulary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ryan Faricy <online@faricy.net>
Message-ID: <7hi9fhian1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi all.

Might there happen to be a sound-file compilation of the usual repeater-voice vocabulary? Please email your response. Thanks!

RTF

3819. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: wildthing <wild1413@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OVJv77In#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142968
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

It is EXACTLY this MENTALITY of NOT UNDERSTANDING which creates the WHOLE Y2K PANIC and EXPLOITATION TODAY!

Spike wrote in message ...
Damned right it is legal.
Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
hold you down and rip the batteries out.
Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.

3820. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373CB621.3B727779@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142969

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>..I guess he has to boost his ego by claiming inventions,
>heroic acts etc....

Hey-- Don't be so harsh. He can't help it.
He's a Democrap....er I mean Democrat.
Grandstanding and lying are part of their genetic makeup.
A jackel can't help being born a jackel, ya know.
Why, there are people reading this post right now
who are going to vote for Al Bore in the next election,
so making unearned claims to greatness must be OK, right?

Dave S. AB5S

3821. newbie needs antenna advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: TheLoad@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24021-373CDF36-14@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142970

Newbie Needs Antenna Advice

Hi

I have recently received my amateur license. I have a handheld Kenwood dual band radio. I'm looking to improve my radio with a new antenna or possibly even a small amplifier,

Unfortunately I 'm looking to spend only around 200 to 250 tops,

What are my best ways to increase my signal in distance and clarity , within my budget?

- TOM -

3822. Newbie Needs Antenna Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: TheLoad@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24019-373CDDF7-60@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142971

Hi

I have recently received my amateur license. I have a handheld Kenwood dual band radio. I'm looking to improve my radio with a new antenna or possibly even a small amplifier,

Unfortunately I 'm looking to spend only around 200 to 250 tops,

What are my best ways to increase my signal in distance and clarity , within my budget?

- TOM -

3823. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373CEF1C.659D57B1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142972

Father,
Forgive Doc,
For he knows not what he does.

Amen

(heh heh.....)

3824. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <373CF365.E85813F9@jump.net>
Source record: 142973
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

time to dig up the pre-ban vibroplex

BD wrote:

> Not too up on the humor-thing, eh?
>
> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote in message news:373B7A70.744E@sir.com...
> > > Now, LOOK. Haven't you watched the movie Independence Day?
> > > It was Morse Code that saved the world! :-)
> >
> > Yes, in science fiction movies you can show that Morse Code is very
> > important and usefull. But what if I make a movie in which Morse Code
> > causes the destruction of our entire universe?

3825. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: burkesworks@rubbish.net
Message-ID: <burkesworks-1405990050340001@host5-99-49-254.btinternet.com>
Source record: 142996

In article <19990509201351.29000.00001164@ng-fc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> Gentlemen, I submit the following for your approval. The 3.950 nest is fond of
> Germany, especially that from 1933-1945. You know...all the screaming,Sieg
> Heiling,bunting,swastika flags(in German they're Hakenkreuzfahnen), the shiny
> black jackboots, the Aryan philosophy based on manure etc.
> Therefore, based on all that ugly jazz plus a very excellent and famous novel
> penned about 20 years ago regarding Hitlers being cloned,I feel it's fitting
> to now refer to the 3.950 assembly as:
> THE BOYS FROM BRAZIL. Anyone second the motion?
> Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com

I'll second that, Doc, apart from one thing. I don't think our friends in
PY-land would appreciate the name ;-)

73s,
Tez G6ROV

--
'61 M Y++ L++ U+ KQ C c+ B++ ?P p+ FC(Otley) S(BCFC) RBD7 I++ H sT# OP+@
Take out the "rubbish" and put in "lineone" instead. Thanks.

3826. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513202806.07300.00000209@ng21.aol.com>
Source record: 142997

<< Subject: Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes
From: burkesworks@rubbish.net (Tez Burke)
Date: Thu, May 13, 1999 11:50 PM
Message-id: <burkesworks-1405990050340001@host5-99-49-254.btinternet.com>

In article <19990509201351.29000.00001164@ng-fc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

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> to now refer to the 3.950 assembly as:
> THE BOYS FROM BRAZIL. Anyone second the motion?
> Doc, AF2Y, radiosigs@aol.com

I'll second that, Doc, apart from one thing. I don't think our friends in
PY-land would appreciate the name ;-)

73s,
Tez G6ROV
<<RIGHT ON TEZ. COME TO THINK OF I DON'T GIVE A RAT'S ASS ABOUT THE WAY PYs
FEEL SINCE THEY'RE THE LOUSES WHO PROTECTED JOSEF MENGELE FOR MANY MANY YEARS.
73,Doc,AF2Y>>
--
'61 M Y++ L++ U+ KQ C c+ B++ ?P p+ FC(Otley) S(BCFC) RBD7 I++ H sT# OP+@
Take out the "rubbish" and put in "lineone" instead. Thanks. >>

3827. Re:C.A.R.S. classified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hfu28$7n2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142998

radiosigs@aol.com wrote:
> << YOU'LL READ IT AND LIKE IT!" AF2Y

Hola agin OM AF2YID,

You're a limp richard, and nobody wants your lame 33K modem.
Junk it!

BGO

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3828. FS: NEW Encoder & Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513204352.18361.00000315@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142999

I got these 2 items that are new, bought in Oct 98. Never used.

NORCOMM NC 401 - DTMF Decoder
Pipo PP-2-16 DTMF Touch Tone Encoder
Both for $85.00 shipped INCONUS.
If interested please email.
Thanks
Fran

3829. FS: 3 Used 12V Power Supplies 14A/35A/70Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513205620.18342.00000316@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 143000

Pyramid 14 amp Power Supply $30
Pyramid PS-36, 35amp Power Supply, with meters, var. voltage $100
Astron RS-70M, 70 amp Power Supply, with meters $200
All in good condition
Thanks
Fran

3830. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513211127.26251.00000248@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 143001

>Don't blame Riley.
>He is forced to proclaim and try to implement
>the incompetent policies excreted onto him from above.
>The fact that the Clinton appointees haven't got
>a gram of management ability between them isn't Riley's fault.
>Add to that the attempted power-grabs by the ARRL
>and all the loonies calling and writing him every day.
>He's stuck with the dirty end of the stick so give him a break.
>

Give ME a break! For the past 6 years or so, the Liberty Net
and 3950 in general has endured what has probably been the most intensive
illegal jamming in the history of amateur
radio. Evan AFTER Hollingsworth witnessed WA9KJI
and W9ART's jamming with his own ears, he has done
ABSOLUTELY NOTHING. W9ART even DARED
Hollingsworth to take away his license ... and Hollingsworth
just sits on his hands.

"Enforcement" my butt!! This Hollingsworth guy seems to
be all talk. This whole "enforcement" effort is a big joke.

What the hell will it take for Hollingsworth to enforce the
law? ..... Maybe if K5BLB plays "anchors aweigh" using
a 50kw transmitter right inside Hollingsworth's shack?

3831. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990513211818.26251.00000252@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 143002

Let's be honest about this. The ADL is an anti-White and anti-Christian HATE GROUP.

Doc screams about "bigotry", but totally ignores his own Jewish racism. What a hypocrite!

3832. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <ePL_2.177$Ts5.17859@paloalto-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

My colt is a Defender, and if it is visible, then that means I am NOT glad to see somebody. It conceals fairly well, as does my P-10.

I have a sentimental attachment to revolvers, but prefer a compact semiauto for serious social encounters. If I could carry openly as is the case in New Mexico or Arizona, I might opt for the ratchet gun. Then it would be a model 29, or a Super Redhawk if I was shopping on a budget. Big gun beats little gun.

Robinson in San Benito TX
A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border By the Sea

Meet a Redneck!
See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
Build your own Web Page!
Get your Ham License!

For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
http://crusoe.org

W6RCecilA wrote in message <37398CEE.E4BC596A@IEEE.org>...
>robinson wrote:
>> Hey Cecil, I'm a Texan, and I prefer a compact 1911 variant. I would rather
>> carry one than two of them even if I had one tricked out for lefthand use.
>> Two ratchet guns of meaningful calibre would be especially hard to
>> conceal...
>
>"Is that your Colt Python or are you just glad to see me?" :-)
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3833. Special event station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hg447$kln@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 143004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dear HAM's:

www.lu4aa.org

75th ANNIVERSARY r-CB8 & z-2AC QSO

Next May 21st. will be the 75th Anniversary of the historic QSO between
Carlos Braggio, r-CB8,
Buenos Aires, Argentina and Ivan O’Meara, z2AC, Gisborne, New
Zealand; establishing on 1924 the
World Record of Distance.

The Radio Club Argentino wishes to celebrate this, and invites the Ham
community all over the
world to join us participating in the commemorating activities of the
event.

The following program, sponsored by R.C.A. will take place the week from
May 16th to May 23th,
1999.

1.) R.C.A. official station will be on the air with the Special Call Sign
L75CB. All contacts
made with the official station will be confirmed with a special
commemorative QSL card.
2.) On May 21st. the anniversary date of the World record, L75CB will be
on the air 24 hours
continuosly on CW, transmission mode used by Braggio and O’Meara to
make the contact. An
special commemorative award will be issued to all stations that work
L75CB on that day.

L75CB QSL s via LU4AA. Bureau or P.O.Box 97-1000 Buenos Aires, Argentina.

3.) During the week of the event, all argentinian stations will be
authorized to operate with
special prefixes:

LU stations: L2

LW stations: L3

&#65533;
AZ stations: L4
&#65533;
4.) We encourage the amateur radio community all over the world to join
us celebrating this
event, and we hope to see you on the air.
&#65533;
Comments to LU4BR - Project Coordinator.
lu4aa@lu4aa.org
73 & DX
Radio Club Argentino
&#65533;

SPECIAL AWARDS PROGRAM SPONSORED BY THE&#65533; RADIO CLUB ARGENTINO

"75&#65533; ANNIVERSARY OF THE WORLD RECORD OF DISTANCE BETWEEN CARLOS BRAGGIO, r-CB8, BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA, AND IVAN 0’MEARA, z-2AC, GISBORNE, NEW ZEALAND"

GENERAL RULES

1) This awards will be issued to amateurs and SWL&#65533;s all over the world.

2) All bands and modes may be used.

3) May be contacted stations with the Special International Prefixes L2, L3 and L4, from 0000 UTC May 16th to 2400 UTC May 23rd 1999.

4) Fee is u$s 8.= or 10 IRC’s each Award. (Free for Radio Club Argentino members).

5) GCR List (no QSL needed) to:

AWARD MANAGER
Radio Club Argentino
P. O. Box 97
1000-BUENOS AIRES
Argentina

"CARLOS BRAGGIO, r-CB8, AWARD"

Contact station using different Special International Prefixes L2-1 to L2-9, L3-1 to L3-9 and L4-1 to L4-9. There are 4 classes.

Platinum = 20 Special International Prefixes.
Gold&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533; = 15 " " "
Silver&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533;&#65533; = 10 " " "
Bronze = 5 " " "

The official station of the Radio Club Argentino L7-5CB may replace any Special International Prefixe you need.

&#65533;

"IVAN O’MEARA, z-2AC, AWARD"

Awarded for making contact with stations using Special International
Prefixes in 4 classes.

Class I = 300 different stations.
Class II = 200 " "
Class III = 100 " "
Class IV = 50 " "

The official station of the Radio Club Argentino L7-5CB count as 5
stations.

"75 ANNIVERSARY OF BRAGGIO-O’MEARA QSO AWARD"

Contact stations using the Special International Prefixes L2, L3 and L4.
The points credit is as follow:

L2-4AA = Allow 24 Points.
L3-5DZ = Allow 35 Points.
L4-1ZZ = Allow 41 Points.

There are 4 classes:

Superior = 2500 Points.
Special = 1500 Points.
Notable = 1000 Points.
Extra = 500 Points.

The official station of the Radio Club Argentino L7-5CB allow 75 Points.

So, dear friends, I hope to listen you on the ham bands. About me, I
will be active with the special call L38EZU on 10 and 80 meters, and
maybe from the local club station LU7DCE (L27DCE), Radio Club Junin also
on 10 and 80 meters. Greetings and I hope to hear you on the bands!!!

lw8ezu@cibergamo.com - Javier - Junn, Bs. As., Argentina

3834. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <199904132228.PNR00533@scott.net>
Source record: 143005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Sir writes:

> What about it? Code test required.

Yup! I'm a + and will soon be a General<g>. CW is really addictive and it's amazing what you notice once you learrn it. Just the other day I was watching a AAMCO Transmission commercial on TV the other day. Their motto is "Double A, beep beep, M, C, O", it subconciously dawned on me that the "beep beep" is Morse for the M <g>. It's also nice to finally be able to know what the repeaters say when they ID.... it's not always just the callsign :) Anyways, CW may not be for eveybody, I guess that's why we have different license classes. There is a place for all of us in ths hobby!

73 Jeff W4JEF

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*--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
|jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
| Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
|200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
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3835. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hg69r$9s6$0@208.207.71.152>
Source record: 143006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
Turns out the only the
> >Japanese manufacturers stand between all those
> >test/answer-studying word associaters and trash on the ARS
> >spectrum.
>
> In some cases, it is true that it is the good design of the
> Japanese engineers which accounts for the lack of really
> trashy signals on the bands. I'd posit to say that this applies
> just as strongly to many of the older higher class amateurs
> as it does to the newer ones, however. I offer as witness
> a long time Extra, quoted above, who apparently wasn't
> even aware of the facts of the matter.
>

Bullshit, Gary you're just grabbing another opportunity to
point some imaginary accusatorhy finger at an Extra, yet one
more time. Your favorite passtgime. You can spend your time
poring over the mass of papaer issuing from FCC to glean
each and every single factor if that is your interest. Some
of us have lives beyond all this.

> > Let's just instigate a rule requiring them all to buy
> >spectrum analyzers.
>
> Oddly enough, in Britain there was a requirement, until
> very recently, that amateurs have equipment present in
> their stations capable of independently checking the
> emissions of their transmitters.

We once had a similar ruls, requiring hams to have a means
of measring frequency independent of the transmitter itself.
Most used a tunable wavemeter.I had a homemade unit as a
Novice and still have a couple more sophisticated models. Of
course handheld ss digital counters haved pretty well
replaced them. (I also have one of those).

> Lord Kelvin stated that if you can't measure a physical quantity,
> assign a number to it, then your knowledge of it is of a meager
> and unsatisfactory kind.

Yeah, that's what he said....clearly he never put a
homemade 2stage transmitter and and old converted bomber
receiver on the air as a Novice.

Amateurs, even long time Extras,
> should take note of this. If you aren't setup to properly monitor
> your own signals, your knowledge of your station's performance
> and compliance with good engineering practice is of a meager
> and unsatisfactory nature.

hehehehehe.....tell it to all the No-Code techs who studied
the test.

> >Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.
>
> Unfortunately for that view, quantum mechanics shows us that
> Nature is indeed discrete at a fundamental level. The notion that
> anything is analog is just an illusion of the statistical properties
> of large numbers.

Hmmmmm...So an F5 tornado is digital? You seem awful easy
to convince.
I suppose it's easier when you prefer to look at it that
way.

> This became generally known to the scientific
> community around the turn of the last century.

That makes it even more suspect.

W0EX
Nature is ANALOG - unless you just love of 1's and 0's.

3836. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hg74v$a91$1@208.207.71.152>
Source record: 143007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> What you missed is that the scanning receiver LO is offset
> by the IF of the radio, IE 10.7 MHz, 45 MHz, 70 MHz, etc,
> so the emissions fall on the frequencies of radio services
> the FCC cares about. When scanners first became common,
> they were causing all sorts of problems for other services.
> That's why the Part 15 requirement exists.
>

I may have missed the inception of the rule to correct it,
but I sure didn't miss the scanner problems. Some of them
were real cheapies, and not to be confused with real
communications gear. So I didn't.

W0EX
Nature is **still** ANALOG. Unless you just love 1's and
0's.

3837. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <373BA931.D9ECC172@IEEE.org>
Source record: 143008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll wrote:
> Hmmmmm...So an F5 tornado is digital?

Yep, take away the individual air molecules and you have nothing.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

3838. Re: US ham in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9905140040570.24820-100000@Ocean.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 143009

On 13 May 1999, Tim Miller wrote:

> I will be traveling in Canada this summer and was wondering
> what the procedure is for an American Amateur to operate in Canada.
> i. e. how much paperwork is involved?
>
> 73 de tim, n9dki
>

As others have pointed out, there's no paperwork, though that wasn't always the case.

This question has come up before, and one time someone pointed to a page on the very topic, but I sure don't remember the URL.

You might want to check the Radio Amateurs of Canada website at
http://www.rac.ca
because that's bound to be a place where there's information on the topic, and about amateur radio in general in Canada. There's also a listing of upcoming hamfests and a listing of affiliated clubs, in case you hope to meet some Canadian hams.

One thing to watch for is where you can operate. I don't even remember whether it matters at this point, but depending on your class of license in the US there might be restrictions on your privileges in Canada. Ever since the rstructuring it may no longer be a consideration, but it is something to check.

Michael VE2BVW

3839. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <373BC1C5.A51@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 143010

hawke wrote:

> ...believe me, I know how to find things out...

Guess you haven't found out how to not suck up
the bandwith with all this useless crosspost poo poo.

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

3840. Re: I'll be at Dayton: Who wants to Thumb Wrestle ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <373BC42F.357E@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 143011

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> ...middle aged balding man...
> ...short sleeve plaid shirt
> ...blue Keds sneakers
> ...name/callsign badge and sporting 4 belt mounted HTs
> ...Stomach hangs over belt
> ...pant length too short, exposing white socks...

Damn! That's what I was going to wear. Guess
I'll have to go back to WalMart for a new ensemble...

ABï¿½GD
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

3841. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <373BC867.AE48253A@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 143012
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

You all got TOO MUCH DAMN TIME TO DO NOTHING!!!... Quit your Bitchin' .... If you spent all the time learning, You'd have nothing to bitch about.. Glad your here and NOT on the radio....73

radiate wrote:

> You can send messages to your ham friends and the no-code cry-baby whiners
> won't know you're talking about them.
>
> 73, Have a nice day!

--
" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

3842. Re: US ham in Canada

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <373BC942.179F7A65@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 143013

Tell them you just DON'T like Hockey, This will get there
attention.... Just ID with the VE/VA your in (VE3/VA3 etc.) Recipical
aggrement... Enjoy your trip... P.S. they call Canadian Bacon =
Pea-Meal... I just don't know?.... 73 Jeff

Tim Miller wrote:

> I will be traveling in Canada this summer and was wondering
> what the procedure is for an American Amateur to operate in Canada.
> i. e. how much paperwork is involved?
>
> 73 de tim, n9dki

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

3843. Re: HELP-HAM..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <373BCBAF.F914CB5B@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 143014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

When this comes out, I"d be MORE than interested... PLEASE let me know? The terminal in CE don't talk and this CE unit is a pile! I'm not happy with CE, But if I can use the HP620LX for Somthing.... Let me know about the APRS!!!... Thanks, Jeff-N8NOE

Jeff McLeman wrote:

> What kind of tracking? WinAPRS for Windows CE will be coming around soon, so
> if you are into APRS (Automatic Position Reporting System),
> then wait a bit for WinAPRS for Windows CE.
>
> Jeff
>
> Bubba <nunya@nazstarnet.com> wrote in message
> news:926626508.266.60@news.remarQ.com...
> > The built in terminal program should work for packet operation with your
> > PK-88. Here's link on how to set it up...
> >
> > http://www.qsl.net/kc7gnm/packet_hpc.html
> >
> > Good luck,
> > Jon/KC5MOP
> >
> > Jeffrey M. Swiger wrote in message <373A78E8.FBFCADB@Ameritech.Net>...
> > >Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
> > >Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
> > >opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so Tracking
> > >software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are out
> > >there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
> > >Ya'll at DAYTON.....
> > >73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
> > >--
> > >" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> > > Jeffrey M. Swiger
> > > *** N8NOE ***
> >
> >

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
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3844. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <fvQ_2.194$Ts5.17803@paloalto-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 143015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

They should be able to prevent anybody they like from boarding for any reason they like. It is their plane, and their business. They can runn off ALL their customers if they like, and fold up, or they can let anybody at all board with anything allowed by the law, and behaving in any manner at all that is not specifically illegal. Or they can strike a middle road somewhwere in there. Thhat's called free enterprise... market economy... supply/demand... and giving the customer what he wants, or losing his business.

I used to always carry my TS-50S in my briefcase. The one time they refused to allow it to pass, (The by-the-numbers instructions they got were to have me turn it on, and naturally I could not, without a source of 13.8VDC) they busted both the lamps for the LCD panel, and I also had to do a full reset. The next time, I was given the option of opening it up and I happened to have my swiss army knife in my pocket, so I did, and showed them there was not room inside for even a single stick of dynamite. After that, I never had a problem.

I have never flown with an HT, and do not even own one. But I bet working your way up the chain of command, you would have eventually found someone who can count past ten without removing his shoes, showed him your license, informed him that you know your responsibilities and obligations under the CFR (quoting chapter and verse sounds impressive to some people) you would have been allowed to board with your HT. This would have helped the next poor ham who had to deal with those mental midgets.

If you try everything and get no satisfaction, when given the choice, don't fly that airline, and inform them of it. Fill out one of the complaint cards that most airlines have, and some distribute, usually in the airline's in-flight rag. I have always got a response when I have sent one in.

When you have a prob with a particular airline, and they simply won't be reasonable no matter what, other hams should be informed. A letter to QST and posts here would together inform probably half of all licensed hams, and would represent a substantial amount of lost revenue to the ucooperative airline.

Robinson in San Benito TX
A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border By the Sea

Meet a Redneck!
See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
Build your own Web Page!

Get your Ham License!

For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying
in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
http://crusoe.org
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hawke wrote in message <373B9D4F.5767A2DC@uswest.net>...
>Read below...
>
>Curtis CCR wrote:
>
>> radiosigs@aol.com
>>
>> Are you serious? "Even unfair rules" are OK?"
>
>Airlines have the right to refuse service for nearly any reason.
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>> What else should they ban? Laptop computers? Car keys?
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>Laptops, cd players, radio recievers and other rf producing electronic
>devices
>not pertanent to the operation of an aircraft are already on the list of
>"banned devices"
>via the Flight Aviation Rules and general policy of most airlines.
>
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>>
>> BTW - I'm a pilot and I have no knowledge of any Federal Aviation
>> Regulation the prohibits passengers from carrying tranceievers on board
>> aircraft. There are rules about *using* portable electronic devices
>> (FAR 91.21).
>
>Look a little closer at that regulation. Part of the RCPA of 1996 included
>provisions related to the use of specified electronic equipment on board
>any commercial aircraft flying within or over any territory owned
>or controlled by the US Government.
>
>This vary same arguement was held in here and on rec.radio.scanner
>some 11 months ago.
>
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>>
>> I usually have a pretty flexible schedule when I travel. If I was
>> denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back
>> to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight.
>> Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I
>> wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.
>

>Carrying them is ok, using them aboard aircraft is not.
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>> Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.
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>> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>

3845. FS: Reduced Motorola HT-90 UHF 4Watt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O0aSt#dn#GA.307@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
Ch 1: TX 466.375 RX 461.375
Ch 2: TX/RX 461.375
DPL 245

Asking $35.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3846. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ezHbG#dn#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & ! hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $300.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3847. FS: 4 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uzDmF#dn#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 3 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3848. FS: STX After Market Programming Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uP$LH#dn#GA.256@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 143019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

STX After Market Programming Cable

Asking $50.00 + Shipping

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3849. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373BE2D7.819966D9@uswest.net>
Source record: 143020
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Well,
At least I keep my responses short and to the point.
How many other can do this in 2 paragraphs or less?

As for the fvv thing, I am not abouit to change my
opinion. I have known to many nitwits that get into
a government job only to be lazy after they get in.

If anyone is going to work for the government,
I want to make sutre I get my money's worth
in tax collections!

If some of these nitwits get fired as a result of their
own actions, they have no one to blame but themselves
(and you know they will try to lay the blame elsewhere).

Hawke

Lumpy wrote:

> hawke wrote:
>
> > ...believe me, I know how to find things out...
>
> Guess you haven't found out how to not suck up
> the bandwith with all this useless crosspost poo poo.
>
> Lumpy
> --
> The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
> http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

3850. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373BE4F1.A522515A@uswest.net>
Source record: 143021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

hmm.
looks like some good points all around here...

robinson wrote:

> They should be able to prevent anybody they like from boarding for any
> reason they like. It is their plane, and their business. They can runn off
> ALL their customers if they like, and fold up, or they can let anybody at
> all board with anything allowed by the law, and behaving in any manner at
> all that is not specifically illegal. Or they can strike a middle road
> somewhwere in there. Thhat's called free enterprise... market economy...
> supply/demand... and giving the customer what he wants, or losing his
> business.

they do have that right, most certainly, within reason 9the law does provide
for
a certain amount of protection based on "special circumstances")

>
>
> I used to always carry my TS-50S in my briefcase. The one time they refused
> to allow it to pass, (The by-the-numbers instructions they got were to have
> me turn it on, and naturally I could not, without a source of 13.8VDC) they
> busted both the lamps for the LCD panel, and I also had to do a full reset.
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> have my swiss army knife in my pocket, so I did, and showed them there was
> not room inside for even a single stick of dynamite. After that, I never had
> a problem.

Am I understanding this? they actually damaged your equipment?
At this point, shouldn't some financial responsibility have been made
on their part?

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> I have never flown with an HT, and do not even own one. But I bet working
> your way up the chain of command, you would have eventually found someone
> who can count past ten without removing his shoes, showed him your license,
> informed him that you know your responsibilities and obligations under the
> CFR (quoting chapter and verse sounds impressive to some people) you would
> have been allowed to board with your HT. This would have helped the next
> poor ham who had to deal with those mental midgets.

Funny thing is, the more incompitent someone is, the higher in the chain of
command

he appears to be. I, too have discovered this in my travels.

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>
> If you try everything and get no satisfaction, when given the choice, don't
> fly that airline, and inform them of it. Fill out one of the complaint
> cards that most airlines have, and some distribute, usually in the airline's
> in-flight rag. I have always got a response when I have sent one in.

sounds like a good plan.....

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> When you have a prob with a particular airline, and they simply won't be
> reasonable no matter what, other hams should be informed. A letter to QST
> and posts here would together inform probably half of all licensed hams, and
> would represent a substantial amount of lost revenue to the ucooperative
> airline.

QST huh?
The internet is also a good place as well (such as in here, if you don't mind
some of the mental midgets in here flaming you).

3851. Re: hams on 3.950 - URL inside Just more Lies from the Nits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514061212.00983.00000469@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 143022

Strom, as an illiterate,scribbles okay but is still a Boy from Brazil, a subversive, liar, anti-Semite and instigator who indeed will meet with the wrath of Jehovah. It's just a matter of time.
AF2Y Doc

3852. where is rt4uz?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: bg4os <write@mail-me.com>
Message-ID: <7hgsui$8k1$1@news.cz.js.cn>
Source record: 143023

I want to contact rt4uz,but I don't know his internet email address,follow address like his packet address,anybody can help me find him?thanks!

73!

RT4UZ@UT4UX.KIV.UKR.EU

mike gao(bg4os)

3853. Re: Clowt Warm her a bad mud her fud her tenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8032-373D828D-3@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142725

WHATS THIS A NEW LANGUAGE OF SOME SORT?LET YOUR 5 YEAR OLD READ THIS AND
TELL HIM IF HE DOESNT GO TO SCHOOL THEN HE WILL END UP TALKIG LIKE THIS
I THINK EVEN A 5 YEAR OLD WILL BE GLAD TO GO TO SCHOOL.

3854. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8028-373D8507-13@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142726

WELL PUT .AFTER ALL DOC HAD A BATH IN THE PIGS TROTH IN JANUARY.AND HE
USED ODE TO MY PIG STYE AFTER SHAVE.

3855. Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8031-373D80BC-3@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142727

OH P-LEASE SOME ONE GET THIS IDIOTIC 2 YEAR OLD SPELLING WIZ OUTTA HERE.
GO TO SCHOOL AND LEARN TO SPELL...GET A LIFE .

3856. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8029-373D844F-9@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142728

OH NO THE WISE ONE HAS SPOKEN!! I COULD BE WRONG.

3857. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8028-373D8597-14@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142729

OH NO COULD IT BE DOC IS SHOWING HIS TRUE COLORS?

3858. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8030-373D85F2-7@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142730

COULD THIS BE THE POT CALLING THE KETTLE BLACK?

3859. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8036-373D8769-1@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142731

YES PAPA SMURF YOUR RIGHT HOW ELSE WOULD ATTORNEYS MAKE MONEY? BUT BY THE GRACE OF MORONS LIKE A FEW THAT HAS BEEN ON HERE POSTING FOR YEARS THEY MAKE MONEY TAKE THE MORONS MONEY THAT THEY WORK TO SPEND ON FEES TO MAKE OTHERS MISERABLE. HOW STUPID CAN YOU GET?KEEP THE LAWYERS IN THEIR $300.000.00 HOUSES . HOW ELSE COULD THEY MAKE SUCH EASY MONEY?GOOD THING THERES NO LACK OF MORONS ON THE HAM RADIO HOBBY.

3860. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515111907.20838.00001001@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142732
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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<< Subject: Re: In Defense Of AF2Y
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net (2slick4u try-n-stop-me)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 2:30 PM
Message-id: <8028-373D8507-13@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

WELL PUT .AFTER ALL DOC HAD A BATH IN THE PIGS TROTH IN JANUARY.AND HE
USED ODE TO MY PIG STYE AFTER SHAVE.
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3861. Strom's Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515112941.20838.00001009@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142733

Out of curiosity I just investigated one of two Strom webs and I must say that a bigger shill for the Nazis and other dangerous subversives in the USA was never born. I urge the ADL and other anti-hate groups to monitor this wild animal even more carefully because he may be crazy enough to actually put some action behind those horrific words and a hail of bullets ripping this "thing" to shreds would be enticing to see or read about.
AF2Y Doc

3862. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3454-373D925F-5@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142734

Is this your best attempt at a "Flame"? You Sir, are pathetic indeed!:~)

3863. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3452-373D946D-30@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142735

Anyone who throws a rock...then hides his hand, is indeed a coward! Why dont you identify yourself Mr. Montcalm? Or are you still just an overgrown "Coward?

3864. IL hamfest/computerfest calendar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: parnass@bell-labs.com
Message-ID: <7hk61b$b9b@ssbunews.ih.lucent.com>
Source record: 142736
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

HAMFEST/COMPUTERFEST CALENDAR 1999 - NORTHERN ILLINOIS
last updated May 10, 1999 |

o Please report additions or changes to Bob Parnass, AJ9S, office phone: (630)979-5414, electronic mail: parnass@bell-labs.com. Thanks to Dennis Dale, Rick D. Wilson, Tom Harker, and ARRL for providing some of the information.

MAY 1999

May 1 (Sat), Cedarburg, WI - Ozaukee Radio Club Swapfest, Info: Joe Holly, AA9HR, 1702 Holly Ln., Grafton, WI 53024, 414-377-2137

May 2 (Sun), Sandwich, IL - Kishwaukee Amateur Radio Club Hamfest, Sandwich Fairgrounds. Admission $?. Ends at 2 PM. Talk-in 146.73 MHz. Info: Bob Yurs W9ICU, phone 815-895-3219, email: w9icu@tbcnet.com. (Nice mid-sized hamfest out in country. Lots of tailgating. Few commercial exhibitors. Always a good time. Fairly good restroom facilities - AJ9S).

May 14, 15, 16 (Fri - Sun) - Dayton, OH. Dayton HamVention. See http://www.hamvention.org

May 15 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). Dupage County Fairgrounds.

May 16 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). orland Park Civic Center.

JUNE 1999

Jun 6 (Sun), Princeton, IL - Starved Rock RC. Bureau County | Fairgrounds. Exit 56 from I-80. Admission $6 at gate. | Talk-in 146.955, -600, PL103.5 Hz. info: Frank Carraro, KF9NZ, PO Box 198, Leonore, IL 61332/ 815-856-3773. http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/ E-mail: w9mks@qsl.net. (Usually an excellent hamfest. Unlimited space outdoor flea market, some indoor space, though few big name commercial vendors. Crude restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

Jun 13 (Sun), Wheaton, IL - Dupage County Fairgrounds. Six Meter Club of Chicago. Gates open 7 AM, buildings 8 AM. Tickets $6 at the gate. No booze. Recorded InfoLine: 312-

442-4961. VE testing 9 - 11 AM only. Call InfoLine to preregister for testing. info: Joseph Gutwein, WA9RIJ, 7109 Blackburn Ave., Downers Grove, IL 60516-3925. tel. 630-963-4922.

Jun 13 (Sun), Orland Park, IL Giant Computer Show & Sale (see below). orland Park Civic Center.

JULY 1999

Jul 11 (Sun), Peotone, IL. Kankakee Area Radio Society. Will County fairgrounds. Admission $5 at the gate. Take I-57 to Peotone Exit 327 (east). 146.94 MHz (-600) talk-in. info: Don Kerouac, K9NR, 6311 East Flora St., Kankakee, IL 60901. tel. 815-939-7548, E-mail: k9nr@juno.com. http://www.geocities.com/capecanaveral/hangar/5711 For Reserved Tables and Advanced Tickets, send check (payable to KARS) and S.A.S.E. to: CHIP MOORE, K9IOC, 289 S. Euclid Ave. Bradley, IL 60915, E-Mail: chipm@megsinet.net or to BILL DESALVO, W9OQW, 403 Birch Dr., Shorewood, IL 60431. 815-744-5099.

Jul 18 (Sun), Sugar Grove, IL. Fox River Radio League. Waubonsee Community College. For tables, tickets, and information: contact N9UZC James E. Von Olnhausen, n9uzc@amsat.org, (630)-879-3042, FRRL, Box 673, Batavia, IL 60510-0673. http://www.frrl.org/hamfest.html (good, small to midsized hamfest. Easy parking. Modern restroom facilities. - AJ9S)

AUGUST 1999

Aug 7 (Sat) - Quincy, IL. Western Illinois Amateur Radio Club Ham Radio and Computer SWAPFEST 1999. 8:00AM to 2:00PM. The Eagles Alps Grounds (3737 North 5th Street) 4.5 miles north of downtown Quincy with easy access from US Highway 24. Admission $3.00 at the Gate ($2.50 in advance) per person, under 12 - Free. ARRL VEC testing for all license classes at 12:30PM. Indoor Flea Market space available for $5.00 which includes one 5' table. Outdoor tailgating space - Free. Talk-in on 147.63/147.03 MHz. Plenty of convenient parking available. Lunch will be served on the grounds. Children's playground area. For additional information contact N9JF, jfunk@adams.net

Aug 8 (Sun), Peotone, IL - Hamfesters Radio Club. Will County fairgrounds. info: Dave Brasel, NF9N, 6933 West 110th St., Worth, IL 60482. E-mail: nf9n@aol.com. tel. 708-448-0580 (Usually an excellent hamfest - AJ9S).

Aug 14 (Sat), Wheaton, IL - Giant Computer show (see below). Dupage County Fairgrounds.

Aug 29 (Sun), Woodstock, IL. Tri-County Radio Group. McHenry County fairgrounds. Talk-in: 146.52 Simplex. info: Bob Grosse, N9KXG, PO Box 3107, Skokie, IL 60077-6107 E-mail: tcrg@hotmail.com, http://quality-enterprises.com/tcrg/. Tickets: Advance With Double Stub $4.00 - At Gate $5.00 Single Stub - $6.00 With Double Stub . Exhibit Building: 8:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. Table Rental: $14.00 For 8' Table. Flea Market: 6:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. No Additional Charge For Flea Market Space Info (708) 944-0500. Fax (847) 658-1678. (fairly good, small to mid sized ham-fest - AJ9S).

SEPTEMBER 1999

Sept 25, 26 (Sat & Sun), Grayslake, IL Chicago FM Club. Lake County fairgrounds. info: Mike Brost, WA9FTS, 5127 North Monterey Ave., Norridge, IL 60656-3245. tel. 708-457-0966 (the biggest and best hamfest in northern IL - AJ9S)

COMPUTER SHOW NOTES

Computer Central computer shows are held at the College of DuPage, Main Arena of the Physical Education Building Park Blvd & College Road, Glen Ellyn, Il. 847-940-7547. $5 admission with card, normal admission $6.00. Opens 9:30 am - 3:00 pm. See http://www.computercentralshows.com web site.

Giant Computer shows are held by Micro Media, Inc. Shows are usually held at the Orland Park Civic Center, 147th St. & LaGrange Rd., Orland Park, IL or at the DuPage County Fairgrounds, County Farm & Manchester Rds., Wheaton, IL. Admission is $6. Show hours are 9:30 AM - 3 PM. To get on the mailing list or get more information, call (708)974-3123. See http://www.giantcomputershow.com

Computer Country Expo is Lake County's largest computer expo. The event is held on designated Saturdays from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM. This show features computers, supplies, games, parts, software, accessories, CD-ROM, monitors, diskettes, printers, keyboards, modems, disk drives, cables, expansion boards, services, etc. Lake County Fairgrounds, Route 120 (Belvidere Rd.) & Route 45, in Main Exhibit Hall Building #1=9720,000 sq. feet. For a show map, exhibitor info, and discount coupon, visit the web site at http://www.ccxpo.com.

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Locate & identify transmitters in your area with a color RadioMap(tm)
http://www.megsinet.com/~parnass

3865. Illegal Amateur Operations in the Tampa Bay Area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515124837.08634.00001764@ngol08.aol.com>
Source record: 142737

I just finished listening to several sound clips of illegal 2-meter amateur transmissions in the Tampa, Florida area. These clips are located at the following website: http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html, and would seem to provide extensive evidence of illegal operations by local amateurs. Profanity, obscenities, threats of bodily harm and violence, etc., are all clearly heard here. The perpetrators freely dispense with their callsigns. Perhaps this should be added to the future "to do" list of Riley Hollingsworth and the FCC as they continue their successful campaign to rid amateur radio of illegal operators.

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

3866. Re: New Ham Cartoon Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <373DA510.974@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 142738

Andrew M Cohn wrote:
>
> You're invited to visit the "K4ADL Kartoon Korner"...

> http://www.qsl.net/k4adl

Dead image links?

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

3867. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515130047.20828.00000842@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142739

<< es his hand, is indeed a coward! Why
dont you identify yourself Mr. Montcalm? Or are you still just an
overgrown "Coward?
<<Don't get excited Rube. This Lyme disease -ridden drunkard is mad over the
fact that he can't get money from mama dearest and enough bananas for his wife
Amazonia.">>Doc AF2Y

>>

3868. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515130400.20828.00000845@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142740

<< ge-id: <8036-373D8769-1@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
<<Whoever composed what's below is either an adult with three years of education or a child with none. Doc AF2Y>>
YES PAPA SMURF YOUR RIGHT HOW ELSE WOULD ATTORNEYS MAKE MONEY? BUT BY THE GRACE OF MORONS LIKE A FEW THAT HAS BEEN ON HERE POSTING FOR YEARS THEY MAKE MONEY TAKE THE MORONS MONEY THAT THEY WORK TO SPEND ON FEES TO MAKE OTHERS MISERABLE. HOW STUPID CAN YOU GET?KEEP THE LAWYERS IN THEIR $300.000.00 HOUSES . HOW ELSE COULD THEY MAKE SUCH EASY MONEY?GOOD THING THERES NO LACK OF MORONS ON THE HAM RADIO HOBBY.

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3869. STROM'S BIGGEST HEADACHE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515140240.22825.00001157@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142741

Here's what jackbooted Kevin Alfred Strom fears. His terroristic,anti-Semtic, anti-American fiends..oops..friends fear it also. There is a direct tie-in between IT and the Southern Poverty Law Center, Simon Wiesenthal Center, FBI, ATF and state and local law enforcement agencies. And thank God there is such close cooperation to keep these "Stromite" revolutionaries in check. And the 3.950 Boys from Brazil are likewise looking over their shoulder.Read these pages.Your liberty just about depends on what IT recognizes and REPORTS.DOC AF2Y
<A HREF="http://www.adl.org/">ADL, the world's leading organization to fight
</A>

3870. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hkgfv$e28$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142742

Way to go Dr Hate, AF2Y, you are showing the same evil traits here on the web that ran you off the hambands courtesy of Mr Riley Hollingsworth. Talk about the wife of another person, talk about their children, and betteryet,talk about their health problems, you low life. , talk about their religion etc, and on and on. You are one unsavory person, You and "DUH DUH" Rube deserve each other, you are both creeps and goof balls!!!

article <19990515130047.20828.00000842@ng-cf1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << es his hand, is indeed a coward! Why
> dont you identify yourself Mr. Montcalm? Or are you still just an
> overgrown "Coward?
> <<Don't get excited Rube. This Lyme disease -ridden drunkard is mad over the
> fact that he can't get money from mama dearest and enough bananas for his wife
> Amazonia.">>Doc AF2Y
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> >>
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>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3871. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8028-373DB28A-27@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142743

no its morons that pay attorneys to do what you can do yourself.doc.

3872. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8029-373DB452-21@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142744

At least I made it past the 1st grade.

3873. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8028-373DB4A2-31@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142745

(:) agree agree ....

3874. Propagation statistic in real time

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fabio <cq.fabio@iol.it>
Message-ID: <7hkcg7$lr8$1@hermes.iol.it>
Source record: 142746

Hi to all
For first, I want to thank all the friends that they have contributed to my propagation statistic on-line.
Please every time (when you want). go again on my home page, for to give again our contribute, in this mode, the propagation statistic, is always update !
Thank you again to all !!!
Fabio URL: http://users.iol.it/cq.fabio/

3875. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <926793245.477.21@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Spike",
Ham radio is a hobby and a service. We do it for fun and because we enjoy it. It IS entertainment for us. We enjoy talking to other people around the world, making new friends around the planet. What do YOU do for a hobby? People do many things for entertainment, one of mine is ham radio. Another is astronomy, another is gardening. Ham radio is fun for me and MILLIONS of other people around the world. We have lives thank you. Apparently you need one though, seeing as though your wasting your time making idiotic postings.

Tom

In article
<973BD25C3D2C3581.D110547DDD90AACD.103D66091F7EAEEA@library-proxy.airnews.net>, "Spike" <spike@eyeball.org> wrote:
>If I had too much time on my hands, it sure wouldn't go to waste =
>learning how to poke at a damned
>keyer, learning how to communicate the hard way like some hard up for =
>entertainment idiot like you
>code freaks.
>You people need to get a life.
>You have waaay too much time on your hands as you give in to follious =
>things as in keying when there
>is a whole world starving and suffering out there.
>Get out once in a while and realize there is much more than your stupid =
>code and HAM radio's.
>

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

3876. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7hkf92$h0u@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

KE4JCD (ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com) wrote:
: > KE4JCD wrote:
: > > As I and others in Amateur Radio quit and find other things to do
: > > with our time, Like I-Phone, Netmeeting, Qtalk, PalTalk, IRC Chat's.
: > > BBS's, Ect. For we see that you just don't get it!
: > > --
: > > Bob - KE4JCD
[snip]
: Well, Well, Well, here is another fine reply to my message! RUDENESS RAINS
: around here! This is my point, You like most HAM's need to get a life! Like
: your hobby! For like your hobby it's dieing thanks to people like you!

But *this* -isn't- ham radio. We even "allow" non-hams here =:o

: But no need to cry, when your HF bands are turned into wireless phone bands
: by the other countrys that see HAMS as a band of X-CBers that bring there CB
: IQ with them. You will have no place to go!

Couldn't we just continue to (also) use Internet?

; Now me on the other hand will
: have a place to ture to, The Internet is alive! Un-like Ham Radio.

I would want to "ture" though. Sounds painful. What do you feed your
live "Internet"?

: Just keep up the good work my friend and it will soon be GONE!

Internet comments will cause ham radio to be GONE! That's a new one.
: --
: Bob - KE4JCD
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

3877. Re: Please Read.. Ham Radio on IRC Chasing away hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gary <MJSCommunications@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7hkij4qms1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 142749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Gimme a break! Who cares? Start your own chat!

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Remember:
When you're having a bad day and
everyone seems against you, just remember
that it takes 42 muscles to frown and only
3 to pull the trigger on a decent sniper
rifle. Have a nice day!!

Rick Todd <rwtodd@airmail.net> wrote in message
news:3F1A9F02BE28E17A.6F49751746B45747.BF9BB22A205FBE54@library-proxy.airnew
s.net...
> You wont find that problem in #cqdx on the othernet servers. Come on over
some
> time for good chat and real time dx spots.
>
> James Keller wrote:
>
> > Hello Everyone.
> > I think everyone should take note of Don K Muth.
> > Don has founded on #undernet on Irc the channel #hamradio.
> > During a visit there using the nickname mrguard (irc doenst
> > require callsigns or anything), Don numerous times tried to
> > force me into using my callsign as my nick.
> > I told Don that my callsign is N8KGU and that i perfer not to use it on
irc.
> > Some of the channels I know I dont want the others being able to reach
me
> > via callsign servers.
> > Don asked if at Dayton I would use mrguard on the radio, I answered that
> > I am free to use N8KGU or KC8LAM, both are issued to me.
> > Don then proceeded to harass me and eventually kick me off of this
> > saying that it is his channel.
> > In a discussion under a different nick, Don admitted that he can
> > do as he feels and that he is free to chase anyone away from his
channel.
> > plus:
> > <AH6KA> he came with nick and said he wudnt use his call and gave me
static
> > so i moderated then he tried to use
> > both calls
> > <othercall> you gave him static
> > <othercall> he stated what both calls were.

> > <AH6KA> i shoulld have just kicked his ass
> >
> > Is this how decent we want ambassadors of our hobby to be to hams and
> > to those interested in our hobby?
> > Several attempts were to tell Don that the hobby has enough problems on
> > 40 meters as well as losing folks to irc and the internet.
> >
> > Does everyone accept the fact that folks like Don can deem the channel
private
> > and alienate everyone from the hobby?
> > My suggestion to Don was to form his own channel, maybe #ah6ka.
> >
> > I would suggest that everyone visit Undernet on IRC and join #hamradio
> > feel free to meet other hams, use any handle you want.
> >
> > You can Email Don at: Email: ah6ka@gte.net
> >
> > Please dont let the hobby get ruined again.
> >
> > Thanks Again
> > James
> > N8KGU
>

3878. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: "D. Townsend" <pog@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <ock%2.6845$tk.94@news2.atl>
Source record: 142750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote in message
news:7hkf92$h0u@nntp.seflin.org...
> KE4JCD (ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com) wrote:
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> : > > BBS's, Ect. For we see that you just don't get it!
> : > > --
> : > > Bob - KE4JCD
> [snip]
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RAINS
> : around here! This is my point, You like most HAM's need to get a life!
Like
> : your hobby! For like your hobby it's dieing thanks to people like you!
>
> But *this* -isn't- ham radio. We even "allow" non-hams here =:o
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> : But no need to cry, when your HF bands are turned into wireless phone
bands
> : by the other countrys that see HAMS as a band of X-CBers that bring
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> : IQ with them. You will have no place to go!
>
> Couldn't we just continue to (also) use Internet?
>
> ; Now me on the other hand will
> : have a place to ture to, The Internet is alive! Un-like Ham Radio.
>
> I would want to "ture" though. Sounds painful. What do you feed your
> live "Internet"?
>
> : Just keep up the good work my friend and it will soon be GONE!
>
> Internet comments will cause ham radio to be GONE! That's a new one.
> : --
> : Bob - KE4JCD
> --
> Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

Jim:
I just did a search using the term Amateur Radio and got thousands of hits
on the net for the term. For a hobby that the internet is destroying or

making obsolete we as Amateur Radio operators sure are occupying a lot of its bandwidth.

KF4HMN

3879. The BIGGEST FOX HUNT in Human History!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: helmsman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <373fd2fe.23379157@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142751

Below is your chance to participate in the BIGGEST FOX HUNT in Human history!

SETI@home is a scientific experiment that will harness the power of hundreds of thousands of Internet-connected computers in the Search for Extraterrestrial Intelligence (SETI). You can participate by running a program that downloads and analyzes radio telescope data. There's a small but captivating possibility that your computer will detect the faint murmur of a civilization beyond Earth.
Download at this site. http://setiathome.ssl.berkeley.edu/

It's your chance to help find ET "FOR REAL"!.
The program works as a "Really Neet "Screen saver when you are not using the Computer.
Check it out, it's the Biggest Fox Hunt in the Galaxy.
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http://www.mindspring.com/~helmsman
SETI@Home is up and running Win 95/98.
http://setiathome.ssl.berkeley.edu/

3880. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <qwk%2.4126$xa.39291@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142752

On Sat, 15 May 1999 10:40:41 -0400 (EDT) THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
(2slick4u try-n-stop-me) wrote:
> YES PAPA SMURF YOUR RIGHT HOW ELSE WOULD ATTORNEYS MAKE MONEY? BUT BY
> THE GRACE OF MORONS LIKE A FEW THAT HAS BEEN ON HERE POSTING FOR YEARS
> THEY MAKE MONEY TAKE THE MORONS MONEY THAT THEY WORK TO SPEND ON FEES
> TO MAKE OTHERS MISERABLE. HOW STUPID CAN YOU GET?KEEP THE LAWYERS IN
> THEIR $300.000.00 HOUSES . HOW ELSE COULD THEY MAKE SUCH EASY MONEY?GOOD
> THING THERES NO LACK OF MORONS ON THE HAM RADIO HOBBY.
>
While I was trying to decipher your point, I got to thinking: Suppose
you sued realdeal for everything he has and won. You cold sell off the
1000MP and the Alpha, which might cover the legal fees. But then
you're stuck with the 25-year-old mobile home (complete with a leaky
roof), the torn and duct taped recliner and a urine-stained mattress.
The rusty 1969 Plymouth may be worth something at the local Pic-A-Part,
but all in all, a civil suit might not be such a good idea after all.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3881. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515163253.28124.00000883@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142753

Riley KNOWS what is going on you LIDS. Maybe the "So Called" net should leave 3950 alone and let it get back to "Normal Amateur Operations."

Check out:

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

3882. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142754

In article <461-373A3303-90@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone) wrote:
> Not only did WA9KJI make a monkey out of Riley two weeks ago, by
DARING
> W. Riley Hollingsworth to do something to him....which, of course,
Riley
> didn't. But tonight, May 12, Mr. Castle is using these W. Riley
> Hollingsworth approved words:
>
> shit
> fuck
> bastard
> faggot
> asshole
> jack-off/hand-job
>
> This, of course, opens the floodgate for the rest of the amateur
outlaw
> community. If W. Riley tries to harrass you, just cite the David
Castle
> case and have your lawyer scream: "SELECTIVE ENFORCEMENT!!!"
>
> Jr.
>
>
And everyone wonders why the service is going right down the toilet!
Selective inforcement and the world famous PORKBUTT is still on the air.
Selective enforcement? Why hasn't old PORKBUTT paid his $10,500 NAL and
why does PORKBUTT still get away with not properly IDing his station?
Why does PORKBUTT still get away with his wide signal and over powered
station? Why does PORKBUTT still get away with using fowl language over
the radio? These are the same questions that many of us in the amateur
radio community ask daily. Selective inforcement??
I also wonder where the author of this worthless peice of commentary
came up with Hollingsworth appoved words. Where did that come from. Some
of the words leated in that list are known obsene words. Where did that
come from. Of corse you probly will liedown with the likes of James V.
Obrian III and PORKBUTT two of the fowlest people on amateur radio.
A.K.A. THEALLMIGHTY1 and DoNkBoY99. So if there is selective enforcement
going on these guys should be on the top of the list. Let me remind you
that selective enforcement should mean that the only ones that should be
hasseled by the F.C.C. are the the one ones who make a mockery of the
who service. Mainly PORKBUTT and James V. Obrian III A.K.A PORKBUTT and
NoBrAiN. So If I where you part of the amateur radio community I would

let go with a massive letter writing campaign to get these two lousey operators off the air.
73 VJ Piolet

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3883. Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142755

In article <7hke24$ci8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
> In article <8031-373D80BC-3@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>,
> THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net (2slick4u try-n-stop-me) wrote:
> > OH P-LEASE SOME ONE GET THIS IDIOTIC 2 YEAR OLD SPELLING WIZ OUTTA
> HERE.
> > GO TO SCHOOL AND LEARN TO SPELL...GET A LIFE .
> >
> >
>
> i got a fud in live you dum mud her fud her an all that shit. I
spens
> my live core rectum dum mud her fud hers like you. That a fool tim
ploy
> mint. Coz the worlt feeled up wid dum mud her fud hers like you an all
> that shit. Is more potent to spel rite or bee rite????? HUH HUH
HUH?????
> I is rite mos the tim. an wen i aint i mits it an all that shit. yo
jus
> jail us jus like rich say. Tote yo WTIA bleats blont feed mail ass out
> this plays. OK OK OK?????????? we dont knees no dum mud her fud her in
> her. by sum rub hers an get yo selfs a boy fren an all that shit. if
in
> you was gets in a gud fud ever now an then an all that shit. you mite
> not be stuck in yor ellie font noss in my biz nest jus like rich say.
> get yor WTIA ass out hear rite now an all that shit. wHo dieted an
lefts
> you in charts the spel in Bee????? Huh HUH HUH????? Hit the mud her
fud
> in rode jus like rich say.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
PORKBUTT at work again! Has everyone heard about white trash. All the
time getting on the radio and wining about white niggers well all I can
say is PORKBUTT you and James V. Obrian III are the best example of
white toxic waste I have ever seen. James you are white trash but
PORKBUTT you are just plain white toxic waste.
BTW James did you have to sell you computer to sue all these people in
here. Is that why your on a webtv account? Did you get enough money
from that lame MLA 2500 to pay for your leagal bills from that last
appearance in court? I heard all about it. Hey loser I'm truly laughing
at you You are truly a loser! Now you really have no signal! How are

you supposed to get a signal out of that slinky now? We all think your
are a loser and a lier too Just like PORKBUTT. So why don't you and old
PORKBUTT just kiss and tell your both the same LOSERS!
VJ Piolet

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3884. CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: deltonaman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515184722.29566.00001062@ng-fg1.aol.com>
Source record: 142756

Check out this informative web site...

Big Mac's CB Web Page

3885. QRM on 17 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Miller <spamfree.rdmiller@bit-net.com>
Message-ID: <373DF9C2.3546@bit-net.com>
Source record: 142757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur

For the past several days there has been a musical noise
on 17 meters. I receive it at 18.116 with the main signal
at 18.091. Sometime there is a similar signal offset to
the low side.

I thought at first it was originating locally, but I confirmed
that it was not in my shack.

Has anyone else observed this? Or can anyoen shed some light
on what mode it may be originiating from.

Thanks

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==
| Rick Miller | rdmiller @bit-net.com |
| K1RDM | http://www.bit-net.com/~rdmiller |
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3886. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <wYm%2.3447$mj.97886@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142758

DeltonaMan wrote in message
<19990515184722.29566.00001062@ng-fg1.aol.com>...
>Check out this informative web site...
>
>Big Mac's CB Web
Page

If I wanted to see cb junk, I'd try rec.radio.cb ... Notice that this is
rec.radio.AMATEUR.misc ..

3887. Re: QRM on 17 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373DFD85.4532@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur

Rick Miller wrote:
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> on 17 meters. I receive it at 18.116 with the main signal
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>
> Thanks
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> --
> ==
> | Rick Miller | rdmiller @bit-net.com |
> | K1RDM | http://www.bit-net.com/~rdmiller |
> ==
Hey Rick
I have tryed to listen hear in GA and I have not heard it. This may be
that I'm in the skip zone of this signal. I hope you can find it. I'm in
the Northeast corner of GA. You also might be picking up a image signal
from a local radio station or a image from the inside of your rig. For
example I used to have a SB102 and on certian spots on 10 I could pick
up a CW beacon OFC was the Beacon. I also didn't live very far from the
local AM station in Aberdeen and I could pick up harmonics and images
from them. Anyway I hope I helped you
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

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3888. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373DFEDE.2BE4@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142760

DeltonaMan wrote:
>
> Check out this informative web site...
>
> Big Mac's CB Web Page
I would sujest that you post the CB radio stuff in the CB radio room. I
will say that for CB radio its a very fine page but it has nothing to do
with ham radio and these guys have closed minds when it comes to CB
radio. I would also invite you to check out my band plan for the
advancement of CB radio as well as ham radio too.
Check out http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
73 from Oris
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3889. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Tannehill <rickw7rt@firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <373E158A.DEE@firstinter.net>
Source record: 142761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

D. Holford wrote:
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> >
> >On Thu, 13 May 1999, Joe wrote:
> >
> >> May 99 issue arrived in the mail Wednesday, the 12th. Getting slower and
> >> slower here for it. Too bad it is also getting thinner. I never see the
> >> mag in either of our three mag. stores here, so I am lucky to get each
> >> issue per month. I have 13 more issues to go on my subscription, I hope
> >> the mag. at least holds on that long. Been a reader of 73 since the 1st
> >> issue, sorry to see it going away. I hope in the end that it continues for
> >> a long time, but it is not looking too good right now.
> >>
> >> Cheers!
> >>
> >> Joe
> >
> >A while back when 73 came up in a thread, maybe a thread similar to this
> >since the magazine seems to have been off schedule for some time, someone
> >brought up life subscriptions. Specifically, he mentioned that he'd bouth
> >onein the early days, I think back when a life subscription to 73 was a
> >ridiculously low price, though perhaps not ridiculously low at the
> >time. I'm sure he's gotten his money's worth. Which is worse? the magazine
> >faliling before you do, or the reverse? 73 has been around for nearly 40
> >years, and anyone still around who bought a life subscription in the early
> >days probably got more than they expected at the time.
> >
> > Michael VE2BVW
> >
> >
> Much more, including three notices that my "life subscription" is about to
> expire. Y2K.
>
> Dave VE3HLU

Maybe they think you're about to die on January 1st. :)

3890. Re: Where�is�this�hobby?�1920,�1960�or�2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <373E2323.10C441B0@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

KF4HMN wrote:
(Long Snip of previous replies)
I just did a search using the term Amateur Radio and got thousands of
hits on the net for the term. For a hobby that the internet is
destroying or making obsolete we as Amateur Radio operators sure are
occupying a lot of its bandwidth.

And it appears we're communicating more in this medium. <GRIN>

3891. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@NOSPAM.nightowl.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11a7e9d51b73be00989686@news2.nightowl.net>
Source record: 142763

In article <wYm%2.3447$mj.97886@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>, kf6knb@qsl.net
spewed the following.....
> DeltonaMan wrote in message
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Yeah Yeah Yeah, and if we wanted to hear you whine we'd call your wife.
Besides most of you Hams have a CB radio too, but of course you'll never
admit it on thig NG, nope, you'll just change your name and post in the
CB NG. And besides it's Amateur.misc not ham.misc and were all amateurs
when it comes to radio regaurdless of wether it's CB or Ham.
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3892. Re: FOR SALE: Bearcat BC 100XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@NOSPAM.nightowl.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11a7ea3b6a49b905989687@news2.nightowl.net>
Source record: 142764

In article <37401801.852778@news.adams.net>, macco@adams.net spewed the
following.......
> Bearcat BC100XLT Scanner for sale. 100 channel scanner. Battery works
> but will need replaced. Freq range I believe is 29Mhz-512Mhz. This
> scanner has 10 banks of 10 channels each that are programable.
> Instant weather channel and great leather like carrying case.
>
> $75.00 plus $4.30 Priority mail shipping. OBO
>
> email me directly at msteink@adams.net
>
AAAAHHHH, hey Dan Dan Dan, look this guy posted a scanner ad in your
precious amateur.misc you better pounce on him.

Nice scanner by the way:)

3893. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <uyq%2.801$nc1.79233@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have purchased from HRO via 800 number and over-the-counter. Never had a problem. I deal with the store in Woodbridge, VA.

Has the thought occurred to you that there are things you could do to alleviate the situation, other than posting on the internet -- such as:

1. Call HRO and work it out with them.
2. Call your credit card company and tell them that you were mis-charged. They will not honor the charge until things are straightened out.

Maybe when it is all straight you will post the rest of the story.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
BD wrote in message <7hkqgjrad1@newnews.startext.net>...
>I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only one left) 32k
>version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so.... Well.. I get it
>UPS'd, open it up and find that the reciept will be sent later (there was
no
>indication at all of what they charged me), and go hook it up (I had to buy
>a few parts and solder the stuff cables together myself, so it's hardly in
>returnable-condition now) and start playing with it..
>WELL.. Today, I get the receipt for $329 showing that I ordered the 128k
>version!!
>Not that I'd not have ordered it anyway if the 32k wasn't shown to be
>available (possibly should have anyway, but that's something else), but...
>Anyone else have such happen to 'em when ordering from Ham Radio Outlet??
>Shouldn't they only be allowed to charge me up to what I agreed to without
>me having to return me little toy? ;) Sounds reasonable to me..
>I'd expect to return the over-charge without getting the merchandise back
in
>my line-o-biz, for sure...
>
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>

3894. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <rHq%2.807$nc1.79670@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142766

When did you conduct a survey regarding amateur radio operators and CB equipment that led you to state: " ...most of you Hams have a CB radio too,... "

I have been an amateur radio operator since 1958. Do not own, have never owned, have never wanted to own anything associated with CB. Fellow gave me a box of CB radios one day when I stopped at a yard sale. I thanked him, put it in the back of my truck, and deposited the whole mess in the first dumpster I saw.

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http://www.miafacts.org/
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3895. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926830370.330.35@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Moron. You posted this to two amateur radio NG's.

<big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7hlf3d$1k8$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> "D. Townsend" <> wrote:
>
> > we as Amateur Radio operators sure are occupying a lot of
> > its bandwidth.
>
> And ur waaaaaay over your share here Idjit!
>
> Go 'way,
>
> BGO

3896. Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Cooper <pcooper@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <373E6180.5ED6C66E@primenet.com>
Source record: 142768

To all of you who took the time to discuss Burt Fisher a few days ago, may I point out that none of you caught the fact that Mr. Fisher does not have a good grasp of spelling. Please look at his key word commencing with the letter "c".

This is an email of exasperation...why do you take the time to even discuss this? Would you really talk about him, no matter who he is, and no matter how intelligent or stupid he really is, when and if you were face to face? I do not think so.

K6PY

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Paul Cooper - - - - - - - - - -- - -pcooper@primenet.com

818.341.3499 Voice
818.772.8863 FAX

3897. May newsletter now on line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jabba <vk4wss@NOSPAMqsl.net>
Message-ID: <373c591a@grissom.powerup.com.au>
Source record: 142876
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.digital,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jabba <vk4wss@NOSPAMqsl.net>
Message-ID: <373c5987@grissom.powerup.com.au>
Source record: 142877
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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3899. Re: KE4TEW = "THE TAMPA TURD"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514200705.12508.00000615@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142878

Dont yell abusive post, until you look at about all of Doc Hate's posts!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
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WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3900. FS: Icom IC-3200A 144/430MHz Dual Band Mobile Tranciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: macco@adams.net
Message-ID: <373dba03.20450952@news.adams.net>
Source record: 142879

For Sale: Icom IC-3200A 144/430MHz Dual Band Mobile Tranciever, this radio is in excelent condition, 25 watt output, 10 channels programable. Comes with a copy of the owners manual.

$125.00 plus shipping

email me directly at msteink@adams.net

3901. Re: KE4TEW = "THE TAMPA TURD"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514201540.19944.00000623@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142880

<< ject: Re: KE4TEW = "THE TAMPA TURD"
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 12:07 AM
Message-id: <19990514200705.12508.00000615@ng-cd1.aol.com>

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<<Jim Dale is one of the finest hams to ever hold a ticket. Any enemy of
Youngblood's is a friend of mine>> Doc AF2Y

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3902. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514201959.19944.00000624@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142881

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Fri, May 14, 1999 10:17 PM
Message-id: <373CA0FE.719F6401@ix.netcom.com>
<<This is AF2Y replying. Stinson,you ought to be known as Mr.Charmin because of
all the crap you write.>>
Doc, your posting on the War for Southern Independence,
the meaning of the St. Andrews Cross flag and etc.
is one of the more thorough recitations of the "party line"
on these subjects I've seen lately.

It's always been easier to take this complex issue
and pervert it into a simple, hateful idea.
The post is, of course, riddled with misinformation, misunderstanding,
half-n-quarter truths and utter falsehoods.

It's not your fault and I don't condemn you personally for it.
You're simply repeating what's been forced into
your mind and heart by Hollywood, academe and the feds.
The issue isn't and never was as simple and simple-minded
as most Americans believe.
A century and a half of lies and propaganda forced
on american children has set this bigotry more deeply and
more perniciously then that against any other ethnic group.

You may find it difficult to believe, but no single group
silently suffers more hate speech and hate propaganda then
the People of the South. The hatred towards us
is even sanctioned and propagated by academia and
brutally enforced by agencies of the federal government.
I'll bet you don't see many college professors damning Jews.
They might even go to jail for it.
Damning Southerners is practically a requirement for graduation.

The fact that sheet-wearing inbreds and skin-headed
morons abuse and defame the St. Andrews Cross flag
does not make that flag a symbol of hate.
Hippies wore the US flag in the 1960s.
Does that mean the US flag stood for drug abuse?
Native Americans have used the swastika for centuries.
Are Native Americans nazis?
The Rellians use the Star of David as one of their symbols.
Does this mean the Star of David stands for UFO belief?

No. Of course not.
Most people agree those ideas are silly--

nutty upside-down thinking.
Until you talk about the St. Andrews Cross.
Suddenly, logic goes completely out the window
and brainwashing takes over.

It's easier for lazy people to point to a
Southern symbol then to deal with the real problems;
to go find a "boogieman" rather then frigging *THINK.*
They want someone to whom they might feel superior
and distract them from their own mean and degraded spirits.

What better way to justify themselves
then to regurgitate their training?
It's so much more satisfying to damn the people and symbols that
academe and the federal government have sanctioned for that purpose.
Southerners are ready-made scapegoats-- Step right up!
Ease your guilty conscience by pointing fingers
and speaking hate about that which you don't understand;

It's truly The American Way!

Sincerely,
David L. Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com
Occupied Texas, CSA

"Gentlemen, you have no reason to be ashamed of your Confederate dead.
Make sure they have no reason to be ashamed of you."
R.L. Dabney, Chaplain to Stonewall Jackson

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3903. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(Smurf)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hiht3$3ba$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142882

Rubie dupe dope as your master the shamed WB2OTK calls you the larded one. You are not a lawyer, You are a moron who sits down all day on the ham bands and speaks "duh duh" on the ham bands. Do not talk about legal matters dumb one. You are a lost ball in the high weeds. Fatty.

article <109-373C6A52-5@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>, RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> It sounded to me like "RealDeal", threatend you....isnt that a violation
> of the TOS for most servers?
>
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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3904. Re: Renaming the 3.950 dopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514202723.19944.00000628@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142883

<< 'S ASS ABOUT THE WAY PYs
>FEEL SINCE THEY'RE THE LOUSES WHO PROTECTED JOSEF MENGELE FOR MANY MANY
>YEARS.
>73,Doc,AF2Y>>

Why do have to have to come on here and spread all this hate?
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3905. Re:C.A.R.S. classified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514203016.19944.00000630@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142884

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From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Date: Fri, May 14, 1999 1:25 AM
Message-id: <7hfu28$7n2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

radiosigs@aol.com wrote:
> << YOU'LL READ IT AND LIKE IT!" AF2Y

Hola agin OM AF2YID,

You're a limp richard, and nobody wants your lame 33K modem.
Junk it!

BGO

>>Hey BIG GUY GOY...You probably think a 33K modem are sanitary napkins>>>
AF2Y

3906. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hiiek$3n4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142885

In a
You got it right , he just can not help himself when it comes to his liberal back ground, he must lie, he must claim heroic feats, He mut spend other peoples money, he must dupe the (In his mind) stupid common people. What a bore.

rticle <373CB621.3B727779@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >..I guess he has to boost his ego by claiming inventions,
> >heroic acts etc....
>
> Hey-- Don't be so harsh. He can't help it.
> He's a Democrap....er I mean Democrat.
> Grandstanding and lying are part of their genetic makeup.
> A jackel can't help being born a jackel, ya know.
> Why, there are people reading this post right now
> who are going to vote for Al Bore in the next election,
> so making unearned claims to greatness must be OK, right?
>
> Dave S. AB5S
>

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3907. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(Smurf)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hiink$40j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142886

Rube "DUH DUH" you are showing again that you are the most stupid ham in amateur radio. I did not read one threat in that thread. You better quit being a "out house lawyer". You are as stupid on this forum as you are on ham radio.

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> It sounded to me like "RealDeal", threatend you....isnt that a violation
> of the TOS for most servers?
>
>

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3908. The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514204206.19944.00000633@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142887

For all of you jackals who look down at a Cloudwarmer,this morning at 1110 UTC on 14.313 I worked VK2WJC and got a 10/9 report from Australia. Eat your hearts out! I said I work more stations than you bimbos hear and I'll stick by my pronouncement. Furthermore I think I heard "Queenie" Mort in there, trying with a "superior directional antenna and higher power, to work the Aussie TO NO AVAIL! Yep, with just two parallel wires and 800 watts, I put your fools to shame so go sulk in the corner. They don't call me the world's greatest natural DXer for no reason! AF2Y Doc

3909. The InterMar 14.313 Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514204741.19944.00000637@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142888

Incidentally, if no one knows what that German speaking net is, on 14.313 in the early morning, it's InterMar. You have a bunch of guys in Deutschland keeping track of some of their German mariners in glass bottom boats reviewing their World War Two fleet.

AF2Y Doc

3910. A LUXURIOUS VACATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514205419.19944.00000639@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142889

Fellows....here's a real buy. A Polish travel agency in Clifton,NJ, THE KIELBASABURNSAGUTZSKI COMPANY,is offering a ten day vacation,with meals and airfare included, to Kosovo for $7.

AF2Y Doc

3911. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514205918.12520.00000832@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142890

>They don't call me the world's greatest natural
>DXer for no reason!

No, there's other things we call you like:

Docktor Hate

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
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WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3912. Re: A LUXURIOUS VACATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514210051.12520.00000833@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142891

>Fellows....here's a real buy. A Polish travel agency in Clifton,NJ, THE
>KIELBASABURNSAGUTZSKI COMPANY,is offering a ten day vacation,with meals and
>airfare included, to Kosovo for $7.

I can get $14 together to send you and Porkbutt there so we don't have to put up with your hate speech for a while!!!

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3913. Re: The InterMar 14.313 Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514210158.12520.00000834@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142892

>You have a bunch of guys in Deutschland
>keeping track of some of their German mariners in glass bottom boats
>reviewing
>their World War Two fleet.

Does it bring back any memories?

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3914. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514211251.16499.00000716@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 142893

>A Jew is a Caucasian

Really? Then start ACTING like one!!

> I see it
>written nowhere that a Christian is committed to hate Jews, to persecute
>Jews.
>to disrepect Judaic principles and to threaten and/or kill Jews.

Really? But your Jewish Talmud, which is full of hatred
towards Jesus Christ and His followers, which condones
deceit towards Christians, which equates non-Jews to
animals, which even condones murder of Christians in some
cases..... your hate-filled Talmud is JUST FINE as far as
you're concerned, right?

YOU are a hypocrite. And your ADL and your other
similar organizations ain't foolin any of us who have
developed a healthy immunity to the BS and propoganda
spewed forth from your kinfolk's various media outlets.

3915. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514212058.19944.00000650@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142894
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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<<
From: radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 12:19 AM
Message-id: <19990514201959.19944.00000624@ng-ft1.aol.com>

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: David Stinson
Date: Fri, May 14, 1999 10:17 PM
Message-id: <373CA0FE.719F6401@ix.netcom.com>
<>
Doc, your posting on the War for Southern Independence,
the meaning of the St. Andrews Cross flag and etc.
is one of the more thorough recitations of the "party line"
on these subjects I've seen lately.
<>
It's always been easier to take this complex issue
and pervert it into a simple, hateful idea.
The post is, of course, riddled with misinformation, misunderstanding,
half-n-quarter truths and utter falsehoods.
<>
It's not your fault and I don't condemn you personally for it.<>>
You're simply repeating what's been forced into
your mind and heart by Hollywood, academe and the feds.<>
The issue isn't and never was as simple and simple-minded
as most Americans believe.
A century and a half of lies and propaganda forced
on american children has set this bigotry more deeply and
more perniciously then that against any other ethnic group. <>

You may find it difficult to believe, but no single group
silently suffers more hate speech and hate propaganda then
the People of the South.<> The
hatred towards us
is even sanctioned and propagated by academia and
brutally enforced by agencies of the federal government.<>
I'll bet you don't see many college professors damning Jews.<>
They might even go to jail for it.
Damning Southerners is practically a requirement for graduation.<>

The fact that sheet-wearing inbreds and skin-headed
morons abuse and defame the St. Andrews Cross flag
does not make that flag a symbol of hate. <>

Hippies wore the US flag in the 1960s.
Does that mean the US flag stood for drug abuse?<>
Native Americans have used the swastika for centuries.
Are Native Americans nazis?<>
The Rellians use the Star of David as one of their symbols.
Does this mean the Star of David stands for UFO belief?<>>

No. Of course not.
Most people agree those ideas are silly--
nutty upside-down thinking.
Until you talk about the St. Andrews Cross.
Suddenly, logic goes completely out the window
and brainwashing takes over.

It's easier for lazy people to point to a
Southern symbol then to deal with the real problems; <>
to go find a "boogieman" rather then frigging *THINK.*
They want someone to whom they might feel superior
and distract them from their own mean and degraded spirits.

What better way to justify themselves
then to regurgitate their training?<>
It's so much more satisfying to damn the people and symbols that
academe and the federal government have sanctioned for that purpose.
Southerners are ready-made scapegoats-- Step right up!
Ease your guilty conscience by pointing fingers
and speaking hate about that which you don't understand; <>

It's truly The American Way! <> Doc AF2Y

Sincerely,
David L. Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com
Occupied Texas, CSA

"Gentlemen, you have no reason to be ashamed of your Confederate dead.
Make sure they have no reason to be ashamed of you."
R.L. Dabney, Chaplain to Stonewall Jackson

>>

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3916. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514215746.19938.00000684@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142895

<< I CERTAINLY GET TO YOU THUGS>>AF2Y
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 1:25 AM
Message-id: <7hiiek$3n4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

In a
You got it right , he just can not help himself when it comes to his liberal back ground, he must lie, he must claim heroic feats, He mut spend other peoples money, he must dupe the (In his mind) stupid common people. What a bore.

rticle <373CB621.3B727779@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
>
> realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >..I guess he has to boost his ego by claiming inventions,
> >heroic acts etc....
>
> Hey-- Don't be so harsh. He can't help it.
> He's a Democrap....er I mean Democrat.
> Grandstanding and lying are part of their genetic makeup.
> A jackel can't help being born a jackel, ya know.
> Why, there are people reading this post right now
> who are going to vote for Al Bore in the next election,
> so making unearned claims to greatness must be OK, right?
>
> Dave S. AB5S
>

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3917. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514220603.19938.00000692@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142896

<< HU)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 1:12 AM
Message-id: <19990514211251.16499.00000716@ng-cn1.aol.com>

>A Jew is a Caucasian

Really? Then start ACTING like one!!
<<IS A CAUCASIAN SUPPOSED TO ACT SUPERIOR TO A NON-CAUCASIAN? I CAN'T BECAUSE
I'M ONLY EQUAL TO THEM,NOT BETTER>>
> I see it
>written nowhere that a Christian is committed to hate Jews, to persecute
>Jews.
>to disrepect Judaic principles and to threaten and/or kill Jews.

Really? But your Jewish Talmud, which is full of hatred
towards Jesus Christ and His followers, which condones
deceit towards Christians, which equates non-Jews to
animals, which even condones murder of Christians in some
cases..... your hate-filled Talmud is JUST FINE as far as
you're concerned, right?
<<Oh I see you bought Herbie Schoenbohm's bullroar about the Talmud. Hell if
you ask him, he'll tell you that Jews kill Christian kids to use their blood
for Passover matzohs. He's nothing but a Hun lowlife.>>
YOU are a hypocrite. And your ADL and your other
similar organizations ain't foolin any of us who have
developed a healthy immunity to the BS and propoganda
spewed forth from your kinfolk's various media outlets.<<The ADL is a bulwark
against intolerance which is driving you nuts.>>
AF2Y

>>

3918. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hiobq$7hl$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142897

In article <19990514204206.19944.00000633@ng-ft1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> For all of you jackals who look down at a Cloudwarmer,this morning at 1110 UTC
> on 14.313 I worked VK2WJC and got a 10/9 report from Australia. Eat your hearts
> out! I said I work more stations than you bimbos hear and I'll stick by my
> pronouncement.

Damn straight, while they turn those pieces of crap, we work the DX. All
you need is wire and an amp, but don't let them hear what you're using,
Doc.

If you do they'll tell you beams make them superior operators and
"skilled contesters".

If they were skilled they would be using WIRES.

But if you throw enough money at a DX station you're sure to work it
eventually.

Now if they would only LANDSCAPE, dammit....

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3919. Re: The InterMar 14.313 Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514221206.19938.00000697@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142898

<<
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 1:01 AM
Message-id: <19990514210158.12520.00000834@ng-cd1.aol.com>

>You have a bunch of guys in Deutschland
>keeping track of some of their German mariners in glass bottom boats
>reviewing
>their World War Two fleet.

Does it bring back any memories?
<<Yes,of all the German mariners and submariners lying on the floor of the
Atlantic, English Channel,North Sea,Baltic Sea, Irish Sea... you name
it..they're there.>> AF2Y

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

>>

3920. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990514221537.19938.00000699@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142899

<<
No, there's other things we call you like:

Docktor Hate

>>I would think by this time you could spell doctor, But then again, Stump Jumpers aren't known for their intelligence.>> AF2Y

3921. This NG is Like Schindler's List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hiosq$7th$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142900

AF2Y calls N0VFP a Nazi and the reverse. Whiten does the same.

I take it then, there are good ham Nazis and bad ham Nazis ? This was the principle we see in Schindler's List. Oscar Schindler, a war profiteeer responsible for the deaths of thousands of fighting men, then proceeds to lose his balls after awhile. Geezus, too late for the poor bastards who met the Unterstormfuhrer before this grand conversion.

A Nazi is a Nazi. Now who here will rise and declare himself a good party member ?

Don't all you Great Men stand up at once.

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3922. Re: Synthesized Voice Vocabulary

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <373CE502.8D5@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 142901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ryan Faricy wrote:
>
> Hi all.
>
> Might there happen to be a sound-file compilation of the usual
> repeater-voice vocabulary? Please email your response. Thanks!

Email me off the NG. You might be able to pursuede me
to do the files for you, gratis. What file format are
you looking for? ie wav, something else?

Lumpy ABï¿½GD
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The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

3923. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7hiosv$h72@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael (MKlevickis@worldnet.att.net) wrote:
: Spike wrote:
: >follious things as in keying ...
: >stupid code and HAM radio's.

: Calm yourself, Spike. You need not become so emotional about another's
: hobby. Then again, you might constructively use YOUR time to learn how
: to write and spell and construct proper sentences. The plural of radio
: is not "radio's"; and what, pray tell, does your word "follious" mean?
: In a way, I will agree with your position. If you cannot even use simple
: English, how COULD you learn code?

: Michael K.

Abbreviations?
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Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

3924. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <vp6%2.3889$xa.37294@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142903

On Fri, 14 May 1999 21:53:28 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Just like Ole "Bus Station Bobby" to holler "SUE, SUE, SUE" You know we
> have the goods on you "SAMMY"
>
>
Ho-hum. Same old rhetoric, George. Veiled threats and innuendo mean
nothing to me. If you have something, prove it. But, make sure you can
back up your claims with some supporting evidence. The stuff you spew
forth here doesn't stand on it's own; everyone knows you suffer from a
lack of credibility.

By the way, are you really certain that I am "Bus Station Bobby?"
"Sammy" might be somewhat displeased if you were to smear his name
about the internet without provocation.

Have a nice day!
Smurf
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

3925. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: George White <deeply@serv.net>
Message-ID: <7hitv8$45l$0@199.201.191.2>
Source record: 142904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

wildthing wrote:

> It is EXACTLY this MENTALITY of NOT UNDERSTANDING which creates the WHOLE
> Y2K PANIC and EXPLOITATION TODAY!
>
> Spike wrote in message ...
> Damned right it is legal.
> Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.

Are you an electronic technician that can verify that his specific radio can
do so?

> You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
> hold you down and rip the batteries out.
>

Then I'd laugh as your head got ripped off.
Why would he show his scanner to you anyway?

> Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.

If the hobby is so "stupid" why are you in a scanner newsgroup?
I've seen stupid people in my time, but Spike, you win first prize.
You should learn about scanners and whatnot before you open your mouth.
I'd bet if you were stranded on top of a mountain in -40 degree weather
and needed help and the only communication possible was a ham radio
I'd bet dollars to doughnuts you'd have a different view of things.
Think before you post Spike, it tends to save bandwidth.

--Deeply Shrouded And Quiet

3926. Re: Leaving For Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@NOSPAM.nightowl.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11a6c3d2b6e80c4989684@news2.nightowl.net>
Source record: 142905

HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA.....HEHEHEHEHEHEHEH.....That was great.

In article <7hi7q5$si7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com spewed
the following.....
> Will be clamboring over the FT-736R and TS-850 to get into the Chevette
> after I send this. Hope to see you at the Chevette/Corvair/Yugo User's
> Symposium at the mezzanine.
>
> With God as my Copilot and Second op (honk if you love Jesus !)
>
> Over and out.
>
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>

3927. Re: 73 Magazine - April 1999 Issue and late delivery of issues?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: holford@cnwl.igs.net.nospam
Message-ID: <7hj1rg$5ol$1@news.igs.net>
Source record: 142906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>
>On Thu, 13 May 1999, Joe wrote:
>
>> May 99 issue arrived in the mail Wednesday, the 12th. Getting slower and
>> slower here for it. Too bad it is also getting thinner. I never see the
>> mag in either of our three mag. stores here, so I am lucky to get each
>> issue per month. I have 13 more issues to go on my subscription, I hope
>> the mag. at least holds on that long. Been a reader of 73 since the 1st
>> issue, sorry to see it going away. I hope in the end that it continues for
>> a long time, but it is not looking too good right now.
>>
>> Cheers!
>>
>> Joe
>
>A while back when 73 came up in a thread, maybe a thread similar to this
>since the magazine seems to have been off schedule for some time, someone
>brought up life subscriptions. Specifically, he mentioned that he'd bouth
>onein the early days, I think back when a life subscription to 73 was a
>ridiculously low price, though perhaps not ridiculously low at the
>time. I'm sure he's gotten his money's worth. Which is worse? the magazine
>faliling before you do, or the reverse? 73 has been around for nearly 40
>years, and anyone still around who bought a life subscription in the early
>days probably got more than they expected at the time.
>
> Michael VE2BVW
>
>
Much more, including three notices that my "life subscription" is about to
expire. Y2K.

Dave VE3HLU

3928. Solar report in CW (May, 14)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7hj3q0$pa5$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 142907
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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The latest solar and geomagnetic activity report as Morse code audio
files can be accessed / downloaded in MIDI-format at the DTC web site:

at 12 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/wx140599.mid
at 30 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/swx14599.mid

For the full text version look at http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html
clicking on the line with ONDREJOV in the left frame.

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| DTC - German Telegraphie Club - Internetadresses: |
| .- --. -... .--. -.. . -.. - -.-. |
| URL : http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html |
| Email: dtc@muenster.de |
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3929. Free Amateur Radio Logging Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: SRC Software <SRC_Software@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <373D3FC0.A6C4C3A0@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142908

SRC Software's Amateur Radio Utility v1 Release 1.100
=====================================

Tired with the standard old logging applications... un-user-friendly interfaces etc?

Well, your time of searching may be over!

The long awaited next release of SRC Software's Amateur Radio Utility v1 is now available (1.100). It uses the windows interface, which allows quick and easy logging. Many features are included such as automatic frequency identification, contact information, full locator support with distance mapping, shortcut and custom keys, full QSL label printing support, import/export partial logs, the list goes on!

Major additions to this new version since version 1.001
===================================

Added customised QSL label printing support
New database added which stores information about your amateur radio setups
Now allowed to export selected contacts, as well as exporting the whole logbook
Import wizard allows a selection of contacts to import
On click information displayed when users clicks on a log entry
QSL label grabber wizard to help you to collect contacts for QSL labels
More pages added to help file
Extended contact information for more details about stations
UTC time offset feature

This programme uses database files which allow data to be entered in any order and format. It is designed mainly for home day to day logging and also after contest logging and general sorting out. It supports import/export to and from RSGB LOG format, a commonly used computer logging format, and you can choose the contacts you want to import, rather than doing the whole file. The programme will re-index your log into date/time order, meaning that contacts can be imported how you like. There are hundreds of other features which you will be able to see when you start using this newly developed application.

AND THE BEST PART OF IT IS THAT IT IS COMPLETELY FREE!!!!!!!!!

YES : It is... all you have to do is download it, enter a few details into the page and click on register. As soon as possible I will send you the registration details, no costs or catches apply!!!

If you already have a previous version installed (1.001) you can get the update patch from my website. You will not have to register your new copy again, as you will automatically have the full version.

Background Info

This programme has recently been produced, and is available to anyone. It was programmed, designed, written and debugged by me, Simon Chudley, a student in the UK. I am a qualified amateur, M1BWT, and have been operating for about two years ish. Please distribute this programme as you wish, as long as all the files are exactly as I distributed them, and EVERY USER THAT INSTALLS A COPY REGISTERS - REMEMBER, REGISTRATION IS FREE!

How?

Simply go to the following website and click on Products. Then select Amateur Radio Utility v1. You will be able to see more detailed informaiton on that page, and to download it, scroll down to the bottom of the page. You will then have to select E-Mail, and click on Register AMV1. Enter your details along with the programme details (you can find these out from General Preferences) and click on submit. I will send you the registration code via e-mail asap. View the readme.txt file for installation details after unzipping the zip file.

Any problems please contact SRC_Software@hotmail.com

DOWNLOADS AND PATCHES FROM

http://www.members.tripod.com/SRC_Software

3930. Kenwood TK240 programming pinouts INFO needed .!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox@MailAndNews.com
Message-ID: <373d46d8.3903693@news.tel.hr>
Source record: 142909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please if anyone knows to which pins on the radio programming lead
should be connected let me know ASAP .!!

Thanks

Fox

fox@MailAndNews.com

3931. Re: Daily Digest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <373D5754.2E89A2BC@uswest.net>
Source record: 142910
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David,
You assume too much on too little data.
No, Actually, I am in my mid thirties, if thats really anything to you.

Besides, thats not the point of this thread.

The point is: if someone violates the rules of the workplace,
then he is subject to those rules in so far as punishment is
concerned..

I know way too many people that work in government, and a lot of them
are serious about this (yes, your tax dollars at work).

Oh well, it doesn't matter to you, considering that you probably
don't work for the government.

Hawke

David Stinson wrote:

> Anybody besides me think this guy sounds like a teenager?
>
> He's really seen enough of life to decide this matter....
> oooooh yeah.....
>
> D.S.

3932. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515071509.20836.00000895@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142911

<< <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 3:50 AM
Message-id: <373CEF1C.659D57B1@ix.netcom.com>

Father,
Forgive Doc,
For he knows not what he does.

Amen

(heh heh.....)
<<For Christ's sake..he sounds like Jesus Stinson. heh..heh...>> AF2Y Doc

>>

3933. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: KE4JCD <ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7hjnmcuej1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7hi883$su4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> KE4JCD wrote:
> > > As I and others in Amateur Radio quit and find other things to do
> > > with our time, Like I-Phone, Netmeeting, Qtalk, PalTalk, IRC Chat's.
> > > BBS's, Ect. For we see that you just don't get it!
> > > --
> > > Bob - KE4JCD
> > > Lakeland, FL.
> > > Jammer Information Center Of Amatuer Radio
> > > http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html
>
> Hey OM Crummy Bob you idjit,
>
> Could you please take AF2Y, WB2OTK, and the rest of that crowd
> with you? Please don't let the door hit you in the ass on the
> way out.
>
> 73, BGO

Well, Well, Well, here is another fine reply to my message! RUDENESS RAINS around here! This is my point, You like most HAM's need to get a life! Like your hobby! For like your hobby it's dieing thanks to people like you!

But no need to cry, when your HF bands are turned into wireless phone bands by the other countrys that see HAMS as a band of X-CBers that bring there CB IQ with them. You will have no place to go! Now me on the other hand will have a place to ture to, The Internet is alive! Un-like Ham Radio.

Just keep up the good work my friend and it will soon be GONE!

--
Bob - KE4JCD
Lakeland, FL.
Jammer Information Center Of Amatuer Radio
http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html

Fight Spam! Join CAUCE! == http://www.cauce.org/
Outlaw Junk Email! Support HR 1748.

ATTN: The 1st amendment does not grant you the right
to trespass in my mailbox. Any unsolicated EMAIL will
result in fines being levied in the amount of $5,000.00 for
storage and retrival.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3934. New Ham Cartoon Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andrew M Cohn <andy@gldl.net>
Message-ID: <373D5C8B.3745@gldl.net>
Source record: 142913

You're invited to visit the "K4ADL Kartoon Korner" for original ham radio cartoons. The site is new, so there are only two 'toons available at the moment; new ones will be added often. No ads, banners, commercials, or sponsors...just a little cartoon fun with the most carefully-crafted drawings you have ever seen.

http://www.qsl.net/k4adl

----------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News ==----------
http://www.newsfeeds.com The Largest Usenet Servers in the World!
------== Over 73,000 Newsgroups - Including Dedicated Binaries Servers ==-----

3935. Re: Radar Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hillbilly Dave <daves@oztech.com>
Message-ID: <7hjotddkm1@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 142914

try Ramsey Kits....they have them in kit form...lotta fun

Dave
KG5XR
Dave's Radio Electronics
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/Island/4371/index.html

3936. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Granger <bgranger@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <373d67b9.0@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 142915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

>Agreed. About the only way I could kill someone with my scanner would be to
>beat them over the head with it. Probably would do more damage to the
>scanner than to them, anyhow.

Are you so sure about that? Have you checked to see if the local oscillators radiate rubbish through the unshielded palstic case when you are tuning about? Do you know what frequencies the LO is on when you are tuning to your favourite station? Do you know if your seat assignment and therefore your scanner antenna is near a window closest to the aircraft VHF Com antennas?

Chances are very very slim that you will interfere with nav receivers, sure, but how would you know? (don't get smart. I'm an Avionics Tech and my scanner gets used as test equipment every day) I am also surprised that more of these devices don't interfere with the miniscule GPS signals.

I was asked to turn my scanner off last time I was flying from Orlando to San Francisco, which was a pity, I was having a ball listening to Alabama Police, broadcast AM and FM and hams whilst flying back. They do have that right, it is backed up by the FAR's (Federal Aviation Regulations) and they can have the biggest, burliest cop waiting for you at the gate if you refuse.

Of course, you just be a whole lot more subtle about it. throw the radio along with your keys and small change into the little wooden tray at the xray and let them scan it (pun eh?). They will think it is a mobile phone and cause you no more grief. I know this works, it works for me, in the USA and here in Australia.

When you are wandering the airport listening, don't draw attention to yourself, play it smart and leave the radio in a pocket or on your hip, listen with a pair of walkman headphones, no-one will know the difference. On my last trip I was carrying both scanner and 2m HT. Just have a jacket with big pockets.

Brad VK2QQ

3937. motorola rioo repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: Elroy Cook <austin4@ne.infi.net>
Message-ID: <373D70C6.22C1F700@ne.infi.net>
Source record: 142916

help need a schematic for rec.board.no.gln 7289a.thanks

3938. @@!@ MSN OFFER @@@

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcspeabody@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990515095020.00983.00000987@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142917

-----Original Message-----
From: MILIA,DIXIE (HP-SanJose,ex1)
Sent: Friday, May 07, 1999 3:10 PM
To: PDL-COMP,AMC-BUS-ADMIN (HP-SanJose,expdl1); PDL-COMP,AMC-MARKETING
(HP-SanJose,expdl1)
Subject: FW: Fw: $$$ from Microsoft/ACT FAST

To y'all
This sounds to good to be true, but what the hey...

I know the person at the end of this forwarded e-mail and he is not one to
lie. So, knowing that we all could use a little extra cash wherever we may
find it, forward this on to all you know and let's all get some extra cash.

Take care
\>Subject: Fw: $$$ from Microsoft/ACT FAST

>Date: Fri, 7 May 1999 11:09:16 -0400
>
>
>
> >Subject: FW: FW: Money, Money, Money
> >> > >
> >> > >Netscape and AOL have recently merged to form the largest Internet
> >> > >company in the world. In an effort to remain at pace with this
giant,
> >> > >Microsoft has introduced a new email tracking system as a way to
keep
> >> > >Internet Explorer as the most popular browser on the market. This
> >> email
> >> > >is a beta test of the new software and Microsoft has generously
> >offered
> >> > >to compensate those who participate in the testing process. For
each
> >> > >person you send this email to, you will be given $5. For every
person
> >> > >they give it to, you will be given an additional $3. For every
person
> >> > >they send it to you will receive $1. Microsoft will tally all the
> >> > >emails produced under your name over a two week period and then
email
> >> > >you with more instructions. This beta test is only for Microsoft
> >> > >Windows users because the email tracking device that contacts
> >Microsoft
> >> > >is embedded into the code of Windows 95 and 98.

> >> > >
> >> > >_____
> >_____
> >> > >Get Free Email and Do More On The Web. Visit
> >> > >http://www.msn.com <http://www.msn.com>
> >> > >I know you guys hate forwards. But I started this a month ago
because
> >> I
> >> > >was short on cash. A week ago I got an email from Microsoft
> >> > >asking me for my address. I gave it to them and yesterday I got a
> >> check
> >> > >in the mail for $800. It really works. I wanted you to get a piece
> >of
> >> > >the action. You won't regret it.
> >> > > _____
> >
> >Subject: FW: Money, Money, Money
> >Date: Thu, 6 May 1999 15:51:30 -0600
> >Organization: TI Energy
> >X-Mailer: Microsoft Internet E-mail/MAPI - 8.0.0.4211
> >
>

3939. Re: A LUXURIOUS VACATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8028-373D7E12-9@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142918

YEAH DOC ,
WE WILL TAKE UP A COLLECTION TO SEND YOU ON A ONE WAY TRIP. SO ENJOY
YOUR SELF YOU SHOULD FIT RIGHT IN.

3940. Re: A LUXURIOUS VACATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8031-373D7EBC-2@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142919

YEAH LLOYD !!!!
WAY TO GO I WILL DONATE $2.00 TO THEIR VACATION, IF ITS A ONE WAY TRIP
WITH NO RETURNS. I AM A BLONDE AND ICOULD BE WRONG ..

3941. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8030-373D804A-5@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142920

DOC YOUR RIGHT AGAIN . NOTHEY DONT CALL YOU THE WORLDS BEST NATURAL DX
'ER AT ALL. HMMMMM DOES DOC SEE THE LIGHT?GEE I'M BLONDE I COULD BE
WRONG .

3942. Re: yOu mite be shots down over Macadamia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8028-373D7FB1-11@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142921

DO YOU KNOW WHAT HOOKED ON PHONICS IS ?GO TO SCHOOL MAYBE YOU CAN GET
PAST KINDERGARTEN THIS TIME.I AM BLONDE AND I COULD BE WRONG.

3943. Re: yOu mite be shots down over Macadamia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8029-373D815D-7@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142922

ITS NOT MACADAMIA ...THOSE ARE NUTS..LIKE YOU A REAL NUT CASE.
ITS MACEDONIA.HE'S STUPID.P-LEASE SOME NE STOP HIM OR SEND HIM A
DICTIONARY .P-LEASE.....

3944. Re: has you Bilts one yet?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-15 00:00:00 UTC
From: THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8029-373D8329-8@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142923

DOC ? DOCTOR ? OF WHAT , WHERE , WHO SAID . I THINK ITS IN HIS OWN MIND...HE HAD A DREAM..I COULD BE WRONG.

3945. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7hl1r9$p4v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7hkqgjrad1@newnews.startext.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only one left) 32k
> version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so...

So...instead of FIRST contacting your dealer to explain the problem...

You decided to post your story here.

I believe most reasonable folks would simply call their dealer up the
first available opportunity and deal with the matter at hand.

NO - HRO has no long "history" of mistreating their cleints.

I certainly hope that (a) you have been totally truthful with your story
here, and (b) as soon as HRO clears this matter up with you, that you'll
post the entire solution arrived at.

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3946. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <76o%2.3845$mj.100689@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

You might have a difficult time doing that to something belonging to me. Or to a few other hams I can think of. Not only would you fail in your childish and dangerous endeavor, but you would be wrong, you would have committed an assault aboard an airborne aircraft, and you would go to jail, after getting your bumps and bruises tended to.

Now, should you see someone actually TRANSMITTING or RADIATING ANY STRAY RF such as is commonly present when scanners are in use, without proper permission, you would have reason to be pissed, but there are other, safer, legal ways to stop it. Don't even THINK about grabbing something from the hands of someone you don't know. That is, above all else, very bad manners. Psychopathic idiots are sometimes humored, but never taken seriously. Do have the decency to act in a rational manner and take more practical approaches to the problem before assaulting anybody.

Robinson in San Benito TX
A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
By the Border By the Sea

Meet a Redneck!
See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
Build your own Web Page!
Get your Ham License!

For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
http://crusoe.org

Spike wrote in message ...
Damned right it is legal.
Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
hold you down and rip the batteries out.
Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.

3947. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. Buckley" <cwbuckle@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <7hl5hq$i87$1@campus1.mtu.edu>
Source record: 142771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well, the best way to insure that a company like this doesn't
mess with you is to order everything by credit card. When they
overcharge / fail to ship / ship wrong product, etc, you just
call up the credit card company and tell them that you were not
charged fairly, and to cancel payment of the charge to the card.

I've only had to do this once, and the problem I had with the
company was cleared up in about 12 hours, and they overnighted
me the correct product, along with a container to mail the incorrect
product back to them, postage paid. This was alot better than
trying to convince the operator at the end of the "hold for 20
minutes" line that I actually had been shipped the wrong product..

In rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
:B>I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only one left) 32k
:B>version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so.... Well.. I get it
:B>UPS'd, open it up and find that the reciept will be sent later (there was no
:B>indication at all of what they charged me), and go hook it up (I had to buy
:B>a few parts and solder the stuff cables together myself, so it's hardly in
:B>returnable-condition now) and start playing with it..
:B>WELL.. Today, I get the receipt for $329 showing that I ordered the 128k
:B>version!!
:B>Not that I'd not have ordered it anyway if the 32k wasn't shown to be
:B>available (possibly should have anyway, but that's something else), but...
:B>Anyone else have such happen to 'em when ordering from Ham Radio Outlet??
:B>Shouldn't they only be allowed to charge me up to what I agreed to without
:B>me having to return me little toy? ;) Sounds reasonable to me..
:B>I'd expect to return the over-charge without getting the merchandise back in
:B>my line-o-biz, for sure...

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"Deciding on a career is merely a matter
of determining which type of BS you

would like to put of with for the rest
of your life."

3948. FOR SALE: Bearcat BC 100XLT Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: macco@adams.net
Message-ID: <37401801.852778@news.adams.net>
Source record: 142772

Bearcat BC100XLT Scanner for sale. 100 channel scanner. Battery works
but will need replaced. Freq range I believe is 29Mhz-512Mhz. This
scanner has 10 banks of 10 channels each that are programable.
Instant weather channel and great leather like carrying case.

$75.00 plus $4.30 Priority mail shipping. OBO

email me directly at msteink@adams.net

3949. Re: Companies that won't fix defects but do correct spelling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <373e21a5.2137610@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 142773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

:The Run Around that I experienced with Yaesu

Sounds like they should give you a complete replacement.

Barry
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Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
Web page: http://www.acay.com.au/~barryo

3950. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "just.do.it" <AT>
Message-ID: <7hnj27$9uu$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Cutting here -n- there from all the threads:

> What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
> how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
>
> What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
> other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
> learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
>
> They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
> the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
> to go ahead and use voice.
>
> Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.

90% of the automobile drivers out there don't intend to use anything
they *learned* to get their drivers license, why not drop that
requirement too? Just let 'em all drive, drop the roadtest
requirement!

>That's ok we can argue all we want about keeping the code test, but something
>needs to be done to bring people into amateur radio not keep them out.

Ever stop to think that maybe the government intended to keep some
people out? Why not drop the code requirment for commercial broadcast
while we're at it?

>I suspect the same small fraction of 13 year olds are still learning code. Like many
>things that require a little work up front, CW is worth it.
>73

And worth some pride too... ever heard of the rite of passage. Why
not do *something* you can take pride in instead of changing the rules
so you don't have to apply hardly any effort?

> If you're not wired for it, there are many other modes to use. That is one of the
> beauties of ham radio.

Absolutly!!! The whole spectrum above 50 mhz is wide open for those
who have no interest in CW. You knew it before you got into radio...
So what's the problem? (but be forwarned... you'll hear alot of CW
there too. Moonbounce, contesting, etc.)

>The key to keeping code from dying is those of you who are proficient MUST take
>those of us willing to learn under your wing and pass it on to us....

Seems all the *old Timers* around here left me to my own devices...
Wonder *how* I did it..... hmmmmm

>If you efforts to find someone in Ft. Worth fail, Why dont you and your
>buddies get on the 2 meter radio and teach each other?

5 wpm is NO CODE. It's like an open book test. If you *try* to learn
the code with *any* effort at all, you *will* pass the 5 WPM test.
From there you'll meet hundreds of others in the same boat on 40 & 80
mtrs.
Plenty of practice to hone your skills. I had a problem getting over

10 wpm myself once licensed as a P, but got on the air with a friend
of mine for an hour a nite over the period of a week, pushing
ourselves to the limit, and passed General that weekend. *USE IT* once
you get it.

> I have the skill to pass the practical test (and have with the training software) through
> Advanced, yet I hold only a Tech ticket because of the code. I am still trying but I
> haven't found my method for learning code yet. I memorized the tapes, and have tried a
> couple of different computer tutor programs, but so far I have not been able to master
CW.
> I will get it eventually, but it is not coming easy.

Sounds about normal to me...
if you study... it will come......

>If your son doesn't have to learn or like radio to enjoy Morse Code,
>then people who want to use or like radio do not have to learn Morse
>Code.

Did you're mama ever say "who ever said life was fair?" Just 'cause
you want to learn gun handling doesn't mean you have to kill someone.
I don't have a son, but I have to pay school tax.... WHAAAAA!

Hope I hit a few sore neves here. Amateur radio isn't the only thing
in life that will require you to learn something proficiently to do
(unlike my spelling to post to the group).

Take a look back at all the things that got lax on the rules in the
past and see what happened to them. Do you really want amateur radio
to go that route?

The hardest part about learning the code is to just put away all
the excuses you have as to why you < can't / don't have time for /
shouldn't have to / are just to darn lazy to > learn the code *and do
it.*

Next thing you know, after they start packaging up an extra class
radio amateur operators license in all the HF radios (sound familiar?)
They'll be whining that the FCC should abolish CW off the airwaves
'cause they can't handle not being able to understand what is going on
on the bottom half of the band.

I might could stomach letting a small portion of the prime DX bands go for the slow coders (P's),and leave the rest of the licese structure alone. But I hope at least that they leave the extra class alone so that *some* of us can keep a little pride in something that we *worked for* instead of crying about it 'till we got it for next to nothing.

If anyone out there is interested in *learning* CW and going to EXTRA in 6 months, e-mail me. All it requires is about 4 hours a week of *dedication*... You have to *want to do it* to do it.

The others.... FLAME AWAY, got my asbestos boxers on.

Breaker Breaker x.19x.xxx.xxx, catch me on the bottom 150 khz of the band good buddy, c'mon back!
||||||||||||||||BLEEEEEEEEEEEEP||||||||||||||||||

Richard Whiten/WB2OTK

NOT!

3951. Boatanchors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Daniel Metzger <dmetzger@monroe.lib.mi.us>
Message-ID: <373F078D.AF5@monroe.lib.mi.us>
Source record: 142775

Could some kind soul direct me to a newsgroup, website, or listserve on "boatanchors" - 1950s and earlier vintage ham gear.

Direct e-mail reply appreciated; I don't usually read this board.

Tnx es 73 de Dan, K8JWR

3952. New B.A.R.F. Mail and News server!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516191624.01634.00000152@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 142776

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http://www.delphi.com/w9xn/start/

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3953. Re: rogue cancels logged by usenet admins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516192115.23704.00001338@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142777

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<< bject: rogue cancels logged by usenet admins
From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com (Dave)
Date: Sun, May 16, 1999 10:24 PM
Message-id: <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
<<<<<<<It's EASY to inform Bell South of what's going on. Send a hyperlink of
this posting! Their address is abuse@bellsouth.net
If you don't know how to link, it goes like this.DRAG THIS POST TO THE FAR
RIGHT OF YOUR DESKTOP BUT MAKE SURE THE HEART IS SHOWING. Then click on your
standard compose screen for E-mail. Drag the E-mail window to the left to make
sure the heart is still visible and make sure the E-mail screen is IN FRONT of
this particular post. In the message box put something in like:"I'm annoyed at
how one or more of your clients are besmirching your service. Then put your
cursor right on the heart and hold DOWN,DO NOT CLICK. As you're holding down
your mouse clicker, DRAG THE HEART RIGHT INTO THE MESSAGE WINDOW and let go.
The hyperlink will be there and you can then send me a thank you E for teaching
you a trick. I'm new to cyberspace but am becoming as much of a genius on it as
I am on ham radio and I'm modest too. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>>>
Usenet monitors have now noticed the rogue cancels from BellSouth.net.
From the most recent cancel report on news.admin.net-abuse.usenet, it
is clear that they have been logged. The next step will be for others
to notify BellSouth of the problem and subsequently to cut off its
newsfeeds if it doesn't correct the problem. The Atlanta canceler's
days are numbered, and (s)he may even wind up in court if BellSouth
follows its past practices.

> From andrew@erlenstar.demon.co.uk Sun May 16 17:00:15 1999
> ...
> Suspicious cancels from unknown sources: 5011
> ...
> 12 news3.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
> ...
> 6 news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail

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3954. Re: New B.A.R.F. Mail and News server!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516193226.23704.00001345@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142778

<< Subject: New B.A.R.F. Mail and News server!
From: dspman@aol.com (Dspman)
Date: Sun, May 16, 1999 11:16 PM
Message-id: <19990516191624.01634.00000152@ng-cg1.aol.com>
<<<<FRANCINE FAGARONI...why don't you take your BARF information and put it where the sun don't shine? Your presence is unwanted in ham radio because of your lack of license while your obnoxious behavior and foul langauge are sponsored by W9XA, a treacherous turncoat rat, "Queenie the Weenie" Mort,K3QAM who giggles on the air like a prepubescent female and grandfather perverted drunkard Al Abernethy,K4OKA, who lost his license once and deserves to be removed forever from our hobby for the most malicious jamming ever heard. Go back to your CB radio, you Pennsyltucky Tinkerbell so that you can play your ridiculous rock tunes with impunity. You and your BARFie numbskulls are no assets to ham radio but rather just plain asses. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>>
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3955. Re: Boatanchors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: tiuk@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516194041.26260.00001268@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142779

Hi Dan,

Try the newsgroup:

rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hope this helps. Regards,

Roman, N2CDD

3956. Re: AF2Y "Talks Tough" and gets his rear Kicked!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516195830.23704.00001363@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142780

<< AF2Y? He has claimed on twenty
meters that he has friends in the Teamsters Union in N. J. who will
take care of people. Maybe that is what he means. This should be
brought to the attention of the Deja News group.<<<<<Jesus A,Christ,Davies..you
need your redneck head examined. Yes indeed, I was affiliated with the
Teamsters for 20 years and apparently you are one of those illiterates who
think that the word Teamster denotes thugs and crime. Well let me straighten
you out, you misinformed misanthrope. That union has and is providing truckers
e.g. with jobs and security and wonderful benefits. In all my years of
association, I never heard any of the union members bitch and gripe about their
participation. When I dealt with either a Teamster member or official, I was
treated very well. They put a lot of bread on my table for which I'll always be
thankful. The problem is that you redneck recta believe everything you see in
the movies and TV and in newspapers. You live insulated and isolated lives with
your KIN, rather unaware of reality and truth. And so I'm telling you to keep
your stupid remarks about the Teamsters and my association with them to
yourself because you don't know what you're talking about. Instead of believing
the "Youngblood line," KT4TR, the Zero from Vero,come to me for the right
information aboout the union and I'll set you straight. I never met a nicer
bunch of folks than Teamster members and officiuals and you can take that to
the bank. I DID! AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>>>>> Maybe they will deal
with someone who talks about a "hit list" and brags about tough
Teamster officials who will act out his threats. There is no place for
threats on this newsgroup.
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0V >>

3957. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a Big time loser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373F5B8A.4EB3@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142781

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com Is a loser! I know nothing about the so called DoNkBoY98. Oh so the truth comes out you truly know nothing about computers your girl friend does it for you. Wow she must be a real loser if you are her boy friend she has losey taste in trash. Maybe she feels sorry for you or if she has a loser then she dosen't have to compete with the rest of the world. What is she a janitor for Lucent. I can't imagin a loser like yourself even having a girlfriend. So loser you can keep saying this and saying that but we all know you are a peice of trash. I think that you are so trashy that we can't even assign a race to your sorry ass. My sujestion to you is stick a gun in your mouth and pull the trigger. Do us all a favor loser.
I hope you die soon
Oris
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3958. Re: doC Af2Y I pole a jiz now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373F5BCB.1291@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142782
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> In article <19990516102454.02102.00001441@ng-ca1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> >
> >
> > << Subject: Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars<<<< name
> > associated in any way with the vile disgusting and perjorative "N"
> word. I
> > disdain that word. As I Jew and someone in a minority as are the
> > AfroAmericans,I find it reprehensible and loathsome. I personally am
> above
> > using terms which tend to degrade anyone on religious and ethnic
> grounds
> > therefore I ask that ignorant southern redneck goyische piece of
> garbage named
> > DonkeyBoy to cease and desist. AF2Y>>>>>
>
> i hat a big big big disk cushion wid my gurl fren an all that shit. she
> say doc rite bout wat he say. I shunt be call them blaks niggars an all
> that shit. Sea doc dont utter sand that down hear we calls em niggars an
> all that shit. we dont meen nut in bad by it. it jus a bat hobbit we has
> an all shit. my gurl fren say calls em after i cane amaracains an all
> that shit. frum now on i call them after i canes an all that shit. you
> wont ketch me call in em niggars no mor. sea it jus like rich say. their
> is niggars a all rayces. their blak niggars wite niggars jewdish
> niggars. evening their is Chin man niggars jus like rich say. so frum
> hear on i dont say niggars in this hear nuws grew up. you has my wort on
> that an all that shit. it jus nuther bat hobbit i got to brake an all
> that shit. my gurl fren say i needs get myselfs pole literally core
> rectal an all that shit. she x planes that af2Y he demon mans that we be
> pole literally core rectal in this hear nuws grew up. i gone cumply fum
> now on an all that shit. i dont want no one thing i is a mud her fud in
> racer. i aint no WTIA like rich say. i a sporter a 3901 an all that
> shit. I ginst Oris an all that shit. so I wont be say in no bat mud her
> fud in worts no mor an all that shit. I pole a jiz to ever booty if in i
> say sum tin to mak you mad an all that shit. i dont say niggar no more
> in hear an all that shit. i not suk up to Doc aF2Y. i jus be lives he
> rite bout this an all that shit.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
What a loser!

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3959. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a loser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373F5BF8.5EB6@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142783

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> In article <qwk%2.4126$xa.39291@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>,
> "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
> > On Sat, 15 May 1999 10:40:41 -0400 (EDT) THEALLMIGHTY1@webtv.net
> > (2slick4u try-n-stop-me) wrote:
> > > YES PAPA SMURF YOUR RIGHT HOW ELSE WOULD ATTORNEYS MAKE MONEY? BUT
> BY
> > > THE GRACE OF MORONS LIKE A FEW THAT HAS BEEN ON HERE POSTING FOR
> YEARS
> > > THEY MAKE MONEY TAKE THE MORONS MONEY THAT THEY WORK TO SPEND ON
> FEES
> > > TO MAKE OTHERS MISERABLE. HOW STUPID CAN YOU GET?KEEP THE LAWYERS IN
> > > THEIR $300.000.00 HOUSES . HOW ELSE COULD THEY MAKE SUCH EASY
> MONEY?GOOD
> > > THING THERES NO LACK OF MORONS ON THE HAM RADIO HOBBY.
> > >
> > While I was trying to decipher your point, I got to thinking:
> Suppose
> > you sued realdeal for everything he has and won. You cold sell off the
> > 1000MP and the Alpha, which might cover the legal fees. But then
> > you're stuck with the 25-year-old mobile home (complete with a leaky
> > roof), the torn and duct taped recliner and a urine-stained mattress.
> > The rusty 1969 Plymouth may be worth something at the local
> Pic-A-Part,
> > but all in all, a civil suit might not be such a good idea after all.
>
> dont fret none bout that dirty burd dirty burd dirty burd. He no good
> jus like rich say. he cant proof a think ginst you an all that shit. we
> no you in cents a chilt mole Lestering an all that shit. tHe Pole lease
> was rong to rest you an all that shit. you was frammed jus like rich
> say. yor x wiff payt that Judy nile to lie ginst you. I can proofs that
> an all that shit. Gorge dont have no hart ever dents ginst you. he jus
> spectalate in ginst you. you copped a plee so he pissed an all that
> shit. lots a shit happins down the Gray Hownt bust turnip all. whY they
> jus happin to be there to nabs you an all that shit. you was set up jus
> like rich say. I no fer a fack you dint do no hart time an all that
> shit. you was reel leased on yor own wreck cog nit cents jus like rich
> say. dont pay no mint to that dirty burd dirty burd dirty burd. He has
> to have facks for he can say bat things bout you an all that shit. you
> beet that wrap for shore jus like rich say. you bin odd serve in the
> terns yor probe bay thin an all that shit. so no booty cant say you a
> dirty chilt mole Lester no more. you all most in cent by now jus like
> rich say. All them utter a fences was trumpet charts two an all that

> shit. you done bin frammed by the stumpfers BArf an Herpie show in bomb.
> dont let them calls you Sam Bee See Gaul no more. OK OK OK???????????
> that a stupe name fer a stupe an all that shit. Bob you aint no stupe.
> you jus a vick tum a circus trances bee on your cunt troll. dont be bot
> her to sue the stumpfers an all that shit. that got no money no homo no
> wiff no nut in jus like rich say. I was suit ones by my x wiff fet deed
> force. she deed forced me reel bad an all that shit. she got mos my
> stuff cept what I hid out frum the cort an that ignore runt jugs. I
> woodnt let that jugs no were i hid my loot an all that shit. I cooned
> that jugs reel good jus like you did. he dint no i had lots a money hid
> unter my frigadator. i dint want that bits to get my mud her fud in
> money an all that shit. i cooned the jugs into thing in i was in doe
> gent. That the kin a gent you gots to make em thing you are. you gots to
> mak em thing you a in doe gent an all that shit. if you sides to sue the
> stumpfers you bet her make certs ton the jugs dont think they in doe
> gents. you caint get nut in frum em if they in doe gents.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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3960. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: The ConQueror <joetheripper@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <373f390d@news.internext.fr>
Source record: 142784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It only took me 2 months studying to get my Tech-Plus license and 1 month to update to a General! And I'm 14 yrs old! These are true morons who dont deserve to be on Amateur Radio. And freedom of privacy overrides free speech.

-Dan K3DRQ

John Cermack <jcer456@emachine.com> wrote in message news:373EDD03.630EFC8E@emachine.com...
> Opponents of free speech on the Liberty Net
> (3950 Jammers) hit a new low last Saturday
> night.
>
> Harrison, a regular net participant, was
> telling others of his wife's demise a few days
> earlier. He was clearly suffering, and in
> shock. But the other net participants
> are his social friends, and he was describing
> how his wife used to bring him popcorn while he
> was on the air.
>
> Then W9ART (Arthur Visor) began his jamming
> right on top of the net and Harrison's
> transmission. W9ART was playing tapes, and
> noise makers, while Harrison was describing the
> bible that his wife left behind for him
> to read, and whether it would be buried with
> her or not.
>
> W9ART, and his mentor KK7HO (Tim Volz) have
> defiled and disgraced the amateur radio
> service, As well as normal behavior. Anyone
> who could - or would, belittle someone while he
> is eulogizing his (recently deceased) spouse,
> has forfeited his place in a civilized society.
>
> The only thing we can do about this latest
> ourrage is to contact the lead enforcement officer
> at the FCC. He is available via E-Mail at:
>
> rholling@fcc.gov
>
> He is William R. Hollingsworth (K4ZDH) aka, Rilley
> Hollingsworth, and it's his job to remove this

> cancer that is growing on our Amateur Radio
> Service.
>
> Thanks for taking a minute or two to email Rilley.
>
> rholling@fcc.gov
>
>
>

3961. FS: Motorola Battery Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eW8Vsl$n#GA.254@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 142785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600, P200, MT1000, MTX SERIES RAPID CHARGER
NTN 6433C $60.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

GP-300, GP-350, GTX Series Rapid Charger
HTN 9630C $62.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3962. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #409

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.409.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 142786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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4L, GEORGIA. Omari, 4L5O, informs OPDX that Georgia has two autonomy republics, Apkhazia and Adjara. According to Omari, only the following prefixes and suffix are good (anything else is a pirate):
1) Apkhazia (ex-UF6V) can use the prefixes/suffix: 4L1-4L0 and the first letter in the suffix "V" it means APKHAZIA.
2) Adjara (ex-UF6Q) can use the prefixes/suffix: 4L1-4L0 and the first letter in the suffix "Q" it means ADJARA.
For more details/questions contact Omari via E-mail at: 4L5O@caucasus.net

4U1UN, UNITED NATIONS. It has been reported that Mats, SM7PKK/5X1Z, and Peter, ON6TT/5X1T, will be active from 4U1UN on May 16-18th, right after Dayton. However, reports indicate that there are no antennas in place at 4U1UN for DXing. The only antenna available is a beacon antenna which is owned by the beacon group and not available for normal amateur use. LATE BREAKING NEWS.... Your editor talked to Peter at the Dayton HamVention this past weekend, and he told me that Mats and he will "definitely" operate from 4U1UN. He also said that there are antennas in place to use. Also, Peter and Mats will be traveling to Kosovo in about a week.

5P, DENMARK. The CEPT Amateur Radio Club will sign 5P1ER from the European Radiocommunication Office in Copenhagen during the CQ WPX Contest. The operator will be OZ8AE. All QSOs will be QSLed via the bureau.

6O, REPUBLIC OF SOMALILAND (Possible new one? WFWL!). You still have a few days to work Baldur/DJ6SI and Franz/DJ9ZB as 6O0X and 6O1Z, respectively. Operation is to terminate May 18th. DJ6SI will operate CW while DJ9ZB will operate SSB. They are operating from Hargeiza, the capital city. QSL

via their home callsigns. Somaliland declared independence from Somalia on May 18, 1991, although the independence of Somaliland has not been recognized by other countries. Somaliland has its own elected government and parliament. This is not enough to be added as a new "ENTITY" for DXCC. Somaliland must meet one of the three criteria (under DXCC Rules Section II Part 1): 1 - UN Member State; 2 - Assigned a callsign prefix bloc by the ITU; and 3 - A separate IARU Member Society. If anything, this operation "MAY" count for T5 or nothing for DXCC. As always, WFWL! More information about Somaliland can be found on the Web site at: http://www.anaserve.com/~mbali/home.htm

9H3, MALTA. Dieter, DL9GDB, will be active as 9H3UT from May 22nd through June 3rd, from Comino Island. QSL via DL9GDB via bureau or direct to: Dieter Brachmann, Kolumbusring 56, 18106 Rostock, Germany. QSL requests are possible via E-mail to: dl9gdb@t-online.de

A35RK SPECIAL REQUEST. Paul, A35RK, has recently been plagued with equipment and antenna failures and is in need some help getting new rigs, antennas, and parts to Tonga. If anyone is planning a trip to Tonga, and would be willing to hand-carry some "stuff" for him, PLEASE contact his QSL Manager, Bob Preston (W7TSQ) at: w7tsq@aol.com Or meet Paul and Bob on 14155 kHz at 0330z. Paul states that he will gladly pay all "over-weight baggage" charges and any other additional travel expenses incurred. Also, he will gladly "put you up" for free at his family guesthouse on Lifuka Island, Ha'apai, while you're there.

ATTENTION CANADIAN ISLAND AWARD CHASERS! Jeff, VA3JFF, will be activating 2 islands on June 5th. Starting at about 1700z, Jeff will operate from ON-149 (Bobcaygeon), and then at about 1800z he will relocate to ON-NEW (Buckeye Centre) and operate from there for a few hours. He will use his callsign VA3JFF on both islands.

CQ WW SSB CONTEST "October 2000". Chris, GM3WOJ, reports that the North of Scotland Contest Group (GM7V) is mounting a major expedition to the Shetland Islands for the CQ Worldwide SSB Contest in October 2000. They hope to sign a special callsign ??7V - a possible new prefix to identify Shetland from mainland Scotland - more details later.

CY9, ST PAUL ISLAND. The "DX News Sheet" reports that Robbie, VY2SS, and possibly 7 or 8 other VE and W operators will be active from here June 5-14th as CY9SS. Activity will be on CW/SSB, RTTY, SAT and possibly EME. Operations will be on 160-70cm (including WARC). QSL via VY2SS.

DX CONVENTIONS.....
The 8th Annual New Orleans International DX Convention will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 27 & 28, 1999, at the Royal Sonesta Hotel on Bourbon Street in the scenic and historic French Quarter of New Orleans, Louisiana, USA. The agenda is currently being assembled and details will appear in the future. The convention will include DXpedition presentations, technical presentations, reports on ARRL DX Desk and DX Advisory Committee news, and QSL checking by an ARRL DX Desk representative from headquarters. The activities culminate with

a gala banquet on Saturday evening at which the Convention Board of Directors' selection of International DXer of the Year is honored and the featured DXpedition presentation is given. A hospitality suite with a strolling balcony view of Bourbon Street is provided on Friday night and on Saturday night following the banquet.

The International DX Convention (in the year 2000) will be held at the Holiday Inn in Visalia, April 14-16th. To make early reservations call 209-651-5000. They have about 250 rooms and about 100 have been already taken.

DX1, PHILIPPINES. "The Daily DX" reports that Martti, OH2BH, will be active during the CQ WPX CW Contest with the "ultimate callsign" DX1S. Yes, "DX IS" Martti.

EAST TIMOR (Closer to becoming a new one?). The residents of East Timor, Indonesia (YB) will vote on August 8th in a referendum for autonomy under control of Indonesia. If they reject it, Indonesia has pledged to give East Timor full independence.

EA8, CANARY ISLANDS. Kreso, 9A4KK, will be active during CQ WPX CW Conetst as EA8/9A4KK on 10 meters only. Also, he states that he will possibly be active before and after the contest on SSB. He will be on EA8 from May 23rd through June 6th. QSL via home call (bureau or callbook). Also, look for Fernando, EA3KU, to be active from Tenerife Island in the next CQ WPX CW Contest as ED8PP and also as EA8/EA3KU before and after the contest. QSL via his home callsign: Fernando Martinez Lizama, P.0. BOX 69, L'Ametlla de Mar 43860, Tarragona, SPAIN

GM ISLAND DXPEDITIONS. Don, W9DC, informs OPDX that he hopes to make a number of contacts with NA stations and try to introduce them to the World Lighthouse Award and the Scottish Islands Award. He will be active from the following Scottish Islands:
MM/W9DC plans to operate with GM3VLB from Fidra Island on Monday, May 31st on 7, 14, and 21 MHz, using the IOTA frequencies +/- 5 kHz on SSB with possible CW operation if necessary. Fidra is an island in the Firth of Forth and counts for IOTA-EU-123, World Lighthouse LH-0313 and Islands of Scotland Award FF-04.

MM/W9DC/m plans to operate from the Island of Mull, IOTA-EU-008 and IOSA NH-15 on June 5th and 6th.

On June 6th and possibly June 7th, MM/W9DC will try to activate several Scottish Islands with special attention to Seil, FL-03, Luing FL-04, and Kerrara FL-02. On June 7th, he will try to activate Davaar Island which does not count for an IOTA but does count for World Lighthouse Award LH-0724 and IOSA CL-09. Most activity will be on or near 14260 with special attention to stations outside Europe.

Since access to the islands is dependent on weather conditions, alternate Scottish island operations may be chosen at the last moment.. Any requests or additional information may be obtained from Don via E-mail at: W9DC@innova.net

II1, ITALY. Tony, IK1QBT, informs that the Italian Western Riviera DX team callsign "II1R" will be active during the 1999 CQ WPX CW Contest as Multi/Operator category. QSL route is via I1NVU new's QSL Manager starting April 1st, 1999, address: Claudio Di Pietro, Via G.Galilei 424/10 zip 18038 Sanremo - Italy, via direct or bureau.

IOTA NEWS.....
AS-024. Three members of the Yamato Amateur Radio Club (JA1ZEK) are going to IOTA DXpedition from Ishigakijima, Yaeyama Island, from June 4th (0600z) to June 6th (2300z). Operators will be Jun/JJ1EQW, Kaoru/JA3MCA and Aru/JA0KNM, and they will sign homecall/JR6. Activity will be on 40-10 meters, SSB/CW. QSL via home call, direct or JARL bureau.
JJ1EQW - Junichi Sato, 6-1-9-2 Turumaki, Tama, 206-0034 JAPAN
JA3MCA - Kaoru Tachibana, 1-7-5-403 Tukimino, Yamato, 242-0002 JAPAN
JA0KNM - Seiich Aruga, 546-7 Shimoturuma, Yamato, 242-0001 JAPAN

AS-097. This was received a little late, but if you were lucky to works Keith, GM4YXI, as 9M2/GM4YXI, he was on Besar Island, West Malaysia. QSL to his home callsign: Bureau or PREFER DIRECT.

EU-105. The Radio-Club "F5KAC" will be active May 22-24th from Stagadon Island (DIFM-MA-094). QSLs will be sent automatically via bureau. QSL direct is OK at: F5KAC / Stagadon Island, BP 5, 45270 LADON, France. QSLs for SWL can be requested via E-mail at: F11556@aol.com

JT, MONGOLIA. "The 59(9) DXReport" states that Laurence, GM4DMA, is expected to be active from here in July. There were no other details given. QSL via homecall.

KH0, NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS. Ban/KF4VSV, Michy/JH2CYU, Akio/JH2QFY, Kou/JR2BUM, Goto/JR2XKV, Yasu/JJ2CYO and Yasu/JS2ITP will be active on 160-6 meters SSB/CW and possibly RTTY from Saipan. Activity will be from June 12-15th. They will focus on the WARC bands and 6 meters (50.090 CW and 50.115 SSB). QSL via home callsigns, except KF4VSV (QSL via JF2WXS).

KP2, VIRGIN ISLANDS. Jeff, N5TJ, will be active signing KP2/N5TJ from St. Croix on May 25-31st. This will include an entry in the CQ WPX CW Contest. During the contest, Jeff will sign WP2Z. QSL WP2Z via KU9C. Outside of the contest Jeff will sign N5TJ/KP2. QSL N5TJ/KP2 to his home callsign.

OJ0, MARKET REEF. Uli, LA0CX, informs OPDX that the announced OJ0 DXpedition has been moved from the last weekend in June to the first weekend of July. Look for operators OH0RJ, LA3IKA and LA0CX to be active July 2-5th on all bands from 160-6 with a stress on 12 meters. QSL via their homecalls.

PACIFIC DXPEDITION. Mats, 5X1Z/SM7PKK, announced this past week that a DXpedition is being planned for T31 Kanton Island and ZK3 Tokelau. The

initial itinerary is as follows:
T31 - September 23rd through October 3rd (1999)
ZK3 - October 7th through October 12th (1999)
They intend to have three stations with 1KW which will be manned by 6 operators. There will be beams for all the higher bands including the WARC bands and verticals for the low bands. The operation will feature one SSB site, one CW site and one WARC/Lowband/RTTY site. More info will come out after the Dayton Hamvention. OPDX InterNet Subscribers will receive an additional bulletin containing Mats complete press release.

QSL INFO AND NEWS.....
FO0PAP AND FO0MAC QSLS. John, K8YSE, informs OPDX that the cards have been received from the printer and processing will begin this week.

OOOPPPSS on my OOOPPPSS!! (Must be old age setting in!) The dates for the FO0XUU operations in last week's bulletin (and the week before) were listed wrong. Please change the date for the Marquesas operation to January, 1998, and the Australs to Februbary, 1998.

Mats, LU9AY, reports tha NU4N is now QSL Manager for LU9AY, L29AY, WL7KY and CP6/LU9AY.

Alan, VK8AV, informs OPDX and the DX community that due to the near defunct state of the VK8 QSL bureau, to please QSL VK8AV direct, as per the CBA, which has been current for the past several years. Alan has just returned home after travelling for nearly 14 months. He states that the beam is not up yet, and the amplifier is 'sick'. So it will probably be the beginning of June before he is fully operational. QSL to: Alan Viegas, P. O. Box 3718, Alice Springs NT., Australia 0871.

The BI5D log is now online at: http://dx.qsl.net/logs
The BI5D Web page is at: http://www.qsl.net/bi5d

S21R QSL Manager. Larry, N4VA, reports that he has the logs for June 28, 1996, until October 9, 1998, and can answer requests for S21R QSLs. QSL via: Larry Vogt, N4VA, PO Box 12, Springfield, VA 22150 USA

SV9, CRETE. Look for OH2M, OH3LQK and OH9MM to be active May 24-31st. Their activity will be on 160-10 meters CW/SSB. It will probably be an entry in the CQ WPX CW Contest.

TK, CORSICA. Bert, PA3GIO, will be on Lavezzi Island (EU-164, TK011), transport permitting, between June 3-7th. He will also be on Grande Sanguinaire (EU-104, TK002) June 9-12th. He will be signing as TK/PA3GIO/p on both islands. Also, there will be some activity as TK/PA3GIO/m or /p on Corsica (EU-014). Check out his 1998 QSL and operation pictures on: http://www.xs4all.nl/~pa3gio/1998-05-2/index.html

W1AW/8 (Late breaking news!). It was announced at the Dayton HamVention that in the year 2000, HamVention attendees will be able to operate as W1AW/8 from the convention. EXPECT long lines if you want a chance to operate.

ZK1, SOUTH COOK ISLAND. Jim, ZK1JD, from Rarotonga, has been quite active recently on 10 meters SSB. Check 28445 kHz after 0100z. Also, check 17 meters on 18130 kHz around 0830z and 20 meters on 14174 kHz around 0330z. QSL direct to Box 491.

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OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
OPDX SPANISH WEB SITE. (provide by "QTC Magazine" and Tony Pernas, EA1CSI):
http://www.intercom.es/qtc/qtcopdx.htm
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3963. Re: pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Lucas W5CHR <lucascom@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ujZGc7$n#GA.341@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 142787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark B. Colosia wrote in message <373F2270.55BDA353@earthlink.com>...
>, that did mods for some ICOM transceivers. (Bill) apparently
>replaced
>some of the IF diodes for pin diodes reducing receive noise floor
>considerably ...
>

Mark: I don't know about Bill, but I had my Yaesu 890 converted to the pin_diode mode by KK7TV. He is a factory authorized fixer of Icoms also, so you might want to check him out. He has a web site, but due to a MAJOR cockpit error, I don't have a URL handy. While the actual reduction in noise floor can be measured, I'm quite satisfied with the warm_and _fuzzy feeling that I get from having the mode done! When I save up the coins, I'll send him my 990 to have the diodes replaced in it.

73 de Mike Lucas W5CHR
Memphis, Tenn
lucascom@email.msn.com

3964. **Western VA repeater frequencies.**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pedro <senorpurpl@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7hnotq$cg7$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 142788

I will be traveling to Western Virginia (Shenandoah Valley, Bryce Mountain area) and was wondering if anyone could point me a page that lists frequencies for this area. I have looked but have not been able to find any. (especially 440 machines). Thanks for your help!!!

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3965. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Mintz <Rmintz@Frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <7hnqgi$22k6$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>
Source record: 142789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi gang,

I had purchased a Butternut HF-2V vertical from HRO in
Salem, NH. The Butternut was not complete with some parts
missing. HRO sent me a replacement the same day I phone them
and also a UPS call tag to return the original.

I think that is great service. Guess where I continue to
shop?

Rick, W1TY

BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
news:7hkqgjrad1@newnews.startext.net...
| I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only
one left) 32k
| version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so....
Well.. I get it
| UPS'd, open it up and find that the reciept will be sent
later (there was no
| indication at all of what they charged me), and go hook it
up (I had to buy
| a few parts and solder the stuff cables together myself,
so it's hardly in
| returnable-condition now) and start playing with it..
| WELL.. Today, I get the receipt for $329 showing that I
ordered the 128k
| version!!
| Not that I'd not have ordered it anyway if the 32k wasn't
shown to be
| available (possibly should have anyway, but that's
something else), but...
| Anyone else have such happen to 'em when ordering from Ham
Radio Outlet??
| Shouldn't they only be allowed to charge me up to what I
agreed to without
| me having to return me little toy? ;) Sounds reasonable
to me..
| I'd expect to return the over-charge without getting the
merchandise back in
| my line-o-biz, for sure...
|
|
|

3966. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <XtK%2.1052$nc1.117460@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142790

Jim:

Every point that you make is valid. Why the animosity? My lack of respect for CB'ers stems from several factors.

-- The vast majority of those whom I have encountered know less about properly installing and operating radio equipment than my two housecats. They do not understand -- and do not want to understand -- what you get into when you start modifying equipment, cranking up the power, cranking up the audio, splattering all over several frequencies, and the like. The result is that I get called by irate neighbors for interfering with their TV/stereo/garage door opener when I am not even on the air. The source of the problem is some idiot who is trying to be the Channel King by blasting everyone else off the air with his "leenyer." If you want to push several amps of RF up your ass in the privacy of your own home, that's your business but RF tends to travel all over the place and, when it does, you (I) am bound to act responsibly. I have met few CB'ers who understand this concept.

-- There is a steady migration from 11 meters up into the 10 meter amateur band. I lived in Northern Virginia for several years and the CW portion of 10 meters was, at times, nearly unusable because of the "freebanders." I am now in NE Tennessee and there are a few of them here. My KW amp is in the closet so I am not able to carry on 10 meter CW contacts on top of them.

-- I guess it's sort of like the disdain that I have heard NASCAR drivers express for wannabes who race on city streets.

Anyone who sees the light, studies for his/her amateur license, and behaves him/herself on the amateur bands is welcome.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Jim wrote in message <37401f53.53413896@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...
>On Sat, 15 May 1999 23:11:15 -0400, "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
>wrote:
>
>>When did you conduct a survey regarding amateur radio operators and CB
>>equipment that led you to state: " ...most of you Hams have a CB radio
>>too,... "
>>

>> I have been an amateur radio operator since 1958. Do not own, have never
>>owned, have never wanted to own anything associated with CB. Fellow gave
me
>>a box of CB radios one day when I stopped at a yard sale. I thanked him,
>>put it in the back of my truck, and deposited the whole mess in the first
>>dumpster I saw.
>
>And on Sun, 16 May 1999 08:12:19 GMT, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@qsl.net>
>wrote:
>
>>I can call myself an amateur radio operator because that's what it states
on
>>my LICENSE, which grants me that authority. What justification and /or
>>authority do you have that allows you to claim that status, or did you
just
>>make it up - like your cb "handle" or "numbers" ? :>)
>>
>>73 de KF6KNB
>
>Why all the animosity towards the CB'rs? CB's have probably spurred
>many people on to becoming HAM's (as I am currently studying to get my
>no code tech license). I'll grant you that there are many crude,
>obnoxious operators running illegal equipment and such but from what I
>hear, this is not something that is isolated on 11 meters.
>
>I hope it's not a "better than thou" attitude. With the shear numbers
>of people who have become HAM's, that is proof that almost anyone with
>an interest who can study a book and take a test, can get a license.
>Much like a driver's license although I'll grant you, "different".
>
>I drive a truck for a living. A CB is an essential tool for me on the
>road. I am not happy with what I hear on the radio sometimes, and I
>make this known to the offending operators. But as I see it, the at
>times "utter chaos" that's experienced on the CB was for the most part
>caused by the FCC's lack of enforcement or licensing procedures.
>Truck driving attracts many social non-conforms. Give them a mike to
>hide behind and they'll say almost anything to anybody. Base
>operators are in many respects, the same. But there are many who
>respect the privilege of operating a radio, albeit a CB, and conduct
>themselves accordingly.
>
>Having learned something of radio frequencies as the result of my
>studying to become a HAM, it now seems dumb to me to even have the
>CB's on the 11 meter band. There is far too much interference during
>the daytime hours and the band could probably be more efficiently used
>by HAM's for DXing.
>
>But having said all of this, things are as they are. CB's are radios
>just the same as any HAM radio. They transmit and they receive. If
>it weren't for the few friendly and patient HAM operators I've talked

>to in the recent months, I wouldn't be studying to take that test now.
>It's a hobby. Hobbies are supposed to be enjoyable. I've always been
>willing to share my knowledge of any of my hobbies to anyone
>interested. And I certainly never spurned somebody who was interested
>in a different hobby than mine.
>
>Just my two cents.
>
>Jim

3967. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: The ConQueror <joetheripper@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <373f3a90@news.internext.fr>
Source record: 142791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

KE4JCD <ke4jcd@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7hjnmcuej1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <7hi883$su4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > KE4JCD wrote:
> > > As I and others in Amateur Radio quit and find other things to do
> > > with our time, Like I-Phone, Netmeeting, Qtalk, PalTalk, IRC Chat's.
> > > BBS's, Ect. For we see that you just don't get it!
> > > --
> > > Bob - KE4JCD
> > > Lakeland, FL.
> > > Jammer Information Center Of Amatuer Radio
> > > http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html
> >
> > Hey OM Crummy Bob you idjit,
> >
> > Could you please take AF2Y, WB2OTK, and the rest of that crowd
> > with you? Please don't let the door hit you in the ass on the
> > way out.
> >
> > 73, BGO
>
> Well, Well, Well, here is another fine reply to my message! RUDENESS RAINS
> around here! This is my point, You like most HAM's need to get a life!
Like
> your hobby! For like your hobby it's dieing thanks to people like you!
>
> But no need to cry, when your HF bands are turned into wireless phone
bands
> by the other countrys that see HAMS as a band of X-CBers that bring there
CB
> IQ with them. You will have no place to go! Now me on the other hand will
> have a place to ture to, The Internet is alive! Un-like Ham Radio.
>
> Just keep up the good work my friend and it will soon be GONE!
>
> --
> Bob - KE4JCD
> Lakeland, FL.
> Jammer Information Center Of Amatuer Radio
> http://www.geocities.com/~ke4jcd/crummy.html
> ------------
> Fight Spam! Join CAUCE! == http://www.cauce.org/

> Outlaw Junk Email! Support HR 1748.
>
> ATTN: The 1st amendment does not grant you the right
> to trespass in my mailbox. Any unsolicated EMAIL will
> result in fines being levied in the amount of $5,000.00 for
> storage and retrival.
>
>
>
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

I am a 14 yr old. I got ham radio before I got the Net. My parents convince me that idea about the Internet. But, I still use ham radio. HAM RADIO IS A TOTALLY DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE THAN THE INTERNET! I'm even thinking of using digital modes.

-Dan K3DRQ

3968. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon Snider <leons@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ho0dbpqf1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142792

Who is KV4FZ? I can't find the call in QRZ. Leon

3969. Cobra 148 GTL For Sale..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaymes Bond <JaymesBond007@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7ho4e3eql1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I Have A Cobra 148 GTL As It Was New, Used Only Once.
Has No Mods Other That A Power Peak Out.
The Radio Was Purchased New In 1992 And Has Never Been Mobile
I Do Not Have A Mounting Bracket
And Does Include The Power Cord And The Microphone.
This Radio Is In As New Shape And Transmits And Receives Right On Frequency.
This Is The Older More Sought After Rig.
I Can E-Mail Pics If Interested.
The Price Is 125.00 US Which Includes Shipping In The Lower 48
States Or Trade For Misc Ham Gear. Preferrably CW
73's W5IDX Houston

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net

3970. Re: pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark B. Colosia" <mcolosia@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <373FA7ED.CF303633@earthlink.com>
Source record: 142794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Thanks to all who responded, both via the newgroups and privately.
Bill (Rohrback KB3PJ) who I had heard of is now a Silent Key.

Possible sources:

1) Paul Hansen, W6XA/4
pwhansen@bellsouth.net

2) http://www.kk7tv.com
info@kk7tv.com

73,
-- mark.

3971. FS: Motorola MTX 800 & 810

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eqnlW1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola MTX 800 & 810 (Used & Working)
2 800Mhz MTX 800 Type I 1:SYS 1:SUB Model H25JGB5170_N $125.00ea + Shipping
Comes with Antenna
2 800Mhz MTX 810 Type I 2:SYS 3:SUB Model H25JBF51B4_N $150.00ea + Shipping
Comes with Antenna & Belt Clip
1 800Mhz MTX 810 Type I 6:SYS 3:SUB Model H25JBF51B4_N $160.00 + Shipping
Comes Key Pad Front Has Missing * Button.& Antenna

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3972. FS: 3 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#kLIX1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 3 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3973. FS: Realistic Pro-41 10 Channel Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eoykX1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Realistic Pro-41 10 Channel Scanner

Asking $50.00 Or Best Offer

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

3974. FS: STX After Market Programming Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Oe#mY1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

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3975. FS: Reduced Motorola HT-90 UHF 4Watt

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eBHSY1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-90 UHF 450-470 4 Watt 2 Channel
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3976. FS: Reduced Motorola DVP KVL T3010 AX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#617Y1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola DVP Key Varable Loader (KVL) T3010 AX

$400.00 + Shipping

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E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3977. FS: Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#0c7X1$n#GA.52@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

1 Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz 16Ch Conv w/o Scan $100.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

3978. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "just.do.it" <AT>
Message-ID: <7hov09jgh1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Timothy Hynde" <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>Jim Shaffer, Jr. wrote in message <37237fe5.169403227@news.csrlink.net>...
>>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 18:35:09 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
>wrote:
>>
>>>Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
>>>why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
>>>primary operating mode? You might be surprised to learn
>>>that many amateurs enjoy using cw.
>>
>>But nobody is proposing stopping them. They're only proposing that people
>who
>>have no intention of using it shouldn't have to learn it.

>But where does it end? The no code tech license asks questions about
>telecommand for radio control airplanes, the ionoshpere, how to use a
>voltmeter, signal generator, SWR meter whadda ya gotta learn all that for
>all I wanna do is yak on the 2m repeater with my appliance operator friends?
>Why should we require such knowlege when the applicant has no intention of
>using it?

>Tim ka8ddz

But they want 1500 w out on prime dx hf bands.... NOT the repeaters.
How Long Will It Be Before An
Extra Class Radio Amateur License
Is Boxed Up With ThatNew HF Rig?
(sound hauntingly familiar?)

Breaker Breaker x.19x.xxx.xxx, c'mon back.
||||||||||||BLEEEEEEEEEEP||||||||||||||

3979. 440 in Los Angeles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: corbin@ampere.physics.ucla.edu
Message-ID: <7hnbb9dae1@carroll.library.ucla.edu>
Source record: 142803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

As some of you may know, the coordinating body for 440 MHz in
Southern California (SCRRBA) adopted a new plan for the band
that moves us to 20 kHz spacing and adds 50 new repeater pairs.

For reasons the rest of us can only speculate on, SCRRBA has
decided *not* to use these new pairs to remedy the gross disparity
in the ratio of slots available for open repeaters to those available
for closed and private systems: Prior to the reorganization 8 out of
200 pairs were available for open systems, under the new plan - 12 out
of 250 will be available -- while one may reasonably argue that private
and closed systems have their place, *95%* of the repeater subband
remains off-limits for the general amateur radio community - how does
this serve the spirit and mission of the amateur radio service?

If you're as concerned about this as I am, I encourage you to contact
SCRRBA (20kHz@scrrba.org) and make your feelings known. I've included
my open letter below...

Thanks... //Brent

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To: 20kHz@scrrba.org

Sirs -

I was rather excited to learn that SCRBBA had adopted a 20kHz
bandplan for the repeater subband at 440 MHz. I had hopes that
this was motivated, at least in part, by a desire to remediate the
long-festering resentment that has built up in the amateur community
over the fact that some 96% of the repeater pairs in the band were
allocated for private/closed systems. I am certain you are not
unaware of the controversy - it has been debated over packet, in
tirades on the internet, and it has created enough consternation
and frustration to drive otherwise rational individuals to attempt
to organize rival coordination bodies to directly challenge SCRRBA.
Most of this was not very constructive -

Needless to say, I was shocked and **very** disappointed to discover
that of the additional fifty repeater pairs that we pick up, only four
are to be allocated to open repeaters - bringing the total allotment
available to the general amateur community up to 12 out of 250 pairs.

I enjoy using 440 MHz. Its propagation characteristics, band size,
and equipment requirements (think HT-sized antennas) make it rather
unique among readily accessible VHF/UHF bands. The wide array of

equipment available for the band, both amateur and modified commercial make it very accessible. The fact that most commercial (and emergency) communications in the greater Los Angeles area depend on UHF equipment makes it the ideal band to train those who would go out and contribute in the real world - particularly those who might be needed to piece together commercial and emergency services after a major disaster.

Dedicating such a large fraction of the repeater space to private enclaves is counter-productive, and counter to the spirit of amateur radio. I urge you to reconsider the current bandplan, and increase the number of allocations available for open repeaters.

Brent Corbin WY6S

3980. 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Cermack <jcer456@emachine.com>
Message-ID: <373EDD03.630EFC8E@emachine.com>
Source record: 142804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Opponents of free speech on the Liberty Net
(3950 Jammers) hit a new low last Saturday
night.

Harrison, a regular net participant, was
telling others of his wife's demise a few days
earlier. He was clearly suffering, and in
shock. But the other net participants
are his social friends, and he was describing
how his wife used to bring him popcorn while he
was on the air.

Then W9ART (Arthur Visor) began his jamming
right on top of the net and Harrison's
transmission. W9ART was playing tapes, and
noise makers, while Harrison was describing the
bible that his wife left behind for him
to read, and whether it would be buried with
her or not.

W9ART, and his mentor KK7HO (Tim Volz) have
defiled and disgraced the amateur radio
service, As well as normal behavior. Anyone
who could - or would, belittle someone while he
is eulogizing his (recently deceased) spouse,
has forfeited his place in a civilized society.

The only thing we can do about this latest
ourrage is to contact the lead enforcement officer
at the FCC. He is available via E-Mail at:

rholling@fcc.gov

He is William R. Hollingsworth (K4ZDH) aka, Rilley
Hollingsworth, and it's his job to remove this
cancer that is growing on our Amateur Radio
Service.

Thanks for taking a minute or two to email Rilley.

rholling@fcc.gov

3981. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: quatsein@island.net
Message-ID: <373e423d.3028218958@news.cr.island.net>
Source record: 142824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Boy that post really hit a sore spot with you, makes a guy
wonder about HRO.

Steve Carlisle VE7AHL

On Sun, 16 May 1999 00:00:41 GMT, Clint Bradford
<clintbrad4d@earthlink.net> wrote:

>In article <7hkqgjrad1@newnews.startext.net>,
> "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
>> I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only one left) 32k
>> version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so...
>
>So...instead of FIRST contacting your dealer to explain the problem...
>
>You decided to post your story here.
>
>I believe most reasonable folks would simply call their dealer up the
>first available opportunity and deal with the matter at hand.
>
>NO - HRO has no long "history" of mistreating their cleints.
>
>I certainly hope that (a) you have been totally truthful with your story
>here, and (b) as soon as HRO clears this matter up with you, that you'll
>post the entire solution arrived at.
>
> - Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
> http://www.clintbradford.com
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3982. Re: Where&#65533;is&#65533;this&#65533;hobby?&#65533;1920,&#65533;1960&#65533;or&#65533;2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hlf3d$1k8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"D. Townsend" <> wrote:

> we as Amateur Radio operators sure are occupying a lot of
> its bandwidth.

And ur waaaaaay over your share here Idjit!

Go 'way,

BGO

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3983. Packet through sound cards...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pedro J Maldonado <pm003b@accglobal.net>
Message-ID: <7hlfu3$7ag$1@news2.tor.accglobal.net>
Source record: 142826

I read about this somewhere and for the life of me, I can't recall exactly what its all about. Anyone out there know about this, or where I could get the software?? Supposedly there is no need for a TNC if you have a sound card.. but I could be just plain wrong.. Thanks for any help!

Pedro
KC2CTM

3984. Re: AF2Y "Talks Tough" and gets his rear Kicked!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <373E5FBB.6CA1E190@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 142827

Making Threat's now???

Radiosigs wrote:

> << RAMBOFACE...YOU'RE ON MY HIT LIST. KEEP IT IN MIND. af2y, Doc,radiosigs >>

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LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB

WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3985. Re: A LUXURIOUS VACATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <373E5F93.E65119AE@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 142828

The Fund is ready to go, We will Send Doc, Rube and PorkButt on a one-way trip!!!!

2slick4u try-n-stop-me wrote:

> YEAH LLOYD !!!!
> WAY TO GO I WILL DONATE $2.00 TO THEIR VACATION, IF ITS A ONE WAY TRIP
> WITH NO RETURNS. I AM A BLONDE AND ICOULD BE WRONG ..

--
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB

WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

3986. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516011005.28123.00001069@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142829

>So If I where you part of the amateur radio community I would
>let go with a massive letter writing campaign to get these two lousey
>operators off the air.
>

See? That's the problem. We have to write and call and beg and write and call
and plead and write and call and argue and write and call and beg ... and the
damn FCC just sits
there collecting its paychecks and does ABSOLUTELY
NOTHING!

If anyone from the FCC is reading this ......
DO YOUR DAMN JOB FOR A CHANGE!

3987. HENRY 5K?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Leon Snider <leons@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hllafekk1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142830

I need to talk with a Henry 5K owner. Anyone? I'll call on my nickle. Leon
ke4gg

3988. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <373e5e29.225193342@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142831

On Wed, 12 May 1999 19:55:58 -0500, Kevin Alfred Strom
<kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:

>It might be wise, and even fun, to investigate both sides of the
>story:
>
>http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv052993.html
>
>http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv060593.html
>
>
>With all good wishes,
>
>Kevin, WB4AIO.
More nazi bullshit from the stormtrooper Strom.

3989. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7hlq8t$8dh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <uyq%2.801$nc1.79233@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>,
"Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:

> Has the thought occurred to you that there are things you could do to
> alleviate the situation, other than posting on the internet -- such
> as:
> 1. Call HRO and work it out with them.

No, Joe...he'd rather moan here and try to gain sympathy for whatever
reason.

Any reasonable person would do as you suggest: Call the
dealer and ask, "What's up?

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

3990. Guide to the rec.radio Newsgroups

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hlstp$1md@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142833
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Archive-name: radio/personal-intro

This message describes the rec.radio.amateur.*, rec.radio.cb, rec.radio.info, and rec.radio.swap newsgroups, as well as their Internet mailing list counterparts and complements. It is intended to serve as a guide for the new reader on what to find where. Questions and comments may be directed to Jeffrey Herman, KH6O, (jeffreyh@hawaii.edu), or Paul Schleck, K3FU, pschleck@novia.net.

This message was last changed on 14 March, 1998.

History
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Way back when, before there was a Usenet, the Internet hosted a mailing list for hams, called (appropriately enough) INFO-HAMS. Ham radio discussions were held on the mailing list, and sent to the mailboxes of those who had signed up for it. When the Usenet software was created, and net news as we now know it was developed, a newsgroup was created for hams: net.ham-radio. The mailing list and the newsgroup were gatewayed together, eventually.

Over the years, as the net grew, the volume of discussion became progressively higher. First one by one, and then as part of two reorganizations, what was once one group became many. In the process, developments elsewhere on the net were reflected in the groups as they were created, most notably the change to place all of the ham radio groups in one hierarchy.

The collection of newsgroups continues to grow as more people join the net, and as more topics of discussion gain volume, I expect to see more groups be created as well. This follows what is happening on the rest of the net.

Nearly all of the radio newsgroups have corresponding mailing lists, the notable exception being rec.radio.swap. There are also a few mailing lists that don't have newsgroups.

The Current Groups
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It's important to post messages to the group that's appropriate for them, and not to the groups that aren't. The whole idea of having different newsgroups is so that folks who aren't interested in, say, homebrewing, don't have to wade through messages about homebrewing on the way to read about Field Day. Posting appropriately is just good etiquette.

The rec.radio.amateur.misc group is the catchall. It is what rec.ham-radio was renamed to during the first major reorganization. Any message that's not more appropriate in one of the other groups belongs here, from contesting to DX to ragchewing on VHF to information on becoming a ham.

The group rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc is for discussions related to (surprise!) digital amateur radio. This doesn't have to be the common two-meter AX.25 variety of packet radio, either; some of the most knowledgeable folks in radio digital communications can be found here, and anything in the general area is welcome. The name was changed to emphasize this, and to encourage discussion not only of other text-based digital modes, such as AMTOR, RTTY, and Clover, but things like digital voice and video as well. The former group, rec.radio.amateur.packet, was removed on September 21st, 1993. It is obsolete, and you should use .digital.misc instead (or the appropriate new mailing list, mentioned below). The group has .misc as part of the name to allow further specialization if the users wish it, such as .digital.tcp-ip.

The swap group is rec.radio.swap. This recognizes a fact that became evident shortly after the original group was formed: Hams don't just swap ham radio gear, and other folks besides hams swap ham equipment. If you have radio equipment, or test gear, or computer stuff that hams would be interested in, here's the place. Equipment wanted postings belong here too. Discussions about the equipment generally don't; if you wish to discuss a particular posting with the buyer, email is a much better way to do it, and the other groups, especially .equipment and .homebrew, are the place for public discussions. There is now a regular posting with information on how to go about buying and selling items in rec.radio.swap; please refer to it before you post there. To answer a frequently asked question: No, there is no mailing list that goes along with this group. If you can't read Usenet news directly, you're out of luck.

The group rec.radio.amateur.policy was created as a place for all the discussions that seem to drag on interminably about the many rules, regulations, legalities, and policies that surround amateur radio, both existing and proposed. Recent changes to the Amateur Radio Rules (FCC Part 97) have finally laid to rest the Great Usenet Pizza Autopatch Debate - it's now legal to order a pizza on the autopatch, if you're not in the pizza business - as well as complaints about now-preempted local scanner laws hostile to amateurs, but plenty of discussion about what a bunch of rotten no-goodniks the local frequency coordinating body is, as well as the neverending no-code debate, may still be found here.

The group rec.radio.cb is the place for all discussion about the Citizens' Band radio service. Such discussions have been very inflammatory in rec.ham-radio in the past; please do not cross-post to both rec.radio.cb and rec.radio.amateur.* unless the topic is genuinely of interest to both hams and CBers - and very few topics are.

The rec.radio.info group is just what its name implies: it's the place where informational messages from across rec.radio.* may be found, regardless of where else they're posted. As of this writing, information posted to the group includes Cary Oler's daily solar progagation bulletins, ARRL

bulletins, the Frequently Asked Questions files for the various groups, and radio modification instructions. This group is moderated, so you cannot post to it directly; if you try, even if your message is crossposted to one of the other groups, your message will be mailed to the moderator, who is currently David Dodell, WB7TPY. The email address for submissions to the group is rec.radio.info-moderator@primenet.com. Inquires and other adminis-trivia should be directed to rec.radio.info-request@primenet.com. For more information about rec.radio.info, consult the introduction and posting guidelines that are regularly posted to that newsgroup.

The groups r.r.amateur.antenna, .boatanchors, .dx, .equipment, .homebrew, and .space are for more specialized areas of ham radio: discussions about antennas, the older tube based amateur, military, and commercial gear, commercially-made equipment, homebrewing, and amateur radio space operations. The .equipment group is not the place for buying or selling equipment; that's what rec.radio.swap is for. Similarly, the .space group is specifically about amateur radio in space, such as the OSCAR program and SAREX, the Shuttle Amateur Radio EXperiment; other groups cover other aspects of satellites and space. Homebrewing isn't about making your own alcoholic beverages at home (that's rec.crafts.brewing), but rather construction of radio and electronic equipment by the amateur experimenter. The .dx group is devoted to long distance amateur communications. Each of these subgroups has its own charter and FAQ; please refer to the archives to find these documents.

Except for rec.radio.swap and rec.radio.cb, all of these newsgroups are available by Internet electronic mail in digest format; send a mail message containing "help" on a line by itself to listserv@ucsd.edu for instructions on how to use the mail server.

All of the groups can be posted to by electronic mail, though, by using a gateway at the University of Texas at Austin. To post a message this way, change the name of the group you wish to post to by replacing all of the '.'s with '-'s - for example, rec.radio.swap becomes rec-radio-swap - and send to that name@cs.utexas.edu (rec-radio-swap@cs.utexas.edu, for example). You may crosspost by including multiple addresses as Cc: entries (but see below). This gateway's continued availability is at the pleasure of the admins at UT-Austin, and is subject to going away at any time - and especially if forgeries and other net.abuses become a problem. You have been warned.

Mailing Lists

In addition to the mailing lists that mirror the Usenet newsgroups, there also are a few that stand alone. These cover specific areas of ham radio, and discussion is focused on just those areas.

The cq-contest mailing list is for discussions of contesting in ham radio. To join, send email with the word "subscribe" on a line by itself to cq-contest-request@tgv.com.

The DX mailing list covers the finer points of DXing. This one is also joined by mailing "subscribe" on a line by itself, this time to

dx-request@unbc.edu.

There's also a VHF mailing list, for VHF operators of the weak signal persuasion. You can join this one be sending "subscribe vhf" on a line by itself to vhf-request@w6yx.stanford.edu.

The QRP-L list is devoted to building and operating gear at low-power outputs. To subscribe, send an email to listproc@lehigh.edu and only write: subscribe qrp-l Your Name.

The TopBand e-list is devoted to all areas of operation on 160m. To subscribe, send an email to majordomo@contesting.com and only write: subscribe topband and follow the instructions you'll be sent.
This site, contesting.com, also hosts a couple dozen other ham-related e-lists. Use the above address, and only write: lists to get the entire index.

The Boatanchors e-list is devoted to the older tube-based ham, military, and commercial communications gear. To subscribe, send an email to: listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and only write: subscribe boatanchors

For homebuilding transmitters and receivers using tube technology, there is the Glowbugs e-list; send an email to:
majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
subscribe glowbugs <your@address.here>

The VHF DX discussion list can be accessed by sending an email to: majordomo@blacksheep.org and only writing: subscribe VHF-DX-discuss.

We now have a list devoted to amateur radio history. To subscribe, send an email to: ham-radio-history-subscribe@egroups.com - leave the body of the message blank.

Qth.net hosts over 100 ham-related e-lists, including lists devoted to each state, manufacturer, mode, band - too many to state here. Send an email to majordomo@qth.net and only write: lists to get the complete index.

For one of the most complete indexes of email lists, see the excellent web site http://pw2.netcom.com/~ac6v/pageae.html

Please do NOT send subscription requests to the mailing lists themselves; that doesn't work very often, and is very annoying to those on the list. Also, please keep your electronic mail address current with any mailing lists you subscribe to, as dealing with returned email is a nuisance for the person maintaining the mailing list.

A Few Words on Crossposting
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Please do not crosspost messages to two or more groups unless there is genuine interest in both groups in the topic being discussed, and when you do, please include a header line of the form "Followup-To: group.name" in your article's headers (before the first blank line). This will cause followups to your

article to go to the group listed in the Followup-To: line. If you wish to have replies to go to you by email, rather than be posted, use the word "poster" instead of the name of a group. Such a line appears in the headers of this article.

One of the few examples of productive cross-posting is with the rec.radio.info newsgroup. To provide a filtered presentation of information articles, while still maintaining visibility in their home newsgroups, the moderator strongly encourages cross-posting. All information articles should be submitted to the rec.radio.info moderator so that he may simultaneously cross-post your information to the appropriate newsgroups. Most newsreaders will only present the article once, and network bandwidth is conserved since only one article is propagated. If you make regular informational postings, and have made arrangements with the moderator to post directly to the group, please cross-post as appropriate.

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Jeffrey Herman, KH6O, rec.radio.amateur working-group
jeffreyh@hawaii.edu

3991. Motorola GP68 Service/Programming Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net
Message-ID: <373e7944.195564086@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>
Source record: 142834
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Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual. Includes schematics, exploded views, and programming instructions for the GP63, GP68, GP68 Plus, and GP68-8. Original Motorola, brand new, not a photocopy. Covers VHF and UHF. $25US each, including USPS shipping in North America. Buyer prepays with Internationally Negotiable money order.

Please remove the nospam from the email address before replying

3992. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <D5v%2.4605$mj.123333@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142835

Todd wrote in message ...
> SNIP <
>Yeah Yeah Yeah, and if we wanted to hear you whine we'd call your wife.
>Besides most of you Hams have a CB radio too, but of course you'll never
>admit it on thig NG, nope, you'll just change your name and post in the
>CB NG. And besides it's Amateur.misc not ham.misc and were all amateurs
>when it comes to radio regaurdless of wether it's CB or Ham.

>

I can call myself an amateur radio operator because that's what it states on my LICENSE, which grants me that authority. What justification and /or authority do you have that allows you to claim that status, or did you just make it up - like your cb "handle" or "numbers" ? :>)

73 de KF6KNB

3993. wanted: 2m/70cm antenna design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mcarney@bigpond.com
Message-ID: <3748859d.3286751@news.bigpond.com>
Source record: 142836

Hi,
im after a design for a dual band 2m/70cm co-linear
antenna (i have a 5m fibreglass randome to house it in)
...something like an x500 or x700 would be nice!! Any
ideas would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks Mark mcarney@bigpond.com.au

3994. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7hm9h1gfo1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 142837

Paul Cooper wrote in message <373E6180.5ED6C66E@primenet.com>...
>To all of you who took the time to discuss Burt Fisher a few days ago,
>may I point out that none of you caught the fact that Mr. Fisher does
>not have a good grasp of spelling. Please look at his key word
>commencing with the letter "c".

What word would that be?

This is an email of exasperation...why do you take the time to even
>discuss this?

For the same reason you just did.
Would you really talk about him, no matter who he is, and
>no matter how intelligent or stupid he really is, when and if you were
>face to face? I do not think so.

No ham I know would ever face me and say the things they say from the safety
of a keyboard.
Most hams are gutless.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You will see:

1. How to pass the A+ Certification
2. See Hillary do something naked.
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. Take the Burt Poll, about Clinton ham spouses, girlfriends
5. Attacks against Burt K1OIK's opinion of ham radio in a national
publication for broadcasters
6. Burt's opinion on the First Affair in the White House with a picture of
the new first couple.
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. A test for your SVGA monitor
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@imfamous.com
http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169

3995. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <926856262.894.16@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I agree. I have ordered a number of things from their N.H. store and never had a problem. If I did I would have called them right away and I'm sure it would have been taken care of. I give them 2 thumbs up.

73,
Tom

In article <uyq%2.801$nc1.79233@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>, "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
>I have purchased from HRO via 800 number and over-the-counter. Never had a
>problem. I deal with the store in Woodbridge, VA.
>
>Has the thought occurred to you that there are things you could do to
>alleviate the situation, other than posting on the internet -- such as:
>
>1. Call HRO and work it out with them.
>2. Call your credit card company and tell them that you were mis-charged.
>They will not honor the charge until things are straightened out.
>
>Maybe when it is all straight you will post the rest of the story.
>
>--
>Regards,
>Joe Schlatter
>joe@schlatter.org
>http://www.schlatter.org/
>http://www.miafacts.org/
>Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
>BD wrote in message <7hkqgjrad1@newnews.startext.net>...
>>I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only one left) 32k
>>version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so.... Well.. I get it
>>UPS'd, open it up and find that the reciept will be sent later (there was
>no
>>indication at all of what they charged me), and go hook it up (I had to buy
>>a few parts and solder the stuff cables together myself, so it's hardly in
>>returnable-condition now) and start playing with it..
>>WELL.. Today, I get the receipt for $329 showing that I ordered the 128k
>>version!!
>>Not that I'd not have ordered it anyway if the 32k wasn't shown to be
>>available (possibly should have anyway, but that's something else), but...
>>Anyone else have such happen to 'em when ordering from Ham Radio Outlet??
>>Shouldn't they only be allowed to charge me up to what I agreed to without
>>me having to return me little toy? ;) Sounds reasonable to me..
>>I'd expect to return the over-charge without getting the merchandise back

>in
>>my line-o-biz, for sure...
>>
>>
>>
>
>

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Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

3996. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516081136.26262.00001176@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142839

<<
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com (CRTï¿½)
Date: Sun, May 16, 1999 5:58 AM
Message-id: <373e5e29.225193342@news.mindspring.com><<Ever since Stormtrooper
Strom's friends and relatives were hanged at Nuremberg, he's become a very
bitter person.AF2Y,Doc>>

On Wed, 12 May 1999 19:55:58 -0500, Kevin Alfred Strom
<kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:

>It might be wise, and even fun, to investigate both sides of the
>story:
>
>http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv052993.html
>
>http://www.natvan.com/american-dissident-voices/adv060593.html
>
>
>With all good wishes,
>
>Kevin, WB4AIO.
More nazi bullshit from the stormtrooper Strom.

>>

3997. more rogue cancels from bellsouth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Message-ID: <slrn7jte4s.5qq.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
Source record: 142840

Here are some of the latest efforts by the lamer at
BellSouth:

From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Subject: cancel <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
Message-ID: <sLr%2.7510$yo.286@news3.atl>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Control: cancel <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
X-Trace: news3.atl 926828632 209.214.67.43 (Sun, 16 May 1999 00:23:52 EDT)
MIME-Version: 1.0
NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 00:23:52 EDT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Subject: cancel <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
Message-ID: <HMr%2.7513$yo.286@news3.atl>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Control: cancel <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
X-Trace: news3.atl 926828711 209.214.67.43 (Sun, 16 May 1999 00:25:11 EDT)
MIME-Version: 1.0
NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 00:25:11 EDT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

3998. Re: oRis is a Spy an a Undamarican

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373EBABD.7B92@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142841

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> Oris you one ignore runt mud her fud her an all that shit. wHo you try
> in to fool?? HuH Huh huH???????? i reddy proofed you a Spy for the Chin
> man an all that shit. i showt the sea crate coads you bin sent in to the
> Chin man an all that shit. you a prevert jus like rich say. you stinks
> an all that shit. you needs a bat reel bad jus like rich say. if in rich
> ketch up to you at lake Hard wail he gone gives you a dunk in an all
> that shit. how you like them appels????? huh Huh HuH???? too bat bout
> you nether get no reef fun from rich. he dont reef fun to no WTIA like
> you an all that shit. he cooned your ass coz you a stupe an all that
> shit. rich dont reef fun to no stupes jus like rich say. is that why you
> turnt spy fer the Chin man?????? huh Huh huh?????? you bin sell in
> Merican sea crates to the Chin man an all that shit. I cot you do in it.
> Pert soon now the FBI the ATF an the CIA all gone be yor door. they gone
> give you a good wippin an tan yor ass an all that shit. that wat they do
> to undamaricans like you Oris Grin. i done reddy proofed you a Spy fer
> the Chin man. i gots the hart copy jus like rich say. it rite hear in my
> claws it jus like rich say. i dont like o'Brain less nether an all that
> shit. butts he 1000 time mor smarter then you an all that shit. lest
> Jimmy he gone to skol to mak sum tin hisself jus like rich say. you dont
> go to no dammed skol an all that shit. you two much a stupe to go to no
> dammed skol. i myselfs is go in to astro not skol in texus bee for long
> an all that shit. I gone jam your stupe ass frum out her spays. how you
> like them appels??? HuH huH huH?????? Ridley cant stops me when i am in
> out her spays. he dont owen no mud her fud in spays ship. NASA gone give
> me my owen spays ship an all that shit. I be on 3901 ever nite frum the
> moon an jam in Big al on 3894.5 an all that shit. I gone be a wammer
> jammer fum the moon an Jew pit her. all coz you a spy fer the Chin man
> an all that shit. I gone go to yor Spy trail an here the jugs sents in
> you to live bee hind bars an all that shit. you done on 3901 you his
> story now. I laff at you Oris grin. you not a gud fella no more an all
> that shit. i gess you mite be loud to talk to drunks Big al an all that
> shit. may bee you like Big al now bet her than rich an all that shit.
> you done on 3901 coz you a Spy fer the Chin man.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
Your a asshole
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio

SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

3999. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516091046.26263.00001316@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142842

<<
>So If I where you part of the amateur radio community I would
>let go with a massive letter writing campaign to get these two lousey
>operators off the air.
>

See? That's the problem. We have to write and call and beg and write and call
and plead and write and call and argue and write and call and beg ... and the
damn FCC just sits
there collecting its paychecks and does ABSOLUTELY
NOTHING! >>
<<<<<You're wrong;they are doing something. The Appellate Court in D.C. is
about to turn down KV4FZ's final appeal which then throws the issue back to the
FCC who will send the louse a cease and desist order and it's goodbye Herbie
which is one major step in cleaning up ham radio. AF2Y>>>>>>>>>

4000. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516091302.26263.00001317@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142843

<< At least I made it past the 1st grade. >>

<<<<<But how many years did it take?>>>>>>>>
AF2Y

4001. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516092420.26263.00001323@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142844

<< showing the same evil traits here on
the web that ran you off the hambands courtesy of Mr Riley<<<<Riley
Hollingsworth ran ME off the ham bands? That's odd since I was just on 20. In
fact,I've spoken to the man twice and E-mailed him once and have never received
any type of a warning. Of course I'm no different from anyone else insofar as
heeding the rules and regs which I do.In fact, I'm an exemplary ham radio
operator and had received a diploma for excellence by the Royal Order of the
Wolf Hung. I apply my old Boy Scout principles to ham radio even though I was
kicked out of the Scouts for not knowing how to tie friggin' stupid knots but I
managed to tie up the scoutmaster in knots. I am very hurt at and dismayed by
the allegations of having been admonished by Mr.Hollingsworth. They are
unfounded and pernicious and I warn whomever is circulating them, to cease and
desist as KV4FZ will soon be getting. Thank you for you for your kind attention
to my statements on "wreck radio." Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>>>>>>
Hollingsworth. Talk about the wife of another person, talk about their
children, and betteryet,talk about their health problems, you low life.
, talk about their religion etc, and on and on. You are one unsavory
person, You and "DUH DUH" Rube deserve each other, you are both creeps
and goof balls!!!

article <19990515130047.20828.00000842@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << es his hand, is indeed a coward! Why
> dont you identify yourself Mr. Montcalm? Or are you still just an
> overgrown "Coward?
> <<Don't get excited Rube. This Lyme disease -ridden drunkard is mad
over the
> fact that he can't get money from mama dearest and enough bananas for
his wife
> Amazonia.">>Doc AF2Y
>
> >>
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>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

>>

4002. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <373EC747.82BCB102@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142845

Paul Cooper wrote:
> may I point out that none of you caught the fact that Mr. Fisher
> does not have a good grasp of spelling....
While engaged in the fine art of flaming,
denouncing someone's spelling -called "spell laming"-
is considered a lowbrow cheap shot-
an attack on the form, rather then the substance of a post.
So most people don't do it.

>...why do you take the time to even discuss this?
Because it is the nature of intelligent people to enjoy
humor in the form of sharpening their wit
(regardless of the actual amount of wit they may possess)
against a person capable of providing challenging opposition.
Usually, the meanness in the repartee' is inversely proportional
to the quality of wit possessed by the combatants.
And Burt makes himself such an inviting target for derision!
As the song says, he's "simply irresistible."

> Would you really talk about him, ...
> no matter how intelligent or stupid he really is,
> when and if you were face to face? I do not think so.
Discounting the teenage and teen-like posters,
most people don't say he's "stupid."
I've said (in so many words) that he's obnoxious,
opinionated and stubborn. That's obviously true
to any observer and I dare say Burt would agree.
I'd certainly say that to his face and he'd
probably have a few choice nuggets for me, as well.

73 Dave AB5S

4003. Re: AF2Y "Talks Tough" and gets his rear Kicked!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hmnlgqmc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142846

In article <373E5FBB.6CA1E190@bellsouth.net>,
"Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net> wrote:
> Making Threat's now???
>
> Radiosigs wrote:
>
> > << RAMBOFACE...YOU'RE ON MY HIT LIST. KEEP IT IN MIND. af2y,
Doc,radiosigs >>
>
> --
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
>

What does "hit list" mean coming from AF2Y? He has claimed on twenty meters that he has friends in the Teamsters Union in N. J. who will take care of people. Maybe that is what he means. This should be brought to the attention of the Deja News group. Maybe they will deal with someone who talks about a "hit list" and brags about tough Teamster officials who will act out his threats. There is no place for threats on this newsgroup.
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
>
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4004. Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516102454.02102.00001441@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142847
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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<< Subject: Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars<<<<>>>>
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 6:23 PM
Message-id: <7hke24$ci8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

In article <8031-373D80BC-3@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, >>
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4005. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516103208.02102.00001443@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142848

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<< (2slick4u try-n-stop-me)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 5:44 PM
Message-id: <8028-373DB28A-27@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

no its morons that pay attorneys to do what you can do yourself.doc.
<<<MAY I MAKE THIS SUGGESTION? I WELCOME ALL REBUTTALS BUT PLEASE...YOU STUPID
SCHMUCK...SEND BACK THE ENTIRE TEXT OF MESSAGE SO I'LL KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING
ABOUT. AF2Y Doc>>>>>>>>

>>

<< (2slick4u try-n-stop-me)
Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 5:44 PM
Message-id: <8028-373DB28A-27@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

no its morons that pay attorneys to do what you can do yourself.doc.

>>
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4006. Re: more rogue cancels from bellsouth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <373eddfa.257919913@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142849

On 16 May 1999 05:22:52 PDT, postmaster@warez.phantom.com (Dave)
wrote:

>Here are some of the latest efforts by the lamer at
>BellSouth:
>

> From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
> Subject: cancel <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
> Message-ID: <HMr%2.7513$yo.286@news3.atl>
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
> Control: cancel <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> References: <7hku35mqh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
> X-Trace: news3.atl 926828711 209.214.67.43 (Sun, 16 May 1999 00:25:11 EDT)
> MIME-Version: 1.0
> NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 00:25:11 EDT
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>
> This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

No one gives a shit what this retard Dickboy has to say anyway.

4007. Re: Newbie Needs Antenna Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka5kon <ka5kon@krkcket.net>
Message-ID: <4gB%2.4335$xa.41952@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142850

HI Thomas,
My name is Pete Aymond,KA5KON.What do you want to do exactly?If you want to use your HT as a base a samll amp will help if you live in a fringe area of the repeater.If the repeater is local for you then all you really need is a Good antenna like a J-Pole and the bnc connector to PL259 connector and the coax!One point to keep in mind is that a HT at full power WILL get hot!A small amp will let you run the HT at low power levels and prevent this problem.This will also make up for the losses of the signal in the coax.
There are several good inexpensive J_poles on the market in the 30 to 50 dollar range. Amps very greatly in price but a 35 wattamp should do the trick for you at around 75 dollars! If you can get to a hamfest you can usually get one for about $30.00 in good condition. All together you should be able to get what you want for well under your budget price!
Well let me know if my advice helped. Also if you haveany other questions I'LL try to give you some answers if I can.

S/ Pete Aymond/Ka5Kon
E-Mail Ka5Kon@ kricket.net
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4008. Re: I think DoNkBoY99 is a bigtime loser!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <373EE3CF.54A7@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142851
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << Subject: Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars<<<< associated in any way with the vile disgusting and perjorative "N" word. I
> disdain that word. As I Jew and someone in a minority as are the
> AfroAmericans,I find it reprehensible and loathsome. I personally am above
> using terms which tend to degrade anyone on religious and ethnic grounds
> therefore I ask that ignorant southern redneck goyische piece of garbage named
> DonkeyBoy to cease and desist. AF2Y>>>>>
> From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
> Date: Sat, May 15, 1999 6:23 PM
> Message-id: <7hke24$ci8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
>
> In article <8031-373D80BC-3@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, >>
Well the trash is on this news group. This DoNkBoY99 is a loser doc! We all just have to face the fact that this guy is TRASH. It doesn't matter if he is Jew trash black trash or white trash I don't thing race or creed has anyuthing to do with it. I think that he is just plain trash. He hides brhind a proxy server out of NJ. Its a Bell labs Proxy supposed to protect one from Spam email but whos says that it is supposed to protect the rest of us from spam. This guy DoNkBoY99 is a chickenshit.He hasn't got the guts to tell who he is maybe some of us should conduct a massive letter campain to Lucent Technology about the filth that is being genrated from their Proxy server in NJ.
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Subject: Re: I grees wid Doc bout the niggars
Date: Sat, 15 May 1999 18:23:01 GMT
Organization: Deja.com - Share what you know. Learn what you don't.
Lines: 25
Message-ID: <7hke24$ci8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
References: <7hjfj4pli1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<8031-373D80BC-3@newsd-103.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
NNTP-Posting-Host: 204.178.22.5
X-Article-Creation-Date: Sat May 15 18:23:01 1999 GMT
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.5 [en]
X-Http-Proxy: 1.0 lpwa.com:8000 (Apache/1.3.1), 1.0 x22.deja.com:80 (Squid/1.1.22) for client 204.178.22.5
From this info I can gather this much information about our loser friend DoNkBoY99
He is using deja.com as a posting host because one he does know how to use a direct news post or his server doesn't provide one. The Proxy Server does provide a News Server So this clown has to use Deja.com (

web based news server.
the NNTP-Posting Host line is the proxy server it self. 204.178.22.5
that belongs to Lucent Technology ie Bell Labs in NJ.
We can also tell that this fool is Using Netscape Communicator 4.5 and
the Lucent tech server is using Unix (Apache/1.3.1). By the style of
writing I would suspect that this person has Done Jamming on 3.8945Mhz.
The style of writing appears top be a white man imatating a black man
stereo type. I have hear Porkbut do this quite a few times on 3.8945.
I'm not saying that this DoNkBoY99 is Porkbut but there are some real
close clues that this person is Porkbut. One Porkbut does like to hide
and doesn't have the guts. He boasted how he was going to beat people up
at Dayton last year and didn't even go. He went to the Heartwell Hamfest
instead. Why? Cause nobody was there. everyone was in Dayton looking for
Porkbut. Porkbut runs Netscape 4.5 Communicator. Thats what
X-Http-User-Agent: Mozilla/4.5 [en] means. When ever you see Mozilla in
the User agent line it means that the user is using Netscape. Mozilla
used to be the name for Netscape till the internet got popular. I want
to remind all of you that I didnot say that this trash DoNkBoY99 was
porkbut I did say that his style of writing reminds me of Porkbut
jamming 3.8945. We all know that who ever this garbafe is we all know
that he is a chicken afraid to face the world.
Of course thats just my opinion I could be wrong.

73 from Oris

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4009. FT 50 Mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <xqa01@dial.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <7hmppc$hl7$1@lure.pipex.net>
Source record: 142852
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi

Thanks for reading this ..

I have a ft50 and the CPU got locked up so I reset it like the book says and now I seem to have lost the extended rx and tx

can any one help

Thanks

Mike G1KVD

4010. Re: Mod needed for Icom 2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: joemkraus@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hmt26$u3p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142853

I am alos about to buy a 2710H

Try ftp://ftp.qrz.com/mods/ic2710.gif

However, I think I am going to buy the mod book
at HRO, it's only $19.95 just to be sure.

In article <19990512133630.23991.00001117@ng-
ca1.aol.com>,
gilhammer@aol.com (Gilhammer) wrote:
> I really want to purchase a 2710H to accompany
a 2100H 2 meter rig I already
> own, but due to work and so forth, I need a
modifiable radio. I can't locate a
> mod for the 2710H ANYWHERE!!
>
> Anybody that can help will be worshiped as a
deity....ok, maybe not, but I
> would really appreciate it.
>
> Also, what's with all this anti gun crap on
this newsgroup??? I thought it was
> an amateur radio newsgroup....what the heck was
I thinkin'.....
>

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4011. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01be9fb3$c9f399e0$2aafbacd@mikey>
Source record: 142854

Hey Timmy
Is your little friend in New Mexico part of Normal Amateur Operations
--
http://pw1.netcom.com/~frg9600/jammers.html

KK7HO <kk7ho@aol.com> wrote in article
<19990515163253.28124.00000883@ng-fu1.aol.com>...
> Riley KNOWS what is going on you LIDS. Maybe the "So Called" net should
leave
> 3950 alone and let it get back to "Normal Amateur Operations."
>
> Check out:
>
> CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2
>

4012. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <373EEACD.745E@imt.net>
Source record: 142855

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> For all of you jackals who look down at a Cloudwarmer,this morning at 1110 UTC
> on 14.313 I worked VK2WJC and got a 10/9 report from Australia. Eat your hearts
> out! I said I work more stations than you bimbos hear and I'll stick by my
> pronouncement. Furthermore I think I heard "Queenie" Mort in there, trying with
> a "superior directional antenna and higher power, to work the Aussie TO NO
> AVAIL! Yep, with just two parallel wires and 800 watts, I put your fools to
> shame so go sulk in the corner. They don't call me the world's greatest natural
> DXer for no reason! AF2Y Doc

Why would you think a 5x9 report from VK at 1110UTC on 20M running 800
watts is a big deal? Some would consider it proof thet you need more
antenna.
If you turn you output power down to 50 watts you would only be a 5x7
on the other end but that is usually more than sufficient.Turn down you
power,it's the law. Tracy

4013. Re: Motorola GP68 Service/Programming Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7hmvmo$h$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <373e7944.195564086@news.rct1.bc.wave.home.com>,
ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net (VE7FET) wrote:
> Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual...

Darn - just as I was editing a Web page on my Amateur Radio site that
had this info...

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

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4014. Opinions on IC-2710H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Kraus <joe@jkraus.com>
Message-ID: <iYC%2.4664$M3.116810@news7.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142857

Just about ready to buy this Icom radio. Any good or bad opinions?

4015. New web ring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: hotradio@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hn3aq$2a7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142858

Amateur radio operators with web pages are welcome to join the new Amateur Radio Links Web Ring. Information can be found here: <www.geocities.com/WallStreet/Floor/2632/webring.html>This is a free service.

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4016. Contest Log Book on-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fabio <cq.fabio@iol.it>
Message-ID: <7hmv4ttij1@hermes.iol.it>
Source record: 142859

If you need to publish your Contest Log Book on-line, but you have not a personal web site for to do it, try on this site:
http://users.iol.it/cq.fabio/logbook.htm

4017. Re: Can someone with the UK callbook help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <373f18f1.1022341@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142860

QRZ covers the UK. As you probably know, MI is Northern
Ireland.....MI1BSK is not on QRZ,not listed within the NEW DX
CALLS.....it may well have been a 'bootlegger'...:>)

On Sun, 16 May 1999 17:38:12 GMT,
steve@nospamthanks.tenchy.demon.co.uk (Steve) wrote:

>Hi,
>
>This weekend I worked MI1BSK. He gave me his locator as IO72, which I
>know is incorrect. Also, he didn't know his WAB.
>
>I wonder if someone could look him up in a current callbook and tell
>me his proper locator please ???
>
>Thanks.
>
>73 de Steve.
>
>--
>Steve
>
>FOR SALE: Suzuki GSX1100EFE, D Reg, 12500 miles VGC.
> See http://www.tenchy.demon.co.uk

4018. OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-019

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <7eF%2.504$5B.12765@news020.image.dk>
Source record: 142861
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-019 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

4019. pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark B. Colosia" <mcolosia@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <373F2270.55BDA353@earthlink.com>
Source record: 142862
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

A while back, I had heard of ham living in New Mexico (USA), by the first name
of Bill, that did mods for some ICOM transceivers. (Bill) apparently replaced
some of the IF diodes for pin diodes reducing receive noise floor considerably ...
possibly along the lines Dr. Ulrich Rodhe's designs.

If anyone knows of Bill in Mew Mexico and/or how to get a hold of him ...
I would very much appreciate it.

thanks in advance,
-- mark.

4020. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: little.feet@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <37401f53.53413896@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142863

On Sat, 15 May 1999 23:11:15 -0400, "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
wrote:

>When did you conduct a survey regarding amateur radio operators and CB
>equipment that led you to state: " ...most of you Hams have a CB radio
>too,... "
>
> I have been an amateur radio operator since 1958. Do not own, have never
>owned, have never wanted to own anything associated with CB. Fellow gave me
>a box of CB radios one day when I stopped at a yard sale. I thanked him,
>put it in the back of my truck, and deposited the whole mess in the first
>dumpster I saw.

And on Sun, 16 May 1999 08:12:19 GMT, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@qsl.net>
wrote:

>I can call myself an amateur radio operator because that's what it states on
>my LICENSE, which grants me that authority. What justification and /or
>authority do you have that allows you to claim that status, or did you just
>make it up - like your cb "handle" or "numbers" ? :>)
>
>73 de KF6KNB

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an interest who can study a book and take a test, can get a license.
Much like a driver's license although I'll grant you, "different".

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times "utter chaos" that's experienced on the CB was for the most part
caused by the FCC's lack of enforcement or licensing procedures.
Truck driving attracts many social non-conforms. Give them a mike to
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themselves accordingly.

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But having said all of this, things are as they are. CB's are radios just the same as any HAM radio. They transmit and they receive. If it weren't for the few friendly and patient HAM operators I've talked to in the recent months, I wouldn't be studying to take that test now. It's a hobby. Hobbies are supposed to be enjoyable. I've always been willing to share my knowledge of any of my hobbies to anyone interested. And I certainly never spurned somebody who was interested in a different hobby than mine.

Just my two cents.

Jim

4021. FS: Vibroplex and Bencher Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: VL <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <e2G%2.14451$L4.733675@news2.rdc1.on.home.com>
Source record: 142864
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.morse,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I've a Vibroplex Original Standard keyer and a Bencher Fully automatic keyer
forsale,
please send me an offer

4022. PRO-CW-Statement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Schmitte <dl1ydl@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7hnbig$5jl$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 142865
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Hello to everbody,

I am typing a Pro-CW-Statement. To you want to read, no problem. Klick on

http://www.muenster.de/~dl1ydl/E_PCS.html

please. If you want to discuss about it, it is also possible. You will find
a link to a simple discussion forum on the end of the statement.

I hope you enjoyed it...

73 Frank

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| D L 1 Y D L /DL-CW-C # 030|
|.- --. -... .--. . ... --... ...-- / AGCW-DL #2382|
|URL : http://www.muenster.de/~dl1ydl / SV-CW-C # 076|
|Email: dl1ydl@qsl.net or dl1ydl@muenster.de / DARC-OV N32|

4023. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hnbeo$3mk@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>The delta-length and delta-time of calculus are discrete values.

You haven't used the tools of the Calculus yet with those quantites. Take the limit of them, and you go from the discrete to the continuous. The Calculus concerns taking limits of these discrete quantites.

Live better continuously,
Jeff KH6O

4024. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hnbqj$41o@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142867

<hellschrieber@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>Damn straight, while they turn those pieces of crap, we work the DX. All
>you need is wire and an amp, but don't let them hear what you're using,
>Doc.
>
>If you do they'll tell you beams make them superior operators and
>"skilled contesters".
>
>If they were skilled they would be using WIRES.

I use a wire beam. (Very easy to make if you have enough trees/buidlings
to support the wire elements.) Does that make me both skilled and
superior?

Jeff KH6O

4025. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Franck E." <moumoug@cybercom.fr>
Message-ID: <7hneiagqn1@jaydee.iway.fr>
Source record: 142868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

James Rosenthal a ï¿½crit dans le message <7hiosv$h72@nntp.seflin.org>...

4026. Re: Strom's Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516175631.26267.00001052@ng156.aol.com>
Source record: 142869

>I urge the ADL and other anti-hate groups to monitor this wild
>animal even more carefully because he may be crazy enough to actually put
>some
>action behind those horrific words and a hail of bullets ripping this "thing"
>to shreds would be enticing to see or read about.
>AF2Y Doc
>

Boy, you sure have a desire to see Kevin dead, don't you? And you are a
Jew? I think the bottom line is that one of your relatives had the occasion
to be at the hands of oppression and you are lashing out at the whole world.
I suggest you get some help, you yourself are getting out of control and may
need to be watched yourself!!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4027. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <6hH%2.6808$mj.159868@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142870

Jim wrote in message <37401f53.53413896@netnews.worldnet.att.net>...

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>many people on to becoming HAM's (as I am currently studying to get my
>no code tech license). I'll grant you that there are many crude,
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>hear, this is not something that is isolated on 11 meters.
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>of people who have become HAM's, that is proof that almost anyone with
>an interest who can study a book and take a test, can get a license.
>Much like a driver's license although I'll grant you, "different".
>

That's true, and exactly the point. A ham has demonstrated that they put forth the time and effort to learn about the radio hobby, and have earned the privilege to operate. When a cb'er posts to the effect that they are the same as a ham operator, it is bound to annoy those who actually educated themselves in order to earn a license.

Combine this with the fact that a lot of hams get blamed for the interference caused by all of the over modulated, off frequency, wide banded, roger beep, echo mike, not-so-linear amplified, illegally obtained and/or modified "cb" radios, and it is understandable why a ham might respond with some negativity to cb related posts in an obviously ham related newsgroup.

I'm sure that if these cb related posts were kept in the proper newsgroups, it would go a long way towards eliminating the friction. Like I said in my earlier post, if I wanted to read the cb related junk, I would go to rec.radio.cb.

>I drive a truck for a living. A CB is an essential tool for me on the
>road. I am not happy with what I hear on the radio sometimes, and I
>make this known to the offending operators. But as I see it, the at
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>studying to become a HAM, it now seems dumb to me to even have the

>CB's on the 11 meter band. There is far too much interference during
>the daytime hours and the band could probably be more efficiently used
>by HAM's for DXing.
>

I'll agree here. As originally designed, cb communications were to be limited to a maximum distance of 150 miles. There was also a limit on antenna height and power. If the cb frequencies had been chosen in a part of the spectrum where there was little or no possibility of DX propagation, cb would not be the mess it is today. Big antennas and amplifiers would be of little benefit, so those who had a true desire to work greater distances would be motivated to put forth the effort to obtain properly licensed privileges.

>But having said all of this, things are as they are. CB's are radios
>just the same as any HAM radio.

I have to disagree here. CB radios are designed as cheaply as possible, while including as many chrome knobs as possible. The performance of most of these rigs is marginal at best, receive specs are crap, and transmit is far from pure.

>They transmit and they receive.

Yes, but how well and how clean is another story.

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>to in the recent months, I wouldn't be studying to take that test now.
>It's a hobby. Hobbies are supposed to be enjoyable. I've always been
>willing to share my knowledge of any of my hobbies to anyone
>interested. And I certainly never spurned somebody who was interested
>in a different hobby than mine.
>

>Just my two cents.
>
>Jim

I too am willing to provide whatever assistance I can to someone who expresses the desire to advance themselves in the radio hobby. Additionally, I do not go out of my way to "spurn" anybody. To each his own, if a person has no desire to ever improve beyond that of a cb operator, more power to them. All I would ask is that they do not transmit in the ham bands, and likewise, that they post their messages in the appropriate newsgroup(s).

73 de KF6KNB

4028. FS - TS-180S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Noel Lozada <nlozada@lj.net>
Message-ID: <7nH%2.7810$LP2.156729@news6.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142871
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

FOR SALE:

KENWOOD TS-180S Excellent condition
Includes: desk mic and hand mic; external VFO; external
speaker; manual etc.....
Asking: $450.00 OBO

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Noel Lozada
http://pinoyham.org
n6jfo@pinoyham.org
n6jfo@lj.net
nlozada@lj.net
702-647-4446 home
702-595-6901 cellular

4029. VX-5R Mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Humberger KB9TFH <KB9TFH@MichianaToday.com>
Message-ID: <373F39DD.2285E8D9@MichianaToday.com>
Source record: 142872

Hello, i have heard that you can modify the VX5R by using software, well what software do i need and how do you do this mod and does it work as well as the hardware mod.
Thanks for your help....73sss
Joseph Humberger KB9TFH

4030. Hams and the Dayton Hooters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hnl4jdue1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx

What a bunch of geek LOSER perverts KA9FOX and his fellow hen-pecked ham husbands were at this joint. What macho men you guys were. You can now return home and show your wives what studs you are (and they will say to themselves if you ever touch another woman I'll break your flabby ass).

These girls were laughing (all the way to the bank, they thought until they got their CHEAP ham TIPS) at these dorks.

I figure most of these jerks go to church on Sunday with their wives and then probably cut drivers off and bird them !

http://www.qth.com/sos/dayton99/sos-group1.jpg

NOTE the CALLSIGN BADGE in the restaurant on WV9T, if the picture doesn't speak for itself... Would they like their daughter to be ogled by drunk hams some day ?

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4031. Re: PRO-CW-Statement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: G8ASO <g8aso@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37407919@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 142625
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Greetings

I can wholeheartedly support this pro CW idea, where would we all be without carrier waves?

Now if this twat were to condone the continued use of Morse, then I would have to come out in opposition.

Carrier waves, the more the merrier!!

73s G8ASO

Frank Schmitte <dl1ydl@muenster.de> wrote in message news:7hnbig$5jl$1@news.citykom.de...
> Hello to everbody,
>
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>
> http://www.muenster.de/~dl1ydl/E_PCS.html
>
> please. If you want to discuss about it, it is also possible. You will find
> a link to a simple discussion forum on the end of the statement.
>
> I hope you enjoyed it...
>
>
> 73 Frank
>
> --
> | D L 1 Y D L /DL-CW-C # 030|
> |.- --. -... .--. . ... --... ...-- / AGCW-DL #2382|
> |URL : http://www.muenster.de/~dl1ydl / SV-CW-C # 076|
> |Email: dl1ydl@qsl.net or dl1ydl@muenster.de / DARC-OV N32|
>

4032. Re: PRO-CW-Statement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: G8ASO <g8aso@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37407943@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 142626
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Greetings

Oh, just seen the cross postings on this one, viva carrier waves, death to
Morse code!

http://www.laughingpoliceman.com

Seventy Trees G8ASO

Frank Schmitte <dl1ydl@muenster.de> wrote in message
news:7hnbig$5jl$1@news.citykom.de...
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> |Email: dl1ydl@qsl.net or dl1ydl@muenster.de / DARC-OV N32|
>

4033. Re: Everybody Needs an Elmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: G8ASO <g8aso@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37407988@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 142627
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,aus.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings

This NG has enough twats thankyou, now go and play with your Net Meeting v3.0!

Jeff Davis <Jeff@jehosophat.com> wrote in message news:slrn7juo68.t5l.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com...
>
> New article this week on Jehosophat.
>
> http://jehosophat.com
>
> Vy 73,
>
> --
> n9avg

4034. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7hpuso$e9v$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 142628

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news:7hpoeg$br3$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net...
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I thought he had more common sense that pulling a ridiculous
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- - --
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wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org
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4035. rogue cancels logged by usenet admins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Message-ID: <slrn7jvutv.rh.postmaster@viking.cris.com>
Source record: 142629

Usenet monitors have now noticed the rogue cancels from BellSouth.net.
From the most recent cancel report on news.admin.net-abuse.usenet, it
is clear that they have been logged. The next step will be for others
to notify BellSouth of the problem and subsequently to cut off its
newsfeeds if it doesn't correct the problem. The Atlanta canceler's
days are numbered, and (s)he may even wind up in court if BellSouth
follows its past practices.

> From andrew@erlenstar.demon.co.uk Sun May 16 17:00:15 1999
> ...
> Suspicious cancels from unknown sources: 5011
> ...
> 12 news3.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
> ...
> 6 news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail

4036. thanks for canceling my post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Message-ID: <slrn7k02rt.ed8.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
Source record: 142630
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

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To the person who canceled my "usenet admins" post, THANK YOU!!!
I now have the grounds to complain to abuse@bellsouth.net and
I have done so.

Posted and emailed to abuse@bellsouth.net with a note that
209.214.78.46 = host-209-214-78-46.atl.bellsouth.net

--(forged cancel follows)--

From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Subject: cancel <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
Message-ID: <O2L%2.8049$yo.452@news3.atl>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Control: cancel <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
References: <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
X-Trace: news3.atl 926907694 209.214.78.46 (Sun, 16 May 1999 22:21:34 EDT)
MIME-Version: 1.0
NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 22:21:34 EDT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
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4037. Re: Boatanchors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hq10b$2si@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142631

Daniel Metzger <dmetzger@monroe.lib.mi.us> wrote:
>Could some kind soul direct me to a newsgroup, website, or listserve on
>"boatanchors" - 1950s and earlier vintage ham gear.

Hi Dan, We have the newsgroup rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors, and at least two BA email lists, one of which is a pay-to-read, and another which is free: boatanchors@listserv.tempe.gov. To sub to the free one, send an email to listserv@listserv.tempe.gov and only write:
subscribe boatanchors
and you'll be hooked up.

There is also a list devoted to homebrewing with tube; to subscribe, send an email to majordomo@piobaire.mines.uidaho.edu and only write:
subscribe glowbugs
and you'll be hooked up.

Don't forget our Ham Radio History email list, too; to sub, send an email to hamradiohistory-subscribe@egroups.com; you can leave the body of the mail blank.

73, Jeff KH6O

4038. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990517140016.18237A-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 142632

As someone who was there, both at the booth when the demonstration occurred, and before, when Gordo was asked to "do something" for the TV crew, allow me to explain what happened:

Gordon and I were walking around the booths before the opening of the Hamvention on Friday. We were approached by a Hamvention committee member. The committee member explained to us that the TV crew had been interviewing people at the show, but were upset because none of the footage they had recorded was in the least bit interesting which was a problem, considering that the Hamvention is the biggest thing to hit Dayton each year.

Gordon agreed to do the interview, which was conducted just after 6pm on Friday evening at the Gordon West booth. The interview lasted approximately 15 minutes, during which time Gordon talked at length about the ARRL, the Hamvention, Amateur Television, Digital communications, satellite communications, worldwide voice communications, hand held radios, repeaters, the emergency communication done by thousands of hams hams each year, and of course, CW.

During the discussion of CW, he stated that in the old days, hams would send Morse code using a spark-gap transmitter that would send a signal across the airwaves by jumping a spark across two electrical contacts. He then used his "Blazing Pickle" apparatus to demonstrate the spark-gap method of sending CW. Unfortunately, we did not have access to any pickles, so a hot dog weiner was used instead. The interviewer, Channel 2's Jeanie Hogan, then sent the number 2 (as in "Channel 2") in CW... dididahdahdah. It was explained that spark-gap transmitters were no longer used. The entire CW portion of the interview lasted about 5 of the fifteen minutes of footage recorded.

What was shown on the TV news at 11pm Friday evening (and again on Saturday morning, apparently) was a 3 minute segment that contained *only* the "Blazing Pickle". Later newscasts on Saturday included more from the Hamvention interview. Most importantly, what was shown on the clip on television were a group of people *enjoying* the Hamvention and *enjoying* ham radio.

Tim Hynde asked what a non-ham would think of this demonstration, and called it "moronic". As Gordon writes ham radio instructional manuals, we got to meet *plenty* of non-hams as well as seasoned hams at the booth, many of whom had seen the Blazing Pickle (hot dog) demo. The reaction was amazing. Both hams and non-hams alike thought it was great. We did, however, have *one* negative response, from someone claiming to be the Public Relations personnel for a large amateur radio group. When asked if he had seen the whole interview, he said "no". When asked if he had been

there when the committee member asked Gordon to do an interview, he said "no". When asked if he had done an interview for the camera crew on behalf of his organization, his answer was again, "no".

When speaking from a position of ignorance, as this person was, and when claiming to be a Public Relations official of one of the largest amateur radio groups in this country, one would think that a little caution would be justified. Instead, this person launched into an attack on Gordon while he was at a distributor's booth. He did not wear a name badge, neither did he introduce himself by name, or by callsign (though we have since found out who this person is)... he simply waded in. What great PR for all those watching and listening in!

When this "PR" person later saw further footage of the interview containing many of the things he (and Tim) accused Gordon of not talking about, he (apparently) returned to the booth where he had verbally attacked Gordon, and apologized to the owner of the store who's booth it was. He also (supposedly) went to the CQ Magazine booth and apologized there. It seems that he had taken his tirade there too because they print some of Gordon's articles. In fact, it seems that the only person he didn't apologize to was Gordon himself.

Ham radio needs new blood. Good PR is what is needed, and if the response of the people at the Hamvention are anything to go by, this is what they got. We have no control over what the media shows on their nightly "news" broadcasts, but what we can do, when asked, is show them something interesting, something positive, something fun, and something memorable. Surely this is better than the first response from one group of hams when asked about their thoughts about the Hamvention, "Well, attendance was down". Be positive or you'll never get new hams.

Julian

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4039. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <374096a8.3844636@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have been buying equipment from HRO since 91 and,12-15 orders
later,I have never had any problem with them.

On Sun, 16 May 1999 21:10:33 -0400, "Rick Mintz"
<Rmintz@Frontiernet.net> wrote:

>Hi gang,
>
>I had purchased a Butternut HF-2V vertical from HRO in
>Salem, NH. The Butternut was not complete with some parts
>missing. HRO sent me a replacement the same day I phone them
>and also a UPS call tag to return the original.
>
>I think that is great service. Guess where I continue to
>shop?
>
>Rick, W1TY
>
>BD <bodu@pobox.com> wrote in message
>news:7hkqgjrad1@newnews.startext.net...
>| I ordered a discontinued (I think, since there was only
>one left) 32k
>| version of the Kantronics 9612+ for about $240 or so....
>Well.. I get it
>| UPS'd, open it up and find that the reciept will be sent
>later (there was no
>| indication at all of what they charged me), and go hook it
>up (I had to buy
>| a few parts and solder the stuff cables together myself,
>so it's hardly in
>| returnable-condition now) and start playing with it..
>| WELL.. Today, I get the receipt for $329 showing that I
>ordered the 128k
>| version!!
>| Not that I'd not have ordered it anyway if the 32k wasn't
>shown to be
>| available (possibly should have anyway, but that's
>something else), but...
>| Anyone else have such happen to 'em when ordering from Ham
>Radio Outlet??
>| Shouldn't they only be allowed to charge me up to what I
>agreed to without
>| me having to return me little toy? ;) Sounds reasonable
>to me..

>| I'd expect to return the over-charge without getting the
>merchandise back in
>| my line-o-biz, for sure...
>|
>|
>|
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>

4040. Porkbutt spoofed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3740959D.45AB@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142634

I now have proof that DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com is Porkbut. I will post for
those that are interested.
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4041. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <3740982f.7093738@news.mint.net>
Source record: 142635

On Mon, 17 May 1999 11:44:24 -0400, kf2ti@planet.net (Steve - KF2TI)
wrote:

<snip>

>
>You might be interested to know that I challenged his highness to come
>to a computer show in Boston to meet face to face and his reply was 25
>cents per mile and expenses
>
>hypocrite and Fisher synonymous words

Like I said in an earlier post - he's blowing it out his ...

Kevin, N1UYW
Can you tell I have no use for Burp Fisher?

4042. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: octigentenary perambulator <vlteaske@pacbell.com>
Message-ID: <7hq9n2$fo2$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142636

Incident 1:

>><<<<<<LET ME TELL YOU WHAT TO DO WITH THIS SANCTIMONIOUS B.S. DOWN BELOW.I
>PERSONALLY HEARD THAT IGNORANT TENNESSEE HILLBILLY BIGOTED REDNECK,
>GEORGE("Polly") ASHLEY TELL K3CQR, BILL IRWIN, AFTER BILL HAD JUST LOST HIS
>BELOVED MOTHER, TO GO HAVE SEX WITH HIS DEAD MOTHER. WHAT YOU ARE DESCRIBING
>PALES BY COMPARISON TO THE CRUELTY BY ASHLEY WHO, NO LESS, IS AN ELDER(A
>VAUNTED POSITION)IN HIS METHODIST CHURCH WHOSE BOARD AND MINISTER MUST BE THE
>BIGGEST BUNCH OF PHONIES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI. AF2Y, DOC>>>>>>>>>>>>

Incident 2:

>> Harrison, a regular net participant, was
>> telling others of his wife's demise a few days
>> earlier. He was clearly suffering, and in
>> shock. But the other net participants
>> are his social friends, and he was describing
>> how his wife used to bring him popcorn while he
>> was on the air.

Both incidents noted above were equally disgusting.

Anyone who would stoop so low as take a swipe at a person who has
just lost a loved one needs to be taken out someplace and have several
.357 rounds >pumped into< their disgusting and depraved brain at close
range, stuffed into a 55 gallon drum with lead bars, then dumped into the
Offshore Atlantic Dump Site. (to preserve the collective human gene-pool
and any respectful place for the deceased from the bile of such a perpetrator)

I'm a SWL and heard this last Sat nite. I don't agree with all of what the 3950
regulars say on the L. Net, but this act was sick and beyond any justification!

A VERY disgusted SWL

4043. Kenwood HT Programing Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Donald E. Smith" <desmith@innercite.com>
Message-ID: <3740BCDE.59F3DCE7@innercite.com>
Source record: 142637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I am trying to get my Kenwood programer working for doing the kenwood TK 930 and TK 940 mobiles. So far it doesn't seem to communicate with the radios. I have searched the web and found two schematics for a programer but the wiring to the mike connectors do not match each other. Can anybody clue me into the correct pin out for the mike connector. My programmer uses a 5 volt regulator and obtains its power from the mike connector. Please respond by email Thanks Don KB6GQA.

4044. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hqf39ssc1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142638

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>down". Be positive or you'll never get new hams.
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I agree and it's unfortunate that many times the media can edit a piece in such a way that it makes it look really bad, I just didn't think showing a hot dog being cooked by high voltage with sparks flying up and down the wire was the best idea when asked to show them something "interesting".

Tim

4045. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3740C58F.AD4A2EE@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142639

Julian M. Frost wrote:

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> interviewing people at the show, but were upset because none of the
> footage they had recorded was in the least bit interesting which was a
> problem, considering that the Hamvention is the biggest thing to hit
> Dayton each year.

Why does anyone find that surprising ? It is a sad commentary on Ham Radio as well as the city of Dayton.

4046. Morse Code Timing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Hitchner <hitchner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hqi12$ec4$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142640

I am trying to generate morse code using a computer.

What I know:

Dash Length = 3 Dot Lengths
Space between Dots/Dashes = 1 Dot Length
Character Spacing = 3 Dot Lengths
Word Spacing = 7 Dot Lengths

What I have not been able to determine is the Dot Length for a
given Words Per Minute. For example: What is the Dot Length
in milliseconds for a code rate of 5 WPM.

I can generate code with no problem but I not sure about the
actual timing. Any help would be appreciated.

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
-
ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

4047. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3740D3E6.E24@sir.com>
Source record: 142641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

just.do.it email.ro (AE) wrote:
>
> Cutting here -n- there from all the threads:
>
> > What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
> > how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
> >
> > What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
> > other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
> > learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
> >
> > They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
> > the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
> > to go ahead and use voice.
> >
> > Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.
>
> 90% of the automobile drivers out there don't intend to use anything
> they *learned* to get their drivers license,

Give me an example, I can't think of one thing you learn to get a
driver's license that you wouldn't need to know when you drive.

why not drop that
> requirement too? Just let 'em all drive, drop the roadtest
> requirement!

That would be like dropping the rules and technical requirements on the
ham test. Both are needed and used by everyone in Ham radio. We are
talking about Morse Code which does NOT have to be used in order to
operate Ham radio. If it was required to learn how to ride a horse to
get that driver's license, then you could argue about that, but they
don't test for stuff EVERY driver won't need to know in order to drive.

> Ever stop to think that maybe the government intended to keep some
> people out?

No, they droped the code on the tech to get people in, not out. They
would drop the code for other classes too if they could, but it is an
international requirement, so it will take a bit longer to do.

Why not drop the code requirment for commercial broadcast
> while we're at it?

There never was or is a code requirement for commercial broadcast.

4048. 148 GTL Cobra! For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jaymes Bond <JaymesBond007@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7hqjphmts1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

I Have A Cobra 148 GTL As It Was New, Used Only Once.
Has No Mods Other That A Power Peak Out.
The Radio Was Purchased New In 1992 And Has Never Been Mobile
I Do Not Have A Mounting Bracket
And Does Include The Power Cord And The Microphone.
This Radio Is In As New Shape And Transmits And Receives Right On Frequency.
This Is The Older More Sought After Rig.
I Can E-Mail Pics If Interested.
The Price Is 125.00 US Which Includes Shipping In The Lower 48
States Or Trade For Misc Ham Gear. Preferrably CW
73's W5IDX Houston

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W5IDX@worldnet.att.net

4049. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dave <dave@virtualdesk.net>
Message-ID: <7hqlq1$42i$1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142643
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

nope i can say for myself that is not true hairloss came first weed came second

4050. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pproctor@neosoft.com
Message-ID: <pproctor.1970.0A26C909@neosoft.com>
Source record: 142644
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom,

In article <3740AE0E.F2140480@yahoo.com> kihika <kihika@yahoo.com> writes:
>Date: Mon, 17 May 1999 20:02:22 -0400
>From: kihika <kihika@yahoo.com>
>Subject: Marijuana

>We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
>in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
>a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
>question if this marijuana thing is true.

Absolutely untrue.

Dr P

4051. Re: Morse Code Timing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <926997728.026.100@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142645

The standard timing is "PARIS " sent five times in one minute for 5 wpm.
I think you have enough to work it out from there.

Michael.

David Hitchner <hitchner@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:7hqi12$ec4$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net...
> What I have not been able to determine is the Dot Length for a
> given Words Per Minute. For example: What is the Dot Length
> in milliseconds for a code rate of 5 WPM.

4052. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jake & Dianne Jessie Bebber <destiny@sundial.net>
Message-ID: <if503.8057$5e2.186939@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 142646
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

And this has what to do with weddings???

kihika wrote in message <3740AE0E.F2140480@yahoo.com>...
>
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>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
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>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
>question if this marijuana thing is true.
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> ------------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News
==----------
> http://www.newsfeeds.com The Largest Usenet Servers in the World!
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4053. Re: 148 GTL Cobra! For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Landshark <!lndshark@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3740DFB9.C4D47AB1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142647
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Jaymes Bond wrote:
>
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> The Price Is 125.00 US Which Includes Shipping In The Lower 48
> States Or Trade For Misc Ham Gear. Preferrably CW
> 73's W5IDX Houston
>
> --
> W5IDX@worldnet.att.net

Once is enough, Thank you very much.....

The Landshark
--
"A day without riding a Buell, is like
a day without Sunshine"

98 S3 Thunderbolt powered
83 Honda 1100F
99 F150 for Antenna platform
"A few more months now till baby's Born"

4054. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <3740E398.7F1BEDE3@innocent.com>
Source record: 142648

John Cermack wrote:

> Harrison, a regular net participant, was
> telling others of his wife's demise a few days
> earlier. He was clearly suffering, and in
> shock. But the other net participants
> are his social friends, and he was describing
> how his wife used to bring him popcorn while he
> was on the air.
>
> Then W9ART (Arthur Visor) began his jamming
> right on top of the net and Harrison's
> transmission. W9ART was playing tapes, and
> noise makers, while Harrison was describing the
> bible that his wife left behind for him
> to read, and whether it would be buried with
> her or not.
>
> W9ART, and his mentor KK7HO (Tim Volz) have
> defiled and disgraced the amateur radio
> service, As well as normal behavior. Anyone
> who could - or would, belittle someone while he
> is eulogizing his (recently deceased) spouse,
> has forfeited his place in a civilized society.

Lest people get the wrong impression from some of the posts here, it is worthwhile to note that Harrison Perl, K4GAR, who is probably the most consistent and long-standing participant in the weekly patriotic, perfectly legal, and above-board Liberty Net on 3950, is himself Jewish.

Like other Jewish truth-tellers Alfred Lilienthal, Benjamin Freedman, and Israel Shahak, Harrison is not afraid to criticize the Jewish establishment when it does wrong.

It was Harrison who lost his wife recently.

And it was W9ART, one of the inveterate jammers on that frequency, who spat gross obscenities in his face as Harrison expressed his grief. Two weeks earlier, W9ART vomited obscenities in the face of Riley Hollingsworth when he checked in on 3950. W9ART (Arthur Visser, note spelling) has been doing this sort of thing regularly for over two years.

Strangely, as far as I can tell, W9ART still possesses an amateur license.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

4055. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Solarpower1watt@Juno.com
Message-ID: <RNM%2.861$UD6.3289@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 142675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>It only took me 2 months studying to get my Tech-Plus license and 1 month to
>update to a General! And I'm 14 yrs old! These are true morons who dont
>deserve to be on Amateur Radio. And freedom of privacy overrides free
>speech.

Now there's an interesting statement. I can't fine any guarantee of privacy anywhere in the Constitution, but freedom of speech is right there at the top of the Bill of Rights.

Ed

REPLY INFO:
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Return address modified to prevent automatic SPAM response.
TO REPLY: remove the "watt" from my return address.
==========

4056. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gardner Mayo <gbmayo@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <373F9ADC.8FE6CC4B@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 142676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Thats a great Idea about throwing the radio in with a few other things on the tray so it seems like its a phone and they give you no problems about it. I wouldnt want to be responsible for me and my family denied or missing a flight over a radio. They would be realy mad!!

Brad Granger wrote:

>
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>
>
> Of course, you just be a whole lot more subtle about it. throw the radio
> along with your keys and small change into the little wooden tray at the
> xray and let them scan it (pun eh?). They will think it is a mobile phone
> and cause you no more grief. I know this works, it works for me, in the USA
> and here in Australia.
>
> When you are wandering the airport listening, don't draw attention to
> yourself, play it smart and leave the radio in a pocket or on your hip,
> listen with a pair of walkman headphones, no-one will know the difference.
> On my last trip I was carrying both scanner and 2m HT. Just have a jacket
> with big pockets.
>
> Brad VK2QQ

4057. Re: CRAZY ON EBAY??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjheys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517003045.18181.00001444@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 142677

I guess it's whatever the market will bear .
It's perhaps one place that the used equip. seller has a fighting chance .

I'm planning to eventually get on the "bandwagon" also . If you can't beat em'
...

Enjoy !!!

4058. Night Eagle For Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: doug_w99@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hoa2q$r8s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi, I have an Astatic D-104 Night Eagle microphone for sale for $50.00. It is 3 months old and is in like new condition in all respects. It is wired for a Ranger 2950. I had to sell all me gear to pay a debt and the Night Eagle mic is the only thing I have left. I was hoping to be able to keep it because it is such a nice mic but I have to sell it too. I will ship C.O.D or pre-paid. Please email me at: Doug-W@webtv.net if you are interested. Thanks All....Doug Wells

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4059. B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517005321.21437.00002170@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142679

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4060. B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517005334.21437.00002171@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142680

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4061. B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517005345.21437.00002172@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142681

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4062. B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517005358.21437.00002173@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142682

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4063. B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517005410.21437.00002174@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142683

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517005420.21437.00002175@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142684

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4065. NEED RLC-2A for REPEATER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Richard Paul Merrell <k6jxy@home.com>
Message-ID: <373FA6E2.98A13AA4@home.com>
Source record: 142685
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio

I am in need of an rlc-2A for my UHF repeater if you have one that you want to move to upgrade to something else please E-mail. I need at least the controler and rack mount cabinent. if you have the auto-patch option I would be interested but its not a must. dont need DVR stuff. I have the firmware update for the unit. just send E-mail as to what you have and we can go from there.

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Richard Paul Merrell
k6jxy@home.com
instant messenger: k6jxy
ICQ: 32544231
http://members.home.net/k6jxy

4066. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: tyler@NOSPAM.nightowl.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11a96925e602f8d989688@news2.nightowl.net>
Source record: 142686

In article <D5v%2.4605$mj.123333@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>, kf6knb@qsl.net
spewed the following.....
> I can call myself an amateur radio operator because that's what it states on
> my LICENSE, which grants me that authority. What justification and /or
> authority do you have that allows you to claim that status, or did you just
> make it up - like your cb "handle" or "numbers" ? :>)
>
> 73 de KF6KNB

I guess my justification would have to be having a ham callsign as well.
Although I hate to admit it I do happen to carry the callsign of kb0udf.
I quit talking on ham radio a few years ago, and not because of a lack of
knowledge or a lack of interest, but for a lack of interesting people to
talk to. I have been a CB'er for years, since I was 12, I'm now almost
27, and I knew about ham radio for many years. Well a few of my friends
decided to get there tickets and I never really wanted to until a few
years later. I saw the No-Code route as a quick and dirty methode to get
on the air with a callsign. I was really hyped, i figured I would get
that ticket and then study my ass off to learn the code and upgrade.
Well just for that purpose I bought a used shortwave receiver so I could
listen to the HF etiquitte and try to copy the W1AW code bulletins. Well
after listening for a few months I found much to my surprise there was
less arguing and bad apples on the CB band in my area. So i reverted
back to chatting on 2 meters. Well all I found was a bunch of guys with
no lives and there shirt collars to tight. I mean everywhere I went
there they were, passing rumors, always wanted to take the credit, and
turning everything into a contest. Well I like the more laid back type
of people, the ones who have other interest and hobbies outside of the
radio and I just didn't find them on ham radio. Now mabey it's my fault
and I am expecting to much, but for everyday chit chat and just having a
good time, for me, CB is it. I have seen one to many CB'ers get there
tickets, upgrade, and then just dissapear from CB. I mean they just
turned there backs on what got them started in radio to begin with.
Now I don't know about you guys but I wouldn't want to teach somebody how
to build a boat and then they never take me out on it.

Where did I get my facts about my first statement? I payed attention. I
see alot of the same people posting to the CB groups and the Ham groups
and sometimes even cross posting to both.

I don't have a "handle", why should I, I'm not a suitcase. And I don't
use numbers either, to impersonal. I just use my name, short easy and I
have nothing to hide from.

So when a guy want's to post a CB wesite in a ham group why give him a hard time? You saw the header, why did you read the message then? Mabey he's a ham and know's that alot of hams are also CB'ers too. And hey he's just trying to let them know about his site.

Hey I don't over modulate my signal or run excessive power and I don't talk on the freeband, so I would have to say I sleep pretty good at night.

If anyone would like to continue this conversation lets take it to email and give the rest of the group a break. Just remember to remove NOSPAM from my address. Have a good week.

Todd

>

4067. Re: New NYPD Radio Plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Markj <markj@got.net>
Message-ID: <373FD432.CA257AA1@got.net>
Source record: 142687

david torres wrote:

> phase 4 with be the purches of new radios and fadeing out the
> motorola saber's the new radio i have bin told is water
> prof, bullet prof, weather prof and shock prof from droping
> the parts are cheper than motorola

Great news for that guy that was killed in NY last year when the beat cop tossed the radio at him.
He died when he was strick in the head.
Stick with Motorola...BTW...Nice list and update.

4068. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: burt1@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hoqt0$6ri$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142688

In article <373EC747.82BCB102@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> I've said (in so many words) that he's obnoxious,
> opinionated and stubborn. That's obviously true
> to any observer and I dare say Burt would agree.
> I'd certainly say that to his face and he'd
> probably have a few choice nuggets for me, as well.

I have no "nuggets" for you.

Please visit my World Wide Web Site, you have never seen a page like it.
You will see:

1. How to pass the A+ Certification
2. See Hillary do something naked.
3. A blond naked chic being held by a female ham!.
4. Take the Burt Poll, about Clinton ham spouses, girlfriends
5. Attacks against Burt K1OIK's opinion of ham radio in a national publication
for broadcasters
6. Burt's opinion on the First Affair in the White House with a picture of the
new first couple.
7. The writings of me and others on ham radio, hear a typical ham contact.
8. The warm side of K1OIK, hear me speak, see me with famous people.
9. A test for your SVGA monitor
10. Pictures of me and my family.
11. Did common German's enable the holocaust?
12. See now the future of ham radio.

Burt Fisher
A Plus Certified Teacher of video, broadcasting and electronics
Amateur call South Dennis, Ma. (Cape Cod)
K1OIK Bacteria-the only culture most hams have

burt@imfamous.com
http://www.geocities.com/WallStreet/5169

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

4069. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7hpalvhbo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7hnqgi$22k6$1@node17.cwnet.frontiernet.net>,
"Rick Mintz" <Rmintz@Frontiernet.net> wrote:

> The Butternut was not complete with some parts
> missing. HRO sent me a replacement the same day I phoned them
> and also a UPS call tag to return the original.

Unbelievable story, Rick. You had a problem with a purchase, called up
the dealer, and had it all straightened out immediately...

Why didn't you post defamatory public letters in newsgroups when you
first noticed the missing parts, Rick? You know, bitch and moan BEFORE
you called the dealer to straighten things out?

<g>

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

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4070. Re:C.A.R.S. classified

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hpdrvjre1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142690

radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> >>Hey BIG GUY GOY...You probably think a 33K modem are sanitary napkins>>>
> AF2Y

Halo OM AF2YID -- I hear Herbie calling you on 14.313. He wants to smell your modem.

BGO

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4071. Re: Where&#65533;is&#65533;this&#65533;hobby?&#65533;1920,&#65533;1960&#65533;or&#65533;2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hpo6mrlh1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The ConQueror" <joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:

> I am a 14 yr old. I got ham radio before I got the Net. My parents
> convince me that idea about the Internet. But, I still use ham
> radio. HAM RADIO IS A TOTALLY DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE THAN THE INTERNET!

> -Dan K3DRQ

OM Dan,

Welcome! You may be only 14, but you understand a lot better
than the idjit who started this thread.

CUL!

BGO

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4072. Re: more rogue cancels from bellsouth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hptajvgb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142692

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In article <slrn7jte4s.5qq.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>,
postmaster@warez.phantom.com (Dave) wrote:
> Here are some of the latest efforts by the lamer at
> BellSouth:
>
> From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
> Subject: cancel <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
> Message-ID: <sLr%2.7510$yo.286@news3.atl>
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
> Control: cancel <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> References: <7hksr4$m1u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
> X-Trace: news3.atl 926828632 209.214.67.43 (Sun, 16 May 1999 00:23:52
EDT)
> MIME-Version: 1.0
> NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 00:23:52 EDT
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>
> This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
>
> From: donkboy98@my-dejanews.com
> Subject: cancel <7hku35$mqh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
> Message-ID: <HMr%2.7513$yo.286@news3.atl>
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
> Control: cancel <7hku35$mqh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> References: <7hku35$mqh$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
> X-Trace: news3.atl 926828711 209.214.67.43 (Sun, 16 May 1999 00:25:11
EDT)
> MIME-Version: 1.0
> NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 00:25:11 EDT
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>
> This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.
>
Hey Dave;
How was bellsouth supposed to cancel this? I'm not on bellsouth! BTW
DICKBOY99 is the one I think you talking about A.K.A. porkbutt! We all
know that porkbutt isn't smart enough to set up a proxy server. He said
he had his Girlfriend set it up for him. More likly his soninlaw set it
up for him. I was talking to Oris and he told me that dickboy99 thinks
that I'm Oris HA HA HA porkbutt I'm closer to you than you would ever
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believe. Well dick head I'm not Oris. In fact you puss growing
boil behind the ears fool you know me, quite well and I know about all
your part97 violations. I know all about your Jamming on 3.8945 and now
you use the same style here in the newsgroups. So your going to start
your crap in the news groups since the F.C.C. guy has taken your vanity
call away. Well Dickboy99 what do you have to say for yourself now. I
think that your a little boy and the F.C.C. is going to take your toys
away and now your crying. I geuss you can go back to building Texas Star
amps for the trailer trash on 11 meters. dickboy99 oops DoNkBoY99
dickboy99 isn't trailer trash he is trailer toxic waste.
VJ Piolet

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4073. New on Jehosophat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: photuris@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hq2ih$3c6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142693

You are invited to visit Jehosophat.com!

New this week: "Everybody Needs an Elmer"

Stories, opinions, links, mailing lists and more.

http://jehosophat.com/

Vy 73,

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4074. FT100, FT1000MP and K1DG on Yaesu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hq2us$3ph$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Any spelling mistakes Chip ?

Several of the ... at Dayton were looking at the FT100....I thought this might be of interest:

I got my 1000MP back today from Yaesu, they replaced the Control Unit. Chip told me he knew of no known problems with this part...yet, I found several others at the various hospitality suites who had to return their 1000MPs for various problems relating to the control units.

Why can't Yaesu be honest with us? I keep hearing from my JA buddies that Yaesu Japan is losing money and in financial difficulties....this could be why, their home market knows what's up.

73
Don

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4075. Nomads Mailing List (NEW)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: photuris@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hq32k$3qa$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142695

The Nomads mailing list is for Amateur operators who must travel frequently with their job or for other reasons and yet would like to take Ham radio along.

Discussions will center on the unique problems and solutions of remaining active in the hobby from hotel balcony's, rental cars, etc.

If interested, join us! More information on subscribing can be found at:

http://jehosophat.com/nomads/

Vy 73,

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4076. Re: Hot 2m News for Cape Cawd !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kn1oik@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hq7o8$75a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142696

In article <ZxM%2.4544$xa.44630@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>,
"Bill Mather" <capecodhams@eudoramail.com> wrote:

> 73, Bill

Want me to call daddy again?

Burt

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4077. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Burt <burt@imfamous.com>
Message-ID: <7hopj9$o1p$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 142697

JustKev wrote in message <373f6cc4.7225463@news.mint.net>...
>And I've told him my opinion of him, which I would say to his face.

You would NEVER say it to my face. I told you I was coming to a computer show near you and you refused to appear.

>He's a windbag letting out air in a fashion that young school boys
>often find amusing - he's blowing it out his ....

See you Saturday at a computer show near YOU?

Burt

4078. Everybody Needs an Elmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7juo68.t5l.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 142698
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,aus.radio.amateur.misc

New article this week on Jehosophat.

http://jehosophat.com

Vy 73,

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n9avg

4079. New Mailling List

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7jvsdc.ud6.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 142699

The Nomads mailing list is intended to be a resource for those Hams who travel often for work or leisure. Operating from a hotel or rented car can be both challenging and rewarding. If this sounds like you, join us!

http://jehosophat.com/nomads/

Vy 73,
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jeff davis, n9avg
http://jehosophat.com

4080. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <37400259.5561525@news.mint.net>
Source record: 142700

On Mon, 17 May 1999 06:03:53 -0400, "Burt" <burt@imfamous.com> wrote:

>
>JustKev wrote in message <373f6cc4.7225463@news.mint.net>...
>>And I've told him my opinion of him, which I would say to his face.
>
>
>You would NEVER say it to my face. I told you I was coming to a computer
>show near you and you refused to appear.
>
Lie. You didn't say you were coming to a computer show near me. You
said I should come to Mass. I told you, plain and simple, I have no
desire to come to Mass to see you.
>
>
>>He's a windbag letting out air in a fashion that young school boys
>>often find amusing - he's blowing it out his ....
>
>
>See you Saturday at a computer show near YOU?

Good luck finding one. I don't go to computer shows unless there's
something there I may need at better prices than I can get locally -
which basically means you won't see me at a computer show.

But, just to show I still think the same about you; Burpie Boy, you
are an asshole.
>
>Burt
>
>

Kevin, N1UYW

4081. rogue cancels logged by usenet admins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: root@warez.phantom.com
Message-ID: <slrn7k01pa.6k.root@wild.net>
Source record: 142701

Usenet monitors have now noticed the rogue cancels from BellSouth.net. From the most recent cancel report on news.admin.net-abuse.usenet, it is clear that they have been logged. The next step will be for others to notify BellSouth of the problem and subsequently to cut off its newsfeeds if it doesn't correct the problem. The Atlanta canceler's days are numbered, and (s)he may even wind up in court if BellSouth follows its past practices.

> From andrew@erlenstar.demon.co.uk Sun May 16 17:00:15 1999
> ...
> Suspicious cancels from unknown sources: 5011
> ...
> 12 news3.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail
> ...
> 6 news1.atl.POSTED!not-for-mail

4082. Re: Strom's Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517081323.26259.00001411@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142702

<< yd.
Just the neo-nazis on the libertynet. If you stop and think about what you
wrote it applies ten fold to the "So Called" net participants. They seem to be,
and just listen, "lashing out at the whole world."
What about kkkevin's horrific words, Lloyd?

Check OUT

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.co >>
<<<<<<TNX FOR THE SUPPORT. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

4083. Re: A serious question that deserves a serious answer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517082341.26259.00001413@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142703

<<
Question: Even if all of the things the B.A.R.F is telling me about this conflict are true, it is just old history and needs to be put aside. Why can't the B.A.R.F. just forget about the past and go on with its Ham Radio life? Doesn't the B.A.R.F. think that this whole affair has gone way too far >>
<<<Yes indeed but it will slacken as soon as Schoenbohm gets that cease and desist order. The head of the snake will then have been cut off and the body, composed of you sneaky snivelling wrigglers will die. It's KV4FZ who started this thing. It is he who concocted biased stories about INTERCON and it's we, who love Mrs. Hoffman and that net,who have and will complain about that V.I. German vermin until he's history and he takes the rest of you goat cheese with him. All of you who follow Schoenbohm have certain things in common. All are anti-Semites as the highest priority; you're liars,jammers,troublemakers,instigators and rebels against authority which sets reasonable standards. All of you belong in the same trough of swill.
Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>>>

4084. Re: STROM'S BIGGEST HEADACHE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517082653.26259.00001414@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142704

<< g20.aol.com>

"We were born on the same soil, live on the same land, and why should we not be brothers and sisters?"

-- Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest addressing the black community of Memphis at the city Fairgrounds, July 5, 1875
<<<AND THEN HE JOINED THE KKK.Doc,AF2Y>>>>>

Put that in your pipe and smoke it!!!
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

>>

4085. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <37401bc1.6094408@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 142705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Christopher W. Buckley <cwbuckle@mtu.edu> wrote:

:product back to them, postage paid. This was alot better than

Do you mean a lot or not a lot?

Barry
==========
Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
Web page: http://www.acay.com.au/~barryo

4086. Re: KK7HO continues to harass other hams on 3.950 - URL inside

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517102756.11734.00001672@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 142706

Very well put,and all very true.

4087. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517104625.11734.00001676@ng14.aol.com>
Source record: 142707

He never said he invented the Cloud Warmer, he told others that "I"told him how to put it together, which is true. Now go ahead and say "I" invented it, which would also be a lie.

4088. Contest time and voice keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Stu Olson <solson@usa.net>
Message-ID: <7hp9rdrmv1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142708

With Fieldday and the June VHF contests just around the corner, why not save the old "voice box" and use a software digital voice keyer. "VoiceKeyExpress" works great on your lap top or full sized PC. Version 1.3.5 is available for downloading at the URL below. Runs as a standalone application, or is fully integrated with the FT-Manager radio control software. Don't wait till the last minute to register, as I'll be on vacation during both of the contests.

73......Stu

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Stu Olson <'98 TJ Mobile as N7QJP>
http://home.earthlink.net/~n7qjp

4089. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve6xtc@ecn.ab.ca
Message-ID: <37402a44.0@ecn.ab.ca>
Source record: 142709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dear folks;
I've realized what the problem with CW is. One has to
learn it. On the other hand, it's the only form of digital communication
which humans can hear and translate. Of course learning cw would be a lot
more fun if it were installed in a special brain implant. This would
stimulate the pleasure centre whenever the person got a character right.
I can imagine the following conversation between a married couple:

Wife: "Let's go to bed darling."
Husband: Not yet my love, I need to practice more cw."
Wife: "But you've been at it all day."
Husband; "Aw just five more minutes alright?"

If that was possible to do, cw would become more popular than sex and it
wouldn't have the annoying side effect of children either. Hmmm, I just
the spirit of W. C. Fields applauding and cheering. But seriously folks,
cw could be more fun if it were taught correctly. I unfortunately learned
it the wrong way so it took me so long to get it right.
By the way, have you listened to the 40M cw portion of the band
with a wide filter? It sounds like an avant-garde music piece. Perhaps
that could be a new musical form. I think I might just create my own cw
piece using oscilators to generate tones which could be listened to with
the filters in a graphic equalizer.
Oh, one more thing, why doesn't some sci. fiction writer develope
a race of beings who communicate in cw? I've never once, in all my avid
reading, come across that.
Yours,

Bruce Atchison, a starving electronic music composer. Please enquire about
receiving a list of my 14 inexpensive cassette albums.
ve6xtc@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca
73!

4090. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: j1aguiar@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517113046.04295.00001364@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 142710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>Subject: Re: Another nice thing about CW.
>From: ve6xtc@ecn.ab.ca ()
>Date: 5/17/99 10:40 AM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <37402a44.0@ecn.ab.ca>
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>
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> Yours,
>
>Bruce Atchison, a starving electronic music composer. Please enquire about
>receiving a list of my 14 inexpensive cassette albums.
>ve6xtc@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca
>73!

There is a URL that has several music pieces that are all in CW. You would love the barn yard CW Chicken Song.

4091. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3740340E.F740DFF1@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

ve6xtc@ecn.ab.ca wrote:
> I've realized what the problem with CW is. One has to
> learn it. On the other hand, it's the only form of digital communication
> which humans can hear and translate.

It is a myth that humans can hear RF without help from electronics. If electronics are needed anyway, what's wrong with a little more electronics on that single chip?

> But seriously folks, cw could be more fun if it were taught correctly.

That's like saying that chocolate ice cream could be fun if taught correctly. Not true. I simply do not like chocolate ice cream. People vary in their ideas of "fun". What's wrong with live and let live?

> Oh, one more thing, why doesn't some sci. fiction writer develope
> a race of beings who communicate in cw?

Actually during evolution, several species tried Morse code for communications but predators with higher throughputs caused their immediate extinctions. :-)
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4092. A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3740339E.DEFB5A6C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142712

Rich,
I challenge you to write *** 3 ****,
that's T*H*R*E*E complete, coherent, connected
sentences within a single post.

I know it will be hard, but I'm betting on ya!

Dave AB5S

4093. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517113816.24412.00001500@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 142713

<<

Rich,
I challenge you to write *** 3 ****,
that's T*H*R*E*E complete, coherent, connected
sentences within a single post.

I know it will be hard, but I'm betting on ya!

Dave AB5S
<<<<<<<My good man, there are not too many who can come up to the standards of
David Shakespeare. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

>>

4094. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11aa03617cf344aa9897ef@news.planet.net>
Source record: 142714

In article <37400259.5561525@news.mint.net>, justkev@email.com says...
> On Mon, 17 May 1999 06:03:53 -0400, "Burt" <burt@imfamous.com> wrote:
>
> >
> >JustKev wrote in message <373f6cc4.7225463@news.mint.net>...
> >>And I've told him my opinion of him, which I would say to his face.
> >
> >
> >You would NEVER say it to my face. I told you I was coming to a computer
> >show near you and you refused to appear.
> >
> Lie. You didn't say you were coming to a computer show near me. You
> said I should come to Mass. I told you, plain and simple, I have no
> desire to come to Mass to see you.
> >
> >
> >>He's a windbag letting out air in a fashion that young school boys
> >>often find amusing - he's blowing it out his ....
> >
> >
> >See you Saturday at a computer show near YOU?
>
> Good luck finding one. I don't go to computer shows unless there's
> something there I may need at better prices than I can get locally -
> which basically means you won't see me at a computer show.
>
> But, just to show I still think the same about you; Burpie Boy, you
> are an asshole.
> >

You might be interested to know that I challenged his highness to come
to a computer show in Boston to meet face to face and his reply was 25
cents per mile and expenses

hypocrite and Fisher synonymous words

4095. 3.940 Noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: ronm@hevanet.com
Message-ID: <7hpgcmdm1@glisan.hevanet.com>
Source record: 142715

Hello all,

Here in the Pacific Northwest we are hearing a fairly strong signal of "white noise" on 3.940 most of the day. It started about 3 weeks ago (again) and it seems to be dependent on band conditions as to how loud it is. About a year ago we had this also. Does anyone have any ideas? Or what can be done. People from Seattle to Boise, to the southern Oregon coast have reported it both morning and evening.

Please reply via email to: ronm@hevanet.com

Thanks in advance for your help/suggestions.

Ron Magnus
WA7GFE

4096. Thank You Yaesu!!!!! :-))

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: timh@xuser.com
Message-ID: <37404788.0@news.xetron.com>
Source record: 142716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space

Thank You!
Yaesu U.S.A. and John Lynn from Customer Service for the kind gestures
toward the many visitors to the Yaesu booth at the Dayton Hamvention!!!!

--
Timothy W. Huster, W8TWH
http://www.xuser.com/~timh timh@xuser.com husterty@email.uc.edu
"..and Mom! I have to get home! My smile is just beaming, I'm so excited!",
Andrew H. age 7.

4097. thanks for cancelling my post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Message-ID: <slrn7k0ice.ap.postmaster@wild.net>
Source record: 142717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,news.admin.net-abuse.usenet

To the person who canceled my "usenet admins" post, THANK YOU!!!
I now have the grounds to complain to abuse@bellsouth.net and
I have done so.

Posted and emailed to abuse@bellsouth.net with a note that
209.214.78.46 = host-209-214-78-46.atl.bellsouth.net

--(forged cancel follows)--

From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Subject: cancel <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
Date: 16 May 1999 00:00:00 GMT
Message-ID: <O2L%2.8049$yo.452@news3.atl>
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
Control: cancel <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
References: <slrn7juhcd.ip.postmaster@galileo.cris.com>
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii
X-Trace: news3.atl 926907694 209.214.78.46 (Sun, 16 May 1999 22:21:34 EDT)
MIME-Version: 1.0
NNTP-Posting-Date: Sun, 16 May 1999 22:21:34 EDT
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc

This message was cancelled from within Mozilla.

4098. Wanted:Police Motorcycle Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Masa <mark@kelltech.com>
Message-ID: <3740674B.75590F9@kelltech.com>
Source record: 142718

I'm restoring a 1952 Harley Davidson police motorcycle and the only thing that I'm missing is the radio setup. I am interested in ANY pre 1970 police motorcycle radio since I can use it as trading material with the few other people in the country who are into this sort of thing. Specifically, I think what is correct for my bike is a Motorola FM TRU41. It is two boxes about 18" long x 10" wide x 10" high. (these dimensions are approximate) The receiver was in one box and the transmitter was in the other. The power supply was in one of the boxes also, but I'm not sure which one. There are interconnecting cables between the two boxes as well as a cable that went up to the control head mounted on the handlebars. The mic came from one of the boxes and was mounted on the tank. It is a tube radio. This is the one I need for my bike but am interested in ANY ANY ANY ANY pre 1970 motorcycle radio, especially if it has tubes. I hope somebody can help me.
Regards
Mark

4099. FS ads (was: Re: FOR SALE: Bearcat BC 100XLT Scanner)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hplb7$o49@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142719

Todd <tyler@NOSPAM.nightowl.net> wrote:
>In article <37401801.852778@news.adams.net>, macco@adams.net wrote:

>> Bearcat BC100XLT Scanner for sale. 100 channel scanner. Battery works

>AAAAHHHH, hey Dan Dan Dan, look this guy posted a scanner ad in your
>precious amateur.misc you better pounce on him.

Good point, Todd. We all need reminding that rec.radio.swap was created as the for-sale (but non-discussion) NG for the entire rec.radio.* hierarchy.

Thanks, everyone, for abiding by the charter.

Jeff KH6O, and the rest of your friendly rec.radio.amateur working-group.

4100. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <3740138a.6083820@news.planet.net>
Source record: 142720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 16 May 1999 14:29:30 GMT, just.do.it<AT>email.ro (AE) wrote:

>"Timothy Hynde" <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>>Jim Shaffer, Jr. wrote in message <37237fe5.169403227@news.csrlink.net>...
>>>On Sat, 24 Apr 1999 18:35:09 -0400, "CommQuart" <commquart@erols.com>
>>wrote:
>>>
>>>>Another winner! Errr, "Whinner"! If cw is soooo archiac,
>>>>why are there thousands of hams who use CW as their
>>>>primary operating mode? You might be surprised to learn
>>>>that many amateurs enjoy using cw.
>>>
>>>But nobody is proposing stopping them. They're only proposing that people
>>>who have no intention of using it shouldn't have to learn it.
>
>>But where does it end? The no code tech license asks questions about
>>telecommand for radio control airplanes, the ionoshpere, how to use a
>>voltmeter, signal generator, SWR meter whadda ya gotta learn all that for
>>all I wanna do is yak on the 2m repeater with my appliance operator friends?
>>Why should we require such knowlege when the applicant has no intention of
>>using it? Tim ka8ddz

Tim,
The fact remains that not one of those subject areas you
identify here are separate pass/fail test elements. You can
ignore several subject areas and still pass the test. Not so
for CW testing which is given, graded and must be
passed as a totally separate test element. I have said
before that if CW was to be integrated into the overall
test score rather than as a separate pass/fail element
as it is now, that I'd have no problem with that.
Indeed, when the CW test goes away, I expect that
there will be some CW related questions added into
the theory test just as there are questions already
there on other modes.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

4101. Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hpoeg$br3$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142721

Ya know I like the guy just fine, he seems to be sincere in promoting amateur radio but Channel 7 in Dayton while reporting the fest showed Gordon West demonstrating to the reporter how to cook a hot dog using a spark gap transmitter. That was the whole piece, no mention of communications or anything else I can't imagine what a ham OR non-ham would get from such a report.

What a moronic way to demonstrate ham radio.

Tim

4102. FS Astron 35 A PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517145127.11102.00001743@ng-fr1.aol.com>
Source record: 142722

Model RS-35M good condition and clean. $135 shipped.

4103. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hpo5q$b0q$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

>Tim,
>The fact remains that not one of those subject areas you
>identify here are separate pass/fail test elements. You can
>ignore several subject areas and still pass the test. Not so
>for CW testing which is given, graded and must be
>passed as a totally separate test element. I have said
>before that if CW was to be integrated into the overall
>test score rather than as a separate pass/fail element
>as it is now, that I'd have no problem with that.
>Indeed, when the CW test goes away, I expect that
>there will be some CW related questions added into
>the theory test just as there are questions already
>there on other modes.
>
>Cheers,
>Bill K2UNK

I suppose I could go for that.

4104. Looking for HF Power Amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karol Król <karol@ds14.agh.edu.pl>
Message-ID: <37406CB1.C1388FCA@ds14.agh.edu.pl>
Source record: 142724

Hi!
I am looking for schemes of tube HF PA. I would be grateful for any
URL.
Thanks in advance.

VY 73
de SP9UMK

4105. PI4ZLD website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Henk Remijn <hremijn@nospam.zeelandnet.nl>
Message-ID: <373f4adb$0$22827@news2.zeelandnet.nl>
Source record: 142805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet

PI4ZLD info.

See http://pi4zld.8m.com/info-eng.html (us mirror)
or for europeans: http://www.hzeeland.nl/~eddy/ham/rdb/info-eng.html
or dutch: http://www.hzeeland.nl/~eddy/ham/rdb/info-ned.html

4106. New Amateur Radio Web Ring

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hotradio@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hnok0$g83$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142806

Amateur radio operators with web pages are welcome to join the new Amateur Radio Links Web Ring. Information can be found here: <www.geocities.com/WallStreet/Floor/2632/webring.html>This is a free service.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4107. Re: AF2Y "Talks Tough" and gets his rear Kicked!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@amsat.org
Message-ID: <373f6050.120929023@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142807

"Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Making Threat's now???
>
>Radiosigs wrote:
>
>> << RAMBOFACE...YOU'RE ON MY HIT LIST. KEEP IT IN MIND. af2y, Doc,radiosigs >>
>
>
>
>--
>LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
>Athens, Alabama
>ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
>ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
>
>WEB PAGES:
>http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
>http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
>
>
Wanna Buy Jimmy Hoffa's Wrist Watch?
give you a good deal on it.

4108. Info on a SX-28 silver front panel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: JOSEPH FROUNJIAN <josfro@becnet.com>
Message-ID: <01be9fe4$555bec00$2bcaaacc@default>
Source record: 142808

Any one have any information on a Hallicrafters SX-28 that has a silverish gray front panel with red lettering. This looks original and has been in storage for some time.
thank you,
--
Joseph Frounjian
KA3OYJ

4109. Re: pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sfritts@icx.net
Message-ID: <373f64a6.378641@news.icx.net>
Source record: 142809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 16 May 1999 13:54:24 -0600, "Mark B. Colosia"
<mcolosia@earthlink.com> wrote:

>A while back, I had heard of ham living in New Mexico (USA), by the
>first name
>of Bill, that did mods for some ICOM transceivers. (Bill) apparently
>replaced
>some of the IF diodes for pin diodes reducing receive noise floor
>considerably ...
>possibly along the lines Dr. Ulrich Rodhe's designs.
>
>If anyone knows of Bill in Mew Mexico and/or how to get a hold of him
>...
>I would very much appreciate it.
>
>thanks in advance,
>-- mark.
>
>
I would also like to have those mods!! I am using a 745 icom here.

Steve

4110. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516204258.24411.00001333@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 142810

<< update to a General! And I'm 14 yrs old! These are true morons who dont deserve to be on Amateur Radio. And freedom of privacy overrides free speech.

-Dan K3DRQ

John Cermack <jcer456@emachine.com> wrote in message news:373EDD03.630EFC8E@emachine.com...
> Opponents of free speech on the Liberty Net
> (3950 Jammers) hit a new low last Saturday
> night.
><<<<<<LET ME TELL YOU WHAT TO DO WITH THIS SANCTIMONIOUS B.S. DOWN BELOW.I PERSONALLY HEARD THAT IGNORANT TENNESSEE HILLBILLY BIGOTED REDNECK, GEORGE("Polly") ASHLEY TELL K3CQR, BILL IRWIN, AFTER BILL HAD JUST LOST HIS BELOVED MOTHER, TO GO HAVE SEX WITH HIS DEAD MOTHER. WHAT YOU ARE DESCRIBING PALES BY COMPARISON TO THE CRUELTY BY ASHLEY WHO, NO LESS, IS AN ELDER(A VAUNTED POSITION)IN HIS METHODIST CHURCH WHOSE BOARD AND MINISTER MUST BE THE BIGGEST BUNCH OF PHONIES EAST OF THE MISSISSIPPI. AF2Y, DOC>>>>>>>>>>>>
> Harrison, a regular net participant, was
> telling others of his wife's demise a few days
> earlier. He was clearly suffering, and in
> shock. But the other net participants
> are his social friends, and he was describing
> how his wife used to bring him popcorn while he
> was on the air.
>
> Then W9ART (Arthur Visor) began his jamming
> right on top of the net and Harrison's
> transmission. W9ART was playing tapes, and
> noise makers, while Harrison was describing the
> bible that his wife left behind for him
> to read, and whether it would be buried with
> her or not.
>
> W9ART, and his mentor KK7HO (Tim Volz) have
> defiled and disgraced the amateur radio
> service, As well as normal behavior. Anyone
> who could - or would, belittle someone while he
> is eulogizing his (recently deceased) spouse,
> has forfeited his place in a civilized society.
>
> The only thing we can do about this latest
> ourrage is to contact the lead enforcement officer
> at the FCC. He is available via E-Mail at:
>

> rholling@fcc.gov
>
> He is William R. Hollingsworth (K4ZDH) aka, Rilley
> Hollingsworth, and it's his job to remove this
> cancer that is growing on our Amateur Radio
> Service.
>
> Thanks for taking a minute or two to email Rilley.
>
> rholling@fcc.gov >>

4111. a message for DonkeyBoy666

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516205136.24411.00001341@ng-fw1.aol.com>
Source record: 142811

Wise up you damn fool. Who in their right mind has the time and patience to try and decipher your less than childish prattle? If you're trying to be cute on this net,you're not You want to write in ridiculous dialect? Sit right down and write YOURSELF a letter. Ever since I've been on this net I've been noticing a trend of yours...to grow increasingly idiotic. Why don't you try writing in good English? By doing so, we may all be surprised to discover that you do have a brain. AF2Y, Doc

4112. Re: Burt Fisher

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: justkev@email.com
Message-ID: <373f6cc4.7225463@news.mint.net>
Source record: 142812

<snip>

>I've said (in so many words) that he's obnoxious,
>opinionated and stubborn. That's obviously true
>to any observer and I dare say Burt would agree.
>I'd certainly say that to his face and he'd
>probably have a few choice nuggets for me, as well.
>
>73 Dave AB5S

And I've told him my opinion of him, which I would say to his face.
But he tends to like to make people believe that he would do something
to "defend" his honor if someone tells him what they think of him.
He's a windbag letting out air in a fashion that young school boys
often find amusing - he's blowing it out his ....

Kevin, N1UYW

4113. Re: The BIGGEST FOX HUNT in Human History!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516214048.23708.00001504@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142813
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

<<
SETI@home is a scientific experiment that will harness the power of
hundreds of thousands of Internet-connected computers in the Search
for Extraterrestrial Intelligence (SETI). You can participate by
running a program that downloads and analyzes radio telescope data.
There's a small but captivating possibility that your computer will
detect the faint murmur of a civilization beyond Earth.
Download at this site. http://setiathome.ssl.berkeley.edu/

It's your chance to help find ET "FOR REAL"!.
The program works as a "Really Neet "Screen saver when you are not
using the Computer.
Check it out, it's the Biggest Fox Hunt in the Galaxy.
==========
http://www.mindspring.com/~helmsma >>
<<<>>>>>>

4114. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hnse6$f1n@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spike <spike@eyeball.org> wrote:
>If I had too much time on my hands, it sure wouldn't go to waste =
>learning how to poke at a damned
>keyer, learning how to communicate the hard way like some hard up for =
>entertainment idiot like you
>code freaks.
>You people need to get a life.
>You have waaay too much time on your hands as you give in to follious =
>things as in keying when there
>is a whole world starving and suffering out there.

Would operating a voice or digital mode help prevent starving and
suffering? (You sound like an NCI member! =:o)

>Get out once in a while and realize there is much more than your stupid =
>code and HAM radio's.

Hey "Spike," over 1700 children die each hour of the day from malnutrition
and disease (a UN statistic); why are *you* worrying about the code and
hams instead of doing something to help prevent all those deaths? Why
are *you* hanging out on a scanner, shortwave, or ham NG and posting to
same, instead of ending the world's suffering?

Here's something else for you to ponder: Which came first, the anti-code
post or the pro-code post?

Jeff KH6O

4115. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hnsik$f28@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <BA779EB0D02B0E40.420DECA6F1ABCD98.B3699CB357193F89@library-proxy.airnews.net>, Spike <spike@eyeball.org> wrote:
>Damned right it is legal.
>Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
>You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
>hold you down and rip the batteries out.
>Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.

And what "stupid" hobby would you be referring to? You're posting to a ham and a scanner NG; you must belong to one of those "stupid" catagories; which one?

Jeff KH6O

4116. Re: STROM'S BIGGEST HEADACHE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516220009.02136.00001245@ng20.aol.com>
Source record: 142816

"We were born on the same soil, live on the same land, and why should we not be brothers and sisters?"

-- Gen. Nathan Bedford Forrest addressing the black community of Memphis at the city Fairgrounds, July 5, 1875

Put that in your pipe and smoke it!!!
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4117. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hntei$fp3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

wildthing <wild1413@email.msn.com> wrote:
>It is EXACTLY this MENTALITY of NOT UNDERSTANDING which creates the WHOLE
>Y2K PANIC and EXPLOITATION TODAY!

The U.S. Navy ran the computer clocks ahead to 00/00/2000 on the aircraft carrier USS Constellation to test 260 systems involving the carrier's battle group; one of the more serious problems was that fleet radio messages would not automatically disperse among the 16 ships of the group. (From an article in the newspaper Honolulu Advertiser.)

Jeff KH6O

4118. A serious question that deserves a serious answer.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516221407.04875.00001413@ng19.aol.com>
Source record: 142818

Just Inï¿½ A serious question that deserves a serious answer.

Question: Even if all of the things the B.A.R.F is telling me about this conflict are true, it is just old history and needs to be put aside. Why can't the B.A.R.F. just forget about the past and go on with its Ham Radio life? Doesn't the B.A.R.F. think that this whole affair has gone way too far?

Answer: I wonderï¿½ would you feel the same way if it was your license that had been put in jeopardy by a hate group that refuses to discuss the possibility of a negotiated settlement? I wonderï¿½ would you sit back and calmly watch while a cabal of money chiselers concocts a false indictment that eventually costs you your honest livelihood? I wonder if you would put up with having your radio lifeï¿½ and your private lifeï¿½ destroyed by hired goons who get their orders directly from Net Headquarters in Clearwater? Maybe you would.

I don't know you at allï¿½ and I have no way of knowing how you might react to injustice and foul play. If the "Nets" had perpetrated this conspiracy on you (simply because they could not deal with the truth), would you have run into hiding like a scared rabbit? After reading some of your other commentsï¿½ I have a hunch that you just might be in there battling for what you think is fair and trueï¿½ right up to the final hour.

The B.A.R.F. stands by its membership no matter what the odds. When we are wrongï¿½ we admit it, apologize, and move on. We all make mistakes in judgmentï¿½ and sometimes even mistakes in our actions. That is a part of being mortal human beings. However, when we are rightï¿½ and we know we are rightï¿½ and there is no other available alternative but to fight onï¿½ then fight on, we shallï¿½ regardless of the cost.

The B.A.R.F understands that the life of one solitary, innocent, soulï¿½ far away in the American Virgin Islandsï¿½ means but very little to the vast majority of Hams. Everyone has their own troubles to worry aboutï¿½ paying the mortgageï¿½ putting the children through collegeï¿½ and, most importantly, maintaining good and wholesome relationships in the family. Perhaps the B.A.R.F. is not for everyone. We accept that possibility as an exercise of personal choice and good conscience. But, please do not ask us to abandon the principles that we hold most dear based upon the conjecture that a few of our frequencies might become slightly less chaotic.

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4119. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: little.feet@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <373f768a.7554736@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142819
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On Sun, 16 May 1999 21:42:14 -0400, "Joe Schlatter"
wrote:

>-- The vast majority of those whom I have encountered know less about
>properly installing and operating radio equipment than my two housecats.
>They do not understand -- and do not want to understand -- what you get into
>when you start modifying equipment, cranking up the power, cranking up the
>audio, splattering all over several frequencies, and the like. I have met few
>CB'ers who understand this concept.

In the trucking business, which is where most of the CB's are sold and
operated, I would have to say that the types you are describing are
still a minority. Why it is true that not many have a desire to learn
more about their radio other than where to turn it on or off, the
majority do not run linear amplifiers. The echo/reverb thing seems to
be slowly fading away as it becomes more evident that you can't
understand anything anybody says with the echo crancked up. Roger
beeps are attacked by most everybody on air because they sound too
much like the beep that the qualcomm unit makes when you've received a
message.

You are right about the guys running the amps. They do not care what
kind of interference they cause or that nobody in a 3 mile radius can
talk when they key up. I'd love to see this equipment and behavior
squashed like a bug. It's useless. But again these guys
are the minority.

My biggest beef with CB's are the guys who think they can say anything
to anybody, anytime. I cringe when I think about somebody turning on
a CB for the first time and hearing what is said sometimes. But what
do they have to fear? The FCC hasn't done a thing to stop it. When
they abanded the licensing (registration) program they had, they
pretty much just washed their hands of the whole thing.

However, I do ocaisionally talk to someone on the road who dose try to
have their radio and antenna properly installed, if not by themselves,
then by a shop.

>-- There is a steady migration from 11 meters up into the 10 meter amateur
>band. I lived in Northern Virginia for several years and the CW portion of
>10 meters was, at times, nearly unusable because of the "freebanders." I
>am now in NE Tennessee and there are a few of them here. My KW amp is in
>the closet so I am not able to carry on 10 meter CW contacts on top of them.

I might point out here that several shops that I have frequented, have techs working in them that are HAM's. These are the guys who are turning up the pots, putting in the connex boards and roger beeps and selling, repairing and installing linear amplifiers. While most will advise them to stay off the frequencies that aren't in the 11 meter band, they have no problem selling and servicing radios that will undoubtedly be used for this purpose.

The radio manufacturers who market 10 meter radios capable of putting out much more power than necessary that are much too easily modified by anybody adventureous enough to unscrew the case, are responsible for some of the blame too.

But the bottom line is that for a trucker, having a radio to communicate with other drivers is almost essential for safe operation. Whether it's through CB's or another type of radio doesn't matter. The need is there. I would personally like to see the whole CB thing just killed and a better system created to take it's place. A testing and licensing program would be nice too.

>Anyone who sees the light, studies for his/her amateur license, and behaves
>him/herself on the amateur bands is welcome.

Thank you

Jim

4120. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516224240.13051.00001323@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142820

What a bunch of BS propaganda I haven't been on 3950 in quite awhile now and these LIDS are still lying over and over. What AA8DP? Ol stevie boy checking in last night and calling the atf all sorts of things because one of his "aryan" buddies got popped for having weapons when he's a c9onvicted felon.
How about the liberty NITS condoning the killing of abortion doctors, bbombing of clinics, dragging blacks behind trucks, calling for a race war, and the list can go on and on. Don't give me anymore sanctimonious Lying libertynet "Propaganda" you No Name liberty NIT. Everyone sees right thru your self rightious BS. Tim.....KK7HO
Soon to be Updated - CHECK OUT

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4121. Re: Strom's Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990516224927.13051.00001325@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142821

> And you are a
>Jew? I think the bottom line is that one of your relatives had the
>occasion
>to be at the hands of oppression and you are lashing out at the whole world.
>

I really don't see him lashing out, as you put it, at the whole world Lloyd.
Just the neo-nazis on the libertynet. If you stop and think about what you
wrote it applies ten fold to the "So Called" net participants. They seem to be,
and just listen, "lashing out at the whole world."
What about kkkevin's horrific words, Lloyd?

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4122. Hot 2m News for Cape Cawd !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <ZxM%2.4544$xa.44630@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142822

Cape Cawd hams are fixin' fwor Memworial Day. Will you be joining us ?
See how long a 2m repeatuh can stay keyed down on the Cape with its
paranoid owner absent ! Hot News on the Drudgery Report !

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269

73, Bill
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4123. Re: Rich asks are there "Jewish racists"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: sjheys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517002004.18181.00001442@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 142823

I truly believe in GUN CONTROL .

Not that distorted Political definition of GUN
CONTROL .

Gun CONTROL is simply operating a GUN in a Safe and ACCURATE manner .

For example : Putting all the rounds fired into the CENTER of the TARGET .
BULLEYE !!!

4124. N. NJ Hamfest Sat. June 5.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bpn518@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517232856.02113.00002354@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142475

The Bergen Amateur Radio Assn (BARA) is holding
its annual Spring Hamfest on Saturday June 5, 1999
at the Fairleigh Dickinson University in Teaneck NJ.
Located about 5 minutes west of the George Washington
bridge, this is one of the largest hamfests in the
tri-state area.
Located off Route 4 at River Rd (Fairleigh
Dickinson University) exit, in FDU's parking lot.

Hamfest opens at 8am for buyers. Sellers start arriving
at 6am.

VE Exams will be offered from 8am to 10am only, all classes.

Buyers donation is $5 each, XYL and Harmonics are free.

Sellers: $10 per space.
Limited electrical is available for $20 per space and requires advance
reservations.

Visit the BARA website for more details at
http://www.bara.org.
Or contact Jim Joyce, K2ZO at 201-664-6725 or
email Jim at jjjoyce@cybernex.net.

Refreshments and Facilities available.
Hope to see you all there.

4125. Re: K1MAN's webpage????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Chuck O'Neal <coneal@ultranet.com>
Message-ID: <_B503.3549$AL5.6422@ndnws01.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 142476

idiotjammer@broadcashing.nut

Affectionately known as the "Belgrade Bastard", for his malicious
interference and his excessively wide, INCOMPETENTLY run
"broadcash" signal.

4126. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob@bob.com
Message-ID: <3740ebba.109675497@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142477
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

On Mon, 17 May 1999 20:02:22 -0400, kihika <kihika@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
>We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
>in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
>a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
>question if this marijuana thing is true.
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>
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dude... look at rastafarians man. They have the thickest heads of hair
you'll ever see.

4127. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3741f19e.394040408@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142478

On Mon, 17 May 1999 21:53:12 -0400, DPH <rally2xs@csi.com> wrote:

>I've been going to the Hamvention since the late 60's. Even made it
>back from Panama for one when I was in the service.
>
>Last weekend was one of the lowest attended Hamventions I can remember.
>I could actually walk around inside the buildings. You could actually
>see the equipment. There was no huge crush. Just a BIG crowd.
>Probably 20,000 or so. Certainly not 33,000.
>
>Didn't make it last year, unfortuantely, but understand that there was
>17,000 in attendance then.
>
>So, where was everyone?

Ham Radio is on it's deathbed. I'm an Extra and I sold all my
equipment because of the garbage on the bands. RIP amateur radio.

4128. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jjr@inlink.com
Message-ID: <3740f589.0@news.primary.net>
Source record: 142479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In article <7hnsik$f28@news.Hawaii.Edu>, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu says...
>
>In article
<BA779EB0D02B0E40.420DECA6F1ABCD98.B3699CB357193F89@library-proxy.airnews.net>,
>Spike <spike@eyeball.org> wrote:
>>Damned right it is legal.
>>Your radio can easily gum with their electronics.
>>You get on a plane and show your scanner to me and I'll
>>hold you down and rip the batteries out.
>>Your not gonna cause me to die with your stupid hobby.
>
>And what "stupid" hobby would you be referring to? You're posting to
>a ham and a scanner NG; you must belong to one of those "stupid"
>catagories; which one?
>
>Jeff KH6O
>

Scanner and HT's can interefere with flight instruments and data systems.

As a ham and a scanner user you should know that.

John Reimers

4129. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9905180119130.11459-100000@Ocean.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 142480

On 18 May 1999, Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Todd <tyler@nightowl.net> wrote:
> >Besides most of you Hams have a CB radio too, but of course you'll never
> >admit it on thig NG,
>
> I have three CB radios. As soon as they were given to me (one was found in
> a dumpster) they were immediately converted to 10 meter CW.
> Jeff KH6O
>
> P.S. I've never found a ham radio in a dumpster. I guess that points to
> a pretty big distinction between the CRS and the ARS, eh?
>
>
I found a couple of CB sets (they were together) on the sidewalk once
waiting for the garbage truck. Of course I grabbed them. One of them
might be cnvertable, the other isn't worth it. I also bought a CB set at
a garage sale for five dollars, which might be converted. The point is
that I took these out of circulation as CB sets, because I sure won't use
them for CB. If they don't get converted to ten meters, the parts from
them will find their way into something else.

Of course, I'd love to find an SSB CB set in the garbage.

Michael VE2BVW

4130. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <emkaypee@dodgenet.com>
Message-ID: <7hqu1e$34p$2@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 142481
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

People who smoked marijuana at weddings 20 years ago develop baldness.

"Jake & Dianne Jessie Bebber" <destiny@sundial.net> wrote:
>And this has what to do with weddings???
>
>kihika wrote in message <3740AE0E.F2140480@yahoo.com>...
>>
>>We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
>>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
>>in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
>>a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
>>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
>>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
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4131. FS: Kenwood TS-850S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: VL <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <a5703.32710$L4.2881805@news2.rdc1.on.home.com>
Source record: 142482
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I've a Kenwood TS-850S forsale. w/manual, original hand Mic. New condition , never use(I didn't get the Morse code licence), non smoker owner , please send me an offer. iden1000@hotmail.com Thanks!!
Vic

4132. We're Watching You

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: tacitblue@iname.com
Message-ID: <990518012906ER.15234@weba6.iname.net>
Source record: 142483

You know who you are. Didn't learn the first time, deranged lunatic ?

Get free personalized email at http://www.iname.com

4133. Re: HELP-HAM..WinCE, Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <374101EB.15E6E089@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 142484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

Thanks to ALL, And I did get the TNC to talk to my CE unit. I guess I can keep it on my desk now. I'll try the reflector and see if some tracking software comes out. If somthing is found, I'll post a note to everyone also...Thanks again ALL!!! 73 N8NOE, Jeff

Jeff McLeman wrote:

> You need to get on the APRS reflector at www.tapr.org to watch for the
> announcement.
>
> As fas as the terminal inside CE, it works fine with my PK88 and KAM
> controllers.
>
> Jeff
>
> Jeffrey M. Swiger <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net> wrote in message
> news:373BCBAF.F914CB5B@Ameritech.Net...
> > When this comes out, I"d be MORE than interested... PLEASE let me know?
> The
> > terminal in CE don't talk and this CE unit is a pile! I'm not happy with
> CE, But
> > if I can use the HP620LX for Somthing.... Let me know about the APRS!!!...
> > Thanks, Jeff-N8NOE
> >
> > Jeff McLeman wrote:
> >
> > > What kind of tracking? WinAPRS for Windows CE will be coming around
> soon, so
> > > if you are into APRS (Automatic Position Reporting System),
> > > then wait a bit for WinAPRS for Windows CE.
> > >
> > > Jeff
> > >
> > > Bubba <nunya@nazstarnet.com> wrote in message
> > > news:926626508.266.60@news.remarQ.com...
> > > > The built in terminal program should work for packet operation with
> your
> > > > PK-88. Here's link on how to set it up...
> > > >
> > > > http://www.qsl.net/kc7gnm/packet_hpc.html
> > > >
> > > > Good luck,

> > > > Jon/KC5MOP
> > > >
> > > > Jeffrey M. Swiger wrote in message <373A78E8.FBFCADB@Ameritech.Net>...
> > > > >Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
> > > > >Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
> > > > >opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so
> Tracking
> > > > >software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are
> out
> > > > >there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
> > > > >Ya'll at DAYTON.....
> > > > >73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
> > > > >--
> > > > >" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> > > > > Jeffrey M. Swiger
> > > > > *** N8NOE ***
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4134. Book request

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: blairt@direct.ca
Message-ID: <374105d8.6082443@news.direct.ca>
Source record: 142485

Can someone give me the author of the book, Forty years of
mobileering: antennas, tuners, installation? I would like to see if my
local library can find me a copy via interlibrary loan. It appears to
be out-of-print, and no library copy in British Columbia as near as I
can tell. Thanks for any information.
Blair VE7HHH

4135. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927009849.506.67@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

John Reimers <jjr@inlink.com> wrote in message
news:3740f589.0@news.primary.net...

> Scanner and HT's can interefere with flight instruments and data
systems.
>
> As a ham and a scanner user you should know that.

John,

Yes, of course. There's the odd chance that your hobby device can
interfere with a crucial instrument at a critical moment. That's why
they ask you to turn off camcorders, and other portable electronic
devices during take off and landing. I comply with those requests
willingly.

I've never been denied boarding with them, however, and that is the
issue here. The argument that HT transceivers might be presented in
fight as detonation devices holds no water for me. I can just as easily
wave my car alarm control, and claim that it controls the fates of all
on board.

The original point was that these measures seem arbitrary and pointless.
I agree wholeheartedly.

Michael.

4136. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927010592.173.24@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142487

I do my shopping on the Internet. I get the news and announcements a week later than the attendees. I can live with that. I can do without impulse purchases, and better budgeting on major items. Hamventions and flea markets are the bane to both. I never did like crowds, especially not crowds destined to be low in its female complement. (Don't take this too much to heart. It includes motorcycle rallies and software conventions.) Lastly, the need for eyeball QSO's is declining because of the casual, instantaneous access we have to each other via the Internet.

While I don't agree that ham radio is on its death-bed, much has changed in recent years to cause its social role to be redefined. I shouldn't wonder that attendance is down.

Michael.

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4137. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7hr35r$mvb@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

In <927009849.506.67@news.remarQ.com> "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
writes:
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>
>> Scanner and HT's can interefere with flight instruments and data
>systems.
>>

went on a business flight to
a city in USA recently.

took my MR8100 with wires and
speaker and also my antennae
with extended wire to hook into
it with high antennae about two
feet high.

put it into luggage and locked
it up and upon coming to the
check-in counter at the flight
center...told the supervisor
what I had and what it looks
like inside. you know,all those
wires. and bulky 8100 and etc.

she said, "thank you for your
candidness" and marked a few
comments and said, "enjoy your
flight"

same on way back: woman told me
"thanks for telling us and
enjoy your flight"...

bill conduit
etc.

4138. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mark Brown <kb0pyo@rconnect.com>
Message-ID: <3742378C.BB38546A@rconnect.com>
Source record: 142489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

When are you idiots going to learn some nettiquette, CROSS
POSTING TO GROUPS WHERE THIS DOESN'T BELONG IS IN BAD FORM
PLEASE CEASE & DESIST.

RADIO MAN wrote:
>
> Sir wrote:
> >
> > > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
> >
> > You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> > the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > can not resist reading and replying to this.
> The thing about Morse Code is that it seems that the OLD TIMERS are
> saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
> cheese with that wine?
> --
> RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4139. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spike <spike@eyeball.org>
Message-ID: <4BEDFCED95F47E33.FACDF88861D91408.3420753C43746A4A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 142490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Bringing it onboard isn't bad, just turning it on is bad.

4140. Re: Morse Code Timing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas C Sefranek <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <374129EA.35C7DE88@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 142491

David Hitchner wrote:

> I am trying to generate morse code using a computer.
>
> What I know:
>
> Dash Length = 3 Dot Lengths
> Space between Dots/Dashes = 1 Dot Length
> Character Spacing = 3 Dot Lengths
> Word Spacing = 7 Dot Lengths
>
> What I have not been able to determine is the Dot Length for a
> given Words Per Minute. For example: What is the Dot Length
> in milliseconds for a code rate of 5 WPM.

PARIS is the "standard" word, now can you work it out?

>
>
> I can generate code with no problem but I not sure about the
> actual timing. Any help would be appreciated.
>
> David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
> Baton Rouge, LA
>
> Baton Rouge Area Scanning
> Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
> -
> ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
> Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

--
Thomas C. Sefranek WA1RHP
ARRL Instructor, Technical Specialist, VE Contact.
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/41_Repeater/repeater.html
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html

4141. Re: SPEAKING OF BRO.STAIR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas C Sefranek <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <3741293D.C577917@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 142492

Radiosigs wrote:

> Last week while slumming on shortwave,I listened to the screaming egocentric
> maniac,Brother Stair,...

> Doc, AF2Y

Try to keep the postings relevant to the newsgroup.

--
Thomas C. Sefranek WA1RHP
ARRL Instructor, Technical Specialist, VE Contact.
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/41_Repeater/repeater.html
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html

4142. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <37413d4b.4082372@news.planet.net>
Source record: 142493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 18 May 1999 03:04:25 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Bill, no need to post this thread to the .scanner and .shortwave NGs.
>A bigger audience will not necessarily help your cause.
>
>Bill Sohl <billsohl@planet.net> wrote:
>>
>>Tim,
>>The fact remains that not one of those subject areas you
>>identify here are separate pass/fail test elements. You can
>>ignore several subject areas and still pass the test.
>
>How many, Bill? If someone is not interested in digital comms,
>satellites, RTTY, component data, and SSTV, can they skip all those
>questions and still pass, or will they be "forced" to learn those
>subjects which they'll never use?

What differnece does it make. The bottom
line is that none of these are mandatory and separate
pass/fail elements. YOU get to decide and
see if you can pass with or without any
of them...NOT so for CW.

>>Not so
>>for CW testing which is given, graded and must be
>>passed as a totally separate test element.
>
>Only at the 70% level; that's less than what's needed to pass the
>written exams.

You are comparing apples and oranges again.
It is STILL a separate element that MUST be
passed.

Cheers,
Bill K2UNK

4143. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7hrk9a$l4a$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142494

CRT wrote in message <3741f19e.394040408@news.mindspring.com>...
>On Mon, 17 May 1999 21:53:12 -0400, DPH <rally2xs@csi.com> wrote:
>

>
>Ham Radio is on it's deathbed. I'm an Extra and I sold all my
>equipment because of the garbage on the bands. RIP amateur radio.

Judging from the average age of the hams you find populating the clubs and attending the hamfests I would tend to agree that Amateur Radio, as we knew it, is on its death bed. Where are all the young hams?
And I dont buy all that crap about code requirments killing off Amateur Radio.

Things change, Times change, people change. In todays world of instant satalite comminications, 100 TV channels, the internet, and computers, Amateur Radio just does not have the same "magic" as it did for us older hams. No longer are our young people listening with excitement to radio broadcasts or marveling over some mysterious voice comming from thousands of miles away. All that is now commonplace.

As B.B. King sang "The Thrill Is Gone".

I am not saying that is bad..... its just change.

I am sorry to hear that you have stoped your Amateur Radio activity.
It still has so much to offer and is still a worth while endever.
It's just getting harder to find others who share your interests.
You may stop haming but you will always be a ham.
Hope you someday reconsider and take these changing times as a challange.
An opertunity to explore new modes and new equipment.

Amateur Radio, as we knew it, is dying and it needs all the help it can get to hold on to what is left.

William Lee N5WRX

4144. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7hrktm$3ob$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142495

I am really sorry that the news media could not find any "good" stories at Dayton.
Could it be that they did not have a clue as to what the hamfest was all about?

It is really sad that the "MEDIA" feels the need to "create" the news instead of just reporting it.
Too bad there was no shootings there .... that would have made a great story for them.

Perhaps this is more of a reflection of US... the people who watch the news .... and find everyday life just too tame and boring to keep our attention for long.

Just another example of people preforming for the cameras.

William Lee N5WRX

4145. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hrkjg$h3j$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142496

Shephed wrote in message <19990517232059.16504.00002049@ng43.aol.com>...
>The big problem with Hamvention is:

>2: The price of admission is getting too high.

I agree Dan, a couple more years like this might make them re-think their strategy. My guess is attendance was down 1/3 or even 1/2 of last year. Although it was nice to be able to actually MOVE inside the arena.

Tim

4146. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7hrmi4$97f$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142497

I also would like to mention that Gordon West long ago earned my deep
respect.
His teachings and sense of humor are what got me up to 13 wpm CW and made it
possable for me to join the General Class of Amateur Radio Operators. I have
met him on several occasions and he was always a gentleman and a fine
ambassador of ham radio. This man is the real "HAM OF THE DECADE"

William Lee N5WRX

William Lee wrote in message <7hrktm$3ob$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>...
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>Could it be that they did not have a clue as to what the hamfest was all
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>instead of just reporting it.
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>.... and find everyday life just too tame and boring to keep our attention
>for long.
>
>Just another example of people preforming for the cameras.
>
>William Lee N5WRX
>
>

4147. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: andrew@hazdesign.nofreeserve.co.uk
Message-ID: <MPG.11ab793d2ab486559896a2@news.freeserve.net>
Source record: 142498
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

In article <if503.8057$5e2.186939@news2.giganews.com>, Jake & Dianne
Jessie Bebber [destiny@sundial.net]
said this:

> And this has what to do with weddings???

Ditto uk.telecom???

--
Andrew Harrison - PSN 0709 119 2108
andrew@hazdesign.XXfreeserveXX.co.uk
Remove the Xs to email me
Custom Connectivity Solutions @ http://start.at/hazdesign

4148. Suggestions for correcting high mobile SWR?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <vLd03.281$ku3.9772@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142499

Heres the setup:

Alinco 605TQ with 12' of RG-8U running into a duplexer thats feeding (1) 2 meter amp and (1) 440 amp on the RADIO side of each amp. On the ANTENNA side of each amp, both amps feed another duplexer which then feeds into a single Diamond Magnet mount with a NR770HNMO antenna.

The 440 amp transmits about 75 watts and the 2 meter amp puts out about 90 watts. The SWR is identical with or without both the amps or the duplexers inline.

Ive managed to get the SWR on the VHF side down to 1.5:1 however Ive been unsuccessful getting the UHF side below 2:1.

I realize that Magnet mount antennas do not provide the best chassis ground so Im going to install a 2' x 3' x 1/4" plate of aluminum on the floor of the trunk and then run grounding straps from each amp to the aluminum plate and then a grounding strap from the plate to the chassis.

Does anyone have any additional suggestions?

Thanks and 73's
--

Phi Alpha Delta

4149. REQ INFO - Dayton, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: kars10@primenet.com
Message-ID: <37416769.43002130@news.primenet.com>
Source record: 142500

Does anyone know what the dates for the Dayton Hamvention will be in the year 2000 ???

Thanks, Ed

4150. Wanted: Information on RCA Radiofone 150 Mobile Tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <s6e03.296$ku3.9957@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142501

Ive just recently acquired an RCA Radiofone 150. Its 6 volt positive ground with a P-103 Dynamotor built into the radio. This thing is built like a tank with a 3/32" thick plate steel cabinet and chassis. Im guessing that it is circa 1965ish?

Is anyone familiar with this unit?

Thanks and 73's

4151. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <374175B5.BAA4792B@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

I just had to enter this thread:
To equate this goofy 10 minute SCUBA test with a permanently disability
is ludicruous. Try a better example like doing your everyday routines
blindfolded or in a wheel chair, or with your dominant hand immobile for
24 hours. Then write back and tell the group how easy it was & don't
pick a nice sunny day; try it when the weather is inclement.

And what does this short, ten minute, CONTROLLED introduction to
survival have to do with Morse Code? Does one's life depend on CW? Get
real!!!!

4152. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <374177DB.D27FAAA2@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

<SNIPPED>
Oh, one more thing, why doesn't some sci. fiction writer develope
> a race of beings who communicate in cw? I've never once, in all my avid reading, come across that.

The number of people across the country that would see this movie would
fill only one theater, at best. <GRIN>

4153. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jonsg@nojunk.harlequin.co.uk
Message-ID: <37b17a2a.368190009@newshost.cam.harlequin.co.uk>
Source record: 142504
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

> >From: kihika <kihika@yahoo.com>
>
> >We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
> >marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
> >in baldness for sure. [...]

...and this is related to UK telecoms exactly how? (Or to ham radio?
Or to weddings?)

Please be more careful with your newsgroup choice, whoever started this
thread.

Jon
[followups set to alt.baldspot only]
--
Work: jonsg(at)harlequin_co_uk <<CHANGE '_'s http://www.harlequin.co.uk/
Private: jonsg(at)pobox_com <<TO '.'s! http://www.pobox.com/~jonsg/
Ask for PGP key <*> Opinions my own ***Del. '.nojunk' from reply addr***
No junk email! http://www.pobox.com/~jonsg/junkmail.html ICQ 4500882

4154. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <374193FB.12FF@nucleus.com>
Source record: 142505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Oscar wrote:
>
> <SNIPPED>
> Oh, one more thing, why doesn't some sci. fiction writer develope
> > a race of beings who communicate in cw? I've never once, in all my avid reading, come across that.
> ----
> The number of people across the country that would see this movie would
> fill only one theater, at best. <GRIN>

I can just see it now... "Indiana Jones and the Tower Of Code"... or
maybe it should be on the "X-Files".... 73 de Jordan...

4155. ICOM R2 YAESU VX5 YAESU FT100 YAESU VX1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: james coburn <confused@primenet.com>
Message-ID: <7hs1icgnm1@nnrp03.primenet.com>
Source record: 142506
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/Ft90
Is a new list devoted to the new Micro micro mobile radio from Yaesu the FT-90.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/ft2600
Is a new List devoted to the new Mystery radio from Yaesu the FT-2600.

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YAESUVX5
Has over 429 users so far. Come join us if you are interested in the VX5 a super cool little radio!!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/YaesuVX1
Has about 101 users If you have a VX1 this is the place to be!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/icomr2
Is the nerve center of everything that has to do with the ICOM R2.
If you have a R2 Come on and join us we need you !!! This is a great radio with a great following of over 182 vsers on this mail list!!

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/FT100
So Far we only have 198 users! Not to bad. If you are even thinking about one of these units come join us. Join Us and get the MOD!!
we may all learn somthing!!!

4156. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518123503.17706.00002341@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 142507

>I agree Dan, a couple more years like this might make them re-think their
>strategy. My guess is attendance was down 1/3 or even 1/2 of last year.
>Although it was nice to be able to actually MOVE inside the arena.
>
>Tim
>
>
>
>

Well I hope they can make the right changes in the coming year. It is an awsome undertaking to put a show of this size together, and DARA should be proud of the job they do, but I really think they should talk to more of the Hams who come each year, and see what suggestions they have.

Changing the date last year really hurt HV overall, I do agree with the change though because the weather here in April is so unsettled.

I have not seen the numbers for this year, but by the size of the crowd on Saturday, I agree with you that it was at lease down from last year by 20 to 30%.

I still had a blast, spent too much money, and I'll be there again next year. (I only live about ten miles south of Hara anyway :-))

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

4157. Happy with Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <7hs4ll$5fb@acmey.gatech.edu>
Source record: 142508

Hello, I went to the Dayton Hamvention this year and was more than a little disappointed.

I am small flea market vendor. I sell used Motorola radios as a sideline and do maybe 10-15 shows a year. I have been doing this for 8 years. I have some idea of how a hamfest should be run and how to treat the attendees and vendors. I feel as time has gone on the Dayton Hamfest has failed more and more at this. Maybe being the biggest in the world comes with the attitude that you may do what you wish and people will deal with it. Some of the issues I feel need addressing:

1. $20 to attend a hamfest! I feel this is way too much for the everyday ham. I know of no other South Eastern USA Hamfest that charges this high an admittance fee. It is difficult to attract new hams to an event that cost this much, and certainly cuts down on foot traffic.

2. Poor attitudes on the parts of SOME staff! I watched as vehicles lined up at the gate at 9:AM Sunday morning. These were late check-ins. They were waiting on " A security person to escort them to their spaces." After waiting 30 minutes I questioned the gate staff. They told me that they had no idea why we were waiting, but I needed to talk to "The Fire Marshall " who was in a green tent", somewhere.

I went inside on foot and tried to speak to a large female staff member in the office trailer. She angrily told me that her gate people knew exactly what to do. She said that all vendors had been mailed "Legal documents" telling us we could only drive in and out at certain times. She again tried to blame all this on the "Fire Marshall."

I asked her why if they were all so well trained did they have a line of cars, that had been sent there by all the other gates, waiting on security escorts?' It was obvious that she simply wanted to yell at her volunteer staff on the radio, not help the late vendors. We never got to set up Sunday.

4. The Fire Marshall was the universal evil of the Dayton Hamfest this year. He was blamed for almost everything. If these accusations are true, well he works for someone too. The proper authorities should be addressed and I am sure that something can be worked out that will work for everyone.

3. All of our Vendors are happy! BS! I spoke to many vendors, and they feel these, and other issues are destroying Dayton. If issues like no electricity, multi-space fee penalties, and Mendelson's blasting all of us with their PA system are worthy of discussion, well let me know. I am thinking of starting a mailing list for Dayton attendees. E-Mail me at

wt2@prism.gatech.edu if you are interested. If I get enough response I will set it up. Thanks, Bill

--
Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4158. Azden AZ-61 Mods needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <7hs4q8$6bt@acmey.gatech.edu>
Source record: 142509

I am looking for out of band mods for this radio. Thanks, Bill
--
Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always
take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4159. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <emkaypee@dodgenet.com>
Message-ID: <7hs716ibl1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 142510
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

mike <emkaypee@dodgenet.com> wrote:
>People who smoked marijuana at weddings 20 years ago develop baldness.
"""""""""""
Maybe I can make a theory out of this.I've tried everything else.<g>.
"""""""""""
>"Jake & Dianne Jessie Bebber" <destiny@sundial.net> wrote:
>>And this has what to do with weddings???
>>
>>kihika wrote in message <3740AE0E.F2140480@yahoo.com>...
>>>
>>>We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
>>>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
>>>in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
>>>a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
>>>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
>>>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
>>>question if this marijuana thing is true.
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>>> ----------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News
>>==----------
>>> http://www.newsfeeds.com The Largest Usenet Servers in the World!
>>>------== Over 73,000 Newsgroups - Including Dedicated Binaries Servers
>>==-----
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4160. KENWOOD SM-220

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobm@istal.com
Message-ID: <37419e4c.4355266@nntp.cntfl.com>
Source record: 142511

LOOKING FOR MINT OR NEAR MINT KENWOOD SM-220

bobm@istal.com

4161. *Yaesu hand mic YM-86 Needed*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sam Taylor <cygnet@cncnet.com>
Message-ID: <3741bc90.0@nntp.quiknet.com>
Source record: 142512

KO6JQ needs a Mic like the Yaesu YM-86 mic 10K ohm Impedance
for an FT-75B restoration Thanks Sam KO6JQ
cygnet@cncnet.com 73 KO6JQ Sam

4162. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: bigfoot@hypersurf.com
Message-ID: <bigfoot-1805990322340001@port44.hypersurf.com>
Source record: 142513
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

In article <3740B4E5.5FC050FC@prvnet.com>, mao2 <mao2@prvnet.com> wrote:

> I sincerely believe that is bullshit. I have a friend who
> has smoked A LOT of it for a very long time and he
> has an incredible head of hair. Come to thing of it
> I have another friend who smokes quite a bit of it
> and he has all of his hair. Hey.... I seem to know a lot
> of people who smoke pot.

everyone that i know who smokes pot, has alot of hair...
All the guys that i see walking out of the healthfood store jogging with
their vitamins and beansprouts seem to be bald and sickly looking...
I think Bob Dylan said it best : Everybody must get stoned...

Tinky winky

4163. |||||Query abt IC775DSP|||||

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zn <AT>
Message-ID: <7i7hqc$l36$1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142514

Anybody have any experience with the later models & can give me their impressions of the quality, function, any problems... etc...

TIA-N4ZN/Mike

4164. Satellites, Yaesu, HF, and Ham Radio Resources!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <3741cfb5.15618731@news.hughes.net>
Source record: 142525

Hello all,

This is Mike, KQ6MU.
I have a web page, which I just changed, that has info on:

Satellites, Satellite Tracking, HF Reviews, Yaesu Pages, FT-50R &
FT-847, Bulletin Message Board, Ham Radio Resource Links,
Tons of Real Audio stuff.... Check it out!!!

The URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Webmasters:

Please add me to your links section. In return, I will add you to my
links section.

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU

DM04 Palmdale, CA

4165. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hsjmc$1f8@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142526
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jordan Arndt <jordana@nucleus.com> wrote:
>Oscar wrote:

>>> Oh, one more thing, why doesn't some sci. fiction writer develope
>>> a race of beings who communicate in cw? I've never once, in all my avid reading, come across that.

>> The number of people across the country that would see this movie would
>> fill only one theater, at best. <GRIN>

>I can just see it now... "Indiana Jones and the Tower Of Code"... or
>maybe it should be on the "X-Files".... 73 de Jordan...

Would more folks show up if the title were say, "Indiana Jones and the Tower of SSB"? // Jeff KH6O

4166. Newbie, on SWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Kearns <kearnser@erols.com>
Message-ID: <3741DB8C.FDEB5A96@erols.com>
Source record: 142527

I'd like a suggestion on appropriate newsgroup for one interested in
listening to SW, but doesn't think he wants to broadcast. Needs advice
from time to time on MUF, luf, antennas, etc. Is there an appropriate newsgroup?
Ed Kearns

4167. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3741E592.4AFF@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Jim Kehler wrote:
>
> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>
> >There are going to be a lot of posts to newsgroups that don't happen to
> >have subject matter that is of personal interest to you. Lots of YOUR
> >posts will not have any interest to lots of other people too.
>
> You appear to be so engrossed in your efforts to convince the rest
> of the world that you are incapable of attaining anything in life that
> requires effort that you seem to have totally missed the point.
>
> The reason we have thousands of newsgroups is because the world is
> filled with millions of people with different interests.
>
> Although your inability to learn Morse code seems to be the current
> focus in YOUR life, the rest of us don't necessarily view your lack
> of motivation as an earthshaking event.
>
> REC.RADIO.AMATUER.POLICY was created with the sole intent
> of giving you a forum in which to air your views. Please feel free to
> use it to your hearts content.
>
> Posting your Morse code dribble in multiple newsgroups is not going
> to gain you any support. Many unmotivated whiners before you have
> proven this point.
>
> Some people have things they want in life because they are willing to
> expend the effort required to obtain those things, whatever that effort
> may be. It is obvious to us that you are not one of those people.
>
> What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
Really, there should be no requirement for Morse Code. Why they even
got rid of the 500 KILOCYCLE Morse Code Frequency for ships.
--
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FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4168. Re: Porkbutt/WB2OTK/W2OTK "Of the hook again"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: morpheious@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518175933.27277.00001956@ng38.aol.com>
Source record: 142529

yep, look like that fruit picker lost again, they just wont never learnd

Teflon Don

4169. Re: Morse Code Timing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Hitchner <hitchner@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7hsnse$134$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142530

Thanks to those who responded both via this news group and e-mail.
It seems that the consensus is that the number of times the word
PARIS can be sent in one minute is equal to number of words per
minute. Exactly what I needed to know. Thanks again!

David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
Baton Rouge, LA

Baton Rouge Area Scanning
Web Page: http://home.att.net/~hitchner
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ASDS - Anti-Spam Defense System - Do not Auto-Reply
Remove "dm" from E-Mail Address Above for Replies

David Hitchner wrote in message <7hqi12$ec4$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>I am trying to generate morse code using a computer.
>
>What I know:
>
>Dash Length = 3 Dot Lengths
>Space between Dots/Dashes = 1 Dot Length
>Character Spacing = 3 Dot Lengths
>Word Spacing = 7 Dot Lengths
>
>What I have not been able to determine is the Dot Length for a
>given Words Per Minute. For example: What is the Dot Length
>in milliseconds for a code rate of 5 WPM.
>
>I can generate code with no problem but I not sure about the
>actual timing. Any help would be appreciated.
>
>David M. Hitchner - KD5EIS - dmhitchner@att.net
>Baton Rouge, LA
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4170. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3741E4E9.2371@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

robinson wrote:
>
> They should be able to prevent anybody they like from boarding for any
> reason they like. It is their plane, and their business. They can runn off
> ALL their customers if they like, and fold up, or they can let anybody at
> all board with anything allowed by the law, and behaving in any manner at
> all that is not specifically illegal. Or they can strike a middle road
> somewhwere in there. Thhat's called free enterprise... market economy...
> supply/demand... and giving the customer what he wants, or losing his
> business.
>
> I used to always carry my TS-50S in my briefcase. The one time they refused
> to allow it to pass, (The by-the-numbers instructions they got were to have
> me turn it on, and naturally I could not, without a source of 13.8VDC) they
> busted both the lamps for the LCD panel, and I also had to do a full reset.
> The next time, I was given the option of opening it up and I happened to
> have my swiss army knife in my pocket, so I did, and showed them there was
> not room inside for even a single stick of dynamite. After that, I never had
> a problem.
>
> I have never flown with an HT, and do not even own one. But I bet working
> your way up the chain of command, you would have eventually found someone
> who can count past ten without removing his shoes, showed him your license,
> informed him that you know your responsibilities and obligations under the
> CFR (quoting chapter and verse sounds impressive to some people) you would
> have been allowed to board with your HT. This would have helped the next
> poor ham who had to deal with those mental midgets.
>
> If you try everything and get no satisfaction, when given the choice, don't
> fly that airline, and inform them of it. Fill out one of the complaint
> cards that most airlines have, and some distribute, usually in the airline's
> in-flight rag. I have always got a response when I have sent one in.
>
> When you have a prob with a particular airline, and they simply won't be
> reasonable no matter what, other hams should be informed. A letter to QST
> and posts here would together inform probably half of all licensed hams, and
> would represent a substantial amount of lost revenue to the ucooperative
> airline.
>
> ---------------------------------
> Robinson in San Benito TX
> A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
> By the Border By the Sea

>
> Meet a Redneck!
> See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
> Build your own Web Page!
> Get your Ham License!
>
> For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying
> in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
> http://crusoe.org
> ---
>
> hawke wrote in message <373B9D4F.5767A2DC@uswest.net>...
> >Read below...
> >
> >Curtis CCR wrote:
> >
> >> radiosigs@aol.com
> >>
> >> Are you serious? "Even unfair rules" are OK?"
> >
> >Airlines have the right to refuse service for nearly any reason.
> >
> >>
> >>
> >> What else should they ban? Laptop computers? Car keys?
> >
> >Laptops, cd players, radio recievers and other rf producing electronic
> >devices
> >not pertanent to the operation of an aircraft are already on the list of
> >"banned devices"
> >via the Flight Aviation Rules and general policy of most airlines.
> >
> >>
> >>
> >> BTW - I'm a pilot and I have no knowledge of any Federal Aviation
> >> Regulation the prohibits passengers from carrying tranceievers on board
> >> aircraft. There are rules about *using* portable electronic devices
> >> (FAR 91.21).
> >
> >Look a little closer at that regulation. Part of the RCPA of 1996 included
> >provisions related to the use of specified electronic equipment on board
> >any commercial aircraft flying within or over any territory owned
> >or controlled by the US Government.
> >
> >This vary same arguement was held in here and on rec.radio.scanner
> >some 11 months ago.
> >
> >>
> >>
> >> I usually have a pretty flexible schedule when I travel. If I was

> >> denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back
> >> to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight.
> >> Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I
> >> wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.
> >
> >Carrying them is ok, using them aboard aircraft is not.
> >
> >>
> >>
> >> Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.
> >>
> >> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> >> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
> >
Well it also has to do with electronic interference. You wouldn't want
the plane to go down becasue you were busy with a QSO with somebody over
30 miles away thanks to the elevation that you were at, huh?
--
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4171. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3741E5FC.43DE@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Sir wrote:
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> > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
>
> You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> can not resist reading and replying to this.
The thing about Morse Code is that it seems that the OLD TIMERS are
saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
cheese with that wine?
--
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4172. FT-50R sticky buttons???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: atticusja@aol.comfinch
Message-ID: <19990518184524.14555.00002121@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 142533

Hey all,

I have a Yaesu FT-50R dualband handheld, and recently some of the buttons have stopped working. At first, I thought it was a problem with the batteries but it isn't. The M(R) button was the first to go, but now I have problems even with the power button! Any ideas by email on how to remedy this would be greatly appreciated! Thanks for the time and consideration.

Josh N3XGR

Joshua Adams - N3XGR
Pittsburgh, PA
To respond, remove "finch" from the end of the email address.

4173. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfjim@mft.com
Message-ID: <3741ebf2.469079@news.mft.com>
Source record: 142534
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

I must agree that due to intl. treaty users on the hf bands are required to and should know cw. however I dispute the use of a speed test in that particular language for upgrade or access to spectrum. 5wpm satisfies the intl. treaty, we should be testing on tech. knowledge or added knowledge of the rules and regs, for upgrade purpose. It used to be that you needed to know hand signals for your drivers test. I believe they dropped that requirement in my state, but even if it was still in place, should we test how fast one can give them to upgrade our drivers license, or how fast we can recognize various shapes and colors of road signs. No of course not and speed should not be an issue in amatuer radio cw. Only a working knowledge of the code is needed and that is what should be mandated. If an individual wants to use cw to a large extent and increases their speed, so be it, but for others that use fm ssb etc. basic working knowledge is all that is necessary and all that should be required.
On Tue, 18 May 1999 08:21:29 -0500, WebMonkey <click@below.com> wrote:

>Sir wrote:
>>
>> just.do.it email.ro (AE) wrote:
>> >
>> > Cutting here -n- there from all the threads:
>> >
>> > > What if you wanted to play the flute, but a law required that you learn
>> > > how to play the harp before you were allowed to play the flute?
>> > >
>> > > What if you didn't like the harp and only wanted to play the flute, and
>> > > other flute players called you lazy for not wanting to waste time
>> > > learning an instrument you had no intention of ever playing?
>> > >
>> > > They have no desire to use morse code. How silly it would be to waste
>> > > the time to learn morse code, only to forget it once one has the license
>> > > to go ahead and use voice.
>> > >
>> > > Only people who intend to USE morse code should learn it.
>> >
>> > 90% of the automobile drivers out there don't intend to use anything
>> > they *learned* to get their drivers license,
>>
>> Give me an example, I can't think of one thing you learn to get a
>> driver's license that you wouldn't need to know when you drive.
>>

>> why not drop that
>> > requirement too? Just let 'em all drive, drop the roadtest
>> > requirement!
>>
>> That would be like dropping the rules and technical requirements on the
>> ham test. Both are needed and used by everyone in Ham radio. We are
>> talking about Morse Code which does NOT have to be used in order to
>> operate Ham radio. If it was required to learn how to ride a horse to
>> get that driver's license, then you could argue about that, but they
>> don't test for stuff EVERY driver won't need to know in order to drive.
>>
>> > Ever stop to think that maybe the government intended to keep some
>> > people out?
>>
>> No, they droped the code on the tech to get people in, not out. They
>> would drop the code for other classes too if they could, but it is an
>> international requirement, so it will take a bit longer to do.
>>
>> Why not drop the code requirment for commercial broadcast
>> > while we're at it?
>>
>> There never was or is a code requirement for commercial broadcast.
>
>on a 50mHz and above note:
>99% of the repeaters in my area use morse id 'exclusively'
>mine excluded of course =] [a pleasant mix of voice and morse]
>kinda nice to know what the repeater 'call' is.....
>--
>A.C. Curtis
>KBWLF
>53.45 and 442.45, 77.0Hz enc/dec [multi-cast repeater system]
>mailto:demoman@rollanet.org
>http://www.rollanet.org/~demoman

4174. ham club

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: ka5kon <ka5kon@krkcket.net>
Message-ID: <ikm03.5648$xa.52482@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142535

Hello ,
My name is Lufroi"Pete" Aymond,KA5KON.I need Help to organize a club!
What I need MOST is a copy of a club charter to use as a Guideline and
suggestions on how to organize it.There are several hams in the area
who are interested and willing to help but none of us know how to get
started.ANY help would be greatly appreciated!!!

S/Lufroi"Pete" Aymond
KA5KON Simmesport,LA.
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4175. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
Message-ID: <3741F33E.170EA658@net1inc.net>
Source record: 142536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Please remove the cross post to rec.radio.amateur.dx

RADIO MAN wrote:

> Sir wrote:
> >
> > > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
> >
> > You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> > the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > can not resist reading and replying to this.
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> saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
> cheese with that wine?
> --
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> FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4176. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: fergie8@parrett.net
Message-ID: <3741ed7c.85653005@news.parrett.net>
Source record: 142537

In article <19990518123503.17706.00002341@ng-ba1.aol.com>, dated 18 May 1999 16:35:03 GMT, shephed@aol.com (Shephed) wrote:
>>I agree Dan, a couple more years like this might make them re-think their
>>strategy. My guess is attendance was down 1/3 or even 1/2 of last year.
>>Although it was nice to be able to actually MOVE inside the arena.
>>
>>Tim
[snip]
>Well I hope they can make the right changes in the coming year. It is an awsome
>undertaking to put a show of this size together, and DARA should be proud of
>the job they do, but I really think they should talk to more of the Hams who
>come each year, and see what suggestions they have.
[snip]
>Dan, N8IE

No, they don't need to talk so much to "more of the Hams who come each year", but rather they need to talk to more of the hams who DON'T come each year.

If you want to find out why an event is on the wane, it won't be much help to talk to the ones who are addicted and come each year out of habit. What you'll need to do is suck it up and go have a talk with the disaffected who have bailed out. You might not be happy with what they have to say, but their input is crucial.

--Michael Ferguson (N8MF)

4177. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3741f8ae.461394184@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142538

On 18 May 1999 19:50:43 GMT, richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten) wrote:

>This is way to easy for me Dave.....

Can't be that easy for you Rich as you used the wrong word. The word
is "too easy", not "to easy". Jesus, you really are illiterate.

4178. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3741F7FC.7618@imt.net>
Source record: 142539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> As part of the ULS, used to file electronically (a feature in itself
> discriminatory to those without internet access), FCC has dictated you
> give them your SSN.
>
> Do not be hoodwinked !
>
> Neither your DMV, FCC or any other state, local or federal agency other
> than the SSA has a right to this number. They will claim they do ! THEY
> DO NOT. YOU NEED TO UNDERSTAND THE LAW AS ENACTED BY CONGRESS, NOT AS
> INTERPRETED BY AN AGENCY BUREACRAT !
>
> Additionally, government claims of secure servers at the civilian level
> are bogus ! These servers and their data are regularly intercepted in
> transit,decoded and also hacked at the server itself.
>
> Instead, provide a random PIN number you have chosen and record it for
> your dealings with this system.
> ===========
>
> Now, for the editorial. It's discriminatory, like I said. Government has
> no right to demand anyone access an electronic system. Both that demand
> and the collection of these numbers is tantamount to modern chattel
> slavery. The SSN is used for serious, private matters such as income
> reporting, benefits, etc. With it anyone at FCC or along the internet
> can find out anything about you, and since this is ham radio, not a
> vital safety or security issue like a pilot's license, it's a ridiculous
> request.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy

4179. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Beltz <bobbr@america.net>
Message-ID: <37420CE6.ABEEE751@america.net>
Source record: 142540
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The ConQueror wrote:

> Lots erased to this point;;;;
> > ATTN: The 1st amendment does not grant you the right
> > to trespass in my mailbox. Any unsolicated EMAIL will
> > result in fines being levied in the amount of $5,000.00 for
> > storage and retrival.
> >
> >
> >
> >
> > --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> > ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
> I am a 14 yr old. I got ham radio before I got the Net. My parents convince
> me that idea about the Internet. But, I still use ham radio. HAM RADIO IS A
> TOTALLY DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE THAN THE INTERNET! I'm even thinking of using
> digital modes.
>
> -Dan K3DRQ

My hat's off the the young man. Think for yourself and don't let the ramblings of some malcontent ruin the things that you enjoy. It is a very different experience and each is enjoyable in their own domain.

Bob KU4ZG

4180. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3742117A.B819399F@jump.net>
Source record: 142541
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Actually it's often hundreds of miles using a two meter handheld in my Baron.
I've never seen any interaction with flight or navigation instruments at all.
However, if I were carrying unknowns as passengers, they turn it off!
H.
WA5IGW, N502TB

RADIO MAN wrote:

> snip-

> Well it also has to do with electronic interference. You wouldn't want
> the plane to go down becasue you were busy with a QSO with somebody over
> 30 miles away thanks to the elevation that you were at, huh?

snip

4181. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37421666.87B6354D@jump.net>
Source record: 142542
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

you poor thing, bald at 12

dave wrote:

> nope i can say for myself that is not true hairloss came first weed came
> second

4182. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37421514.80EA755A@jump.net>
Source record: 142543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Well said.
I'm thinking of one area where I use Morse outside of ham radio: flying. Navigation aids identify in Morse, but a 5 WPM proficiency suffices. Good. I like your idea.
H.
WA5IGW

j reynolds wrote:

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> various shapes and colors of road signs. No of course not and speed
> should not be an issue in amatuer radio cw. Only a working knowledge
> of the code is needed and that is what should be mandated. If an
> individual wants to use cw to a large extent and increases their
> speed, so be it, but for others that use fm ssb etc. basic working
> knowledge is all that is necessary and all that should be required.

snip--

4183. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <374213A4.31860CA3@jump.net>
Source record: 142544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

No, I'm saying that if you want the same license I have, pass comparable tests.
Is CW relevant? The Navy thinks not. It's still valid and satisfying.
I'm no 35 WPM Extra, just an Advanced. I took my last code test at the Dallas
FCC office in April of 1964, 13 WPM. The damn government already stole my First
Phone, I don't want it to redefine my ham license, too. Just create a new
ticket? Been done.
The service does need to evolve with technology, no one uses spark much.
I have no simple solution.
73
H.
WA5IGW

RADIO MAN wrote:

> Sir wrote:
> >
> > > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
> >
> > You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> > the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > can not resist reading and replying to this.
> The thing about Morse Code is that it seems that the OLD TIMERS are
> saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
> cheese with that wine?
> --
> RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4184. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927078707.467.44@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142545
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

j reynolds <rfjim@mft.com> wrote in message
news:3741ebf2.469079@news.mft.com...
> No of course not and speed
> should not be an issue in amatuer radio cw. Only a working knowledge
> of the code is needed and that is what should be mandated.

That, of course, begs the question: how do you define "working knowledge of the code"? One definition might be fast enough to communicate effectively. That threshold is right around 15 wpm. Thirteen is a pretty close approximation, and is the current requirement for General and Advanced classes.

Michael.

4185. Re: Where is this hobby? 1920, 1960 or 2000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37421605.D6CC4AB5@jump.net>
Source record: 142546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I took my General at 14 years old. 1964
Do your own thinking.
H.
WA5IGW
QCWA life

Robert Beltz wrote:

> The ConQueror wrote:
>
> > Lots erased to this point;;;;
> > > ATTN: The 1st amendment does not grant you the right
> > > to trespass in my mailbox. Any unsolicated EMAIL will
> > > result in fines being levied in the amount of $5,000.00 for
> > > storage and retrival.
> > >
> > >
> > >
> > >
> > > --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> > > ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
> >
> > I am a 14 yr old. I got ham radio before I got the Net. My parents convince
> > me that idea about the Internet. But, I still use ham radio. HAM RADIO IS A
> > TOTALLY DIFFERENT EXPERIENCE THAN THE INTERNET! I'm even thinking of using
> > digital modes.
> >
> > -Dan K3DRQ
>
> My hat's off the the young man. Think for yourself and don't let the ramblings
> of some malcontent ruin the things that you enjoy. It is a very different
> experience and each is enjoyable in their own domain.
>
> Bob KU4ZG

4186. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927079121.292.48@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142547
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

j reynolds <rfjim@mft.com> wrote in message
news:3741ebf2.469079@news.mft.com...
> but for others that use fm ssb etc. basic working
> knowledge [of Morse code] is all that is necessary and all that should
be required.

Agreed. You're describing the Novice and Technician Plus classes. There
is also the Technician class, which requires no Morse code. Pick one.

Michael.

4187. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mother Nature <m_nature@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37421E2F.E0FFF6F8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
making me hot......<g>

"H. Adam Stevens" wrote:
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> Is CW relevant? The Navy thinks not. It's still valid and satisfying.
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> FCC office in April of 1964, 13 WPM. The damn government already stole my First
> Phone, I don't want it to redefine my ham license, too. Just create a new
> ticket? Been done.
> The service does need to evolve with technology, no one uses spark much.
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> 73
> H.
> WA5IGW
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> > > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > > can not resist reading and replying to this.
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> > saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
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> > FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4188. ****** WANTED ******** Motorola STX Model 821 or MTS 2000 Flashport Series Radios ****** Wanted ******

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Todd Hargis <hargis@mail.org>
Message-ID: <927081324.349.74@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142549
Cross-posted to: in.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.spac

I'm looking for: Motorola STX model 821 or MTS 2000 Flashport series radios. They must be 800mhz and Smartnet ii capable. These are for a small dept. here in the Indy area that is looking for a way to get around paying the enormous price of new ones from the local radio authority. If they have extra batteries or chargers or public safety mics that would be great also but not needed. Anybody that has these in good to fair condition can e-mail me at paramike@indy.net with prices and terms, I will forward the info to the chief of the dept. inquiring about the radios. Thanks for your help, Mike

4189. Re: Introducing "Ham Radio Wars" Episode 1 "A Radio menace!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374221F0.4AD6@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142550

DX302MAN wrote:
>
> In Honor of the opening Wed May, 19th of "Star Wars Episode 1: Phonton Menace"
> Our staff has worked hard to produce a 6 episode set of movies of our own!
>
> "It is a period of kaos on the Ham Bands, There are jammers and Nets to be
> jammed. Only a dedicated group of people who have beaten the odds can defeat
> the kaos, The StupmJumpers!"
>
> Episode 1 begins around 1960:
>
> We will take a look at the lives of:
>
> A young Doc Hate, facing many problems, hence why he is today.
>
> A young PorkButt, the only diference is that he is about 285 pounds lighter.
>
> KV4FZ at the courage center, helping young handicaped kids get a ham license
> and make a future for themeselves.
>
> We will also look at the some others: K5BLB, WA9KJI working on old Silvertone
> radios.
>
> Other movies:
>
> Episode 2: "Hate rising"
> Episode 3: "Jonestown or Bust"
> Episode 4: "A new Courage"
> Episode 5: "Hollingsworth Strikes Back!"
> Episode 6: "Return of the NAL!"
>
> From all of us, Enjoy these Movies, they'll bring many tears to your eyes and
> open your eyes to the truth!
>
> DX302MAN, Washington DC HQ
Thats pretty good
When will be the Episode 7 The NAL gets paid. Or maybe The fall of the
evil darfporkbut. anyway its not over till the porkbut sings I I I
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio

SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4190. Re: Satellites, Yaesu, HF, and Ham Radio Resources!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rick@area.com
Message-ID: <7ht7hc$315$1@vax.area.com>
Source record: 142551

In article <3741cfb5.15618731@news.hughes.net>,
KQ6MU <mikrounit@hughes.net> wrote:
>Hello all,
>
>This is Mike, KQ6MU.
>I have a web page, which I just changed, that has info on:

Mike, why don't you do all of us a favor? Get rid of the
exotic fonts, fancy graphics, dancing baloney, and advertising
on your page; then tell us all about it.

Rick N6RK

4191. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: DPH <rally2xs@csi.com>
Message-ID: <374229E6.A7B29A98@csi.com>
Source record: 142552
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Really hard to talk to the ones that aren't there... unless you kept a database of all the tickets you sold the years before, and then compare, and then spend thousands of bucks on phone calls, and then reduce the data to something meaningful, its gonna be tough to know what the "not theres" really have on their minds.

Talking to the ones that do come can tell you what THEY like about the Hamvention, and what they don't. Some that still come anyway don't like the beanie babies in the flea market, either - I'd be one of those. The clothing vendor in the tent shoulda been tossed, too. Whadda they think this is, a rummage sale?

About the best way to talk to some of the people that didn't come is probably this thread.

Dave Head

Shephed wrote:

> >No, they don't need to talk so much to "more of the Hams who come each

> >year", but rather they need to talk to more of the hams who DON'T come

> >each year.

> >

> >If you want to find out why an event is on the wane, it won't be much
> >help

> >to talk to the ones who are addicted and come each year out of habit.

> >What you'll need to do is suck it up and go have a talk with the

> >disaffected who have bailed out. You might not be happy with what they

> >have to say, but their input is crucial.

> >

>
> Point well taken.
> The bottom line is, they need to TALK with Hams period. I think they have just
> decided what they feel is best, and it is not.
>
> 73
> Dan, N8IE
> QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
> shephed@aol.com

> http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

4192. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fbye0g0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 142553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 18 May 1999 17:30:04 -0600, AB7RS wrote:

> What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy

The law requires your TIN - Taxpayer Identification Number.
The default TIN is your SSN, but anyone who does not want to
give out their SSN can request a different TIN from the IRS and
use that one.

The only ones who could rail against that are anti-government
nuts.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

4193. Re: Porkbutt spoofed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517201143.02109.00002148@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142554

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<< Subject: Porkbutt spoofed
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Mon, May 17, 1999 10:18 PM
Message-id: <3740959D.45AB@dirtball.com>

I now have proof that DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com is Porkbut. I will post for
those that are interested.
Oris
<<Oris, if you have a problem with Rich, then so be it but to KNOWINGLY render
misleading and erroneous information is really unthinkably below you.Doc,AF2Y>>
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4194. Re: more rogue cancels from bellsouth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517205358.18354.00002205@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142555

>Oris, you forgot to bring your bring a bar of soap to Hartwell did'nt
>you??? It's white nigger trash like you, that ruin ham radio! "WTIA"
>

Judge Not lest ye be judged!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4195. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517210922.18354.00002216@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142556

>Who is KV4FZ?

Subject: KV4FZ - American Hero
From: N0VFP
To: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 5/4/99

KV4FZ has been an active amateur radio operator since 1954 when he was first licensed in the Midwest as W0VXO. While working his way through college (1960-64), he spent summers teaching at several camps for the physically handicapped. He was highly successful in teaching seriously disabled campers about the potential of amateur radio. Many of these campers went on to fully qualify for their amateur radio licenses.

His father, W.B. Schoenbohm, was the founder of Courage Center in Minneapolis. Herb was a major force in pushing for the initiation of the Handi-Ham program, which is now widely recognized as the premier service organization for disabled radio amateurs. After college, Herb worked as a international sales representative for Gates Radio, Harris Corp, and Collins Radio. He sold and distributed broadcast equipment to the international market, primarily Latin America. In 1968, he moved to the U.S. Virgin Islands with the intent of better serving his customers. His wife Monika was, at that time. a service representative for Pan AmericanAirways. KV4FZ was very active in DX work and, as a frequent traveler, put many new countries on 160 meters. He was instrumental in getting Stew Perry, W1BB, the necessary countries to be the first ham ever to get DXCC on 160 meters. He also gave G3IOR the last country he need (VP2EFZ, Anguilla) for the first ever DXCC via satellite (Oscar 7).

During the 1970's, KV4FZ was able to set CQ World Wide records 160-10 in almost ever category except 40 meters. He was also very active in supporting the IARU Intruder Watch after encountering frequent yachts in the area that had acquired licenses of convenience for a fee. At that time, FCC Commissioner Margita White appointed KV4FZ as the Virgin Islands SECC. The SECC has responsibility to plan and manage the operation of radio communications resources during island emergencies. Herb fulfilled that role magnificently and was named a Virgin Island "Hero" after Hurricane Hugo destroyed most of St. Croix in 1989. Herb received this award for keeping vital communications circuits open during the crisis.) Herb also took a detailed interest in how most of these "pirates" has a close association with the so-called "service nets" on the top end of 20 meters. He joined the net and attended several of the hamfest functions. Only then did he learn how deliberate and sordid was the manner in which net members misused the amateur spectrum as a means to provide an international telephone toll by-pass service. One of the most flagrant of all these operations was the "INTERCON" network

operating, for the most part, on 14.313 MHz. Herb began detailed monitoring of their operation and intercepted many communications that were appalling to say the least. In 1979, KV4FZ listening to what appeared to be a "business connection" between WB6MID/8R1 in Jonestown, Guyana and WB6MID in Ukia, California.
Herb broke in and informed the net personnel that this type of operation on an amateur frequency was illegal. Furthermore, Herb stated that their communication constituted international business communications related to funds transfers and the procurement of equipment and supplies. The net hierarchy reacted by excoriating him for his "embarrassing comments" and ignoring the violations. The net bluntly told him that the Jonestown Operation was a missionary group and that they had special permission from the Carter administration to use ham radio to further their "worthy cause". Herb persisted with his concern and was quickly declared 'PERSONNA NON GRATA" by Robert Sternberg, AA4EE, a tax attorney who claimed to be the nets legal advisor. Herb expressed his concerns to other net operators participating in the companion "Maritime Mobile Net" such as Dick Eastman, N5FX and Mike Galego, KA4MUJ. Several Maritime Net members agreed that some of the more criminal practices, such as one ringers and "maintenance charges" for providing long distance toll free connections practically anywhere in the world, must be curtailed.

Some of the net cabal hierarchy rebuffed all attempts to institute reform and a nasty power struggle ensued. Eastman and Galego were "ex-communicated" by Ruth Hoffman N4LMC, Eddie Ricca K4PT and Art Candell N4PCK. The latter began a propaganda campaign, replete with false stories and personal attacks, that promised to destroy any net opposition that
sought reform. The net members objected to the lively participation of KV4FZ, KA4MUJ, and N5FX (a former net director) who frequently brought to the attention of net participants certain stations whose conduct violated the FCC and International Rules.

During the 1980's, net members began a campaign of coordinated complaints to the FCC claiming that the aforementioned three were causing willful and malicious interference to the net. N5FX and KV4FZ both received prefabricated FCC citations at the behest of the net command. Both were able to get the FCC to nullify their actions based on the fact that their constructive comments did not constitute "malicious interference" and that certain members of the net themselves were engaged in a premeditated campaign of harassment and interference.

Several members of the net were subsequently caught interfering with the communications of KV4FZ and KA4MUJ. They include K2BFI and AA5LY. AA5LY later gave the FCC, and supporters of KV4FZ and KA4MUJ, a complete and accurate accounting of the plot by disgruntled net members to "settle the score". That plan included a vigorous campaign of letter writing to politicians in Washington in an attempt to pressure them into punishing the net detractors.

N4PCK had his own reason to get even. He had known Herb while he was operating in Haiti as HH2A and was very active on the INTERCON net. Herb had learned, through his contacts in Haiti, that Candell had a serious

problem. He would solicit young pre-teen boys and pay them a quarter to perform sex acts on him. A prominent Haitian administrator was told, by his son, that the young boy had been abused and sodomized by Candell. There was no arrest or trial. But the arrival of the outraged local citizenry at Candell's hillside villa dictated that Candell receive an armed escort to the airport. Candell then appeared in the Orlando, Fl area, illegally using the call HH2A/W4 and actively engaging in net activities. The net watchdogs, now known as the B.A.R.F. (The Better Amateur Radio Federation), pointed out that Candell was not eligible to use a Haitian call sign in the United States unless he was a Haitian citizen and had been granted a proper permit from the FCC.

Again the net members supported Candell and sought to silence Herb. However, the FCC ruled that Candell could no longer operate from Florida unless he obtained a valid U.S. amateur radio license. Candell later paid off a VEC in Silver Springs, Fl to fraudulently give him a passing grade on a General Class license examination. The VEC was later sanctioned but Candell was neither removed from the air nor required to be re-examined. In 1989 Candell was finally arrested and convicted of multiple incidents of child molestation. He was given a suspended sentence that was partially based upon INTERCON's assertion that he had been rehabilitated by amateur radio service in their net. (Candell was arrested and convicted again in 1994 for carnal assault on several boys between 8 and 10 years of age whom he had invited into home under the pretense of showing them his ham station. He has been institutionalized for several years but his ham license was, nonetheless, renewed in 1996 for another ten years.)
In 1990, Candell continued with his plot to destroy and discredit KV4FZ in retaliation for Herb's alleged "interference" with the net's "business". Candell actively leagued with other enemies of KV4FZ such as Pat Miller, KP2J in St. Thomas, and Richard Whiten, WB2OTK. Miller supplied Whiten the so-called "proof" of a crime by playing a recorded tape on both 20 and 75 meters. Miller introduced Candell to the operator of a long distance resale service that KV4FZ briefly subscribed to in 1987. Some of the users of the CALLS (Caribbean Automated Long Line Service) system (a six digit access code system on which half the possible combinations of digits gained the caller access to a WATTS line) had been illegally abusing the CALLS scheme. Malcolm Ford had claimed losses to the tune of $200,000 and needed a scapegoat. Thereupon, it was decided that a criminal case should be manufactured against Herb, KV4FZ.

Ford needed this falsification to support his ludicrous claim that the impending bankruptcy of CALLS was not due to his inept management. Instead, it proffered that somehow Herb had caused his business to fail. This was vital to Ford because he was still salaried as the GM of CALLS even though they were in receivership. Ford's efforts failed and he was physically removed from the operation after the Federal Bankruptcy judge found him raiding the treasury and assets of CALLS.

However, all during this time, Ford was fabricating evidence in an attempt to establish a connection between CALLS financial failure and KV4FZ. Yet the Department of Justice continually refused to prosecute Herb. This

resulted in even more acrimonious letters to officials and politicians in a further attempt to implicate Herb as the culprit.

Malcolm Ford, the previous owner of CALLS, was then under investigation for bankruptcy fraud. In an attempt to escape indictment, Ford hired John Ackley, KP2A, to fabricate various reports that would designate Vitelco(a local phone service), STSJ Long Lines, ITT and Herb as coconspirators who were attempting run him out of business. While this was going on, Ackley was attempting to buy the nearly defunct company for ten cents on the dollar. (Ackley failed but STSJ was able to get the company back on its feet.) Miller, Hoffman, Candell and others intensified their letter writing campaign to hundreds of politicians in Washington urging them to investigate. They even began writing letters to newspapers, claiming that politicians were shielding KV4FZ from prosecution. In these hate letters to public officials, Herb was equated with organized crime, drug trafficking, and high level political corruption. In 1991, KV4FZ was writing a hard-hitting column for the St. Croix Avis newspaper. Herb frequently attacked political corruption so it stood to reason that he might have some enemies in government. Herb had articles published about the check kiting and House Banking fraud perpetrated by the Virgin Island Delegate to Congress, Ron Delugo. Outraged and distraught, Delugo (who had designs upon becoming the next governor of the Virgin Islands) assigned a full time staff attorney (Sylvester Julian) to explore methods of pressuring the FCC, the Secret Service, and the Department of Justice into investigating Herb and "putting a 'severe hurting' on him".

However an obstacle remained in the path of their plan to annihilate KV4FZ. Some at the FCC supported Herbs activities on behalf of the amateur radio service. Additionally he was elected as Vice Chairman of the Virgin Islands Republican Committee, which made him a frequent delegate to the GOP Conventions. Furthermore, Herb was personally acquainted with President Bush. Herb's father had served on the President's Commission for the Handicapped.

Initially, each and every involved agency claimed there was not enough evidence to support a charge against Herb. Subsequent to this, John Ackley, KP2A, manufactured a list of 660 telephone calls that were prearranged to add up to $1,047 in value. This was exactly forty-seven dollars over the amount needed to achieve the threshold of prosecution. Delugo wrote threatening letters to various government agencies threatening that he would see to it that their funding was severely curtailed if he did not receive figuratively receive Herb's head on a silver platter. Ruth Hoffman constantly badgered the acting U.S. Attorney for the Virgin Islands, Terri Halpern. This continued to the point that Hoffman was finally ordered to stop harassing Halpern. However, as a Congressman to the VI, Delugo was in a position convince colleagues not to block Halpern's confirmation. Delugo reportedly told Halpirn that, unless she prosecuted Herb Schoenbohm, she would never become U.S. Attorney. (Halprin was fired in 1992 by the DOJ for ethical lapses after the Office of Professional Responsibility investigated the severe criticism, from the 3rd Circuit Court of Appeals, that Halpern received for the "knowing use of false evidence" to secure a conviction. Nevertheless, the trial prosecutor was cleared by OPR because they were unable to prove that the prosecutor actually knew the evidence used was false.)

Herb's trial took place in April 1991 (four months past the five-year statute of limitations). Both Ackley and Miller testified, under oath, as to the veracity and accuracy of the incriminating evidence they had assisted in concocting. (Miller offered his so-called "caught in the act" tape of Herb dialing "illegal access codes". Ackley presented his list of random numbers that he verified, as a government expert witness, were all telephone numbers dialed by defendant Schoenbohm.

The puzzled and confused jury convicted Herb on all three counts of Title 18, SS 1029(a): 1,2 and 3, which is, in reality, an illegal credit card statute. This statute has been used infrequently to curb the illegal use of cloned cellular telephones. After trial, Schoenbohm with the help of Bob Sheron, W4ASX, closely scrutinized the evidence and began tracking down the parties that Ackley had claimed, under oath, that Herb had illegally called. A most amazing discovery unfolded: most of the persons contacted did not know Herb Schoenbohm or had never had a telephone conversation with him. Amazingly, they had already given statements confirming this fact to the Secret Service investigators. Most had even identified persons, other than Schoenbohm, whom had called them from the Virgin Islands during the timeframe in question (1987). Interestingly, the court refused to allow Schoenbohm to verify the numbers before trial.

The court incredibly claimed that it needed to protect the potential witnesses from pre-trial disclosure! After trial, armed with affidavits from the persons alleged to have received Herb's "illegal" calls, Herb moved for a Judgment of Acquittal not withstanding the jury verdict. The court granted the motion on all counts but one (Possession or Use of a Counterfeit Access Device). The court maintained that the Miller tape proved that something was amiss and the jury could correctly deduce from this that the law had been broken. This court decision differs from the previous decision in that the device is similar to, but not exactly the same as, a valid device and does not require the threshold of over $1000 in use. (The irony in this entire matter is that Herb freely admitted to using the service briefly in 1987. He was a bona fide customer and the total actual use amounted to $106. CALLS finally was required by the court to produce Herb's check for $104 that they had received in1987. They admitted that they did not cash the check but, instead, held it as an aid in the plot to entrap KV4FZ.) When the court vacated the judgment requiring two months prison time, Herb's detractors were enraged and, once again, began the political letter writing campaign. Now the claim was that Herb had used amateur radio in the commission of a crime and should be taken off the air. They sent the highly doctored Miller Tapes to the FCC in an attempt to prove their incredible theory. Their letters were full of outrage over the fact that Herb had once more cheated Madam Guillotine and he still on the air making waves. Some were furious due to the fact that they had given financial support to certain political candidates and nothing permanent had been done to rid the airwaves of this "pest", KV4FZ. (Ruth Hoffman even conveyed gifts to officials at the FCC in attempt to bribe public servants. One such official, William Cross, was investigated for leaking internal information to Ruth Hoffman in the KV4FZ matter. Hoffman then disseminated this information for use in the hate campaign against Herb.)

KV4FZ then was subsequently forced to embark upon a long and costly struggle for justice. He has had to fight the refusal to renew his amateur license by demanding a hearing before the FCC. (The refusal to renew is rarely used as a procedure and has been given the title: "The FCC Death Penalty" because the entire burden of proof is placed upon the licensee.) At the first FCC hearing, Administrative Law Judge Luton ruled against KV4FZ. However, upon higher review, the FCC General Counsel refused to accept Judge Luton's findings and remanded the matter for reconsideration. The principle issue is whether or not KV4FZ had used amateur radio in the furtherance of the commission of a crime. This time the ALJ ruled that there was nothing in the evidence (The Miller Tape) that was illegal in any way. The concluded that Schoenbohm actually was dialing ordinary and valid Virgin Islands telephone numbers. He was not entering illicit access codes to make long distance calls.

The ALJ did, however, agree with the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau (WTB) assertion that, by giving out the telephone number, in 1994, of Herb's future boss, Congressman Frazer (whom, incidentally ran Delugo out of office), Herb was violating a solicitation restriction of ex-parte rules. This was despite the fact that WTB had conceded that no actual ex-parte violation had taken place. The ALJ ruled that, by attempting to explain his conviction as a De Minimus violation rather than a crime of major impact, he was trying to mislead the trial of fact. (In administrative law, the assertion of innocence is a crime even if the accused is actually innocent! It is akin to Hobson's Choice or the Salem witch trials whereupon, if the tied woman is thrown into the pond, and she does not drown, then she must surely be a witch and, thus, must be burned to death.

Herb had been fighting the remaining count through the Federal Courts and has even succeeded in convincing the courts to severely criticize the DOJ for their handling of the case. Nevertheless, they refused to reverse the remaining conviction because of the nearly impossible to define "standard of harmless error". The appellate court ruled that the motion for Judgment of Acquittal had been filed too late even though the trial judge had granted an extension based on the emergence of irrefutable proof that the prosecution had used false evidence. As a result they were barred from considering the sufficiency of evidence matter at this late date under the rigorous standards of Habeas Corpus review. However, a positive revelation in the latest FCC decision is that it clearly vindicates Herb on the original charge of using ham radio in the commission of a crime. It also conclusively proves that his detractors engaged in perjury before a Federal Grand Jury and Petit Jury trial.

Many on the local scene recognized the truth. The Trial Judge, The Honorable Ann Thompson, wrote a letter of support and praise on Herb's behalf. The Governor of the Virgin Islands did not simply restore Herb's government career. He elevated Herb to a position of higher authority with more responsibility to the island and a significantly higher salary. He was also employed, as a part-time field representative, on the congressional staff of newly elected Congressman Frazer.

The FCC WTB attorneys characterized these as "political jobs", unworthy of consideration as a mitigating factor in Herb's "rehabilitation"!) Although Herb

had a Congressional Floor Pass, granting him direct access to the ears of the politicians, there is no evidence that he ever abused his position to lobby House members against the FCC. This is in spite of the fact that the bureaucrats inside the FCC are very much afraid that Herb might just whisper in the ear of someone who controls their finances. Because of this, Herb is not allowed to take his case to the very people who would be horrified to learn the truth about how he has been treated. These are the people who could finally put a stop to this travesty of justice. Yet, Herb's detractors are on the phone daily, pushing those in power to get him off the air, one way or another. When will the voice of reason and justice be heard?

Some of us do not like the odds and are willing to help end this fiasco. Herb's legal bills are soaring but he continues the fight. His attorney, Larry Colby (a licensed ham), has stated that when this issue gets into the proper arena, Herb will be totally vindicated. But this can only happen if Herb is allowed to fight on and get his case into the proper arena. Right now, it is still in a forum where all the rules are stacked against the licensee. When the matter gets out of the FCC, and into the D.C. Circuit Court, then the playing field is closer to being balanced. There, the Feds don't have the automatic upper hand that allows them to do what their political puppet-masters demand.

A small donation of $25, $50 or $100 will go a long way in continuing the fight for justice. There is an underlying principle that must be preserved. It is not keeping Herb on the air that drives his supporters. It is the realization that if they can deprive KV4FZ of justice then they can deprive any of us of justice. Today they are persecuting KV4FZ. Tomorrow it could be you. You could be railroaded just because somebody doesn't agree with your position on the nets, phone patching, or apple pie. Herb is working vigorously to get the funds together for his appeal. His attorney Larry Colby is attempting to get an extension of time to file exceptions. If you can help in anyway, please contact John Dillenger, K4GFM, who is the custodian of the Defense Fund.

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4196. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.990517211844.24857Q-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 142557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

at least it keeps the cb'ers off the hf ham bands, and wish the
truck drivers would get off the 2 meter band, that's where the
fcc made a mistake, with the nocode ticket.

On 17 May 1999, J1aguiar wrote:

> Date: 17 May 1999 15:30:46 GMT
> From: J1aguiar <j1aguiar@aol.com>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.policy,
> rec.radio.amateur.space, rec.radio.scanner, rec.radio.shortwave
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> >From: ve6xtc@ecn.ab.ca ()
> >Date: 5/17/99 10:40 AM Eastern Daylight Time
> >Message-id: <37402a44.0@ecn.ab.ca>
> >
> >
> > Dear folks;
> > I've realized what the problem with CW is. One has to
> >learn it. On the other hand, it's the only form of digital communication
> >which humans can hear and translate. Of course learning cw would be a lot
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> >stimulate the pleasure centre whenever the person got a character right.
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> >it the wrong way so it took me so long to get it right.
> > By the way, have you listened to the 40M cw portion of the band
> >with a wide filter? It sounds like an avant-garde music piece. Perhaps
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> >reading, come across that.

> > Yours,
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> >Bruce Atchison, a starving electronic music composer. Please enquire about
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> >ve6xtc@freenet.edmonton.ab.ca
> >73!
>
> There is a URL that has several music pieces that are all in CW. You would love
> the barn yard CW Chicken Song.
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4197. SPEAKING OF BRO.STAIR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517212714.02103.00002133@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142558

Last week while slumming on shortwave,I listened to the screaming egocentric maniac,Brother Stair,.proclaiming to the world that he is the last day prophet of God or some crap like that. I also logged onto his website and he looked like an unshaven bum ready to accept any "offering" including some disposable Bic shavers. As a Jew I found his behavior rather puzzling but then again, as long as he keeps hammering away at the Pope,he's going to leave my brethern alone. Candidly if I were a Christian, I'd find that man a total embarrassment because he's not acting in the name of Christ but rather in a manner to spite it. It seems that he's positive that Catholics aren't going to heaven because they follow a Pope whom, according to Stair, is in cahoots with the devil. Devils? We got a whole bunch of them in New Jersey who play pro hockey! The way I sum up the obnoxious Brother is that he's just another Elmer Gantry, out to hoodwink the gullible in order to steal their funds. Another"give me your cash or you'll never get into heaven" charlatan who's based in South Carolina. And that leads me to this question: why is it that so many of these thieves waving a cross, work out of the South?. Are you Johnny Rebs all that gullible,stupid,naive or just plain frightened? There must be fertile ground down South to reap in the big bucks while screaming Jesus taught that poverty is no sin and to give it away,especially to a fraudulent man of the cloth like Stair in order to enter heaven. Too bad I'm not of the same Christian persuasion as is Stair because if I were, I'd call myself Brother Escalator and laugh all the way to the bank. Doc, AF2Y

4198. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

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From: dana <dana@randomc.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.96.990517213405.24857R-100000@cluster2>
Source record: 142559
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i like that, from n4pge in griffin, georgia.

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4199. Off the hook??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3742329F.6E85@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142560

What has the FCC gone blind to fact that its let one of the worst jammers off the hook? Have they been totally blind to the fact that this jammer does and has always used foul language over the radio? What's this has the FCC chickened out again? The first real chance on the betterment of ham radio and the government washouts go yellow? Is this another example of how our FCC is going to handle the true troublemakers on the amateur radio service? The service is truly going to die now! I will make a prediction that the airwaves will be worse now then ever. Has Hollingsworth lost his backbone? Did the FCC stop enforcing the rules? I mean I know for a fact that this jammer DID LIE to Hollingworth about the homebrew 8877 amplifier being under construction. I have heard it on the air more then once, and ran up to full power. I also know for fact that the station in question did go down on 3.8945 MHz and cause willful interference on many occasions. I also know when things started to calm down, the station in question would stir the crap back up and laugh about it. I also know that this guy did sell worthless filters over the radio and when people complained and wanted their money back all of a sudden there was something wrong with their radios. WHAT IS THIS!? Has the FCC lost their minds? What kind of farce is this I say? Well Mr.Riley Hollingsworth you have handed out the wrong message to both groups and the amateur radio community as a whole. You can bet the airwaves will be full of PORKBUT SONGS 10 5 with his squeaky voice going off about NALs and others just going off the deep end. I can surly see the death of amateur radio is right around the corner. What has Mr. Hollingsworth done now? It looks to me that Mr. Hollingsworth has handed a license to jam to one of the king jammers on the radio today. What is the world of amateur radio come to? We all where in high hopes that you Mr. Hollingsworth where going to be the new sheriff in town. It appears that you're another Washington quitter! You can bet that 20-meters for the next here on end will be crazy! You can bet that 75 will be completely nuts as it was before this so-called FCC crackdown (again I say WHAT CRACKDOWN? I have talked about this in previous commentary.). As for par for the course the FCC cowards at the most perfect time to save the service form its own self-destruction. What is wrong here? I pulled the strong anti-FCC web pages down at your request Mr. Hollingsworth. You assured me that something was going to be done! Just like in the past and just like Washington allot of hot air and nothing gets done!
Well for those of you in the Banana Republics that want the low end of the spectrum for your banana work. Just stick it out for a few more years. The FCC has sent the wrong message to all the white trash on amateur radio today. Start getting your bids ready because it will be just a matter of time before this trash embarrasses the USA to the point of Congress yanking the whole service from us. Darn CBers are better

operators then the trash that the FCC has decided to let off the hook. For the rest of us, you can bet that this is the long-term plan of the FCC and this administration to give the trashy amateur radio operators the chance to destroy the whole service. Take away more freedoms and gain more control over the American people. You can bet that the FCC will give the policing of the airwaves to the local police and when that happens WE WILL ALL LOSE! You can take that to the bank! Then it's just a matter of time. Banana republics GET YOUR BIDS READY! The spectrum will soon be for sale to the highest bidder.
WAY TO GO HOLLINGSWORTH! Perfect opportunity for the FCC to show that they mean business. The perfect opportunity to show that the FCC isn't a paper tiger and that it has real teeth. Typical of our government in this country of ours always start a good job but rarely finish. Aw what do you expect from Washington? They send a lawyer to do the work of an enforcer what a bunch of quitters. Hollingsworth if you read this way to go! Don't worry boys Hollingsworth will read this because I'm sending it to him. I guess time will tell.
Best Regards and May amateur radio R.I.P.
Oris Grim
N3CND

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.(This will soon to be no more!)
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4200. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517215458.02121.00002353@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142561

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From: John Cermack <jcer456@emachine.com>
Date: Sun, May 16, 1999 2:58 PM
Message-id: <373EDD03.630EFC8E@emachine.com>

Opponents of free speech on the Liberty Net
(3950 Jammers) hit a new low last Saturday
night.
<<DID YOU SAY "FREE SPEECH?" DON'T YOU MEAN FREE HATE OF
BLACKS,JEWS,HISPANICS,ORIENTALS,CLINTON,OUR GOVERNMENT,OUR CONSTITUTION,OUR LAW
ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES AND SO ON AND SO FORTH? THEY SHOULD ALL DROP DEAD FROM
CORONARY ""STROMBOSES." AF2Y,Doc>>>>>
Harrison, a regular net participant, was
telling others of his wife's demise a few days
earlier. He was clearly suffering, and in
shock. But the other net participants
are his social friends, and he was describ >>
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4201. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517223304.18356.00002627@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142562

>He never said he invented the Cloud Warmer, he told others that "I"told him
>how to put it together, which is true. Now go ahead and say "I" invented it,
>which would also be a lie.
>

Well, Well

The Spinner of Lies of Speaketh!

I find you a very funny fat man!

You have made stories yourself Porky!

What about the show "Martial Law" In whci you said your name in the credits?
Hum? And We all find out it was'nt!

What about that time where you claimed you were 2 miles away from Cape
Canaveral, during the Time of a Shuttle Launch, WhicH I have on Very good
Authority that you would get forced down by a F-15 jet if you were even 5 MILES
from the Shuttle during Launch!!

You lied too many times Porky!!!!

Now your time is up!! NAL Time!!!

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4202. Re: thanks for canceling my post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517222834.18356.00002620@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142563

All right,

Master of Pirated computer software!!!!

Who died and made you the f&^#'n Net Cop!

You make me sick

You are but a little PORKBUTT SUCKUP!!!!

HAIL KV4FZ!

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4203. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517223654.18356.00002633@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142564

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>LAW
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Ok Little man of Hate,

You don't have any respect do you? You are a very disgusting Jew.

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4204. Re: rogue cancels logged by usenet admins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517223844.18356.00002636@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142565

>I think poor Dave needs to get a life. Acadia.com Bruce Beck eh?
>Georgia AND Harvard. Time to have fun with acadia.com....
>

Oris

He's too busy pushing his Illeagal software, hence "Warez"

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4205. Looking for MOTOROLA Metrum II Phase locked loop board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: gerwitz@inficad.com
Message-ID: <7hqo01$2jd$1@news.inficad.com>
Source record: 142566

I am looking for a MOTOROLA Metrum II Phase lock loop board. I need either the conversion kit number TLN1808A or the circuit board number TLD5243B.

If you have such an ancient item or any of the METRUM II equipment, please contact me.

Jim
N7QHK

4206. pactor MBO-GAteways

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Beau Winburn <flacsi@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <3742321F.8F261141@mindspring.com>
Source record: 142567

I am looking for a source on Pactor MBO and Gateway connections that
give the details of how to use.

Any suggestions greatly appreciated.
73 es God bless
beau winburn
kd4gfy

4207. Re: OTK Here To Stay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374232C9.8F268276@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142568

Wow! What a great effort, Rich! You almost got
three coherent sentances! It was -t-h-i-s- close.
It's a new personal best for ya, my man!
Keep up the great efforts and one day soon
you might actually CONVERSE!

73 Dave AB5S

rich7@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> It's really too bad the scumbags lost again. Thank you for all the
> letters to the FCC, in my behalf. It's nice to have support from good
> friends. Rich WB2OTK (soon to be W2OTK)
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4208. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37423521.5FC6@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

dustcart wrote:
>
> THE Dustcart was once denied enlarged basement access.
>
> Rick i was only joking.....<VBG>
SORY TO HEAR THAT
--
RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4209. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37423562.B3A@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Mother Nature wrote:
>
> Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> making me hot......<g>
>
> "H. Adam Stevens" wrote:
> >
> > No, I'm saying that if you want the same license I have, pass comparable tests.
> > Is CW relevant? The Navy thinks not. It's still valid and satisfying.
> > I'm no 35 WPM Extra, just an Advanced. I took my last code test at the Dallas
> > FCC office in April of 1964, 13 WPM. The damn government already stole my First
> > Phone, I don't want it to redefine my ham license, too. Just create a new
> > ticket? Been done.
> > The service does need to evolve with technology, no one uses spark much.
> > I have no simple solution.
> > 73
> > H.
> > WA5IGW
> >
> > RADIO MAN wrote:
> >
> > > Sir wrote:
> > > >
> > > > > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
> > > > >
> > > > You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> > > > the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> > > > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > > > can not resist reading and replying to this.
> > > The thing about Morse Code is that it seems that the OLD TIMERS are
> > > saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
> > > cheese with that wine?
> > > --
> > > RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> > > FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!
OOOHHH!!!
--
RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4210. K1MAN's webpage????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517225955.18356.00002654@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142571

What's that Site URL??????????

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4211. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hql6b$h45@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142572

Todd <tyler@nightowl.net> wrote:
>Besides most of you Hams have a CB radio too, but of course you'll never
>admit it on thig NG,

I have three CB radios. As soon as they were given to me (one was found in
a dumpster) they were immediately converted to 10 meter CW.
Jeff KH6O

P.S. I've never found a ham radio in a dumpster. I guess that points to
a pretty big distinction between the CRS and the ARS, eh?

4212. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hqlbp$h68@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill, no need to post this thread to the .scanner and .shortwave NGs.
A bigger audience will not necessarily help your cause.

Bill Sohl <billsohl@planet.net> wrote:
>
>Tim,
>The fact remains that not one of those subject areas you
>identify here are separate pass/fail test elements. You can
>ignore several subject areas and still pass the test.

How many, Bill? If someone is not interested in digital comms,
satellites, RTTY, component data, and SSTV, can they skip all those
questions and still pass, or will they be "forced" to learn those
subjects which they'll never use?

>Not so
>for CW testing which is given, graded and must be
>passed as a totally separate test element.

Only at the 70% level; that's less than what's needed to pass the
written exams.

73, Jeff KH6O

4213. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990517232059.16504.00002049@ng43.aol.com>
Source record: 142574

The big problem with Hamvention is:

1: They keep down sizing the buses, this year there were only two free parking spots. One of the major sights (Forrest Park Plaza) was shut down due to redoing the parking lot, most likely it will not be open next year. Also the buses were not running at the Air Force Museum, another major parking area.

2: The price of admission is getting too high.
The committee should look into offering a one-day pass, a lot of people are complaining about this one. I think they only think about the Hams who come from far away who make a weekend of it, but a good deal of people come to Dayton for only a day.

3: WAY TOO MANY COMPUTER VENDORS.
This year looked more like the Computerfest that is held here every month. Also anyone catch the great deals on Beanie Babies?
Give me a break.

I think a major shift should be made from making Hamvention a profit generating event to what it used to be, a place for Hams to gather and share their love for the Hobby, and a place for Ham Radio vendors to show off their latest toys, not a haven for Computers Nerds, and Beanie Baby Buffs.

JMHO

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

4214. Re: more rogue cancels from bellsouth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: oris@dirtball.com
Message-ID: <7hqq6t$j33$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142649

In article <7hqaef$8pt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
> In article <7hptajvgb1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> donkboy98@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> BTW
> > DICKBOY99 is the one I think you talking about A.K.A. porkbutt! We
all
> > know that porkbutt isn't smart enough to set up a proxy server. HA
HA
> HA porkbutt I'm closer to you than you would ever
> > believe. Well dick head I'm not Oris. In fact you puss growing
> > boil behind the ears fool you know me, quite well and I know about
all
> > your part97 violations. I know all about your Jamming on 3.8945 and
> now
> > you use the same style here in the newsgroups. So your going to
start
> > your crap in the news groups since the F.C.C. guy has taken your
> vanity
> > call away. Well Dickboy99 what do you have to say for yourself now.
I
> > think that your a little boy and the F.C.C. is going to take your
toys
> > away and now your crying. I geuss you can go back to building Texas
> Star
> > amps for the trailer trash on 11 meters. dickboy99 oops DoNkBoY99
> > dickboy99 isn't trailer trash he is trailer toxic waste.
>
> Oris, you forgot to bring your bring a bar of soap to Hartwell did'nt
> you??? It's white nigger trash like you, that ruin ham radio! "WTIA"
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
HAHAHAHA PORKBUTT PORKBUTT PORKBUTT is DoNkBoY99 HAHAHA PORKBUTT
SPOOFED. HAHAHAHAHA! This post is the real proof. What a lamer! Now
porky you have gotton found out every one else is wrong.POOR POOR POOR
PORKBUTT! You are about the lamest person I ever met! I new you didn't
have the Balls to go to Dayton what a loser. PORKBUTT PORKBUT!
I I I THE PORKBUTT SONG I I I THE PORKBUTT SONG Now we can all sing I
I I the DICKBOY SONG I I I THE DICKBOY SONG I I I HA HA HA HA HA
HEHEHEHEEH HAHAHAHA HEHEEHEHE. PORKBUTT you are the LAMEST of LAMERS.
Are you sure you don't pay rent? I mean everything else you have done so
far has been a lie. I bet those guys on 94.5 are right. Did you bounce

checks in Fl? and now the FCC revoked you vanity call sign. So when are you going to pay that $10,500 NAL. Like I said before everything you have done is a lie, so I bet you rent you slug.
COVERT62

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4215. Re: more rogue cancels from bellsouth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: covert62@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hqqhf$j69$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142650

In article <7hqaef$8pt$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
> In article <7hptajvgb1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
> donkboy98@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> BTW
> > DICKBOY99 is the one I think you talking about A.K.A. porkbutt! We
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> > know that porkbutt isn't smart enough to set up a proxy server. HA
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> > believe. Well dick head I'm not Oris. In fact you puss growing
> > boil behind the ears fool you know me, quite well and I know about
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> > your part97 violations. I know all about your Jamming on 3.8945 and
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> > you use the same style here in the newsgroups. So your going to
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> > your crap in the news groups since the F.C.C. guy has taken your
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> > away and now your crying. I geuss you can go back to building Texas
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4216. FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hshs3nvg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

As part of the ULS, used to file electronically (a feature in itself discriminatory to those without internet access), FCC has dictated you give them your SSN.

Do not be hoodwinked !

Neither your DMV, FCC or any other state, local or federal agency other than the SSA has a right to this number. They will claim they do ! THEY DO NOT. YOU NEED TO UNDERSTAND THE LAW AS ENACTED BY CONGRESS, NOT AS INTERPRETED BY AN AGENCY BUREACRAT !

Additionally, government claims of secure servers at the civilian level are bogus ! These servers and their data are regularly intercepted in transit,decoded and also hacked at the server itself.

Instead, provide a random PIN number you have chosen and record it for your dealings with this system.
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Now, for the editorial. It's discriminatory, like I said. Government has no right to demand anyone access an electronic system. Both that demand and the collection of these numbers is tantamount to modern chattel slavery. The SSN is used for serious, private matters such as income reporting, benefits, etc. With it anyone at FCC or along the internet can find out anything about you, and since this is ham radio, not a vital safety or security issue like a pilot's license, it's a ridiculous request.

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4217. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Christopher W. Buckley" <cwbuckle@mtu.edu>
Message-ID: <7hs94b$7qk$2@campus1.mtu.edu>
Source record: 142652
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

People, this isn't an honest question, its just spam trying
to get you to visit their website, and maybe buy some vitamins
to stop your heads from balding!

In rec.radio.amateur.misc kihika <kihika@yahoo.com> wrote:

:k>We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
:k>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
:k>in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
:k>a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
:k>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
:k>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
:k>question if this marijuana thing is true.

:k> -----------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News ==----------
:k> http://www.newsfeeds.com The Largest Usenet Servers in the World!
:k>------== Over 73,000 Newsgroups - Including Dedicated Binaries Servers ==-----

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"Deciding on a career is merely a matter
of determining which type of BS you
would like to put of with for the rest
of your life."

4218. Re: Brother Stair / Assembly of God COCK Worshipers??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518141237.03526.00002069@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142653
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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<< of God COCK Worshipers??
From: "M Weiss"
Date: Tue, May 18, 1999 5:36 AM
Message-id: <7hqu95$3h6$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
<<>>>>

Rev. R.G. Cantalope PhD BMF wrote in message
<7hqc4t$37u$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>
>Phil wrote in message <7ho18k$j54@journal.concentric.net>...
>>An interesting sound clip of the screaming
>>Brother, howling about "cock-worship" among
>>Assembly of God associates of his...
>
>
>BAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA! HA HA HA HA
>HAWWW!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>BLAAAAA HA HA HA HA!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>This clip was so freakin funny I was actually crying from laughing so
hard!!!!!

I've just one comment to add to this >>
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4219. Re: SPEAKING OF BRO.STAIR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518140919.03526.00002067@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142654

<<

Radiosigs wrote:

> Last week while slumming on shortwave,I listened to the screaming egocentric
> maniac,Brother Stair,...

> Doc, AF2Y

Try to keep the postings relevant to the newsgroup.
<<Ham radio =shortwave
Brother Stair=shortwave
Remember the axiom in geometry? Things equal to the same thing are equal to
each other. Doc,AF2Y>>
--
Thomas C. Sefranek WA1RHP
ARRL Instructor, Technical Specialist, VE Contact.
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/41_Repeater/repeater.html
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html
>>

4220. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518141837.03526.00002072@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142655

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<< '
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Tue, May 18, 1999 2:36 AM
Message-id: <19990517223654.18356.00002633@ng-cb1.aol.com>

><<DID YOU SAY "FREE SPEECH?" DON'T YOU MEAN FREE HATE OF
>BLACKS,JEWS,HISPANICS,ORIENTALS,CLINTON,OUR GOVERNMENT,OUR CONSTITUTION,OUR
>LAW
>ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES AND SO ON AND SO FORTH? THEY SHOULD ALL DROP DEAD FROM
>CORONARY ""STROMBOSES." AF2Y,Doc>>>>>

Ok Little man of Hate,

You don't have any respect do you? You are a very disgusting Jew.
<<HEY REDNECK..TELL ME THIS. THAT OUTHOUSE FROM WHICH YOU TRANSMIT AND WRITE
HATEFUL POSTS...DID YOU REMOVE THE TOILET TO MAKE ROOM FOR YOUR EQUIPMENT OR IS
IT YOUR PERMANENT "CHAIR?" AF2Y. Doc>>>>>>

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
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4221. FS Kenwood TS-440S-AT "MINT CONDITION" +Filters +PowerSupply +Speaker - For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cosmic@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <3741a238.4981185@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 142656

FS Kenwood TS-440S-AT "MINT CONDITION" +Filters +PowerSupply +Speaker

Kenwood TS-440S-AT
+PowerSupply
+Speaker
+ 2 Filters

~ Mint Condition
~ Single Owner
~ Low Use

Package includes the following:

TS-440S-AT - With Built-In Antenna Tuner
PS-50 - Kenwood Power Supply
SP-430 - Kenwood Matching Speaker
YK-88SN - Kenwood 1.8KHZ SSB Filter
YK-88C - Kenwood 500 HRZ CW Filter
SM-TS-440S - Kenwood Service Manual
OM-TS-440S - Kenwood Operating Manual
Receipts - All HRO original purchase receipts encluded.

This rig is in factory new condition. It
is complete as listed above and includes
all original Kenwood equipment boxes.
Soon after the purchase of the above rig,
It was replaced with a Kenwood TS-950D
resulting in very low usage.

If you are seriously interested in purchasing
a top quality rig, this is it. $850.

Includes ground UPS shipping in USA

Email to: rf@atomicpage.com
Subject: Kenwood TS-440S-AT

Dick Fults - K6SX
1211 Maple Street
San Mateo, CA 94402

650-372-0716

73's

4222. Who is this N0VFP anyway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518143015.03520.00001963@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142657

I was told on the air that N0VFP,the Redneck Stumpjumper,the guy who's in love with the Boys From Brazil on 3.950 is a know-nothing codeless Tech Plus who doesn't know a watt from a what? Can anyone confirm or deny?
Doc, AF2Y

4223. Re: Wanted: Information on RCA Radiofone 150 Mobile Tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Black <blackm00@CAM.ORG>
Message-ID: <Pine.SOL.4.10.9905181411370.27685-100000@Ocean.CAM.ORG>
Source record: 142658

On Tue, 18 May 1999, W1PEV wrote:

> Ive just recently acquired an RCA Radiofone 150. Its 6 volt positive ground
> with a P-103 Dynamotor built into the radio. This thing is built like a tank
> with a 3/32" thick plate steel cabinet and chassis. Im guessing that it is
> circa 1965ish?
>
> Is anyone familiar with this unit?
>
> Thanks and 73's>

I think it must be earlier than 1965. I had an RCA Carfone 150, actually
I still have it around, back in 1972 and it was surplus at that point. It
had vibrators in the power supply.

I can't imagine them going to a later model and adding a dynamotor. And I
imgaine the next step after the one I had was probably transistors.
Certainly in the power supply, if not partially or completely in the RF
circuitry.

Have you opened it up? Posting the tube lineup might give an idea of
vintage. The Carfone 150 has a filter in the 455KHz IF and if yours has
one, there might be a date or information about bandwidth. Since bandwidth
kept getting reduced with time, it would be an indicator of age.

Michael VE2BVW

4224. Death of Ham radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: vpaul@nmia.com
Message-ID: <7hsc71$b3i$1@hume.nmia.com>
Source record: 142659

On Mon, 17 May 1999 NCC-1701B@Mindspring.com (CRT&#65533;) wrote:

>Ham Radio is on it's deathbed. I'm an Extra and I sold all my
>equipment because of the garbage on the bands. RIP amateur radio.

Why did you bother in the first place? Not a criticism,
just asking why anyone would go to all the trouble and $$$.
I am a ham because I enjoy the technical challenges involved.
The garbage on the bands isn't relevant. Prohibitive and
oppressive FCC regulations are all that could keep me out of
ham radio. I'm no outlaw. Ham radio is a right and a
privilege. If ham radio truly dies, we have other means of
communicating. For now. We just won't have any control over
them.

I come from the school of "Guard all your rights jealously,
because they are easier to lose than to gain." If ham radio
dies out, the ham bands will be reassigned to commercial use.
A precious freedom will be lost. Do you truly want to tell
your grandchildren that YOU used to be able to communicate
with the shuttle in orbit, but you lost interest in it, the
whole thing was eventually scrapped, and now no one is allowed
to use the radio waves unless they bought the bandwidth at an
FCC auction?

Ham radio must be kept popular, even if the entry level
license is a "gimme" that any citizen may have, even if the
airwaves are flooded with crap. Higher level licenses are
where you separate the chaff from the wheat. Keep morse
code. Add a soldering skill test. Make the exams harder
to memorize and more comprehensive. If we close off
access to the entry level licenses, ham radio will die.

Maybe you will be able to talk to the space station via an
online chat site, if that happens. Maybe your cell phone
will reach the moon by then. If so, your freedom to
communicate will be in the hands of those who control the
means to communicate.

Vince Paul
KC5RYW
Albuqerque, NM

4225. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3741BC95.9828BABA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142660

Radiosigs wrote:
> <<<<<<<My good man, there are not too many who can come up to the standards of
> David Shakespeare. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

I know it's tough on him Doc.
But I just know he can do make it!
Come'on Rich! Give'em Type!

Dave AB5S

4226. Re: Porkbutt spoofed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3741BD01.5406C42@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142661

Can't be, Oris.
Pork-o's never typed more then 25 letters
in a single post, so it would be a big stretch.

Dave AB5S

4227. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a Big time loser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518154230.22776.00002180@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142662

Oris, learn to spell, and take a bath. That's what the tub in your bathroom is for.

4228. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hssr1$v7v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7hshs3nvg1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> As part of the ULS, used to file electronically (a feature in itself

Again, not everyone has or will have a computer, that is a Klinton NWO assumption.

Such numbers are legitimate only for revenue purposes.

FCC has no cause to collect a TIN/SSN from a ham who owes no fees. A random individual number or callsign can be used.

It's part of an interagency attempt to catalog all angles of our lives.

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4229. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518155043.22776.00002187@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142664

This is way to easy for me Dave.....

4230. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518154820.22776.00002184@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142665

Keep on dreaming about the NAL, it's already a done deal.....you will see soon!

4231. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518154924.22776.00002185@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142666

Keep betting Dave!

4232. Re: Porkbutt spoofed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518155235.22776.00002189@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142667

Yeah, and I have proof that Oris is a MORON!

4233. OTK Here To Stay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hsubneu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142668

It's really too bad the scumbags lost again. Thank you for all the letters to the FCC, in my behalf. It's nice to have support from good friends. Rich WB2OTK (soon to be W2OTK)

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4234. Porkbutt/WB2OTK/W2OTK "Of the hook again"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518155856.22776.00002191@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142669

Just wait for the ARRL post in around 48 hours. Poor babies, you lost agian!
Good try
though!!!
!!

4235. WTB: KENWOOD SM-230 SCOPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: K9CSM <k9csm@pcisys.net>
Message-ID: <927058106.468.102@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142670

I would like to buy your SM-230 scope. Pls state age, conditions. Thanks,
Ben k9csm@pcisys.net

4236. Re: Who is this N0VFP anyway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: richwhiten@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518155958.22776.00002192@ng42.aol.com>
Source record: 142671

We ought to help him get his general class ticket.

4237. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Malcolm Ogilvie <malcolm@ogilvie.org>
Message-ID: <lm51agAHtbQ3Ewz2@ogilvie.org>
Source record: 142672
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

In article <MPG.11abbc13c4d63583989bdf@news.btinternet.com>, Chris
Buckley <cjbuckley@tesco.net> writes
>In article <7hs94b$7qk$2@campus1.mtu.edu>, Christopher W. Buckley
>writes...
>: Chris Buckley -- KC0DBY
>: Vice President / Treasurer
>: Husky Amateur Radio Club -- W8YY (906)487-1303
>: Computational Mathematics Consultant
>: MTU Math Science Department (906)487-3406
>: Electrical Engineering Undergraduate
>: Michigan Technological University
>: cwbuckle@mtu.edu @ Da House -- (906)487-6996
>
>Well fancy that!! LOL :-)
>
>--
>Regards,
>Chris Buckley

Do you mean to say that this, with its 14 line sig, part of which you
have snipped, isn't you? Are you sure?
--
Malcolm

4238. GP 68

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robinson Nuñez <rob@brigadamac.dhs.org>
Message-ID: <3741C7EF.BF9D76E9@brigadamac.dhs.org>
Source record: 142673

Hello,

I need to kow if someone has or knows how to program a motorola GP 68.
Thanks,

Robinson

4239. Re: Modification for Radio Shack WeatherRadio Model #: 12-240 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hsj1i$107@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Tod J. Knapp <todjk@mhtc.net> wrote:
>A new NWS transmitter went up in the area and I'm wanting to access it.
>Unfortunately, these WeatherRadio's do not cover the 162.500 Mhz freq, which
>is an "expansion freq."

The RS WX radio I had used a single crystal, and different trimmer capacitors were switched in and out while changing channels. I suggest you open the radio's case, look for one of the trimmers, and, with the channel selector selected for that trimmer, adjust it with a plastic tuning tool, until you hit that frequency.

GL, Jeff KH6O

4240. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fc06xd3.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 142375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 19 May 1999 15:45:16 -0700, R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:

> Actually, it is not Clinton so much trying to get rid of the FCC, but
> Billy Tauzin, R-LA, who is frothing at the mouth to disband the FCC so
> that the entire spectrum can be sold off. Truth is, he's the real
> danger to amateur radio.

You noticed.......

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

4241. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <BJxpPXA7fzQ3Ew1t@virgin.net>
Source record: 142376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Really: Try a little experiment for me then. Just stand at a gas station whilst somebody is refuelling and induce just a small spark! If you have never seen a gasoline vapor explosion and the resulting skin burns then maybe you'll think again. Any transmitter is dangerous under those conditions, and a cell phone is still a transceiver with operating keys. Then again you are justly entitled to your opinion as I am and I prefer to play along the lines of common sense and public safety. No doubt you are quite happy to smoke a cigarette whilst refuelling your car!

In article <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> writes
>Totally impossible!!
>
>Keith Bennett wrote:
>>
>> Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
>> noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
>> was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
>> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
>> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
>> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
>> phone!!
>>
>> --
>> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
>> Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
>> trojan.horse@virgin.net
>> [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
>> http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
>> UIN #3457372
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4242. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <6pFnHaApnzQ3Ewx3@virgin.net>
Source record: 142377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Well Phil have you ever seen the results of a gasoline vapor explosion?
No of course you have not! But I have. And the resultant skin burns are
not pretty to see. Any electronic device is capable of producing short
circuits and sparks. Activating cellphone keypads may or may not induce
an electrical connection, however small, but you can bet your bottom
dollar that if there was such a fault produced then you would be the
poor schmuck standing there pumping unleaded gas into your car! We here
in the UK do not have vapor vacuums fitted to the gas pumps, so the
whole area around a busy market gas station is full of gas fumes.
All I am considering is the personal safety of my family and myself, and
if you don't like it Phil you can go and stuff yourself!

In article <7humm6$3av$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>, Phil Smalley
<ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com> writes
>
>Jim Wayda wrote in message <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>...
>>Totally impossible!!
>>
>>Keith Bennett wrote:
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>>> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
>>> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
>>> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
>>> phone!!
>>>
>
>
>Just goes to show that people are mindless sheep that will believe
>anything - why else do you think con-men can steal millions from an
>unsuspecting public?
>
>If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
>his face.
>
>-Phil
>
>-=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
>-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-
>
>

>

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From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
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UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4243. Re: REQ INFO - Dayton, 2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: k8fox@arrl.net
Message-ID: <3741bd2f.5667269@news.cwru.edu>
Source record: 142425

On Tue, 18 May 1999 13:14:04 GMT, kars10@primenet.com (Ed & Kathy)
wrote:

>Does anyone know what the dates for the Dayton Hamvention will be in
>the year 2000 ???

Yep, The 2000 Hamventionï¿½ will be May 19, 20, and 21, 2000

-Mike K8FOX

4244. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Megahertz-mania@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19622-37430896-44@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142426

Sounds highly probable, Dave. I've been wondering why Riley has (and has not) been doing the things he's been doing. There has been no real punishment of any kind. This gives the miscreants a "license" to disrupt the bands even more. Just listen to 3.950 after nothing was done to David Castle or Art Vissar, even after they DARED the FCC to come and get 'em! Last Saturday was the WORST I've heard the frequency IN YEARS. Another good example is Pork Butt. When he came back on the air yesterday and announced he was "off the hook" with the FCC, his suck-up boys went crazy on 14.313. That frequency has been quite for weeks since Porky's been gone. No longer!

All this is being done by Riley to make it "look" like he's doing something. And the ARRL is Riley's PR agent. In actuality, Riley is startegically creating MORE chaos in order to eventually have it used against us hams. And the FCC will come out looking clean as a whistle as they blame the loss of frequencies to the 14.313 and 3.950 trouble makers.

If Riley TRULY meant business, he'd take WA9KJI, W9ART, K5BLB, AF2Y, WB2OTK, and a few others off the air for a while, or hand out some NAL's. But we're not seeing that because the end result would be well behaved ham bands. And the FCC doesn't want that. They want chaos.

So I say.....let's NOT give it to 'em!!

Eugene

4245. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick <HighRoller@Qmax.org>
Message-ID: <927141763.499.51@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142427
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Your scenario fits in with what the CEO where I work
has been talking about.

The Clinton inner circle is always thinking
"globalization" and that include communications. They
are considering a couple five-year phase out plans for
the FCC. In other words, the FCC is history! Some of
its functions will cease, others will transfer to the Committee
on Telecommunications & Information Technology which is
part of the ICCWBO organization and is based out of
Paris, France.

For you doubters, look up the ICCWBO web site
at: http://www.iccwbo.org and then look for the above
mentioned committee.

Dave

4246. WB2OTK 1year 11 months

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kemosabie <jimo@vt.edu>
Message-ID: <7hv3c5jfc1@solaris.cc.vt.edu>
Source record: 142428

I see OTK has 1 year and 11 months left on his current license. :-)

4247. Washington State Ham Convention & Hamfest, May 22,23, Yakima, Wa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3744135b.4627298@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 142429

Yakima Amateur Radio Club W7AQ
Is proud to announce the Washington State Ham Convention
and Yakima Hamfest May 22 & 23 1999

Doors open 9:00-4:00 Saturday, Breakfast starts at 7:00
Doors open 9:00-1:00 Sunday, Breakfast starts at 7:00

Prize Drawing Sunday at 12:00
!!!!!!! Grand Prize - Icom IC-706MKII !!!!!!!

New Location!! We are back in Yakima!! This Year we will be holding
the
event at the Masonic Center, 510 North Naches Ave. Easy access off
I-82

ARRL Guests

Greg Milnes W7OZ--ARRL NW Division Director
James Fenstermaker K9JF--ARRL NW Division Vice Director
Dean Straw N6BV--ARRL Senior Assistant Technical Editor
Kyle Pugh KA7CSP--Eastern Washington Section Manager
Jack Babbitt WA5ZAY--Eastern Washington Emergancy Coordinator

Saturday Night Banquet Dinner
Dinner will be catered on site. $12.50 per plate
Dinner Program by Dean Straw N6BV "Logistics and Planning for the
6Y2A DXpedition"

ARRL VE Testing Walk-ins
Welcome, Don't forget a copy of your licence.
Saturday at 12:30 on site Contact Sean
Byrne AC7AJ (509) 966-9838 for more information

For more information or to register
for the convention, please send E-Mail to
KB7HDX@ARRL.NET

Please include your mailing address
or call (Eve. after 6:00 Pacific) Area code 509-965-3379
Mark J. Tharp KB7HDX
C. Jo Whitney KA7LJQ

4248. Re: Off the hook??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519161340.16493.00002422@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 142430

<< Subject: Off the hook??
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Wed, May 19, 1999 3:40 AM
Message-id: <3742329F.6E85@dirtball.com>
<<<WORD HAS IT THAT THE FCC WILL BEGIN AUCTIONING OFF OUR FREQUENCIES TO CENTRAL AMERICAN COUNTRIES ON eBay.Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>>>
What has the FCC gone blind to fact that its let one of the worst jammers off the hook? Have they been totally blind to the fact that this jammer does and has always used foul language over the radio? What's this has the FCC chickened out again? The first real chance on the betterment of ham radio and the government washouts go yellow? Is this another example of how our FCC is going to handle the true troublemakers on the amateur radio service? The service is truly going to die now! I will make a prediction that the airwaves will be worse now then ever. Has Hollingsworth lost his backbone? Did the FCC stop enforcing the rules? I mean I know for a fact that this jammer DID LIE to Hollingworth about the homebrew 8877 amplifier being under construction. I have heard it on the air more then once, and ran up to full power. I also know for fact that the station in question did go down on 3.8945 MHz and cause willful interference on many occasions. I also know when things started to calm down, the station in question would stir the crap back up and laugh about it. I also know that this guy did sell worthless filters over the radio and when people complained and wanted their money back all of a sudden there was something wrong with their radios. WHAT IS THIS!? Has the FCC lost their minds? What kind of farce is this I say? Well Mr.Riley Hollingsworth you have handed out the wrong message to both groups and the amateur radio community as a whole. You can bet the airwaves will be full of PORKBUT SONGS 10 5 with his squeaky voice going off about NALs and others just going off the deep end. I can surly see the death of amateur radio is right around the corner. What has Mr. Hollingsworth done now? It looks to me that Mr. Hollingsworth has handed a license to jam to one of the king jammers on the radio today. What is the world of amateur radio come to? We all where in high hopes that you Mr. Hollingsworth where going to be the new sheriff in town. It appears that you're another Washington quitter! You can bet that 20-meters for the next here on end will be crazy! You can bet that 75 will be completely nuts as it was before this so-called FCC crackdown (again I say WHAT CRACKDOWN? I have talked about this in previous commentary.). As for par for the course the FCC cowards at the most perfect time to save the service form its own self-destruction. What is wrong here? I pulled the strong anti-FCC web pages down at your request Mr. Hollingsworth. You assured me that something was going to be done! Just like in the past and just like Washington allot of hot air and nothing gets done!

Well for those of you in the Banana Republics that want the low end
of the spectrum for your banana work. Just stick it out for a few more
years. The FCC has sent the wrong message to all the white trash on
amateur radio today. Start getting your bids ready because it will be
just a matter of time before this trash embarrasses the USA to the point
of Congress yanking the whole service from us. Darn CBers are better
operators then the trash that the FCC has decided to let off the hook.
For the rest of us, you can bet that this is the long-term plan of the
FCC and this administration to give the trashy amateur radio operators
the chance to destroy the whole service. Take away more freedoms and
gain more control over the American people. You can bet that the FCC
will give the policing of the airwaves to the local police and when that
happens WE WILL ALL LOSE! You can take that to the bank! Then it's just
a matter of time. Banana republics GET YOUR BIDS READY! The spectrum
will soon be for sale to the highest bidder.
WAY TO GO HOLLINGSWORTH! Perfect opportunity for the FCC to show
that they mean business. The perfect opportunity to show that the FCC
isn't a paper tiger and that it has real teeth. Typical of our
government in this country of ours always start a good job but rarely
finish. Aw what do you expect from Washington? They send a lawyer to do
the work of an enforcer what a bunch of quitters. Hollingsworth if you
read this way to go! Don't worry boys Hollingsworth will read this
because I'm sending it to him. I guess time will tell.
Best Regards and May amateur radio R.I.P.
Oris Grim
N3CND

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.(This will soon to be no more!)
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts >>

4249. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Message-ID: <7hvaps$m80$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142431

In article <19990512204514.11259.00000934@ng-cs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> I urge you to click on to this Website<A HREF="http://www.adl.org/">ADL, the
> world's leading organization to fight &#65533;</A>and realize
>that it is one of the
> most important organizations in this nation to care
> about the rights of
> everyone! The dignity of every man! An organization
> that keeps close tabs on
> skuzzies like the Boys from Brazil on 3.950 or
>for that matter any hate group
> hell bent on destroying your liberty. And I believe
> the ADL does work in
> concert with the FBI,ATF and city and state
>law enforcement personnel
> throughout the country. Bigots..EAT YOUR HEARTS OUT!

What a boast . . . That the ADL works with those other champions of
liberty, the FBI and the ATF!

In fact, the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai Brith is a Jewish
organization. The Jewish tradition is virulently opposed to the
American Bill of Rights and principle of "equal justice under law."

According to the Talmud, non-Jews are sub-human and can be slaughtered
like cattle.

* The intent to kill a non-Jew is so laudable that even if a Jew is
accidently killed in an attempt to kill a non-Jew, the murderous Jew
suffers no liability.

* But if a Jew intends to kill another Jew and does so, he is liable.

(Babylonian Talmud, Soncino Edition, London, 1935. Sanhedrin 78b 79a;
pg. 529-30.)

* If a Jew murders a Gentile, the Jew suffers no death penalty.
(Sanhedrin 57a., pg. 388)

* if a Gentile strikes a Jew in the jaw, the Gentile, having stricken
the "Divine Presence" (that is, a Jew) suffers the death penalty.
(Sanhedrin 58b, pg.388).

And what does the Talmud say about the obligation to tell the truth?
Why, the Talmud sanctifies and institutionalizes false swearing, or
lying.

"And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall be valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. " (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of Atonement. (Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)

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Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.

Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

"In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act." George Orwell

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4250. Re: Introducing "Ham Radio Wars" Episode 1 "A Radio menace!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519163452.16492.00002436@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 142432

<< Subject: Introducing "Ham Radio Wars" Episode 1 "A Radio menace!"
From: dx302man@aol.com (DX302MAN)
Date: Wed, May 19, 1999 1:06 AM
Message-id: <19990518210636.03520.00002099@ng-fb1.aol.com>
<<<READERS....LOOK BELOW. ANYONE SPELLING "CHAOS", KAOS, IS AN IGNORANT SCHMUCK WHO IS SITTING AT HIS COMPUTER SUCKING ON A PACIFIER. AF2Y. Doc>>>>>>>>
In Honor of the opening Wed May, 19th of "Star Wars Episode 1: Phonton Menace"
Our staff has worked hard to produce a 6 episode set of movies of our own!

"It is a period of kaos on the Ham Bands, There are jammers and Nets to be jammed. Only a dedicated group of people who have beaten the odds can defeat the kaos, The StupmJumpers!"

Episode 1 begins around 1960:

We will take a look at the lives of:

A young Doc Hate, facing many problems, hence why he is today.

A young PorkButt, the only diference is that he is about 285 pounds lighter.

KV4FZ at the courage center, helping young handicaped kids get a ham license and make a future for themeselves.

We will also look at the some others: K5BLB, WA9KJI working on old Silvertone radios.

Other movies:

Episode 2: "Hate rising"
Episode 3: "Jonestown or Bust"
Episode 4: "A new Courage"
Episode 5: "Hollingsworth Strikes Back!"
Episode 6: "Return of the NAL!"

From all of us, Enjoy these Movies, they'll bring many tears to your eyes and open your eyes to the truth!

DX302MAN, Washington DC HQ >>

4251. Riley EXTREMELY angry with Porky??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Megahertz-mania@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20042-37431AF8-73@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142433

Rumor has it that W. Riley is VERY upset with Pork Butt. It seems that the "spin" Porky is putting on the air and over Usenet isn't true by any means. And it's really angering Mr. Hollingsworth. Seems quite a few phone calls asking why Porky has been let off the hook, have made their way to the FCC and ARRL. But it looks as if Porky hasn't been let off the hook after all. We'll just have to stay tuned...

Eugene

4252. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519164826.16492.00002438@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 142434

<< <Strom,you're a scheming lowlife hunk of refuse. NO PROUD JEW would ever side with you or your Nazi buddies. Any Jew who does,is a traitor to his faith and his people. Hell, one of the prerequisites for becoming a SPOTLIGHT shill on 3.950 is based on one's anti-Semitic predilection for which you and your toilet bowl lickers are noted. The names you bring up are garbage in the Jewish community. Scabs, ashamed of their heritage. Cowards who are afraid of being called kikes and dirty Jews. To them it's easier to kiss your ass than to kick it,hence they have sold out. Liberty Net my tuchus! You bums are rotten to the core and I hope you try turning your words of hate into action because you'll meet up with what you deserve-law enforcement bullets. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>

Lest people get the wrong impression from some of the posts here, it is worthwhile to note that Harrison Perl, K4GAR, who is probably the most consistent and long-standing participant in the weekly patriotic, perfectly legal, and above-board Liberty Net on 3950, is himself Jewish.

Like other Jewish truth-tellers Alfred Lilienthal, Benjamin Freedman, and Israel Shahak, Harrison is not afraid to criticize the Jewish establishment when it do >>

4253. Free Amateur Radio Logging Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: SRC Software <SRC_Software@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37432817.E4D15B9A@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142435

SRC Software's Amateur Radio Utility v1 Release 1.100
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Tired with the standard old logging applications... un-user-friendly interfaces etc?

Well, your time of searching may be over!

The long awaited next release of SRC Software's Amateur Radio Utility v1 is now available (1.100). It uses the windows interface, which allows quick and easy logging. Many features are included such as automatic frequency identification, contact information, full locator support with distance mapping, shortcut and custom keys, full QSL label printing support, import/export partial logs, the list goes on!

Major additions to this new version since version 1.001
==========

Added customised QSL label printing support
New database added which stores information about your amateur radio setups
Now allowed to export selected contacts, as well as exporting the whole logbook
Import wizard allows a selection of contacts to import
On click information displayed when users clicks on a log entry
QSL label grabber wizard to help you to collect contacts for QSL labels
More pages added to help file
Extended contact information for more details about stations
UTC time offset feature

This programme uses database files which allow data to be entered in any order and format. It is designed mainly for home day to day logging and also after contest logging and general sorting out. It supports import/export to and from RSGB LOG format, a commonly used computer logging format, and you can choose the contacts you want to import, rather than doing the whole file. The programme will re-index your log into date/time order, meaning that contacts can be imported how you like. There are hundreds of other features which you will be able to see when you start using this newly developed application.

AND THE BEST PART OF IT IS THAT IT IS COMPLETELY FREE!!!!!!!!!

YES : It is... all you have to do is download it, enter a few details into the page and click on register. As soon as possible I will send you the registration details, no costs or catches apply!!!

If you already have a previous version installed (1.001) you can get the update patch from my website. You will not have to register your new copy again, as you will automatically have the full version.

Background Info

This programme has recently been produced, and is available to anyone. It was programmed, designed, written and debugged by me, Simon Chudley, a student in the UK. I am a qualified amateur, M1BWT, and have been operating for about two years ish. Please distribute this programme as you wish, as long as all the files are exactly as I distributed them, and EVERY USER THAT INSTALLS A COPY REGISTERS - REMEMBER, REGISTRATION IS FREE!

How?

Simply go to the following website and click on Products. Then select Amateur Radio Utility v1. You will be able to see more detailed informaiton on that page, and to download it, scroll down to the bottom of the page. You will then have to select E-Mail, and click on Register AMV1. Enter your details along with the programme details (you can find these out from General Preferences) and click on submit. I will send you the registration code via e-mail asap. View the readme.txt file for installation details after unzipping the zip file.

Any problems please contact SRC_Software@hotmail.com

DOWNLOADS AND PATCHES FROM

http://www.members.tripod.com/SRC_Software

4254. Re: Newbie, on SWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ed Kearns <kearnser@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37432C92.88B73D07@erols.com>
Source record: 142436

Thanks!

Tom@astro.net wrote:
>
> In article <3741DB8C.FDEB5A96@erols.com>, kearnser@erols.com wrote:
> >I'd like a suggestion on appropriate newsgroup for one interested in
> >listening to SW, but doesn't think he wants to broadcast. Needs advice
> >from time to time on MUF, luf, antennas, etc. Is there an appropriate
> > newsgroup?
> >Ed Kearns
>
> Rec.radio.shortwave
>
> Tom
>
> Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)
>
> Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
> Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
> tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division
>
> My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html
>

4255. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
Message-ID: <37432CE7.ABB004E8@net1inc.net>
Source record: 142437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Please remove the cross post to rec.radio.amateur.dx

"H. Adam Stevens" wrote:

> No, I'm saying that if you want the same license I have, pass comparable tests.
> Is CW relevant? The Navy thinks not. It's still valid and satisfying.
> I'm no 35 WPM Extra, just an Advanced. I took my last code test at the Dallas
> FCC office in April of 1964, 13 WPM. The damn government already stole my First
> Phone, I don't want it to redefine my ham license, too. Just create a new
> ticket? Been done.
> The service does need to evolve with technology, no one uses spark much.
> I have no simple solution.
> 73
> H.
> WA5IGW
>
> RADIO MAN wrote:
>
> > Sir wrote:
> > >
> > > > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
> > >
> > > You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> > > the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> > > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > > can not resist reading and replying to this.
> > The thing about Morse Code is that it seems that the OLD TIMERS are
> > saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
> > cheese with that wine?
> > --
> > RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> > FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4256. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
Message-ID: <37432D5E.5E460A09@net1inc.net>
Source record: 142438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Please remove cross post to rec.radio.amateur.dx

RADIO MAN wrote:

> Mother Nature wrote:
> >
> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> > making me hot......<g>
> >
> > "H. Adam Stevens" wrote:
> > >
> > > No, I'm saying that if you want the same license I have, pass comparable tests.
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> > > I'm no 35 WPM Extra, just an Advanced. I took my last code test at the Dallas
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> > > > cheese with that wine?
> > > > --
> > > > RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> > > > FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!
> OOOHHH!!!
> --
> RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4257. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmweber@goodnet.com
Message-ID: <374632fb.5340360@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 142439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

On Wed, 19 May 1999 14:57:08 GMT, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:

>Totally impossible!!
Not impossible, but not very easy either. The average power on a hand held is limited to a few tenths of a watt. IIt takes a combination of vapor/air mixture in the explosion range (Depending upon weather conditions that varies from nearly impossible, to well within the realm of possiblity), and a source of ignition with sufficient energy (very hard with a hand held).

Cell phones are designed for several reason NOT to have make/break contacts that handle more than microwatts. (Turn on/off is actually done by software, you hit the off key, and the software will begin the sequence to put the phone into hibernation (essentially only the NV RAM, internal clock is reduced to a very low fequency, and the clock (if you have one) are left running, but that is about all.

I would be much more concerned about a vehicle mounted phone, whose power levels can be MUCH higher.
>
>Keith Bennett wrote:
>>
>> Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
>> noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
>> was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
>> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
>> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
>> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
>> phone!!
>>
>> --
>

4258. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: r_buschner@KNUUT.de
Message-ID: <7H972$5IkEB@r_buschner.knuut.de>
Source record: 142440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote in <7hqlbp$h68@news.Hawaii.Edu>:

> How many, Bill? If someone is not interested in digital comms,
> satellites, RTTY, component data, and SSTV, can they skip all those
> questions and still pass, or will they be "forced" to learn those
> subjects which they'll never use?

The difference to cw is: By every digi mode, rtty, sstv et al you have only to learn, how to use your software. Extremely, i could set my better half on the keyboard, give her a listing of the function or action keys and thats it.

Not so by cw: here you have to show the communitiy, that you are ready to spend a bit of your time with a necessary continuity over a langer period. So you show me (your qso partner) also, that you are one of the (lets say) ham community, and not one of the kewl boyz with inline skaters, which found it very kewl, to have a "right" radio, not even the simple cb radio as the other guys from your class...

Exacty this is the situation, which i can often see at mondays, when here in Munich are the Ham Radio Exams, after that the Boys comin' to our shop, in the Ham radio dept., a whole gang of nonlicensed guys and a few girls around, and the new Op is _the_ kewl guy...

;-)

If you passed a cw test, you say to me: I am one of yours.

And i think, that's a damned good feeling!

Sorry for my not soooo perfect english, i hope i can explain my position in a reasonable way... :-)

72 de Ralf

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Was fuer 'ne Signatur?

4259. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37433D62.C06C8D21@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

<SNIPPED>
Sounds like a cogent reason to drop Morse Code as an entrance
requirement to ARS.

4260. WTB: Motorola SPECTRA detailed service manual !!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox@MailAndNews.com
Message-ID: <37433c87.1748508@news.tel.hr>
Source record: 142442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If someone has Motorola SPECTRA detailed service manual i would like
to buy it if the price is reasonable.!!

regards

Fox

fox@MailAndNews.com

4261. Looking for AEA Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: jcmiller@zebranet.net
Message-ID: <374340af.0@monster.zebra.net>
Source record: 142443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings...

I am looking for a manual to an AEA PM-1 Packet Modem. Any help or pointers to
a suitable source greatly appreciated.

73,

Jeff
--
Jeff Miller, NH6ZW/N4
For anti-spam purposes, there's an extra 'net' in my reply-to
address -- humans should be able to figure it out :-)
"No good deed ever goes unpunished" -- unknown

4262. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20043-3743389A-59@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142444

Oh.....I understand Doc.

You're only "Jewish" if you're a registered socialist/liberal Democrat
and support Billy-Bob Clinton.....right????

Jr.

4263. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <37433E99.3C25@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 142445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson wrote:
>
> A friend of mine in Washington, whom I shall not name,
> passed along a provocative story.
> He is in a good position to have this information
> and I tend to believe him. I find it very disturbing.
> I'm just passing along the information--
> you decide whether you think it's plausible.
>
> In summary, he is saying that:
> 1. (mis)managers in the Clinton administration,
> who are always looking for ways to "globalize,"
> want to accommodate the illegal HF "telephone" systems
> in Central and South America by reallocating spectrum in Region 2
> to a new "service."
>
> 2. The recent FCC "crackdown" is a put-up job.
> All this smoke and bluster over a few loonies -who represent
> less then one percent of the ham population- is a scam.
> The FCC lawyers know there is no way out of the "selective enforcement"
> trap which they set for themselves and into which they have fallen.
> Nor have they the budget for any large-scale rule enforcement.
> This entire "boogieman" charade' is designed to fabricate an excuse
> for confiscating Amateur Radio spectrum.
> The idea is; "See? We tried to get them in line and they
> just kept breaking the law, so we took it away from them."
>
> Here is a partial quote from his email:
> ---------------
>
> >...managers (from the Clinton administration- ed) are talking
> >with representatives from several central and south american
> >nations about useing the HF ham bands for long-distance
> >telephone systems.... The administration is very concerned with
> >"globalism" and supports offically sanctioning this system
> >and is putting a lot of pressure on the FCC to come up
> >with a plan to get it done.... they also make some cash
> >setting up the auctions so a few south amnerican
> >"companies" with lots of money buy the spectrum
> >so they can have a legal HF link into the states.
> >
> >...there are many ideas in the transmittal
> >but the one most in favor at FCC is in teh summary

> >just after the cover memo....
> >As a first step remove the bottom 100-150 khz
> >of 80, 40, 20, and 15 meters and several mhz VHF UHF
> >and reallocate it for Region 2 to this new service.
> >Hams would receive 100-120 khz near 5 mhz
> >and a few khz low frequency on a secondary basis as compensation.
> >Time line says some time in the fall...
> >
> >...they can justify this by making a big
> >case out of a few law breakers and thats what
> >all this enforcement dog and pony show is about...
> >...they know lots of hams will say "see we deserved it
> >and its all so and so's fault" and then they can use the
> >chaos and infighting to take more, all with the
> >support of most hams who will think they must deserve it.
> >Its a slick plan.....
>
> ------------------------------
>
> I've known this man for many years.
> He's in a position to know and this sounds
> exactly like what Clinton appointees would do.
> I place a lot of stock in his letter.
>
> What are your opinions?
> Is there anyone out there who can corroborate this information?
>
> 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
> arc5@ix.netcom.com

I think we can all turn off the paranoia generator. Riley is not a Clinton appointee. He is a staff professional administrator at the FCC, that has been there for the past three presidents. Is it possible that he is being directed by some undisclosed Clinton appointee to do all this? Yes, or course possible, but knowing Riley, I don't think he would do that as a person of conscience.

Rick T.
W7RT

4264. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <37433EFC.AF0@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 142446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rick wrote:
>
> Your scenario fits in with what the CEO where I work
> has been talking about.
>
> The Clinton inner circle is always thinking
> "globalization" and that include communications. They
> are considering a couple five-year phase out plans for
> the FCC. In other words, the FCC is history! Some of
> its functions will cease, others will transfer to the Committee
> on Telecommunications & Information Technology which is
> part of the ICCWBO organization and is based out of
> Paris, France.
>
> For you doubters, look up the ICCWBO web site
> at: http://www.iccwbo.org and then look for the above
> mentioned committee.
>
> Dave

Actually, it is not Clinton so much trying to get rid of the FCC, but Billy Tauzin, R-LA, who is frothing at the mouth to disband the FCC so that the entire spectrum can be sold off. Truth is, he's the real danger to amateur radio.

4265. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3743423D.7069@sir.com>
Source record: 142447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mark Brown wrote:
>
> When are you idiots going to learn some nettiquette, CROSS
> POSTING TO GROUPS WHERE THIS DOESN'T BELONG IS IN BAD FORM
> PLEASE CEASE & DESIST.

I don't see any groups listed where the Morse Code issue would not be appropriate.

All but two are amateur radio related, and shortwave and scanner listeners have to listen to (or try to avoid) Morse Code too.

4266. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3743440D.7F2B@sir.com>
Source record: 142448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Yeah. I found this really interesting. But what has all this got to do
> with Soc Penpals? I don't really care anything about radio
> communications of any sort. So why not just keep this on the boards that
> apply and take it off soc.penpals.

Let me try to explain. When people reply to a post on a newsgroup, they don't usually read what newsgroups are all listed and delete the ones they THINK are not appropriate. They just hit send, and it goes to all the newsgroups the original post was on. Blaming the person who replied to the post is silly, he did not choose the newsgroups listed.

And to delete any of the groups would be just as silly, because you are sending a reply to the post and don't know which of the groups he will be checking back to read your reply, so it makes sense to leave everything as is.

Why do people hate logic and common sense so much?

4267. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <374344B0.7EB9@sir.com>
Source record: 142449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

H. Adam Stevens wrote:
>
> Well said.
> I'm thinking of one area where I use Morse outside of ham radio: flying. Navigation
> aids identify in Morse, but a 5 WPM proficiency suffices.

Two of my friends are pilots and say this is a bunch of bullshit.
Neither of them had to learn morse code to get their pilot's license and
don't know of anything used in flying their planes that would need to
recieve morse code for any reason.

4268. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7hvg23$2cs@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ralf K. Buschner (r_buschner@KNUUT.de) wrote:
[snip]
: Exacty this is the situation, which i can often see at mondays, when
: here in Munich are the Ham Radio Exams, after that the Boys comin' to
: our shop, in the Ham radio dept., a whole gang of nonlicensed guys and a
: few girls around, and the new Op is _the_ kewl guy... ;-)

: If you passed a cw test, you say to me: I am one of yours.

: And i think, that's a damned good feeling!

: 72 de Ralf

Here in Davie Fla, U.S.A. we have a automobile drivers test station that
makes you shoe a horse before you can take a driving test. [Davie is a
big Rodeo and cowboy town (ask those ZL wimps who tried to outshoot our
guys).] If you can't do 13 nails a minute you don't get to take the rest
of the test. :o

The ones that can do it are really cool. And they smell funny too. :)

I hear that all this is about to be changed though. And the rest of us
will -still- accept them.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4269. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37434513.2D42@sir.com>
Source record: 142451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Young wrote:
>
> j reynolds <rfjim@mft.com> wrote in message
> news:3741ebf2.469079@news.mft.com...
> > No of course not and speed
> > should not be an issue in amatuer radio cw. Only a working knowledge
> > of the code is needed and that is what should be mandated.
>
> That, of course, begs the question: how do you define "working knowledge
> of the code"?

There is no such thing. If someone is sending you at 13 WPM and you can
only understand 5 WPM, you do not have working knowledge of that code.

4270. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37434736.47FE@sir.com>
Source record: 142452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Young wrote:
>
> j reynolds <rfjim@mft.com> wrote in message
> news:3741ebf2.469079@news.mft.com...
> > but for others that use fm ssb etc. basic working
> > knowledge [of Morse code] is all that is necessary and all that should
> be required.
>
> Agreed. You're describing the Novice and Technician Plus classes. There
> is also the Technician class, which requires no Morse code. Pick one.

That would be like telling a person who wants to go fishing to get a
hunting license because he doesn't want to learn Russian first.

I wish we would be just as concerned on making people pass an English
speaking test before they were allowed to live in the USA, and were told
all of the things that Morse Code loving Hams say to people who don't
like morse code... You people are LAZY! If you want to join the
country then learn the friggin language! You immigrants all want
everything for nothing and handed to you for free! There are OTHER
countries to go to, pick one! Stop trying to force people from using
English and try to take it away as a language! Stop turning this
country into another CB band! We need SOMETHING to get rid of
undesireable immigrants!

4271. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: LCC <hass@aznet.net>
Message-ID: <tzH03.15828$tm6.8564@news.rdc1.sdca.home.com>
Source record: 142453
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote in message <37433E99.3C25@mail.firstinter.net>...
>David Stinson wrote:
>>
>> A friend of mine in Washington, whom I shall not name,
>> passed along a provocative story.
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>> to a new "service."
>>
>> 2. The recent FCC "crackdown" is a put-up job.
>> All this smoke and bluster over a few loonies -who represent
>> less then one percent of the ham population- is a scam.
>> The FCC lawyers know there is no way out of the "selective enforcement"
>> trap which they set for themselves and into which they have fallen.
>> Nor have they the budget for any large-scale rule enforcement.
>> This entire "boogieman" charade' is designed to fabricate an excuse
>> for confiscating Amateur Radio spectrum.
>> The idea is; "See? We tried to get them in line and they
>> just kept breaking the law, so we took it away from them."
>>
>> Here is a partial quote from his email:
>> ---------------
>>
>> >...managers (from the Clinton administration- ed) are talking
>> >with representatives from several central and south american
>> >nations about useing the HF ham bands for long-distance
>> >telephone systems.... The administration is very concerned with
>> >"globalism" and supports offically sanctioning this system
>> >and is putting a lot of pressure on the FCC to come up
>> >with a plan to get it done.... they also make some cash
>> >setting up the auctions so a few south amnerican
>> >"companies" with lots of money buy the spectrum
>> >so they can have a legal HF link into the states.
>> >
>> >...there are many ideas in the transmittal

>> >but the one most in favor at FCC is in teh summary
>> >just after the cover memo....
>> >As a first step remove the bottom 100-150 khz
>> >of 80, 40, 20, and 15 meters and several mhz VHF UHF
>> >and reallocate it for Region 2 to this new service.
>> >Hams would receive 100-120 khz near 5 mhz
>> >and a few khz low frequency on a secondary basis as compensation.
>> >Time line says some time in the fall...
>> >
>> >...they can justify this by making a big
>> >case out of a few law breakers and thats what
>> >all this enforcement dog and pony show is about...
>> >...they know lots of hams will say "see we deserved it
>> >and its all so and so's fault" and then they can use the
>> >chaos and infighting to take more, all with the
>> >support of most hams who will think they must deserve it.
>> >Its a slick plan.....
>>
>> ------------------------------
>>
>> I've known this man for many years.
>> He's in a position to know and this sounds
>> exactly like what Clinton appointees would do.
>> I place a lot of stock in his letter.
>>
>> What are your opinions?
>> Is there anyone out there who can corroborate this information?
>>
>> 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
>> arc5@ix.netcom.com
>
>I think we can all turn off the paranoia generator. Riley is not a
>Clinton appointee. He is a staff professional administrator at the FCC,
>that has been there for the past three presidents. Is it possible that
>he is being directed by some undisclosed Clinton appointee to do all
>this? Yes, or course possible, but knowing Riley, I don't think he
>would do that as a person of conscience.
>
>Rick T.
>W7RT

Isn't there a Bill in the Senate right now that says something to the tune
of preserving bandwidth for amateur radio operators?

4272. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519194913.28125.00002447@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142454

<< Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Date: Wed, May 19, 1999 5:34 PM
Message-id: <7hvaps$m80$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<<<Lady, you're nothing but a wacko anti-Semitic bitch who will fabricate anything to put the Jews in a bad light.Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

In article <19990512204514.11259.00000934@ng-cs1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> I urge you to click on to this WebsiteADL, the
> world's leading organization to fight ï¿½and realize
>that it is one of the
> most important organizations in this nation to care
> about the rights of
> everyone! The dignity of every man! An organization
> that keeps close tabs on
> skuzzies like the Boys from Brazil on 3.950 or
>for that matter any hate group
> hell bent on destroying your liberty. And I believe
> the ADL does work in
> concert with the FBI,ATF and city and state
>law enforcement personnel
> throughout the country. Bigots..EAT YOUR HEARTS OUT!

What a boast . . . That the ADL works with those other champions of liberty, the FBI and the ATF!

In fact, the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai Brith is a Jewish organization. The Jewish tradition is virulently opposed to the American Bill of Rights and principle of "equal justice under law."

According to the Talmud, non-Jews are sub-human and can be slaughtered like cattle.

* The intent to kill a non-Jew is so laudable that even if a Jew is accidently killed in an attempt to kill a non-Jew, the murderous Jew suffers no liability.

* But if a Jew intends to kill another Jew and does so, he is liable.

(Babylonian Talmud, Soncino Edition, London, 1935. Sanhedrin 78b 79a; pg. 529-30.)

* If a Jew murders a Gentile, the Jew suffers no death penalty. (Sanhedrin 57a., pg. 388)

* if a Gentile strikes a Jew in the jaw, the Gentile, having stricken the "Divine Presence" (that is, a Jew) suffers the death penalty. (Sanhedrin 58b, pg.388).

And what does the Talmud say about the obligation to tell the truth? Why, the Talmud sanctifies and institutionalizes false swearing, or lying.

"And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall be valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. " (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of Atonement. (Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)

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Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.

Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

"In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act." George Orwell

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

>>

4273. N0VFP,where are you?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519195816.28125.00002455@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142455

I'm still waiting for someone to confirm or deny the fact that the Athens Alabama flake is indeed a know-nothing codeless Tech Plus who spends an inordinate amount of time "MONITWING" as W2OOQ used to say because the dummy never read "Ham Radio for Dummies," whose counterpart."Mac for Dummies" has turned me into a computer genius in just two short months of being in cyberspace and my unparalleled modesty is genuine.
Doc, AF2Y

4274. Re: Riley Censored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7hvih3$671@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142456
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg Trumball (xrayonezero@ivix.net) wrote:
: A source in CIB indicates Riley may have been told
: he was upsetting the status quo and was to to cool it?

: Did he get too friendly with outside lawyers?

: Any other rumors?

The FCC is really a front group for aliens from .... and is collecting ham
tickets to issue to the rest of the invasion force which will get here at
0000hrs, 1/1/00.

.... is training their troups in CW so they won't be able to understand
that "unknown organization" that will save us all.

(Any other rumors?)
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4275. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Danny <dnottis@negia.net>
Message-ID: <37435AAA.201775FB@negia.net>
Source record: 142457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Mother Nature wrote:
>
> Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> making me hot......<g>

Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?

Danny
--
Computers are like Old Testament gods; lots of rules and no mercy. -
Joseph Campbell

4276. Re: Riley EXTREMELY angry with Porky??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: TallyHo in the Tamarisk <chagreb@nwbell.net>
Message-ID: <7hvmsqnre1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142458

Megahertz-mania@webtv.net wrote in message
<20042-37431AF8-73@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
Rumor has it that W. Riley is VERY upset with Pork Butt. It seems that the "spin" Porky is putting on the air and over Usenet isn't true by any means. And it's really angering Mr. Hollingsworth. Seems quite a few phone calls asking why Porky has been let off the hook, have made their way to the FCC and ARRL. But it looks as if Porky hasn't been let off the hook after all. We'll just have to stay tuned...

Eugene

Why are you people so enamored with some guy who's nickname is "Porkbutt" ? Do you have that much free time on your hands?

Switch the ham radio power switch OFF and go get some fresh air.

Better yet, it's gettin to be bikini-season on the beach! Get out that beach chair and dust off those binoculars!!

(..or would you rather sit in a dirty shack all day listening to strange voices comming from a 3" dia. speaker ?)

4277. Re: Happy with Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: John Stigall <stigall@indiana.edu>
Message-ID: <7hvp5g$50f$1@flotsam.uits.indiana.edu>
Source record: 142459

It's the Trotwood Fire Marshall, for gosh sakes....I say move "Dayton" to a
better place,
say Cincinnati or Louisville. Screw 'em.

David Lesher <wb8foz@netcom.com> wrote in message
news:wb8fozFBz9vI.HI5@netcom.com...
> wt2@prism.gatech.edu (William C. Thompson) writes:
>
>
> >4. The Fire Marshall was the universal evil of the Dayton Hamfest this
> >year. He was blamed for almost everything. If these accusations are true,
> >well he works for someone too. The proper authorities should be addressed
> >and I am sure that something can be worked out that will work for
> >everyone.
>
> Well, are YOU going to take him on ;-?
>
> My understanding is the Marshall is a major problem. He/she insists
> the aisles be clear to the lines before opening, and the people
> not drive off until after closing. I watched them delay the Sunday
> opening until a tow truck removed the U-Haul down the row with its
> nose 6' into the aisle.
>
> To be fair, it's his job to ensure no one dies because a
> fire-truck/EMS can not reach an incident.
>
> But vendors who plan ahead have no cause to gripe. The packet
> clearly said what the rules would be, and you are the master of
> your schedule. We unloaded Thursday, set up Friday, locked up
> things in the trailer overnight and left Sunday after the drawing.
>
> Sure, outside parking was $5.00 but it was not a major hassle.
> --
> A host is a host from coast to coast.................wb8foz@nrk.com
> & no one will talk to a host that's close........[v].(301) 56-LINUX
> Unless the host (that isn't close).........................pob 1433
> is busy, hung or dead....................................20915-1433

4278. Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37436D65.73F4BFDD@dallas.net>
Source record: 142460

In my search for a source of interfering signals in the AM broadcst band - I discovered
a series of moderate to strong carriers in the 80 Meter band.

These are grouped in the range from 3.500 through about 3.560 MHz.

I have found, in driving around, that these are strongest around 3.530 MHz.

When these signal sources are found - the meter on the HR receiver is against
the peg ...

These 'carriers' can be heard as far as .8 miles form the source ... sometimes
'ringing' can be heard - and sometimes 1/2 of a phone conversation ...

Driving south through Allen, Plano, Richardson into Dallas - MANY of these
carriers can be heard?

What are they?

Have we lost that part of the band to an un-named user?

Jim W B 5 W P A

j v p o l l @ d a l l a s . n e t

4279. Re: another cellular phone bust

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <wiK03.852$ql.95502@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142461

That's right, you heard a baby monitor. They operate around 49 MHz and, if you have a decent six mater antenna, you can received them from miles away.

Older models of cordless phones operate in that freq range to and can be received on your ICOM.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Tom Hix wrote in message
<15062-37425D17-139@newsd-101.iap.bryant.webtv.net>...
Actor Tom Cruise is not one to turn the other cheek
snipped

For example, I have an Icom 756. This rig has 6 meters and a general coverage receiver that covers frequencies outside the ham bands. Recently I was tuning across the bands, and I heard what sounded like a conversation between a husband and wife. This was not any type of normal radio conversation, but just sounded like a couple discussing the days activites between themselves. I could also hear the sounds of a baby in the background. I finally figured out what I was listening to was one of those baby monitors that people place near their baby's bed to be able to hear what the child is doing, without being with the baby every second.

snipped

4280. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eric Ludes <eludes@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3743765A.34FAC6BB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 142462

Aren't there some of those "cordless phone jacks" that operate in that neighborhood? Seems I recall an articl in QST in recent months dealing with the interference those things were causing. (Though they're supposed to be low power)

Eric - KG0JN

K1ALH wrote:
> Could be harmonics.
> Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net> wrote in message
> news:37436D65.73F4BFDD@dallas.net...
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> >
> > Jim W B 5 W P A
> >
> > j v p o l l @ d a l l a s . n e t
> >
> >

4281. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37437A14.5FAB1C5C@dallas.net>
Source record: 142463

NOT harmonics.

What would produce a 60 dB over S9 signal in the 80 Meter band in a
standard household?

.... let alone *harmonics* at these levels ...

Please pay attention and read the original post again - the *several*
different
sources (each on a different frequency) of these signals were tracked down
.... I
have not knocked on any doors as of yet however ...

As one travels with the HF receiver in the car the signal strengths of all
these
different carriers can be seen to change - until you find the source as
indicated
by the "60 dB over S9" s-meter reading when parked out front ...

Again - these signals can be heard/measured from over 1/2 to 3/4 of a
mile away from "the source".

Been there, done that (tracking spurious sigs) for a living ...

.... these are NOT harmonics ...

Jim

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> > j v p o l l @ d a l l a s . n e t
> >
> >

4282. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37437B77.63CD179D@dallas.net>
Source record: 142464

Wow!

That would make sense - with what is occasionally heard (voice/ringing).

And - what range!

If you could see in person the "range" these things have ... - you'd
be shocked as I was!!!

I am amazed driving up and down US-75 in Dallas how many of these
things there are ... and can be heard!

Jim

Eric Ludes wrote:

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> neighborhood? Seems I recall an articl in QST in recent months dealing
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> supposed to be low power)
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> > >
> > >

4283. For Sale: Kenwood DSP-100 (rare!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <steve.w3sy@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7hvu34$33n$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 142465
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For Sale: Kenwood DSP-100 in excellent, like-new condition. Cables, manual included. Plugs directly into your TS-450, TS-850, etc. Gives you ability to vary the sound of your SSB signal from "broadcast quality" to a sharp, narrow signal for contests and pileups.

Also adds carrier suppression and unwanted-sideband suppression.

Can set CW rise and decay (fast vs. slow).

Sell for $400 and will split shipping cost anywhere in continental USA.

73,
Steve W3SY
Steve.W3SY@EROLS.COM

4284. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <y_K03.877$ql.99358@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Damn, Bill. I was just beginning to enjoy hearing about this scheme by the Clinton puppets to sell out amateur radio and then you come along and start using logic and good sense. Don't you know that dingbats and paranoia make this world go around?

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Bill, KD0HG wrote in message <37466c41.1385357999@news.frii.com>...
>On Wed, 19 May 1999 09:51:14 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:
>
>>A friend of mine in Washington, whom I shall not name,
>
>And a good friend of mine who works for the Commission said this is
nonsense
>after I forwarded him your post with nothing but a ;-) attached.
>

snnipped

>

4285. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37437ED5.4BE4@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc
,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

David wrote:
>
> Please remove cross post to rec.radio.amateur.dx
>
> RADIO MAN wrote:
>
> > Mother Nature wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> > > making me hot......<g>
> > >
> > > "H. Adam Stevens" wrote:
> > > >
> > > > No, I'm saying that if you want the same license I have, pass comparable tests.
> > > > Is CW relevant? The Navy thinks not. It's still valid and satisfying.
> > > > I'm no 35 WPM Extra, just an Advanced. I took my last code test at the Dallas
> > > > FCC office in April of 1964, 13 WPM. The damn government already stole my First
> > > > Phone, I don't want it to redefine my ham license, too. Just create a new
> > > > ticket? Been done.
> > > > The service does need to evolve with technology, no one uses spark much.
> > > > I have no simple solution.
> > > > 73
> > > > H.
> > > > WA5IGW
> > > >
> > > > RADIO MAN wrote:
> > > >
> > > > > Sir wrote:
> > > > > >
> > > > > > What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
> > > > > >
> > > > > > You all contribute to the thread, so you DO all care, else I would be
> > > > > > the only one and there would be no thread. I did not start the thread,
> > > > > > and it appears to be the most popular topic here right now. Even YOU
> > > > > > can not resist reading and replying to this.
> > > > > > The thing about Morse Code is that it seems that the OLD TIMERS are
> > > > > > saying that we did it and you should too. That is baloney. What some
> > > > > > cheese with that wine?
> > > > > > --
> > > > > > RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> > > > > > FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!
> > OOOHHH!!!

> > --
> > RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> > FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

--
RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4286. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37438086.550B597D@dallas.net>
Source record: 142468

Interesting -

The *real* complaint I've got is: intermittant carriers in the AM
broadcast that interfere with a local 50,000 watter (WBAP) ...

I began a 'sweep' of all the band - by using a High-Pass filter
coming off my AC line into my HF receiver.

I discovered the 3.xxx MHz carriers on the AC line and
also off it (using just a few feet of wire) - so I explored further.

I bolted the active antenna to my "option 55A Taurus" and
started to 'survey' that way.

The rest is history ...

Jim

MailfrmPA wrote:

> >These 'carriers' can be heard as far as .8 miles form the source ...
> >sometimes
> >'ringing' can be heard - and sometimes 1/2 of a phone conversation ...
>
> There was an editorial in QST some months ago about this subject. The signals
> you hear are from cable tv modems, operating on carrier current. They were put
> out by TCI cable, and they are supposed to replace them.
>
> When I called TCI, Denver, to report interference, I wandered thru their phone
> system for about 45min and three people before giving up. Despite the assertion
> in QST that TCI was aware of the problem, and would replace offending modems
> faster if complained about, I did not find anyone that was aware, or could
> help.

4287. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37438097.2BC9@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Phil Smalley wrote:
>
> Jim Wayda wrote in message <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>...
> >Totally impossible!!
> >
> >Keith Bennett wrote:
> >>
> >> Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
> >> noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
> >> was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
> >> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
> >> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
> >> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
> >> phone!!
WOW, WHAT A NEAT IDEA.
Now here is another one. If the person in the car, next to you, is
using a freaking cell phone and the windows are rolled down; roll down
your music and crank up the volume on your audio system. Now the only
problem is are they talking about a medical emergency. Would that get
you in trouble then?
> >>
>
> Just goes to show that people are mindless sheep that will believe
> anything - why else do you think con-men can steal millions from an
> unsuspecting public?
>
> If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
> his face.
>
> -Phil
>
> -=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
> -=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

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FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4288. Re: About Riley Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert Blue <rablue@bright.net>
Message-ID: <7hvusl$3hv$1@cletus.bright.net>
Source record: 142470

Hello Doc. I had a short conversation with Riley at about 3:00pm on Friday, at the Dayton hamvention. Was impressed with him. He is sincere about making some changes in the ham radio hobby. He is well educated , possibily a law degree from a well known southern university. He has a degree of humility and is not an arrogant know it all. I think he will give the violators one chance to redeem themselves , and thats all.
Dayton was just not a social visit for him and his Fcc associates. I think there was some cleanup work done on some amateurs who liked to jam repeaters . Might read about it soon in the ARRL web site.
Bob W8LXJ

4289. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37438191.5704@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett wrote:
>
> In article <YEx03.1493$G4.5545@news1.iquest.net>, D Best
> <dbest@iquest.net> writes
> >
> >Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote in message
> >news:eNKu+VBWQnQ3EwXQ@virgin.net...
> >> In article <3742378C.BB38546A@rconnect.com>, Mark Brown
> >> <kb0pyo@rconnect.com> writes
> >> >When are you idiots going to learn some nettiquette, CROSS
> >> >POSTING TO GROUPS WHERE THIS DOESN'T BELONG IS IN BAD FORM
> >> >PLEASE CEASE & DESIST.
> >>
> >> I AM IN ENTIRE AGREEMENT WITH YOU, THIS IS REALLY BAD FORM.
> >> WE HAVE GOT TO STOP THIS CRAZY CROSSPOSTING TO REC.TELEVISION.AMATEURS
> >> ONLY WHERE WILL IT ALL END?
> >
> >
> >It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
> >the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
> >altogehter. Is that really so difficult?
> >
> Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
> about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?
>
> --
> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
> Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
> trojan.horse@virgin.net
> [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
> http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
> UIN #3457372
> http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
> wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
> 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com
No, but i have heard of Inspector Gadget.
--
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4290. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mother Nature <m_nature@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Danny wrote:
>
> Mother Nature wrote:
> >
> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> > making me hot......<g>
>
> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
>
> Danny
> --

I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!

> Computers are like Old Testament gods; lots of rules and no mercy. -
> Joseph Campbell

4291. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: RADIO MAN <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <374382F3.66E6@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Jim Wayda wrote:
>
> Morse Code is a "turd in a punch bowl". It is the reason that ham radio
> will die. It is really unfortunate.
>
> D Best wrote:
> >
> > Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote in message
> > news:eNKu+VBWQnQ3EwXQ@virgin.net...
> > > In article <3742378C.BB38546A@rconnect.com>, Mark Brown
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> > >
> > It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
> > the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
> > altogehter. Is that really so difficult?
> >
> > >
> > > --
> > > From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
> > > Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
> > > trojan.horse@virgin.net
> > > [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
> > > http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
> > > UIN #3457372
> > > http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
> > > wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
> > > 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com
It is all about the fact that we did it and so should you
--
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4292. List of AM/FM Radio Stations in U.S.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Watson <mtn_view@sirius.com>
Message-ID: <374394F3.AAC77B48@sirius.com>
Source record: 142474

Anyone know where a list that exists on the net of all AM/FM radio
stations in the U.S. by city and state + frequency and call letters?

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"Few things are harder to put up with than a good
example."
-- Mark Twain

========== Wayne T. Watson
==========
When having fun, which is a lot, you'll find me on the internet pursuing
my hobbies of amateur astronomy and science. When I get serious, I
consult in C, UNIX, C++, Java. See my web page.

mtn_view@sirius.com
Web Page:
http://www.sirius.com/~mtn_view (Updated 3/30/99)

4293. Re: DoNkBoY99 is a Big time loser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ht4td$4n0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142515

In article <373F5B8A.4EB3@dirtball.com>,
Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com Is a loser! I know nothing about the so called
> DoNkBoY98. Oh so the truth comes out you truly know nothing about
> computers your girl friend does it for you. Wow she must be a real
loser
> if you are her boy friend she has losey taste in trash. Maybe she
feels
> sorry for you or if she has a loser then she dosen't have to compete
> with the rest of the world. What is she a janitor for Lucent. I can't
> imagin a loser like yourself even having a girlfriend. So loser you
can
> keep saying this and saying that but we all know you are a peice of
> trash. I think that you are so trashy that we can't even assign a race
>I wonder why Oris uses the word LOSER so much? to your sorry ass. My
sujestion to you is stick a gun in your mouth and
> pull the trigger. Do us all a favor loser.
> I hope you die soon
> Oris
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
>

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4294. Re: OTK Here To Stay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518201117.10784.00000084@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142516

<< Stay
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Date: Tue, May 18, 1999 11:50 PM
Message-id: <7hsubneu1@nnrp1.deja.com>

It's really too bad the scumbags lost again. Thank you for all the
letters to the FCC, in my behalf. It's nice to have support from good
friends. Rich WB2OTK (soon to be W2OTK)
<<Right on,Rich. You're a good man who'll be staying on ham radio long long
after that scumbag Schoenbohm is gone and I predict, his friends too. You are
heads and shoulders above those BARF and StumpJumping classless predators who
thought you were going down for the count. And N0VFP, stick that in your NO
CODE TECH purse, you flaming sissy. You can always count on me for support as.
much as counting on me to shove the BARFy crap down their own throats. And so
"Herbyites," IT'S YOUR TURN! COUNT THE DAYS BEFORE OLD HITLER FROM ST.CROIX IS
TOLD TO PACK UP AND CLEAR OUT,FOR GOOD! Try and collect all the money you want,
it ain't gonna help. Goodbye Herbie! AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>>

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>>

4295. Re: Who is this N0VFP anyway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518201740.10784.00000091@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142517

<< Subject: Re: Who is this N0VFP anyway?
From: richwhiten@aol.com (Richwhiten)
Date: Tue, May 18, 1999 7:59 PM
Message-id: <19990518155958.22776.00002192@ng42.aol.com>

We ought to help him get his general class ticket.
>>><<It won't help,Rich. The guy's a big mouth know-nothing which explains why he has a brown spot on his nose from following Herbie around. In fact, he's known as "Lloyd the Sniffer." Let's not confuse this Lloyd with the one from High Anus who went ape over a gal from Ecuador. The truth is that they share something in common-they both are Lloyd the Toids while one knows nothing about ham radio and the other,phone patching. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

4296. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dustcart <dustcart@globalnet.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7ht0o5$2l4$1@gxsn.com>
Source record: 142518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

THE Dustcart was once denied enlarged basement access.

Rick i was only joking.....<VBG>

4297. Introducing "Ham Radio Wars" Episode 1 "A Radio menace!"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: dx302man@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518210636.03520.00002099@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142519

In Honor of the opening Wed May, 19th of "Star Wars Episode 1: Phonton Menace"
Our staff has worked hard to produce a 6 episode set of movies of our own!

"It is a period of kaos on the Ham Bands, There are jammers and Nets to be
jammed. Only a dedicated group of people who have beaten the odds can defeat
the kaos, The StupmJumpers!"

Episode 1 begins around 1960:

We will take a look at the lives of:

A young Doc Hate, facing many problems, hence why he is today.

A young PorkButt, the only diference is that he is about 285 pounds lighter.

KV4FZ at the courage center, helping young handicaped kids get a ham license
and make a future for themeselves.

We will also look at the some others: K5BLB, WA9KJI working on old Silvertone
radios.

Other movies:

Episode 2: "Hate rising"
Episode 3: "Jonestown or Bust"
Episode 4: "A new Courage"
Episode 5: "Hollingsworth Strikes Back!"
Episode 6: "Return of the NAL!"

From all of us, Enjoy these Movies, they'll bring many tears to your eyes and
open your eyes to the truth!

DX302MAN, Washington DC HQ

4298. Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: frnkburnz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518211222.01632.00001753@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 142520

>Subject: Re: WA9KJI makes monkey of Riley!
>From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
>Date: 5/17/99 7:09 PM Mountain Daylight Time
>Message-id: <19990517210922.18354.00002216@ng-cb1.aol.com>
>
>>Who is KV4FZ?
>
>Subject: KV4FZ - American Hero
>From: N0VFP
>To: rec.radio.amateur.misc
>Date: 5/4/99

<Mass snippage>

Hey Lloyd, could we get the Reader's Digest condensed version of Herbie's story the next time you post it? The text is a yawn after the third paragraph.

"Where's all the RADIO CRYBABIES?"
"I wanna hear 'em TALK TOUGH!"

4299. Re: Newbie, on SWL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <927076932.166.100@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142521

In article <3741DB8C.FDEB5A96@erols.com>, kearnser@erols.com wrote:
>I'd like a suggestion on appropriate newsgroup for one interested in
>listening to SW, but doesn't think he wants to broadcast. Needs advice
>from time to time on MUF, luf, antennas, etc. Is there an appropriate
> newsgroup?
>Ed Kearns

Rec.radio.shortwave

Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

4300. Re: Who is this N0VFP anyway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518212425.03530.00002402@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142522

>I was told on the air that N0VFP,the Redneck Stumpjumper,the guy who's in
>love
>with the Boys From Brazil on 3.950 is a know-nothing codeless Tech Plus who
>doesn't know a watt from a what? Can anyone confirm or deny?
>Doc, AF2Y

Why don't you address me directly, or are you afraid of the truth! You have labeled me a rasicst, anti-semite, anti-government and lots of the other untruths.

First of all,

I am not racist. I have tolerence for other races and religions, including yours! I generally don't have problems with Jews, but you are so flaming stupid, it's not funny anymore, I have heard you for a long time, while on that noisey treadmill on 20 meters in the morning spew out the most dreaded things I have ever heard! And you call the Great Liberty Net a hate group! You are a one-man hate group if there was ever one!

I have been a SWL since around 1988 or so, and have listened to many hams on SW as well. One night I ran into 3950 back in about 1996 or so. I thought they had some good ideas. Then this jamming by K5BLB and others kinda drove me off of 3950 and did not go back to 3950 till early last year. I have listened to Bro Stair since about 1993 or so. Do I agree with everything Stair says? No.

Also, don't judge a person by his license class. I think some of Extras are so full of it myself.

Feel free to reply in your normal way.....

The ball is in your court Docktor!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4301. Re: Who is this N0VFP anyway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518212519.03530.00002405@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142523

>We ought to help him get his general class ticket.

We ought raise money for that big NAL that's coming down the road for you!
Porky

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4302. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518213606.04642.00001985@ng24.aol.com>
Source record: 142524
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

>No, they don't need to talk so much to "more of the Hams who come each

>year", but rather they need to talk to more of the hams who DON'T come

>each year.

>

>If you want to find out why an event is on the wane, it won't be much
>help

>to talk to the ones who are addicted and come each year out of habit.

>What you'll need to do is suck it up and go have a talk with the

>disaffected who have bailed out. You might not be happy with what they

>have to say, but their input is crucial.

>

Point well taken.
The bottom line is, they need to TALK with Hams period. I think they have just decided what they feel is best, and it is not.

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

4303. Re: Who is this N0VFP anyway?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518215145.11354.00000097@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142575

>And you call the Great Liberty Net a hate group!

Lloyd you were doin just fine until this. Now you've fell off yourhorse. The, and I want to know why you think they are so "great" if you do, "liberytnet IS a Listed Hate Group." Make no bones about it. You can spin it away as they try to do but they "are" recognized as such (nationally).

>Then this jamming by K5BLB and others kinda drove
>me off of 3950 and did not go back to 3950 till early last year.

Here you go again, I suppose the the "So called" net never moved in on Sid's Qso's constantly, never jammed him, never heckled or harrases him Huh?? Can you not admit to it, that the "so called" net instigated this mess, and that's not even mentioning the fact that they want 3950 for "their private shortwave broadcast frequency", and you know it.

Are you now defending (spinning) the "So Called" net's activities?????
Tim.....KK7HO

4304. Re: Porkbutt spoofed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518220553.03526.00002244@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142576

>Yeah, and I have proof that Oris is a MORON!

Oh would u just shut up!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
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4305. N0VFP puts ball in AF2Y's court!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518221406.11354.00000111@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142577

So N0VFP loves everyone because he was an SWL for years and all the rest of that nonsense. And he even hears me in the morning on 20 but says nothing because the dunce is a Codeless Tech Plus who works his best stuff while just listening. Listen, Lloyd. Why the hell have you come here to make trouble? This forum's for HAMS,not SHAMS! We learned the code; we didn't sneak in the back door. A man with your lack of credentials ought to shut up because you're nothing but a ham radio CHILD and children should be heard,and not seen and in your case IGNORED and not RECOGNIZED. Damn, how can a know-nothing Tech Plus have the nerve to come on a forum with REAL HONEST TO GOODNESS HAMS? And now I can understand why you're a Stump Jumper...YOU'RE AS STUPID SIZING UP HUMAN NATURE AND VALUES AND MORALS AS YOU ARE TRYING TO BECOME A REAL HAM! Yep, you're nothing but a phony....an amateur licensed SWL. A guy with a sissy license, a puny mind and a big MOUTH. No wonder why you never went word for word for me on the bands-YOU CAN'T. Instead of sitting your fat can on this net, why don't you use your fat head to study to become a real ham. Man oh man..what a stomach turner you are. Doc,AF2Y

4306. Re: 3950 Jammers hit new 'low'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518222220.11354.00000121@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 142578

I do have to say kevin that your removal of my name and call in association with, and reference to, whatever episode your speaking of is noticed. Whomever the LIAR was, or is, is also being duly noticed.
Now can you tell us a little more about the "aryan" buddie that lives in a barn in OH that got busted for illegal firearms possesion. I know AA8DP (Steve) was doing a lot of complaining about the BATF taking him to jail. Steve knows that convicted felons can't possese firearms. He admitted that his aryan buddie had a felony conviction, and, that he had possesion of firearms. What the hell, bitch about them "doing their job," and then bitch about them "not doing their job" HYPOCRISY AT WORK there somewhere.
73 Tim.....KK7HO

4307. I'll try this again !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990518231706.04294.00002056@ng23.aol.com>
Source record: 142579

if the "So Called" liberty net keeps my name and call out of their LIES and Propaganda there will be no need for me to respond to it. Thus, I won't have to post about it (the net). Get The Picture???
CHECK OUT:

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4308. Re: FCC spoof again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37424B21.7573@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142580

David Stinson wrote:
>
> Wow! What a great effort, Rich! You almost got
> three coherent sentances! It was -t-h-i-s- close.
> It's a new personal best for ya, my man!
> Keep up the great efforts and one day soon
> you might actually CONVERSE!
>
> 73 Dave AB5S
>
> rich7@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> >
> > It's really too bad the scumbags lost again. Thank you for all the
> > letters to the FCC, in my behalf. It's nice to have support from good
> > friends. Rich WB2OTK (soon to be W2OTK)
> >
> > --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> > ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
Well thats about the truth unless old porky is trying to converse like a
miniority then he know his ebonics quite well.
Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

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SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4309. Re: HAMS-HELP..WinCE, APRS,Paket, Tracking????.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <37424F10.827EF836@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 142581
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,alt.comp.sys.palmtops.hp,comp.sys.palmtops,comp.os.ms-windows.ce,microsoft.public.windowsce

I'm VERY interested in running APRS on the CE unit, If Theres not a reason to keep the HP620LX I'll post it for sale here also... Thanks for the Terminal tip, This did work! Tracking would be nice but APRS is realy in need for the Handheld's.. There is a version for the Palm Pilots at : http://www.tapr.org

"Jeffrey M. Swiger" wrote:

> Does anyone have any idea where I might find at least a "Terminal
> Program" for CE that will allow for connecting to a PK-88 for Paket
> opperations? I'd also like to use my HP620LX for tracking, so Tracking
> software would be a plus.. You figure with all the CE units that are out
> there, someone with the know how, would think of us HAMS..Hope to see
> Ya'll at DAYTON.....
> 73, Have fun! Enjoy Radio, Big brother might take it to...???...
> --
> " What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
> Jeffrey M. Swiger
> *** N8NOE ***

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

4310. FCC falling down again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37424E02.3073@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142582

Read about how the FCC is going back to their don't ask don't tell
policy. http://www.dirtball.com/what.html It looks like the vertic is in
and Amateur Radio is dead for sure.
May Amateur Radio R.I.P.!
Oris
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4311. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <37425960.5E364779@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 142583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tracy Spewing his SSN is fine with me, If he wants to make it avalible to
everyone, HELL-LET-IT-BE! but The comment was made about government nuts:
I love my country, But I fear my Government!.....
Hey Tracy, You got more numbers you'd like to share? Nobody get's that kind
of information from me, They got enough information floating around now..
TTUL, 73 Jeff

Phil Kane wrote:

> On Tue, 18 May 1999 17:30:04 -0600, AB7RS wrote:
>
> > What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy
>
> The law requires your TIN - Taxpayer Identification Number.
> The default TIN is your SSN, but anyone who does not want to
> give out their SSN can request a different TIN from the IRS and
> use that one.
>
> The only ones who could rail against that are anti-government
> nuts.
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
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4312. another cellular phone bust

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: w4th@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15062-37425D17-139@newsd-101.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142584

Actor Tom Cruise is not one to turn the other cheek when celebrity journalists pry too far into his private life. He's developed a reputation for suing...and winning.
Yesterday, the man who intercepted a cellular phone call between Cruise and his wife Nicole Kidman - then sold the information to two tabloids - was sentenced in Los Angeles. Eric Ford got three years probation, including six months in a half-way house, plus a 3-thousand dollar fine.
And, just for good measure, 150 hours of community service.

I got this from the Water Cooler Report, and thought some of you might be interested. The courts are really serious about this monitoring of cellular phone calls, and especially when the monitored conversation is used in a manner that would cause the contents of the conversation to be made public.
I worry about where this may be leading in the future.
For example, I have an Icom 756. This rig has 6 meters and a general coverage receiver that covers frequencies outside the ham bands.
Recently I was tuning across the bands, and I heard what sounded like a conversation between a husband and wife. This was not any type of normal radio conversation, but just sounded like a couple discussing the days activites between themselves. I could also hear the sounds of a baby in the background. I finally figured out what I was listening to was one of those baby monitors that people place near their baby's bed to be able to hear what the child is doing, without being with the baby every second.
But this thing was so sensitive, I was hearing things all through the house, things like toilets flushing, pots and pans rattling, all the sounds of a normal household. As soon as I figured out what I was hearing, I moved on. I do not like to listen in on other peoples private lives. I dont know, but it just makes me feel like a "listening Tom" I know I would not like to have people listening in on my private life.
I have used this to bring up a question. What if I had heard a violent domestic confrontation, or say a child being beaten.
If I called the police to report what I had heard, and possibly save a persons life, would I be guilty of the same crime as the person in the article? I mean I would not for one second hesitate in calling the authorities if something like that did happen, damn the consequences if it would save someones life.
I guess you all can see what I am getting at. I mean is the accidental reception of a transmission that is ment only for a particular household a violation on my part. Even if I was not specifically looking to

receive that transmission.
I can see this whole thing is a big can of worms. I really liked the way things used to be, when the prevailing thought about broadcast transmissions could be easly stated. "The airways belong to the people, and any signal of any kind that entered your space could be received without any consequences.
But now you have to be careful what you hear. Sounds like the old days when the communist would come and take away a persons radio for listening to VOA.
I dont know where this is going to stop, but I am afraid things can only get worse.
Sorry about the long post.
73
Tom Hix
W4TH

4313. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <374272AD.1AB9C594@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Spike:

Are you a ham or swl? Or are you just trolling here? Do you go to the antiques/sports memorabilia/amateur astronomy/numismatics/philatelics newsgroups are harangue them about wasting their time and not feeding the starving, suffering masses? Do you?

Spike wrote:
>
> If I had too much time on my hands, it sure wouldn't go to waste learning how to poke at a damned
> keyer, learning how to communicate the hard way like some hard up for entertainment idiot like you
> code freaks.
> You people need to get a life.
> You have waaay too much time on your hands as you give in to follious things as in keying when there
> is a whole world starving and suffering out there.
> Get out once in a while and realize there is much more than your stupid code and HAM radio's.

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

4314. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <MtpqGBBYHnQ3Ew2l@virgin.net>
Source record: 142586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

>Jim Kehler wrote:
>>
>> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>>
>> >There are going to be a lot of posts to newsgroups that don't happen to
>> >have subject matter that is of personal interest to you. Lots of YOUR
>> >posts will not have any interest to lots of other people too.
>>
>> You appear to be so engrossed in your efforts to convince the rest
>> of the world that you are incapable of attaining anything in life that
>> requires effort that you seem to have totally missed the point.
>>
>> The reason we have thousands of newsgroups is because the world is
>> filled with millions of people with different interests.
>>
>> Although your inability to learn Morse code seems to be the current
>> focus in YOUR life, the rest of us don't necessarily view your lack
>> of motivation as an earthshaking event.
>>
>> REC.RADIO.AMATUER.POLICY was created with the sole intent
>> of giving you a forum in which to air your views. Please feel free to
>> use it to your hearts content.
>>
>> Posting your Morse code dribble in multiple newsgroups is not going
>> to gain you any support. Many unmotivated whiners before you have
>> proven this point.
>>
>> Some people have things they want in life because they are willing to
>> expend the effort required to obtain those things, whatever that effort
>> may be. It is obvious to us that you are not one of those people.
>>
>> What apparently is not obvious to you is that the rest of us don't care.
Yeah. I found this really interesting. But what has all this got to do
with Soc Penpals? I don't really care anything about radio
communications of any sort. So why not just keep this on the boards that
apply and take it off soc.penpals. As far as I am concerned amateur
radio is atrocious, even worse than CB used to be here. I have never
heard of so much crap on any wavebands before. How these people get
operating licenses is beyond me.

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4315. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <Dtep2IBEKnQ3EwWL@virgin.net>
Source record: 142587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <3741F33E.170EA658@net1inc.net>, David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
writes
>Please remove the cross post to rec.radio.amateur.dx
>
Where is that at then?

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4316. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <V9xsC7A5AnQ3EwUt@virgin.net>
Source record: 142588
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
phone!!

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4317. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <V9xsC$A5BnQ3Ew09@virgin.net>
Source record: 142589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

In article <7ht0o5$2l4$1@gxsn.com>, dustcart <dustcart@globalnet.co.uk>
writes
>THE Dustcart was once denied enlarged basement access.
Didn't you ask your buddy the mayor of broxbourne for planning
permission then?

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4318. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <EdtoKMBLMnQ3EwUH@virgin.net>
Source record: 142590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <37421E2F.E0FFF6F8@hotmail.com>, Mother Nature
<m_nature@hotmail.com> writes
>Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
>making me hot......<g>
Yeah, but rec.radio.amateur.dx is still listed.
Wern't we supposed to take this off the listings?
CQ-CQ-CQ2!!

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4319. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <Bt9pGQBIOnQ3EwXF@virgin.net>
Source record: 142591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <3741F33E.170EA658@net1inc.net>, David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
writes
>Please remove the cross post to rec.radio.amateur.dx
Yeah. Can yo'all remove the crosspostings to Soc.Penpals as well please.
All this radio crap is upsetting my digestion!

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4320. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <eNKu+VBWQnQ3EwXQ@virgin.net>
Source record: 142592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3742378C.BB38546A@rconnect.com>, Mark Brown
<kb0pyo@rconnect.com> writes
>When are you idiots going to learn some nettiquette, CROSS
>POSTING TO GROUPS WHERE THIS DOESN'T BELONG IS IN BAD FORM
>PLEASE CEASE & DESIST.

I AM IN ENTIRE AGREEMENT WITH YOU, THIS IS REALLY BAD FORM.
WE HAVE GOT TO STOP THIS CRAZY CROSSPOSTING TO REC.TELEVISION.AMATEURS
ONLY WHERE WILL IT ALL END?

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4321. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spike <spike@eyeball.org>
Message-ID: <9907EA44C6FAFCA6.74C62839338971FF.2137AE1EC35D600C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 142593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Nah, I gave the wrong impression about my suffering masses crap.
My intent was to indicate that there has to be much better ways in your boring lives to "get off" other than coding.
To me, coding is for goofballs who I just cannot relate to.

4322. Re: Gordo West at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-1905990604100001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 142594

In article <7hrmi4$97f$1@nntp6.atl.mindspring.net>, "William Lee"
<willee@interconnect.net> wrote:

> I also would like to mention that Gordon West long ago earned my deep
> respect.
> His teachings and sense of humor are what got me up to 13 wpm CW and made it
> possable for me to join the General Class of Amateur Radio Operators. I have
> met him on several occasions and he was always a gentleman and a fine
> ambassador of ham radio. This man is the real "HAM OF THE DECADE"
>
> William Lee N5WRX

Agreed! Gordon West for Ham of the Year, 2000!

John Seney
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v

4323. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-1905990615370001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 142595

Dayton used to be the showcase for all the new gear to be seen and drooled on - now its a WWW click.

Dayton used to be the flea market where you could get all the parts you'd need to build something cool - now its a WWW click.

Dayton used to be the fraternal event where you could chat with your radio friends in person - now its an Email and maybe a chat room.

Ham radio is the world's first wireless internet. Lets get the data rates up and see what services we can create via clever links and software. Thats our future. Cable modems are the current performance bar. Double or triple the speed with amateur wireless and watch the lines form.

Then our emergency services, etc. will be relevant.

John Seney
http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v

4324. LY HAMFEST '99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: antanasz@carlbro.lt
Message-ID: <7hu81q$s0j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142596

Dear hams,

Lithuanian Amateur Radio Society (LRMD) invites you to LY HAMFEST'99. Over 300 radio amateurs will meet in Giruliai (near Klaipeda, on the Baltic see coast) on July 24-25, 1999. There will be: LY99RMD station, market, auctions, mini HF, VHF, ARDF and other contests, beer drinking competition, fireworks, etc.
We will start to arrive on Friday (July 23) and stay until Monday (July 26).
On the same time See Festival will take place in Klaipeda (concerts, parade, carnival, etc.), so, good program for ladies.
As usually, we will spend the night around big table near campfire and sleep in tents. However, hotel "Pajuris" will be available ~100m from hamfest place. Of course, shops, restaurant, cafes will be in hamfest place too.

We will publish complete information with program and maps in LRMD website:
http://www.qsl.net/lrmd/

Therefore, mark July 23-26 in your calendar and let me know about your intention to visit LY HAMFEST'99. I will be happy to welcome you and provide all necessary information.

Best 73!
Antanas LY1DL
Secretary of LRMD
antanasz@carlbro.lt
http://www.qsl.net/lrmd/index.htm
http://www2.omnitel.net/zdramys/azzcardfile

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4325. Re: another cellular phone bust

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <7hu4e1$lq5$7@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 142597

Tom Hix (w4th@webtv.net) wrote:
: Actor Tom Cruise is not one to turn the other cheek when celebrity
: journalists pry too far into his private life. He's developed a
: reputation for suing...and winning.
: =A0=A0=A0=A0=A0 =A0 =A0 Yesterday, the man who intercepted a cellular
: phone call between Cruise and his wife Nicole Kidman - then sold the
: information to two tabloids - was sentenced in Los Angeles. Eric Ford
: got three years probation, including six months in a half-way house,
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: community service. =A0 =A0
: _____

: I got this from the Water Cooler Report, and thought some of you might
: be interested. The courts are really serious about this monitoring of
: cellular phone calls, and especially when the monitored conversation is
: used in a manner that would cause the contents of the conversation to be
: made public.
: I worry about where this may be leading in the future.
: For example, I have an Icom 756. This rig has 6 meters and a general
: coverage receiver that covers frequencies outside the ham bands.
: Recently I was tuning across the bands, and I heard what sounded like a
: conversation between a husband and wife. This was not any type of normal
: radio conversation, but just sounded like a couple discussing the days
: activites between themselves. I could also hear the sounds of a baby in
: the background. I finally figured out what I was listening to was one of
: those baby monitors that people place near their baby's bed to be able
: to hear what the child is doing, without being with the baby every
: second.
: But this thing was so sensitive, I was hearing things all through the
: house, things like toilets flushing, pots and pans rattling, all the
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: lives. I dont know, but it just makes me feel like a "listening Tom" I
: know I would not like to have people listening in on my private life.
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: violent domestic confrontation, or say a child being beaten.
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: persons life, would I be guilty of the same crime as the person in the
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: it would save someones life.
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: reception of a transmission that is ment only for a particular household

: a violation on my part. Even if I was not specifically looking to
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: things used to be, when the prevailing thought about broadcast
: transmissions could be easly stated. "The airways belong to the people,
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: when the communist would come and take away a persons radio for
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: I dont know where this is going to stop, but I am afraid things can
: only get worse.
: Sorry about the long post.
: 73
: Tom Hix
: W4TH

: _____

Actually, in your situation, you are legal-it's totally legal to listen to
baby monitors-it's cordless/cellular telephones that are taboo.
As a general rule, if it does not connect to the telecommunications
network at ANY point and it's not protected data, and it's not a
subscription service, it is legal to monitor.
(I'm sure SOMEONE will find an exception)!

4326. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb8foz@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wb8fozFBz99L.GzF@netcom.com>
Source record: 142598

>2: The price of admission is getting too high.

From conversations with DARA Hamvention Committee volunteer members, it's clear to me that Hara Arena has DARA by the short hairs. As much as they might wish for same; they have nowhere else to move the Hamvention that is viable.

I've not missed one since 1970, and I won't miss next year, but that does not mean I'm any happier with the facilities.

Take the market paving -- it looks like a runway in a war zone, yet if a tailgater drives a ten penny nail in, they get ...nailed... for a $50 fine. (Does Hara charge its own food vending arm for THOSE rebar spikes? Yeh sure...)

Or the bathrooms -- sure there are lots of folks there but how come Hara will not keep soap & towels in them, all day?

If only Wright-Pat had the needed building space, and was available for renting...

ps: recall the entire event runs on volunteers; last I asked there was but one paid secretary year round, period... THAT is one impressive benchmark.
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A host is a host from coast to coast.................wb8foz@nrk.com
& no one will talk to a host that's close........[v].(301) 56-LINUX
Unless the host (that isn't close).........................pob 1433
is busy, hung or dead....................................20915-1433

4327. Re: Happy with Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb8foz@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wb8fozFBz9vI.HI5@netcom.com>
Source record: 142599

wt2@prism.gatech.edu (William C. Thompson) writes:

>4. The Fire Marshall was the universal evil of the Dayton Hamfest this
>year. He was blamed for almost everything. If these accusations are true,
>well he works for someone too. The proper authorities should be addressed
>and I am sure that something can be worked out that will work for
>everyone.

Well, are YOU going to take him on ;-?

My understanding is the Marshall is a major problem. He/she insists
the aisles be clear to the lines before opening, and the people
not drive off until after closing. I watched them delay the Sunday
opening until a tow truck removed the U-Haul down the row with its
nose 6' into the aisle.

To be fair, it's his job to ensure no one dies because a
fire-truck/EMS can not reach an incident.

But vendors who plan ahead have no cause to gripe. The packet
clearly said what the rules would be, and you are the master of
your schedule. We unloaded Thursday, set up Friday, locked up
things in the trailer overnight and left Sunday after the drawing.

Sure, outside parking was $5.00 but it was not a major hassle.
--
A host is a host from coast to coast.................wb8foz@nrk.com
& no one will talk to a host that's close........[v].(301) 56-LINUX
Unless the host (that isn't close).........................pob 1433
is busy, hung or dead....................................20915-1433

4328. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: D Best <dbest@iquest.net>
Message-ID: <YEx03.1493$G4.5545@news1.iquest.net>
Source record: 142600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote in message
news:eNKu+VBWQnQ3EwXQ@virgin.net...
> In article <3742378C.BB38546A@rconnect.com>, Mark Brown
> <kb0pyo@rconnect.com> writes
> >When are you idiots going to learn some nettiquette, CROSS
> >POSTING TO GROUPS WHERE THIS DOESN'T BELONG IS IN BAD FORM
> >PLEASE CEASE & DESIST.
>
> I AM IN ENTIRE AGREEMENT WITH YOU, THIS IS REALLY BAD FORM.
> WE HAVE GOT TO STOP THIS CRAZY CROSSPOSTING TO REC.TELEVISION.AMATEURS
> ONLY WHERE WILL IT ALL END?

It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
altogehter. Is that really so difficult?

>
> --
> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
> Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
> trojan.horse@virgin.net
> [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
> http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
> UIN #3457372
> http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
> wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
> 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4329. Riley Censored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Trumball <xrayonezero@ivix.net>
Message-ID: <fby03.3853$uk.646409@news3.mia>
Source record: 142601
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A source in CIB indicates Riley may have been told
he was upsetting the status quo and was to to cool it?

Did he get too friendly with outside lawyers?

Any other rumors?

4330. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7hufh7$1dd$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142602

1999 was my first trip to Dayton, and I must admit to
being a bit underwhelmed.

The flea market was obviously picked clean Friday: when
I got there Saturday all that remained was just plain junk,
that I didn't want at any price. After a couple of hours
I had a photocopy manual for a radio, and a couple of
cheap laser pointers that I want to try using for
communication. Big deal.

I'm baffled at what many of the stands had to do with
ham radio. Knives? Really?

The Clique Factor was very clear: if people didn't
already know you, they ignored you.

Even the commercial exhibitors, some of whom seemed
more interested in chatting among themselves than paying
attention to punters. I've even dealt with some of
them, but only over the phone/Internet, so they didn't
know that the woman (185 cm, shoulder-length brown hair,
white "Leela" tank top, blue floral print shirt -
ring any bells?) they were ignoring was in fact a
customer. If my money is no good in person, perhaps
I shouldn't be a customer at all.

The only exhibitor who didn't already know me but who
seemed pleased to see me anyway was the RSGB. Staffed
by two women (one of whom was G4JKS herself). Hmmm...
--
Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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4331. The Milliwatt : Original issues

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Andre <am1000@videotron.ca>
Message-ID: <3742A6F0.ECFFAF48@videotron.ca>
Source record: 142603

Have 30 original issues of the Milliwatt: National Journal of QRPp from Feb. 1970 to Dec. 1974. In very good condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=103921768

4332. Need manuals/info for Datong FL2 and ATF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick Stickler <KC4YYY@ARRL.NET>
Message-ID: <3742B430.B63F4A7F@ARRL.NET>
Source record: 142604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boat-anchors

Hi,

I just picked up a pair of Datong filters, an FL2 Multi-Mode
and an ATF Auto-Notch filter, but they didn't come with any
manuals or other info.

The ATF is pretty simple and the controls are fairly obvious,
but the FL2 is a bit more cryptic.

If anyone has, or can provide pointers to, manuals for either
or both of these, I'd be very appreciative.

Replies via email to KC4YYY@ARRL.NET would be appreciated, as
I only get to browse the newsgroups on the weekends...

Thanks,

Patrick

KC4YYYY, OH2LUV

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Patrick Stickler KC4YYY@ARRL.NET OH2LUV@SRAL.FI
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4333. Re: pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: skypilot329049@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hugjh$29l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142605
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <373f64a6.378641@news.icx.net>,
sfritts@icx.net (Steve Fritts) wrote:
> On Sun, 16 May 1999 13:54:24 -0600, "Mark B.
Colosia"
> <mcolosia@earthlink.com> wrote:
>
> >A while back, I had heard of ham living in New
Mexico (USA), by the
> >first name
> >of Bill, that did mods for some ICOM
transceivers.

Bill, passed away a little over a year ago now.

As for the "pin diode mod". It does reduce the
overall background noise level, but as to if it is
cost effective is debateable. Also, pin diodes are
at greater risk to electrical storm damage. If
you live in a area prone to lightning storms, I
would not recommend it.

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4334. Re: pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

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Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: skypilot329049@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7huh4m$2nn$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142606
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <373F2270.55BDA353@earthlink.com>,
"Mark B. Colosia" <mcolosia@earthlink.com> wrote:
> A while back, I had heard of ham living in New Mexico (USA), by the
> first name
> of Bill, that did mods for some ICOM transceivers. (Bill) apparently
> replaced
> some of the IF diodes for pin diodes reducing receive noise floor
> considerably ...
> possibly along the lines Dr. Ulrich Rodhe's designs.
>
> If anyone knows of Bill in Mew Mexico and/or how to get a hold of him
> ...
> I would very much appreciate it.
>
> thanks in advance,
> -- mark.
>
HI:

The pin diode mod was made famous by Bill R., who is a silent Key.

The mod does reduce the noise floor, but not that much, it is the other mods, promarily the PLL caps in ICOM that quiet down the PLL output that help as much or more.

Pin diodes also have one major draw back. They will not handle large energy surges as well as "the generic" diodes will. If you live in a lightning prone area, premature failure tends to result.

I tested the mod both on the air and with bench equipment, yes there is a noise reduction. The mod itself reduces the Rx noise by 2-3 Db, typical costs to do the mod is in the $100 area. If you use CW narrow, it may be worth it, otherwise it is debateable.

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4335. Morse Music

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Con Daly <radioman27@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4ez03.5967$xa.54347@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142607

Hello everyone,

I don't read the posts from this group much and am'nt as active as much
I would like to be on the air. However I see a lot of debate going on
about morse. It seems to be the most passionate issue among amateur
and professional radio operators these days. I sailed as a merchant
marine radio officer from 1991-1997. I found morse to be absolutely
invaluable at that time (not terribly long ago). There were times
when I really could not have managed without it. This was not just
a matter of equipment on board as I often sailed with Inmarsat
terminals, both A and C systems which were supposed to be well
established at that time.
I have countless stories about satellite null zones along the equator
and many other areas, extremely weak signals on SSB etc, where the
only option available was to use morse. Indeed on one particular voyage
on board an Inmarsat-C equipped vessel I was using CW 90% of the time.
When the first changes started to appear with the introduction of the
new maritime radio system (GMDSS), there was any
number of mishaps occuring with ships normally having no communication
problems suddenly "dissapearing" from the air for days on end.
The ones which still had radio officers had no problems, as with the
ones with electronics officers who were former radio officers.
Having come close to shipwreck on 2 occasions I expressed great concern
about the changes taking place, as they seemed to be rather
premature and rushed and there was a desperate drive to get it all into
place before the millenium.
Now don't get me wrong, I'm no old salt and am always
keeping up to date with electronics and the latest innovations, but
morse should not be seen as simply old technology, it is just another
method of communication, proved itself very reliable again and again up
to the present day, I can vouch for that. Certainly
new communications technology should be introduced to all fields,
amateur or commercial. Especially when the high traffic needs of todays
industry are demanding it, but it seems that certain people
are just determined to get rid of something that they never embraced
because they never saw it in the right way. Morse is not a code, it
is a language. That is the first mistake a lot of people make in the
way they approach it. Certainly those people more musically inclined
will tend to like it more than others (I play 5 string Banjo), but
like learning an instrument, it takes a lot of time and effort and
can be frustrating.
Ok, so I'm obviously an advocate of CW but you may
be surprised to hear that I'm not in favour of keeping the requirement
for a proficiency test, if thats what people want. I just wish that

those against the code requirement would take a long hard look at what they are really campaigning against. It seems like it is really based on an irrational belief that it's too old fashioned, but really fashion shouldn't come into it. It certainly didn't matter for me in the Mid atlantic when we were taking on water faster than the pumps could get rid of it down in the engine room. That was in 1992 and there were other less urgent incidents right up to the time I left in 1997.

Certainly the amateur service is'nt as important as a shipboard radio installation or a coastal station but all you anti code people out there, please, take a good look at what you are starting. Because there will be no going back and it will be dead within 20-30 years of a no code requirement. The commercial people made a mistake, based on purely financial motives. 12 WPM is not difficult to obtain if it is learned the right way. At least ask yourselves is it really the requirement you are trying to get rid of or is it the whole art form itself. I hope I have at least provided some food for thought and that it will add some new and interesting insights.

73's

Conor Daly EI5IK
Dublin
Ireland.

PS, if there are any other musicians on this group I would like to hear how much you relate music to CW.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4336. Re: For Sale "C" Band Reflectometer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: x <x@x>
Message-ID: <3742c9ee.0@kastagir.senet.com.au>
Source record: 142608
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,tw.bbs.rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

For Sale : Andrew Antenna C-Band reflectometer 3.7 Ghz - 4.2 Ghz , standard wg flanges ,
complete with matched load , bridge coupler,siemens 90 deg elbows ,
excellent condition , $1500.00 ausD, freight not included, images available on request , apply via EMAIL :

g4924@hotmail.com

4337. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>
Source record: 142609
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Totally impossible!!

Keith Bennett wrote:
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> wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
> 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4338. Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3742CFE2.50AC6DBC@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A friend of mine in Washington, whom I shall not name,
passed along a provocative story.
He is in a good position to have this information
and I tend to believe him. I find it very disturbing.
I'm just passing along the information--
you decide whether you think it's plausible.

In summary, he is saying that:
1. (mis)managers in the Clinton administration,
who are always looking for ways to "globalize,"
want to accommodate the illegal HF "telephone" systems
in Central and South America by reallocating spectrum in Region 2
to a new "service."

2. The recent FCC "crackdown" is a put-up job.
All this smoke and bluster over a few loonies -who represent
less then one percent of the ham population- is a scam.
The FCC lawyers know there is no way out of the "selective enforcement"
trap which they set for themselves and into which they have fallen.
Nor have they the budget for any large-scale rule enforcement.
This entire "boogieman" charade' is designed to fabricate an excuse
for confiscating Amateur Radio spectrum.
The idea is; "See? We tried to get them in line and they
just kept breaking the law, so we took it away from them."

Here is a partial quote from his email:

>...managers (from the Clinton administration- ed) are talking
>with representatives from several central and south american
>nations about useing the HF ham bands for long-distance
>telephone systems.... The administration is very concerned with
>"globalism" and supports offically sanctioning this system
>and is putting a lot of pressure on the FCC to come up
>with a plan to get it done.... they also make some cash
>setting up the auctions so a few south amnerican
>"companies" with lots of money buy the spectrum
>so they can have a legal HF link into the states.
>
>...there are many ideas in the transmittal
>but the one most in favor at FCC is in teh summary
>just after the cover memo....
>As a first step remove the bottom 100-150 khz
>of 80, 40, 20, and 15 meters and several mhz VHF UHF

>and reallocate it for Region 2 to this new service.
>Hams would receive 100-120 khz near 5 mhz
>and a few khz low frequency on a secondary basis as compensation.
>Time line says some time in the fall...
>
>...they can justify this by making a big
>case out of a few law breakers and thats what
>all this enforcement dog and pony show is about...
>...they know lots of hams will say "see we deserved it
>and its all so and so's fault" and then they can use the
>chaos and infighting to take more, all with the
>support of most hams who will think they must deserve it.
>Its a slick plan.....

I've known this man for many years.
He's in a position to know and this sounds
exactly like what Clinton appointees would do.
I place a lot of stock in his letter.

What are your opinions?
Is there anyone out there who can corroborate this information?

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

4339. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <3742D0BA.1FBCBBB4@home.com>
Source record: 142611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Morse Code is a "turd in a punch bowl". It is the reason that ham radio
will die. It is really unfortunate.

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4340. Re: Your FCC At Work ! Daily Digest Subscribers Get Smut

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hawke <proudhawk@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3742D5B4.FFFC7DF7@uswest.net>
Source record: 142612

Considering how much you shout, you probably are.

2slick4u try-n-stop-me wrote:

> OH NO THE WISE ONE HAS SPOKEN!! I COULD BE WRONG.

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http://thomas.loc.gov/cgi-bin/bdquery/z?d105:SN01618:@@@D

4341. It's not just Dayton that has falling attendance.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: lreynolds@cyberportal.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11ac9f064420afb0989690@news.giganews.com>
Source record: 142613

The Hosstraders 'fest in Rochester, New Hampshire has been far more poorly attended the last three times as well. Part of this may be due to the fact that it was moved to the Rochester Fairgrounds rather than the considerably more well-liked Deerfield Fairgrounds. (Deerfield is a far more rural setting and attracted far fewer Beanie Baby vendors and shoplifters....)

Pity that (now that we are fewer) we can't return to Deerfield....

Declining *everything* seems to be a universal phenomenon within the hobby.

I would say that it's definitely due to the internet and all that entails. Not the aging of the population, not sunspots, just that people who like to tinker and play with whizzy gadgets now feed their habit at CompUSA rather than AES or HRO.....I do to a fair extent, myself.

And you have to admit, a state of the art PC costs a LOT less to own (and is far more fixable by the owner) than a good HF rig, eh?

(I'm naive - I was waiting for the price for Japanese rigs to go back down when the exchange rate went from 84 Yen to 130 something.....)

Lee KD1SQ

4342. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hupo0$9em$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142614
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7htaq5$9on$1@newnews.startext.net>,
"BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:
> And do you realize how easy it is for another person to get access to your
> accounts now?...

> AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net> wrote in message news:3741F7FC.7618@imt.net...
> >
> > What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy
>

Nothing is wrong, if you want to be foolish, it's your option. Although
I suspect they'll have a hard time corraling the other 745,000 of us
they have left to register. Btw, at last check at Dayton, only 5200 had
embraced their "wonderful" new ULS !

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4343. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7humm6$3av$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 142615
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

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Just goes to show that people are mindless sheep that will believe
anything - why else do you think con-men can steal millions from an
unsuspecting public?

If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
his face.

-Phil

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-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

4344. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: bob@SPAMBEGONEae1m.com
Message-ID: <3742e041.171640325@news.ae1m.com>
Source record: 142616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Now go here:

http://www.informus.com/ssnlkup.html

and find out what we can now find out about you with this valid SS
number which was assigned in 1974.

Bob

>
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4345. Relevant emergency traffic (was: Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spamfree <Spamfree@DELETETHIS.spamfree.net>
Message-ID: <7huof4$7m@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 142617

John Seney <wd1v@amsat.org> wrote in message
news:wd1v-1905990615370001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net...

> Then our emergency services, etc. will be relevant.

They still are... just look at earthquakes in California. There are at
least a dozen people out there with internet access, and yet amateur radio
still is a vital link after the bridges start to tumble.

4346. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7husgabnr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142618

(I tried replying before, but Deja[news] appeared to
drop it on the floor...)

This was my first trip to Dayton, and I must say I was a
bit underwhelmed. Quantity, yes. Quality, no.

The flea market was obviously picked clean Friday, so by
the time I arrived Saturday all that remained was just plain
junk that I wouldn't want at any price. Judging by the
amount of money I saw changing hands, I wasn't alone in
this. And what *did* many of the displays (e.g. knives) have
to do with ham radio, anyway? I ended up with a couple
of cheap laser pointers (475 THz, anybody?) and a
photocopy of a manual for a radio. Big deal.

Then there was the Clique Factor. If people didn't know
you, you didn't exist. Even the commercial exhibitors,
many of whom seemed more interested in chatting among them-
selves rather than chatting with punters. I'm a customer
of some of these folks (via the phone and Internet, so
they don't know what I look like), but if my money is no
good in person, I may have to reconsider where I spend it.

The only exhibitor who seemed pleased to see me (and who
didn't already know me) was the RSGB. Staffed by two
women. Hmmm...
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Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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4347. FS Mirage 100Watt 2meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Glenn <dglenn@connect3.com>
Message-ID: <HKB03.20$p9.940@ultra>
Source record: 142619

For Sale Mirage 3to10 in 100watt amp for 2 meters, All modes supported.

Price $150.00

Dave N6TEB
dglenn@connect3.com

4348. FS Kenwood TS 850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Glenn <dglenn@connect3.com>
Message-ID: <1IB03.18$p9.997@ultra>
Source record: 142620

For Sale Kenwood TS 850 sat HF radio, covers 100khz to 30mhz. Comes complete with an internal antenna tuner and keyer. I have added additional filter for CW and SSB. Just over 2 years old and in great shape. On a scale of 1 to 10 for appearence this would be a 10. I have worked all over the world with this radio and a wire antenna. This radio is able to pull signals out of the mud and received glowing reviews from QST mag.

Price $1100.00 with filters.
Dave N6TEB
dglenn@connect3.com

4349. New place to discuss TH-D7(A/D) and packet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: VL <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <YYB03.8832$J74.759452@news2.rdc1.on.home.com>
Source record: 142621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

http://www.onelist.com/subscribe/TH-D7

4350. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <1Q205GAnvqQ3Ewir@virgin.net>
Source record: 142622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <YEx03.1493$G4.5545@news1.iquest.net>, D Best
<dbest@iquest.net> writes
>
>Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote in message
>news:eNKu+VBWQnQ3EwXQ@virgin.net...
>> In article <3742378C.BB38546A@rconnect.com>, Mark Brown
>> <kb0pyo@rconnect.com> writes
>> >When are you idiots going to learn some nettiquette, CROSS
>> >POSTING TO GROUPS WHERE THIS DOESN'T BELONG IS IN BAD FORM
>> >PLEASE CEASE & DESIST.
>>
>> I AM IN ENTIRE AGREEMENT WITH YOU, THIS IS REALLY BAD FORM.
>> WE HAVE GOT TO STOP THIS CRAZY CROSSPOSTING TO REC.TELEVISION.AMATEURS
>> ONLY WHERE WILL IT ALL END?
>
>
>It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
>the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
>altogehter. Is that really so difficult?
>
Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?

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From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
trojan.horse@virgin.net
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http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4351. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <7husjc$bqm@acmez.gatech.edu>
Source record: 142623

If you are interested in giving DARA your imput please read my "Happy with Dayton?"
Post. Thanks, Bill
--
Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always
take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4352. Circuit needed for tunable SAP.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
Message-ID: <7hutcg$bk3$1@news.asu.edu>
Source record: 142624

Hello all:

I'm looking for a circuit for a tuneable SAP (secondary audio program) decoder
for my TV.
Can anyone help?

TIA
Bil
W7WKM
ex-N7AOU/ATV

wmunsil@aztec.asu.edu
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Lernu La Internacian Lingvon, Esperanto. 1-800-ESPERANTO,
soc.culture.esperanto, www.esperanto-usa.org, Esperanto SIG.

4353. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142225

Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble. But that letter to Vic was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for Castle's stiff sentence.

As far as going to FM micro-broadcasting or the internet, it was just a suggestion to the net, by Mr. Hollingsworth.

This current events discussion group (Liberty Net) has been around for 25 years, and I'm sure will be around for another 25 more years. Your rantings about finding "Nazi's" under your bed are getting very tiresome. If I were you, I'd concern myself with helping your "good friend" Mr. Whiten out. He's gonna need it. ;-)

73, Jr.

4354. Re: PRO-CW-Statement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7i29oudlh1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 142226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7hvul5$3hv@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> In article <37407919@dnews.tpgi.com.au>, G8ASO <g8aso@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >Now if this twat were to condone the continued use of Morse, then I would
> >have to come out in opposition.
>
> Hey Carl, you claim that no one is calling for the end of code usage.
> Ol' GAS-O above proves you're just not credible.
>
> Jeff KH6O

Correction, Jeff (since, as usual, you're distorting/twisting
the truth to suit your own agenda) ...

I have never said that there is nobody in the world who
might advocate the end of code usage. What I HAVE said
is that that is NOT NCI's goal, either short-term or
long-term.

I have also said that I'd personally oppose any attempt
to ban or restrict the use of Morse on ANY ham frequency
where it's now authorized (which is everything except
219-220 MHz.)

Please try to avoid distortions, falsehoods, and outright
lies ... it'll only make folks confuse you with Dick Carroll.

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
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to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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3jNOq835kUBCQO1YotF+XOQh

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4355. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: noUCE@netFive.org
Message-ID: <noUCE.5.5774D140@netFive.org>
Source record: 142227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <37443E70.E5F67DE3@ix.netcom.com> David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> writes:
>From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>

>But I was raised to believe in certain priciples.

Do those principles include obeying the law?

>Didn't one of people we *used* to think of as American Heros
>say something like:
> "I may not agree with what you say,
> but I will defend your right to say it" ??
Even if the speaker was breaking the law?

>Better call a government functionary to check the latest Gallop poll
>and tell me what kind of political views are OK this week.
Only the ones that are expressed in a lawful manner.

You can't shriek the Bill 'O Rights at 3 AM from the top window of
an apartment complex, ya know. Nor can you lawfully broadcast same
on 80 meters or on any other amateur frequency.

It's about time someone recognized the Liberty Net has been using the
Amateur frequencies for a broadcast soapbox of their political opinion.
Their actions such as broadcasting phone numbers and addresses
for political groups only confirm this. They have spent time
detailing thir political opinions in one way transmissions to
hecklers or no one in particular. Not a QSO, but a soapbox and one way
political broadcast.As much as many of us dislike K1MAN and others for
dropping ona frequency for their one-way broadcasts, they at least are
somewhat complyingwith Part 97 by restricting their soapboxing to amateur
radio andrelated communications matters. I'd hope these other broadcasters
get some attention too, they also don't have rights to particular
frequencies.

Kudos to the FCC for calling a spade a spade and courageously
cleaning up the bands in spite of the political heat they mite get.
First a few jammers, now the broadcasters and sapboxers.
Keep the heat on, Riley!

4356. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744C46B.5A7F@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142228

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
> From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
> Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
>
> Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble.<<<Junior boy-you aren't
> bursting any bubble. It appears that Riley is fed up with you hatemongers who
> preach the worst hatred heard on ham radio and then pretend innocence by using
> the Bill of Rights s a shield. Do you take Riley for an idiot? Maybe you do?
> Maybe you take a lot of people for idiots while never being aware of the fact
> that those same folks are "on" to you. A discussion group my ASS. I call it a
> DISGUSTING GROUP. Ham radio in America doesn't need or want you and your
> loathsome kind. You do much harm to the image of USA hamdom because your filthy
> racist remarks, be they covert or overt,are being heard all over. Based on the
> tone of Riley's statements, you had better start looking for a new home to
> conduct your subversive talk. You're leaving 3.950 whether you like it or not
> and the one place Riley didn't mention as a new home is a sewer. Look into it.
> AF2Y,Doc>>>>> But that letter to Vic
> was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
> to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>
>
> << Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
> From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
> Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
>
> Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble. But that letter to Vic
> was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
> to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>
I think what we have here is Doc doesn't approve of what they discuss on
3.950 and sometimes I don't either. BUT that doesn't give me the right
to weather or not they can discuss it. You know what this great USA has
done for me it allows me to mach that choice. It doesn't mandate what I
read or what I talk about, or even who I hang with. That is the bottom
line this great nation in which I live in allows me to be wrong and
allows other people to be wrong to.
What it sounds like to me here Doc is you guilty of the same behaivor
as these guys. You don't like there beliefs and the don't like yours so
your going to call them all kinds of names. What good is that? If they
have broken a part of part 97 so be it they have to put up with the
consinquesis not you. But if you get caught up in the crap the bam your
right in the middle of crap stew. sorry about that. The scary part here

is who has the right to dictate what any of us say on the radio. Does that mean that government can tell me weather or not I can discuss the state of affairs in this great nation over the radio as I see it? Doc thats scary! Come on now. Who has that right. I would say that under the constitution nobody does. Now comes the sticky part you can't stand on a street corner and shout nasty words. How ever a man can stanad on the corner and preach Jesus. Community standards are the main thing here so if these guys what to talk about the state of affairs so be it! NAZI crap so be it. You would what anyone to dictate what you say over the radio would you. All you want to do is pick a fight and be jugdmental of other people. I think you need to keep your side of the street clean. I don't know how many times I have heard you start crap in your round about way and then cry I didn't do anything and lean back in you chair on on your tredmill and laugh at thesae idoits. Copme on DOC lets be honest here!
I think that the content isn't the issue here and I think that you Doc are trying to make it a issue. The issue is did they interfer with on going communications on that Frequency?? That is the issue. Politics has nothing to do with it and I thing that is where Riley has made his mistake on this one.
I know for a fact that the content of what these folks discuss here isn't whats important here. Its weather or not they broke the rules. Content should never be a issue unless the conversation is foul language. Then content should be used the and only then. Also I think that a list of words that are not permented on amateur radio should be included in the rules. Why you say because of words like damn GOD damn is bad but is that damn chain broke is that bad? Or how about the Conawingo dam in Maryland generates 28 megawatts of juce in a hour. see what I'm saying. Also some words in the south arn't allowed and they are ok in the north. Content of communications can be a tricky thing to try and dictate.
Thats just my opinion I could be wrong
Oris

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97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4357. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744C5A0.1307@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142229
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

mike wrote:
>
> bigfoot@hypersurf.com (Kjole) wrote:
> >In article <3740B4E5.5FC050FC@prvnet.com>, mao2 <mao2@prvnet.com> wrote:
> >
> >> I sincerely believe that is bullshit. I have a friend who
> >> has smoked A LOT of it for a very long time and he
> >> has an incredible head of hair. Come to thing of it
> >> I have another friend who smokes quite a bit of it
> >> and he has all of his hair. Hey.... I seem to know a lot
> >> of people who smoke pot.
> >
> >everyone that i know who smokes pot, has alot of hair...
> >All the guys that i see walking out of the healthfood store jogging with
> >their vitamins and beansprouts seem to be bald and sickly looking...
> >I think Bob Dylan said it best : Everybody must get stoned...
> >
> >Tinky winky
> """""""""""""""'
> I also know a couple of bald guys who smoked their fair share of pot and
> certainly didnt regrow any hair.
MAKE IT LEAGAL! Hasn't this government learned anything from the 20's
and proabition. People are going to do what they want anyway. 40% of the
pirson population is in because of dope and you'all wonder why your taxs
are so high. 40% is a whole lot of people that truly don't need to be in
jail cause they get stary eyed.
That's just my opinion I could be wrong!
Oris

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4358. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744C677.68A3@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142230

stjames@earthling.net wrote:
>
> Radiosigs wrote:
>
> > keep in mind that western civilization was
> > built on JUDAISM.
>
> Hmmm... yep, Plato, Aristotle, Pericles, Homer.... ALL JEWS!
>
> Thanks for reminding us.
>
> ---
> Get free personalized email at http://yahoo.iname.com
Who cares!!!! Nine chances out of ten if you are a American then you
probly got a little of everything in you. Americans are the Hienz57s of
the world.
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4359. Re: N3CND Known QRM'er, Rolled over on WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744D321.58F2@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142231
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

You just can stand the fact that you got caught. My sujestion to you you loser is to keep mouth shut. I think that you got off lucky there dummy. You can tell all the lies that you want! You will have to live with them. Its ok you will keep up your crap and BOOM you will be like porkbut walking on glass. Be sure that you don't lie in your letters be sure now because lieing to a cop is a crime. So that would be 2 or is it 3 felonies now HMMMMMM! loser
C-YA
Be sure to tell the truth its going to be funny to see you in jail again!

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4360. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <xw413.1309$K25.16@news4.mia>
Source record: 142232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI wrote in message <3744268B.7858@arrl.net>...
>R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:
>
>> Riley is not a
>> Clinton appointee. He is a staff professional administrator at the FCC,
>> that has been there for the past three presidents. Is it possible that
>> he is being directed by some undisclosed Clinton appointee to do all
>> this? Yes, or course possible, but knowing Riley, I don't think he
>> would do that as a person of conscience.
>
>I had the pleasure of speaking with Riley on the phone. As an aside, he
>told me that his current work is the most rewarding he has had at the
>FCC. He is putting a lot of his personal self into this, and it shows.
>This is not the work of one who is being "directed."
>
>73,
>Ed Hare, W1RFI

Ed,

Bravo, You have hit that nail right on the head. As a career Criminal Investigator I can attest to the fact that a "politico" cannot and will not "direct" any investigation that I or my team are engaged in. You can put a period on the end of that one.

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

4361. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i3afnhdb1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 142233
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:

>This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what do
>they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?

Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
anything DX related for quite a while.....

73, Jim KH2D

4362. Re: yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spamfree <Spamfree@DELETETHIS.spamfree.net>
Message-ID: <7i19gf$pba@chronicle.concentric.net>
Source record: 142234

Shaun <amr@radiolink.net> wrote in message
news:3743A337.CEC07EF5@radiolink.net...
> Can the yeasu FT-50R still be modified for Free band.
> I have done the hardware mods but the radio wont change to free band.
> can any one help.. Thanks

From what I understand, Yaesu complied with a federal mandate to make the
radios not to easy to modify: the most recent batch had no quick and easy
way (if any mod existed at all) to be modified for illegal transmissions.

4363. The Argument for WB2OTK's Removal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i18tf$1qg$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Since Hollingsworthless is too dim witted to devise a suitable legal rationale for terminating this guy's license, let's use this.

The signing of FCC Form 610 or equivalent indicates you have read, understood and intend to comply with the rules of Part 97 which include no guarantee to absolute freedom of speech and indeed, say there is to be no profanity, interference and obscene speech. Thus, as a soldier has signed away his right to leave his base, a ham has signed away bhis right to mouth off.

However, if he was walking down the street,talking like that I wouldn't care less, that's why the First Amendment was enacted.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4364. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb8foz@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wb8fozFC1Bx7.9Jo@netcom.com>
Source record: 142326

kf2ti@planet.net (Steve - KF2TI) writes:

>Quite a few empty spots were caused by the "fire marshal" who prevented
>everyone from entering after the flea market opened. Friday, the wait to
>get into your spot was averaging 40 minutes. Imagine driving from the
>East Coast, getting to the arena at 7:15 and then having to wait only to
>be turned away because the clowns who were letting the cars in didn't
>know what they were doing. Quite a number of people left and went home

Well, our packet explained the rules, and we believed them. (I also
don't expect TWA to wait 15 minutes if I show up late; YMMV) As for
the quotes around fire marshall above; are you implying it was NOT
the Trotwood Fire Marshall but the Committee who set the
rules on access?

>No one mentioned the lack of quality food. I don't mind paying $3 for a
>hamburger because the extra $$$ goes for a fund raiser, but at least put
>some meat in that burger. Plus, did anyone notice that the majority of
>water fountains were turned off?? Hamvention officials admitted doing
>this to make the attendees by $2 bottles of water that sell for 79 cents
>at the local 7-11.

Oh? Since the Committee has far too little influence over Hara
Arena in other areas, you expect them to be able to control the
water fountains?? Note that the food monopoly is controlled by
Hara. It might be interesting, though, to see if the Board of
Heath has some regulation about water fountains, and if so, does
Hara meet it?

But more importantly, BOTH the above are fully in your control.
You CAN choose to show up on time. You CAN also choose to bring
your own food and water. I can not recall the last time I spent any
money on Hara's food; there are grocery stores nearby -- one is
even walking distance I think. [Is that IGA to the east still
there?]

>It seems that Hamvention is getting a tad to big for its britches. Maybe
>they should move to Dayton, New Jersey

I've been to many hamfests over the years; none has come close to
Dayton. If you can do better, please do & I'll attend.

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A host is a host from coast to coast.................wb8foz@nrk.com
& no one will talk to a host that's close........[v].(301) 56-LINUX
Unless the host (that isn't close).........................pob 1433
is busy, hung or dead....................................20915-1433

4365. FLASH ! WB2OTK Pulls a Klinton (via ARRL)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i19ok$2ki$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142327
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

[UPDATE] EASLEY, SC: The FCC has given General licensee Richard L. Whiten, WB2OTK, another two weeks to complete his reply to the FCC following an inquiry in April. Whiten had responded May 10, but via Certified Mail May 19, the FCC's Legal Adviser for Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth said the responses were incomplete. Hollingsworth said that failure to provide the information requested will lead to license revocation. The FCC had sent Whiten tape recordings of his on-the-air operations on November 22 and 26, 1998. Hollingsworth had requested that Whiten "provide a full explanation of these transmissions" by May 20 and said the information would be used to determine "what action to take regarding the renewal of your Amateur Radio license." The FCC said Whiten could keep the tapes. Commission personnel inspected Whiten's station in January and has requested information on the operation of his station and a high-power linear amplifier the FCC noted upon inspection.

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4366. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37441EF8.464640F6@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Johnny Rico wrote:
> I took the Novice, general, and advanced tests back when the FCC
> administered them in the 60s. Those tests were easier than the ones
> they give today. The ARRL License Manual pretty much had all the Qs
> and As ahead of time. Those who say otherwise, in my opinion, are
> kidding themselves.

It's way past kidding, Johnny, all the way to delusional.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4367. FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i1aet$36f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142329
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

OK, now Hollingsworth is being a NWO Nazi. Can't discuss the Fuhrer on the air ? Interference is one thing, but we can criticize the government if we wish. Note the government conspiritorial suggestion that they move to the internet ? That's where Klinton will soon order us all, so they can tag us with SSN and Intel Pentium III serial numbers.

HUDSON, NH: The FCC has asked a net control station of the Liberty Net on 3950 kHz to justify the net's use of Amateur Radio frequencies. Via Certified Mail May 7 to Extra class licensee Victor A. Misek, W1WCR, FCC Legal Adviser for Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth said monitoring on May 1 indicated that Misek's station and members of the group for which he was acting as net control "began transmitting on top of existing Amateur communications that were already in progress." Hollingsworth said that such operation "is considered deliberate interference and cannot be tolerated on the Amateur frequencies." Hollingsworth pointed out that Congress has authorized the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the qualifications of a licensee or applicant. "We are so far unable to determine how the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service," Hollingsworth wrote.

>>HOW DOES A CONTEST ?

He suggested The Liberty Net explore operation on the Internet or seek a low-power FM broadcast grant if that service is authorized. Hollingsworth reminded Misek that Part 97 "prohibits communications on the Amateur frequencies that, on a regular basis, 'could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services.'" He also pointed out that Part 97 prohibits broadcasting.

>>ARRL and K1MAN on your HIT LIST ??

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4368. Re: Riley Censored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i1ah5$36u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142330
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg Trumball" <xrayonezero@ivix.net> wrote:

> A source in CIB indicates Riley may have been told
> he was upsetting the status quo and was to to cool it?

Unless you can name your 'source' you are just another bullshit artist
like mf_loser.

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4369. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i1b98$3p7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mf_loser>

> HUDSON, NH: The FCC has asked a net control station of the Liberty Net
> on 3950 kHz to justify the net's use of Amateur Radio frequencies.

Yes! Alright! Get this bunch of losers off the air along with
AF2YID, WB2OTK, and ex-KV4FZ! BYE BYE!

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4370. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ed Hare, W1RFI" <w1rfi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <3744268B.7858@arrl.net>
Source record: 142332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:

> Riley is not a
> Clinton appointee. He is a staff professional administrator at the FCC,
> that has been there for the past three presidents. Is it possible that
> he is being directed by some undisclosed Clinton appointee to do all
> this? Yes, or course possible, but knowing Riley, I don't think he
> would do that as a person of conscience.

I had the pleasure of speaking with Riley on the phone. As an aside, he
told me that his current work is the most rewarding he has had at the
FCC. He is putting a lot of his personal self into this, and it shows.
This is not the work of one who is being "directed."

73,
Ed Hare, W1RFI

4371. FS Kenwood TS-850sat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Glenn <n6teb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <2EV03.71$p9.2033@ultra>
Source record: 142333
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Please excuse the repost, I heard that some people where having trouble sending to my work address so I am now using my Ham address. Tnx, Dave

For Sale Kenwood TS 850 sat HF radio, covers 100khz to 30mhz. Comes complete with an internal antenna tuner and keyer. I have added additional filter for CW and SSB (500hz and 2.6khz). Just over 2 years old and in great shape. On a scale of 1 to 10
for appearence this would be a 10. I have worked all over the world with this radio and a wire antenna. This radio is able to pull signals out of the mud and received glowing reviews from QST mag.

Price $1100.00 with filters.
Dave N6TEB
n6teb@usa.net

4372. FS Mirage 100Watt 2meter amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Glenn <n6teb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <mFV03.72$p9.2052@ultra>
Source record: 142334
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Please excuse the repost, I heard that some people where having trouble sending to my work address so I am now using my Ham address. Tnx, Dave

For Sale Mirage 3to10 in 100watt amp for 2 meters, All modes supported.

Price $150.00

Dave N6TEB
dglenn@connect3.com

4373. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Kontesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i1dfp$5lj$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142335
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7i1b98$3p7$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> mf_loser>
>
> > HUDSON, NH: The FCC has asked a net control station of the Liberty Net
> > on 3950 kHz to justify the net's use of Amateur Radio frequencies.
>
> Yes! Alright! Get this bunch of losers off the air along with
> AF2YID, WB2OTK, and ex-KV4FZ! BYE BYE!
>
> BGO

Are racial slurs necessary, Jim ?

Shut up before the flies buzzing around your Guamian Rotundity go in
your big mouth.

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4374. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37442D88.4344@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142336

N0VFP wrote:
>
> >AB5S = Nothing more than Texas white nigger trash, jealous of things he
> >will never have. "WTIA"
> >
>
> DoNkBoY99 = A spineless turd who does not have the balls to post his real name
> and callsign!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
Come on you know who this spineless turd is. He is the same one that
thretin everyone about going to Dayton and never showed> That was the
same time the worthless piece of dung took advantage of my kind heart
and traded me a worthless amp for a $500 rig. He lied through is teeth.
See this guy is a self centered loser. The main support of that house is
the wife.
So you can understand why this guy is a worthless spineless scum.
Oris
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4375. Re: Ebay: Motorola GP63, GP69, GP68+ Service Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Clint Bradford <clintbrad4d@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7i1gbl$805$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142337
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In article <37439277.5889559@news.bc.sympatico.ca>,
ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net wrote:
> Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual...

Darn...I am working on a "Programming the GP-68" Web page, but I sure
never considered SELLING the information to anyone.

Well, the manuals DO come with schematics.

See "Programming the Motorola(tm) GP-68" at:

http://www.clintbradford.com

and choose my Amateur radio site.

- Clint Bradford, ATTENTION to Details
http://www.clintbradford.com

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4376. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21898-37443531-31@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142338

This situation quickly reversed itself before the release of this press statement. It seems WA9KJI WAS NOT in QSO on 3.950 and this was confirmed by SEVERAL other hams. Therefore, WA9KJI LIED to Riley....which really pissed Riley off. It's my understanding WA9KJI has now been REMOVED from ham radio for two years.

If this is true....I will break out the champagne tonight!!!!

Jr.

4377. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37443B63.37B3@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142339
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hell all,
Could someone email me the first two post of this thread? For some reason my server didn't get them we been having problems with the server for a while now. For what I have read so far this is what I have been saying all along. I also beleive that the so called crackdown by the FCC is smoke and mirrors too. Why has (and I'll name names) K4OKA Al Abernathy been allowed to continue you his jamming practices. Heck this guy even jammed emergency frequencies set aside for communications in and out of Oklahoma. Why has Rich Whiten WB2OTK been allowed to lie to fedral officals and get away with it? Been aloowed to use foul language over the air and cause willful interferance a number of times. These are two people that I have wondered about for a while now.Heck What crackdown? Yesterday on 20 meters they were up to the same playing tapes over the air and everything so where is the so called big and powerful FCC? So in a artical that I published at my web sight you can see where I stand on this issue. http://www.dirtball.com/what.html in this artical I have been very careful about naming names on advice of my attoreny. I also beleive that this is a plan by this adminastation to gain more power over the American people. One of the best ways to do that is get our (the American people)communicating abillity. You want more! Whats these rumors of taxing the Internet. Tax on email. What is the deal there?
I know that the two people that I just pointed out are not even a drop in the bucket but they are high profile people. To shut these people down would send a message to the rest of the amateur community that the FCC still works. But I geuss the FCC dosen't want to clean up the amatuer radio community they just want to give us enough rope to hang ourselves. What all this talk about Riley going to clean up ham radio? Where is the broom? I think its all just hot air!
I have yet to see anyone get a fine or have there license rovoked on the HF part of the spectrum. A bunch of two meter crap in Calfornia. They had to do something there or somebody was going to die. I published on my internet site first hand account of what was going on out there YEARS before the feds did anything. It was real BAD out there! Heck they even caught two guys in the Atlanta GA area in the act of organized jamming where they would set the jamming practice up on two meters and go to the HF part of the spectrum and carry the jamming out. These guys are still on the air. So I do beleive that your right the FCC's so called crackdown is a farse. Its just a matter of time and we will all be off the air or pirates one. Now ain't that a scary thought.
I even took down my anti-FCC pages at request of some of the fedral officals at the FCC. They told me that they where going to crack down on the whole mess on 75-meters. From what I have been told that same crap

is going on 3.950. That was another place that was supposed to get attention from the FCC. Nothing happened there either. I don't agree on what they talk about on 3.950 but I do agree that they have a right to talk there without being jammed. Now what about the unlicensed operator what have the done there? NOTHING Fank Todd is still on the air with no call and nothing is done about him and the feds know about him. SO I have to say I agree with you 100% that the so-called crackdown by the FCC is smoke and mirrors.
So what do we do?

73 from Oris

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4378. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37443E70.E5F67DE3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I remember telling people about the FCC dragon frying us all.

You know, I don't care for nazis and racist either.
But I was raised to believe in certain priciples.
Didn't one of people we *used* to think of as American Heros
say something like:
"I may not agree with what you say,
but I will defend your right to say it" ??

Oh... so sorry.... Anyone saying that today is just a
right-wing nut or nazi, right? Yeah... nuts like
Jefferson, Washington, Hamilton, Webster...
terrible things those radicals said. I better watch it.
Better call a government functionary to check the latest Gallop poll
and tell me what kind of political views are OK this week.

You didn't honestly believe that stuff written in the
Bill of Rights, did you? It's been dead since 1860.
Uncle allows his minions the ultimate weapon of
administrative law, so it's just so much toilet paper.
He wipes his bum on it daily and this is just the latest swipe.
The minions will tell you what is and is not acceptable
to think and say and if you don't like it,
you'll get squashed like a bug.

And they're so good at it, your peers will help them!
Watch the majority of hams jump for joy because a
certain group has been denied it's civil rights
and damn those who protest it. Gonna be really
funny when it's their turn. I'm gonna laugh my tail off.

Pitiful.... we deserve exactly what we're going to get.

"Five nine Texas good luck in the contest QRZed??"

Disgusted,
Dave AB5S

4379. Re: I think DoNkBoY99 is a bigtime loser!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37444170.1C92@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142341

The proof is in and DoNkBoY99 is porkbut!
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4380. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i1iuk$9to$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142342

Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone) wrote:

> Therefore, WA9KJI LIED to Riley....which really pissed Riley off.
> It's my understanding WA9KJI has now been REMOVED from ham radio
> for two years.
>
> If this is true....I will break out the champagne tonight!!!!

HOLA OM Zero,

Save the champagne. JKI is removed from HF but can still raise
hell on UHF/VHF.

BGO

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4381. Re: In Defense Of AF2Y(plain)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744428B.3BD9@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142343

> Talk about the wife of another person, talk about their
> children, and betteryet,talk about their health problems, you low life.
> , talk about their religion etc, and on and on. You are one unsavory
> person, You and "DUH DUH" Rube deserve each other, you are both creeps
> and goof balls!!!
>
> article <19990515130047.20828.00000842@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> > << es his hand, is indeed a coward! Why
> > dont you identify yourself Mr. Montcalm? Or are you still just an
> > overgrown "Coward?
> > <<Don't get excited Rube. This Lyme disease -ridden drunkard is mad
> over the
> > fact that he can't get money from mama dearest and enough bananas for
> his wife
> > Amazonia.">>Doc AF2Y
> >
> > >>
> >
> >
>
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>
> >>
And yet this guy is Porkbuts best friend what the deal with this.
Porkbut attacks family members, heath problems and so on. Then crys when
his get attacked WAKE UP DOC! Stop defending this loser.
--

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4382. Yaesu VX-5R or Kenwood TH-D7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic <iden1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <xIX03.14608$J74.2112060@news2.rdc1.on.home.com>
Source record: 142344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi! How are you doing? I'm going to get a new HT either Yaesu VX-5R or
Kenwood TH-D7A(since I may try to operate packet radio). Any suggestion?
Thanks!!

73,
Vic

4383. Re: List of AM/FM Radio Stations in U.S.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wayne Watson <mtn_view@sirius.com>
Message-ID: <374447ED.BCFA62@sirius.com>
Source record: 142345

I called the FCC and they said if there is one it would be listed under Bureaus->Mass Media. Look for Bureaus on their home page and you will see Mass Media under it. I did not pursue this because they gave me the following too:

http://www.radioinfo.com/

This does have a list by state, city, call letters, etc. When you select database search note the search page comes up with the search button way to the right and you have to scroll to it. A very oddly designed page! Anyway, I tried it for California, and yes it did list something like 704 stations, both AM and FM. At this point I don't know who sponsors the site.

Wayne Watson wrote:

> Anyone know where a list that exists on the net of all AM/FM radio
> stations in the U.S. by city and state + frequency and call letters?
>
> --
> "Few things are harder to put up with than a good
> example."
> -- Mark Twain
>
> ========== Wayne T. Watson
> ==========
> When having fun, which is a lot, you'll find me on the internet pursuing
> my hobbies of amateur astronomy and science. When I get serious, I
> consult in C, UNIX, C++, Java. See my web page.
>
> mtn_view@sirius.com
> Web Page:
> http://www.sirius.com/~mtn_view (Updated 3/30/99)

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4384. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: stjames@earthling.net
Message-ID: <9905201357140A.00746@weba1.iname.net>
Source record: 142346

Radiosigs wrote:

> keep in mind that western civilization was
> built on JUDAISM.

Hmmm... yep, Plato, Aristotle, Pericles, Homer.... ALL JEWS!

Thanks for reminding us.

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4385. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7i1i9j$5e8$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 142347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Keith Bennett wrote in message <6pFnHaApnzQ3Ewx3@virgin.net>...
>Well Phil have you ever seen the results of a gasoline vapor explosion?
>No of course you have not!

And just how would YOU know??? Anyhow....

>But I have. And the resultant skin burns are
>not pretty to see. Any electronic device is capable of producing short
>circuits and sparks. Activating cellphone keypads may or may not induce
>an electrical connection, however small, but you can bet your bottom
>dollar that if there was such a fault produced then you would be the
>poor schmuck standing there pumping unleaded gas into your car! We here
>in the UK do not have vapor vacuums fitted to the gas pumps, so the
>whole area around a busy market gas station is full of gas fumes.
>All I am considering is the personal safety of my family and myself, and
>if you don't like it Phil you can go and stuff yourself!

Keith, there is a difference between being safe and being paranoid. Being safe would be to ask some idiot who is puffing away on a cigarette at the pump to put it out. Paranoid is what you described. There are far better chances of an explosion being set off by a backfiring car then by someone's cell phone. Or do you insist that those around you push their cars away from the pump before starting them? Don't you see how ridiculous you are being?

Or could it be that you are just one of the many weirdlings we get in here who have nothing better to do than pick fights on usenet. I've seen my share of them too. Which are you? Time will tell.

-Phil

4386. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: aa010@detroit.freenet.org
Message-ID: <aa010-2005991403160001@aa1-241-222.detroit.usabestnet.net>
Source record: 142348

In article <37436D65.73F4BFDD@dallas.net>, Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net> wrote:

>In my search for a source of interfering signals in the AM broadcst band
>- I discovered
>a series of moderate to strong carriers in the 80 Meter band.
>
>These are grouped in the range from 3.500 through about 3.560 MHz.
>
>I have found, in driving around, that these are strongest around 3.530
>MHz.
>
>When these signal sources are found - the meter on the HR receiver is
>against
>the peg ...
>
>These 'carriers' can be heard as far as .8 miles form the source ...
>sometimes
>'ringing' can be heard - and sometimes 1/2 of a phone conversation ...
>
>Driving south through Allen, Plano, Richardson into Dallas - MANY of
>these
>carriers can be heard?
>
>What are they?
>
>Have we lost that part of the band to an un-named user?
>
>Jim W B 5 W P A
>
>j v p o l l @ d a l l a s . n e t

Every color television set in the US has a crystal controlled
oscillator at 3.58 (3.579545) MHz, the NTSC color subcarrier
frequency. A few thousand sets operating simultaneously, or just
a single unshielded set, can cause QRM at that freq.

Chuck Reti WV8A Detroit,MI
aa010@detroit.freenet.org

4387. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: reality@internet.com
Message-ID: <37444CBB.A060200E@internet.com>
Source record: 142349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Oris wrote:
>
> Hell all,
> Could someone email me the first two post of this thread? For some
> reason my server didn't get them we been having problems with the server
> for a while now. For what I have read so far this is what I have been
> saying all along. I also beleive that the so called crackdown by the FCC
> is smoke and mirrors too. Why has (and I'll name names) K4OKA Al
> Abernathy been allowed to continue you his jamming practices. Heck this
> guy even jammed emergency frequencies set aside for communications in
> and out of Oklahoma. Why has Rich Whiten WB2OTK been allowed to lie to
> fedral officals and get away with it? Been aloowed to use foul language
> over the air and cause willful interferance a number of times. These are
> two people that I have wondered about for a while now.Heck What
> crackdown? Yesterday on 20 meters they were up to the same playing tapes
> over the air and everything so where is the so called big and powerful
> FCC? So in a artical that I published at my web sight you can see where
> I stand on this issue. http://www.dirtball.com/what.html in this artical
> I have been very careful about naming names on advice of my attoreny. I
> also beleive that this is a plan by this adminastation to gain more
> power over the American people. One of the best ways to do that is get
> our (the American people)communicating abillity. You want more! Whats
> these rumors of taxing the Internet. Tax on email. What is the deal
> there?
> I know that the two people that I just pointed out are not even a
> drop in the bucket but they are high profile people. To shut these
> people down would send a message to the rest of the amateur community
> that the FCC still works. But I geuss the FCC dosen't want to clean up
> the amatuer radio community they just want to give us enough rope to
> hang ourselves. What all this talk about Riley going to clean up ham
> radio? Where is the broom? I think its all just hot air!
> I have yet to see anyone get a fine or have there license rovoked on
> the HF part of the spectrum. A bunch of two meter crap in Calfornia.
> They had to do something there or somebody was going to die. I published
> on my internet site first hand account of what was going on out there
> YEARS before the feds did anything. It was real BAD out there! Heck
> they even caught two guys in the Atlanta GA area in the act of organized
> jamming where they would set the jamming practice up on two meters and
> go to the HF part of the spectrum and carry the jamming out. These guys
> are still on the air. So I do beleive that your right the FCC's so
> called crackdown is a farse. Its just a matter of time and we will all
> be off the air or pirates one. Now ain't that a scary thought.
> I even took down my anti-FCC pages at request of some of the fedral

> officals at the FCC. They told me that they where going to crack down on
> the whole mess on 75-meters. From what I have been told that same crap
> is going on 3.950. That was another place that was supposed to get
> attention from the FCC. Nothing happened there either. I don't agree on
> what they talk about on 3.950 but I do agree that they have a right to
> talk there without being jammed. Now what about the unlicensed operator
> what have the done there? NOTHING Fank Todd is still on the air with no
> call and nothing is done about him and the feds know about him. SO I
> have to say I agree with you 100% that the so-called crackdown by the
> FCC is smoke and mirrors.
> So what do we do?
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> 73 from Oris
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What a bunch of third-grade level bullshit. N3CND jammed by porky's side for years. He rolled over on him when things got hot. This idiot played music on HF for years. Keep talking to that lawyer dumbass, by the looks of your drivel you will be needing one. Take your crosseyed no teeth wife, retarded kids, and BO and hit the road, you inbred piece of Georgia trailer tash.

4388. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mike <emkaypee@dodgenet.com>
Message-ID: <7i1m76$7i5$1@ins8.netins.net>
Source record: 142350
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

bigfoot@hypersurf.com (Kjole) wrote:
>In article <3740B4E5.5FC050FC@prvnet.com>, mao2 <mao2@prvnet.com> wrote:
>
>> I sincerely believe that is bullshit. I have a friend who
>> has smoked A LOT of it for a very long time and he
>> has an incredible head of hair. Come to thing of it
>> I have another friend who smokes quite a bit of it
>> and he has all of his hair. Hey.... I seem to know a lot
>> of people who smoke pot.
>
>everyone that i know who smokes pot, has alot of hair...
>All the guys that i see walking out of the healthfood store jogging with
>their vitamins and beansprouts seem to be bald and sickly looking...
>I think Bob Dylan said it best : Everybody must get stoned...
>
>Tinky winky
"""""""""""""""'

I also know a couple of bald guys who smoked their fair share of pot and
certainly didnt regrow any hair.

4389. I want to see PORKBUTT get a NAL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520150637.00975.00003644@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142351

I think it would be funny!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4390. Re: I want to see PORKBUTT get a NAL!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374461D3.24C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142352

$10,500.00
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4391. News Flash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744624E.32DA@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142353

It is now up in webb format check it out maybe the feds are going to do
something or this jus more hot air from governemet buracrats.
http://www.dirtball.com/what.html
73 from Oris
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4392. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21904-37445E88-2@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142354

That's OK, BGO! I don't live anywhere near the Evansville, IN repeaters!!

All I can say is.....

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU MR. HOLLINGSWORTH!!!! (Is it appropriate for one man to send another man flowers???)

HEEEEEEEHAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!!!!!
WHAT A GLORIOUS DAY!!!!

Jr.

4393. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520154737.28133.00002719@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142355

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: stjames@earthling.net
Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 1:57 PM
Message-id: <9905201357140A.00746@weba1.iname.net>

Radiosigs wrote:

> keep in mind that western civilization was
> built on JUDAISM.

Hmmm... yep, Plato, Aristotle, Pericles, Homer.... ALL JEWS!
<<<Excuse me, you flaming A.H. Your knowledge of history is out of sync. The Hebrew civilization PRE-DATED THE GREEKS by plenty. Greek philosophers and scholars based their presentations on Hebraic scholasticism and theology except in the case of the Greeks worshipping many Gods. They were known for it and for building great restaurants such as the Parthenon Diner on Route 46 West ,Thebes. >>>>>AF2Y Doc

Thanks for reminding us.

Get free personalized email at http://yahoo.iname.com >>

4394. Re: Yaesu VX-5R or Kenwood TH-D7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <199904201448.PNR05852@scott.net>
Source record: 142356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Vic writes:

> Hi! How are you doing? I'm going to get a new HT either Yaesu VX-5R or
> Kenwood TH-D7A(since I may try to operate packet radio). Any suggestion?
> Thanks!!

Although I have no preference of the two radios you listed, they both will
work for packet radio, at least at speeds of 1200bps.

73 Jeff W4JEF

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27	Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept
200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA
------------ Finger jeffj@scott.net for my PGP RSA key -----------

4395. Re: CB Website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37446ECC.3A4C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142357

Jim wrote:
>
> On Sat, 15 May 1999 23:11:15 -0400, "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
> wrote:
>
> >When did you conduct a survey regarding amateur radio operators and CB
> >equipment that led you to state: " ...most of you Hams have a CB radio
> >too,... "
> >
> > I have been an amateur radio operator since 1958. Do not own, have never
> >owned, have never wanted to own anything associated with CB. Fellow gave me
> >a box of CB radios one day when I stopped at a yard sale. I thanked him,
> >put it in the back of my truck, and deposited the whole mess in the first
> >dumpster I saw.
>
> And on Sun, 16 May 1999 08:12:19 GMT, "Dan K Nelson" <kf6knb@qsl.net>
> wrote:
>
> >I can call myself an amateur radio operator because that's what it states on
> >my LICENSE, which grants me that authority. What justification and /or
> >authority do you have that allows you to claim that status, or did you just
> >make it up - like your cb "handle" or "numbers" ? :>)
> >
> >73 de KF6KNB
>
> Why all the animosity towards the CB'rs? CB's have probably spurred
> many people on to becoming HAM's (as I am currently studying to get my
> no code tech license). I'll grant you that there are many crude,
> obnoxious operators running illegal equipment and such but from what I
> hear, this is not something that is isolated on 11 meters.
>
> I hope it's not a "better than thou" attitude. With the shear numbers
> of people who have become HAM's, that is proof that almost anyone with
> an interest who can study a book and take a test, can get a license.
> Much like a driver's license although I'll grant you, "different".
>
> I drive a truck for a living. A CB is an essential tool for me on the
> road. I am not happy with what I hear on the radio sometimes, and I
> make this known to the offending operators. But as I see it, the at
> times "utter chaos" that's experienced on the CB was for the most part
> caused by the FCC's lack of enforcement or licensing procedures.
> Truck driving attracts many social non-conforms. Give them a mike to
> hide behind and they'll say almost anything to anybody. Base
> operators are in many respects, the same. But there are many who

> respect the privilege of operating a radio, albeit a CB, and conduct
> themselves accordingly.
>
> Having learned something of radio frequencies as the result of my
> studying to become a HAM, it now seems dumb to me to even have the
> CB's on the 11 meter band. There is far too much interference during
> the daytime hours and the band could probably be more efficiently used
> by HAM's for DXing.
>
> But having said all of this, things are as they are. CB's are radios
> just the same as any HAM radio. They transmit and they receive. If
> it weren't for the few friendly and patient HAM operators I've talked
> to in the recent months, I wouldn't be studying to take that test now.
> It's a hobby. Hobbies are supposed to be enjoyable. I've always been
> willing to share my knowledge of any of my hobbies to anyone
> interested. And I certainly never spurned somebody who was interested
> in a different hobby than mine.
>
> Just my two cents.
>
> Jim
Jim
Great that you are learning to become a nocode operator. I myself fell
from the ranks of CB back in the 1970's I also still enjoy CB radio. Not
many hams will admit to this but I will knowing where I came from. I
have put together a plan that is still a little rough but I do believe
that it would help both the ranks of CB radio as well as the ranks of
amateur radio. If anything I would add to the population of ham radio
and give the CBer a better chance on not only learning more about radio
but also the chance to upgrade the class of people that he or she all
ready know. All though there are quite a few so-called BAD APPLES in the
ranks of amateur radio most of them are good hard working honest people.
I thing that what you are doing will be good for your own self worth.
If you what to know about what I propose then check out
http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
weatherr or not you agree or disagree we can both agree that something
has to be done to take the load of all the illeagal activity on CB and
open the rules up to where maybe some of that crap isn't illeagal and
the FCC can put more into getting the socalled bad apples. Anyway best
of luck and I hope to hear you come on here and say you have you genral
ticket
73 from Oris
N3CND
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4396. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11ae362276ae80cc989695@news.eni.net>
Source record: 142358

In article <wb8fozFC1Bx7.9Jo@netcom.com>, wb8foz@netcom.com says...
> kf2ti@planet.net (Steve - KF2TI) writes:
>
>
> >Quite a few empty spots were caused by the "fire marshal" who prevented
> >everyone from entering after the flea market opened. Friday, the wait to
> >get into your spot was averaging 40 minutes. Imagine driving from the
> >East Coast, getting to the arena at 7:15 and then having to wait only to
> >be turned away because the clowns who were letting the cars in didn't
> >know what they were doing. Quite a number of people left and went home
>
> Well, our packet explained the rules, and we believed them. (I also
> don't expect TWA to wait 15 minutes if I show up late; YMMV) As for
> the quotes around fire marshall above; are you implying it was NOT
> the Trotwood Fire Marshall but the Committee who set the
> rules on access?

If I get to the arena an hour before the gates open and because the clowns haven;t a clue what's going on and I finally get to the gate at 8am, I'd expect them to let me in. That's not what I saw or heard. The lines to get into the flea market with your vehicle stretched onto the main highway due to incompetence, plain and simple. It was not a matter of getting their at 7:50 and expecting to get in. I was getting there in what use to be plenty of time and not getting in As to the quotes, you obviously didn't take to any Hamvention officials...they blamed the "fire marshals" for ALL the problems being seen. However, since they was obviously a problem getting in, you'd think some official would have been present at the gate instead of riding around in their pretty new golf carts

>
> >No one mentioned the lack of quality food. I don't mind paying $3 for a
> >hamburger because the extra $$$ goes for a fund raiser, but at least put
> >some meat in that burger. Plus, did anyone notice that the majority of
> >water fountains were turned off?? Hamvention officials admitted doing
> >this to make the attendees by $2 bottles of water that sell for 79 cents
> >at the local 7-11.
>
> Oh? Since the Committee has far too little influence over Hara
> Arena in other areas, you expect them to be able to control the
> *water fountains*?? Note that the food monopoly is controlled by
> Hara. It might be interesting, though, to see if the Board of
> Heath has some regulation about water fountains, and if so, does
> Hara meet it?

NOTE the food monopoly was controlled by the Hamvention people who made money by renting the spots out to various organizations. (Where do you get your information from anyway????) Obviously as to water fountains, they didn't because the were shut at the insistence of the Hamvention folkes

>
> But more importantly, BOTH the above are fully in your control.
> You CAN choose to show up on time.

Did that, so did a lot of other people and they didn;t get in

You CAN also choose to bring
> your own food and water.

Did that, but I do buy some things and all I wanted was some quality for my $$$.

I can not recall the last time I spent any
> money on Hara's food; there are grocery stores nearby -- one is
> even walking distance I think. [Is that IGA to the east still
> there?]
>
>
> >It seems that Hamvention is getting a tad to big for its britches. Maybe
> >they should move to Dayton, New Jersey
>
> I've been to many hamfests over the years; none has come close to
> Dayton. If you can do better, please do & I'll attend.

Try Timonium. Getting to be AS big and seems to run with the attendees in mind. You know things are going downhill when the major manufacturers start to complain

>
>

4397. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37446FFA.B93C8E8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142359

Yeah... and the Negro races predate everyone.
Built Egypt, actually discovered the new world, etc. etc.
It all depends on the flavor of racist telling the story...

Dave AB5S

4398. Re: About Riley Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374470A4.C764467F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142360

Bravo, Doc! Bravo!

I've never, ever seen a more beautiful brown nose!

Outstanding!

(holding up 9.8 card)

Dave AB5S

4399. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37447119.1D5@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> wife, retarded kids, and BO and hit the road, you inbred piece of
> Georgia trailer tash.
Aw jimmy did you get your feelings hurt cause the FCC caught you jamming
and planing to jam with your loser buddy poor poor pig vomit. Did
bellsouth caught you deleting posts and kick you. poor poor pig vomit.
How long is going to be before ATT finds out about you and kicks you
too. And another service bites the dust poor poor pig vomit a known
felon and a lier too! Are you still living in a barn. Its one thing to
be trash its another to be toxic waste and seem to be toxic waste you
ruin everyone that comes close to you. Did you put the blame for you 2
meter activities on you loser buddy? your lower than trailer trash you
can't even afford a trailer.
How long will it be before AT&T kicks your fat loser self.
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4400. 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520164921.28133.00002751@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142362

I have before me a print out of the latest ARRL Web Extra Page for Members Only since I am elite enough to be a member.I definitely am special which is easily discernible
I see the first article deals with a chap named Santini who just lost his Tech license for failure to retake the exam which apparently was enough to convince Mr. Riley Hollingsworth that there was hanky panky involved the first time around. So goodbye Mr.Santini and God speed. Study hard and come back.
The second posting deals with Rich Whiten, WB2OTK, whose letter to Riley left some questions unanswered but I'm sure that Rich will furnish enough to satisfy Riley in the followup. I have faith in both men.
The third deals with David Castle, WA9KJI, whom I used to hear converse nicely in Spanish but got too antsy over the hoodlums on 3.950. And from what I surmise,he got a bit abrupt and snotty with Riley which will make David an SWL for a few years. Davey, you simply can't spit in the eye of authority and expect to walk away unscathed. "The Enforcer" was kind enough to have warned you but you spat!
But it's the fourth item that I find VERY VERY interesting. The one that deals with "Swastika Pus" Misek,W1WCR, the chief goosestepper of the Liberty Net Nazis on 3.950...the Boys from Brazil. It seems that Mr. Hollingsworth got a bit fed up with all that rancid,ugly,demeaning crap that Victor Victoria Misek and his Bundists spew forth on a constant basis. Let's analyze that particular post.
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I don't want to hear all this speculation and nonsense about Riley favoring this one or that one and so forth and so on. He's proving such allegations WRONG. Want to save your tickets? LISTEN TO WHAT HE SAYS! DOC, AF2Y

4401. Re: About Riley Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520165233.28123.00002955@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142363

<< : About Riley Hollingsworth
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 4:29 PM
Message-id: <374470A4.C764467F@ix.netcom.com>

Bravo, Doc! Bravo!

I've never, ever seen a more beautiful brown nose!

Outstanding!

(holding up 9.8 card)

Dave AB5S
>>I'LL TELL YOU THIS. YOU TRY CROSSING THE MAN AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS
.>>>AF2Y

4402. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520165607.28123.00002959@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142364

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 4:26 PM
Message-id: <37446FFA.B93C8E8@ix.netcom.com>
<<YOU HAVE PROOF THAT THE NEGRO RACE PRE-DATED EVERYONE? BUT THIS I'LL TELL
YOU..MY PEOPLE WERE PRIESTS IN THE TEMPLE OF SOLOMON WHILE YOURS WERE STILL
HANGING FROM TREES. Doc, AF2Y>>>>>
Yeah... and the Negro races predate everyone.
Built Egypt, actually discovered the new world, etc. etc.
It all depends on the flavor of racist telling the story...

Dave AB5S
>>

4403. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374480A9.AE2BF260@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142365

(shaking head....)
why won't people read the tread before popping off??? oyyyy-vay!

4404. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <3744824F.466C@imt.net>
Source record: 142366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fbye0g0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>,
> "Phil Kane" <philkane [at] commlawcenter [dot] com> wrote:
> > On Tue, 18 May 1999 17:30:04 -0600, AB7RS wrote:
> >
> > > What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy
> > > The only ones who could rail against that are anti-government
> > > nuts.
> >
> > > 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
>
> Phil you must really have it in for Jefferson and Washington...
>
> The point isn't the government writ large, it's the presence of bad
> apples like Miss Mesa who then can use your info, send it to her DC
> college chums and they can go on a spending spree at Eddie Bauer while
> your credit rating gets the seven-year itch.
>
> Furthermore, the hackers who regularly attack federal computers can
> access the real data and do the same, and federal claims of security are
> bogus.
>
> The truth would cause a panic, lessen e transactions and hurt Bill
> Gates' future contributions to the DNC.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

HOW??? It is an identification # and an account # with no real money
in it,not a charge account.I can't get any money from it and probably
never will,how can someone else. Tracy

4405. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37448C34.5926@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142367

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> I have before me a print out of the latest ARRL Web Extra Page for Members Only
> since I am elite enough to be a member.I definitely am special which is easily
> discernible
> I see the first article deals with a chap named Santini who just lost his
> Tech license for failure to retake the exam which apparently was enough to
> convince Mr. Riley Hollingsworth that there was hanky panky involved the first
> time around. So goodbye Mr.Santini and God speed. Study hard and come back.
> The second posting deals with Rich Whiten, WB2OTK, whose letter to Riley
> left some questions unanswered but I'm sure that Rich will furnish enough to
> satisfy Riley in the followup. I have faith in both men.
> The third deals with David Castle, WA9KJI, whom I used to hear converse
> nicely in Spanish but got too antsy over the hoodlums on 3.950. And from what I
> surmise,he got a bit abrupt and snotty with Riley which will make David an SWL
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Boy you seem to have a bias way of looking at thinks you say you have
faith in both men? One is a known lier and who has one more then one
occaision admited to bad checks in Flordia. The other who for all
intensive purposes is a cop HMMMMMMM. Not really a bad thing but to cops
everyone is guilty. Doc I really think you need to rethink what you
have said at that point.
As far as your remarks to that bunch of weirdos on 3.950 I have to
agree with Riley on that one what good are they for the purpose of ham
radio and what gives them the right as any other net or group to take
over a freq that is in use. My OH My Rich Whiten is guilty of that more
than one occasion the frequency in question 3.901 MHz. So right there
you have crossed what you said. So its ok for a man you beleive in to
take over a freq but its not ok for a group you don't agree with I don't
understand that one.
I have mixed emotions over this one, One I'm not a NAZI nor am I a
member of the KKK or any other race group. I am a American so I do have
a problem with the call to disband a net because of there affilation.
That would be just like disbanding a net cause they talk about Jesus. I
fully understand Hitler is no Jesus but to those sickos he is. So I

think that dismembering a group because of the content of the group is wrong. It is against the Bill of rights freedom of speech peaceful assembly and the scrariest part of all freedom of religon. Don't get me wrong I thing that anyform of biggotry is wrong. That goes for the jews as well as the Afro Americans whites as well as asainamericans. How ever if Riley can prove that the net just started up over people that where useing the frequency then that needs to stop. Also alot of other nets are guilty of the same practice.
So this is one that really scares me. So I truly hope that this one doesn't end up before the supreme court. I do hope Riley makes the right choice here.
Of course this is just my opinion I could be wrong!
73 from Oris

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4406. Nomads Mailing List (new)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff <jeff@jehosophat.com>
Message-ID: <37448E7D.3C32B6A8@jehosophat.com>
Source record: 142368
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antennas

The Nomads mailing list is a group resource for those who spend most of each week away from home due to work or for other reasons. Portable operating challenges such as the best antenna to use from a hotel balcony and operating mobile from a rented car are typical discussion topics.

Feel free to join us and share your own experiences as a radio active "road warrior" .... this list is brand new, just formed this week.

For more information:

http://jehosophat.com/nomads/

Vy 73,
N9AVG

4407. Help-QST/QEX articles urgently wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: oxf01@ukmax.com
Message-ID: <37450032.2370@ukmax.com>
Source record: 142369

I urgently need a copy of two articles in QST & QEX. The months are QST may 96 and QEX jan 95.

Is there anyone out there who would be able to send me a photocopy (or even fax) of the articles concerned? I will pay all copy and mail charges (I have a US bank account).

Please e-mail me directly to oxf01@ukmax.com.

TIA,

Mike, G4COA

4408. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520191435.11237.00004675@ng-fp1.aol.com>
Source record: 142370

Out of ignorance based on inexperience, N8NOE stated pompously, in a feeble attempt to discredit:

>Phone is spelled: PHONE not fone...Great voice of CW.....73 de n8noe QSL?
>
>

Sorry, bud, but "fone" was been an accepted shorthand for "phone" amoungst the cw crowd for years. There are other abbreviations, too, but they won't be of any use to you there on 2m, Jeffrey, so I'll not list them now.

4409. TOWER/ANTENNA/MISC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: nedrog@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520194630.07300.00002721@ng21.aol.com>
Source record: 142371

Subject: FS: TOWER - RAM - NETWORK INTERFACE CARDS - ANTENNA - MISC.

TOWER - ROHN, 60' CRANK-UP, ON GROUND, needs new crank cable, also has tripod
lifting device with winch.
$500 U-HAUL
==========
MEMORY - 4 - MB simms, 72pin, COMPAQ / GENERIC / HP (ALL CHECKED)
$ 5/ea 3/ $12

MEMORY - 4 - MBsimms, 72pin, NON - EDO
$ 5/ea 3/ $12
==========
250 - 3COM 3C503 THIN-NET NIC's ALL PULLS AND CHECKED
DRIVERS AVAILABLE FROM WWW.3COM.COM
$4.EA 3/$10 (IF INTERESTED IN ALL - WILL MAKE DEAL)

5 - IBM TOKEN-RING 16/4 ADAPTER/A NEVER USED IN ORIGINAL PACKAGES
$10 ea (ALL FOR $40)
==========
MOSLEY - TH6DXX TRIBANDER, ON GROUND, NEEDS NEW HARDWARE, $175 - U-HAUL
==========
MODEMS AS IS NO TIME TO TEST 300 & 2400 baud, no pwr supplies
$5 ea
==========

W3CQH
Howard
301 - 294 - 3824
nedrog@AOL.COM
IN WASHINGTON, DC AREA

4410. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i27af$ru1@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142372
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Bill Sohl <billsohl@planet.net> wrote:
>On 18 May 1999 03:04:25 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
>>Bill Sohl <billsohl@planet.net> wrote:

>>>The fact remains that not one of those subject areas you
>>>identify here are separate pass/fail test elements. You can
>>>ignore several subject areas and still pass the test.

>>How many, Bill? If someone is not interested in digital comms,
>>satellites, RTTY, component data, and SSTV, can they skip all those
>>questions and still pass, or will they be "forced" to learn those
>>subjects which they'll never use?

>What differnece does it make. The bottom
>line is that none of these are mandatory and separate
>pass/fail elements. YOU get to decide and
>see if you can pass with or without any
>of them...NOT so for CW.

Oh, I don't know; just like you can skip questions on the written and
still pass, you can also skip questions on the code test and still pass.

Both the written and the code are pass/fail; there is no letter grade
awarded.

>>>Not so
>>>for CW testing which is given, graded and must be
>>>passed as a totally separate test element.

The written is a totally seperate test element -- it is a pass/fail exam,
too.

>>Only at the 70% level; that's less than what's needed to pass the
>>written exams.

>You are comparing apples and oranges again. It is STILL a separate
>element that MUST be passed.

What? The written? Of course the written is a seperate element which
must be passed.

Think of all the license classes which requre one to have passed several
elements; for example, to pass the Extra written 4B element, one must
have passed Element 4A, among all the lower written elements.

73, Jeff KH6O

4411. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i27kt$rvu@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142373
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

D Best <dbest@iquest.net> wrote:
>It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
>the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
>altogehter. Is that really so difficult?

So are you saying that you wouldn't mind if the 200,000+ newsgroups were
lumped together as just one NG? After all, one would only need to inspect
the subject line as one waded through the 10 million posts each day,
right?

4412. Re: Yaesu VX-5R or Kenwood TH-D7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan <n9drm@nospam.tcon.net>
Message-ID: <3744c5a5@news.oaktree.net>
Source record: 142374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

...
> Hi! How are you doing? I'm going to get a new HT either Yaesu VX-5R or
> Kenwood TH-D7A(since I may try to operate packet radio). Any suggestion?
> Thanks!!

I'm kinda partial to the VX5-R. I bought one a couple of weeks ago and cannot put it down. The small size and the 5 watt output were big sellers for me. I'm burnt out on packet, so that wasn't an issue. I also like the ability to program the radio as I like it using either ADMS or EVE software. It does a good job even on AM broadcast and the SW bands with a good antenna. It is am amazing little radio given its' size.

Dan

4413. Re: pin diode mods for ICOM's ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: gfiber@news.cmc.net
Message-ID: <3743f903.1872095@news.cmc.net>
Source record: 142378
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 16 May 1999 13:54:24 -0600, "Mark B. Colosia"
<mcolosia@earthlink.com> wrotf:

>A while back, I had heard of ham living in New Mexico (USA), by the
>first name
>of Bill, that did mods for some ICOM transceivers. (Bill) apparently
>replaced
>some of the IF diodes for pin diodes reducing receive noise floor
>considerably ...
>possibly along the lines Dr. Ulrich Rodhe's designs.
>
>If anyone knows of Bill in Mew Mexico and/or how to get a hold of him
>...
>I would very much appreciate it.
>
>thanks in advance,
>-- mark.
>
I forget Bill's call but he did pass away a year or so back. Many on
the Icom users net at 14.317 USB 1700 UTC every Sunday could tell you
about Bill. You might check into the net and see if someone picked up
after Bill's death. I chatted many times with Bill on the telephone
at work he was a great fellow.

Gary Fiber

Washington State Resident

4414. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519201330.28125.00002464@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 142379

<< Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Date: Wed, May 19, 1999 5:34 PM
Message-id: <7hvaps$m80$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<<<Before you read the virulent anti-Semitic crap from the demented mind of a Carol Valentine who's husband probably is the demented neo-Nazi Tom Valentine heard on demented shortwave stations,keep in mind that western civilization was built on JUDAISM. Now if there are Jew hating so called Christians out there, I know it hurts but our way of life here in the west would be chaos if not for a certain man who apparently had an "in" with Jehovah. That man was Moses who received the Ten Commandments, the CORNERSTONE OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION! Furthermore Jesus Christ, much to the dismay of the Valentine crowd, came from the House of David and if you don't know what that means, ask your priest or minister. These neo-Nazi creeps, female and male,try to make you believe that there is no linkage between Yeshua(Jesus) and Judaism. They don't want you to know that he was circumsized, a Bar Mitzvah etc. You are expected to be caught up in lies and slander about those folks who gave you Jesus Christ. Jews comprise one-tenth of one percent of the world's population,yet their contributions to our world have been monumental. Why? Because God didn't give His Ten Commandments to schmucks but only a schmuck like Carol Valentine plays games with such a fact. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>

In article <19990512204514.11259.00000934@ng-cs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> I urge you to click on to this WebsiteADL, the
> world's leading organization to fight ï¿½and realize
>that it is one of the
> most important organizations in this nation to care
> about the rights of
> everyone! The dignity of every man! An organization
> that keeps close tabs on
> skuzzies like the Boys from Brazil on 3.950 or
>for that matter any hate group
> hell bent on destroying your liberty. And I believe
> the ADL does work in
> concert with the FBI,ATF and city and state
>law enforcement personnel
> throughout the country. Bigots..EAT YOUR HEARTS OUT!

What a boast . . . That the ADL works with those other champions of liberty, the FBI and the ATF!

In fact, the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai Brith is a Jewish organization. The Jewish tradition is virulently opposed to the

American Bill of Rights and principle of "equal justice under law."

According to the Talmud, non-Jews are sub-human and can be slaughtered like cattle.

* The intent to kill a non-Jew is so laudable that even if a Jew is accidently killed in an attempt to kill a non-Jew, the murderous Jew suffers no liability.

* But if a Jew intends to kill another Jew and does so, he is liable.

(Babylonian Talmud, Soncino Edition, London, 1935. Sanhedrin 78b 79a; pg. 529-30.)

* If a Jew murders a Gentile, the Jew suffers no death penalty. (Sanhedrin 57a., pg. 388)

* if a Gentile strikes a Jew in the jaw, the Gentile, having stricken the "Divine Presence" (that is, a Jew) suffers the death penalty. (Sanhedrin 58b, pg.388).

And what does the Talmud say about the obligation to tell the truth? Why, the Talmud sanctifies and institutionalizes false swearing, or lying.

"And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall be valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. " (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of Atonement. (Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)

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Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.

Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

"In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act." George Orwell

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4415. Wanted Ham IV Control Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd5bjq@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <7hvo5j$vr8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142380

Looking for Ham IV Control Box. Unit is black, made of plastic,
and is a 8 wire unit. Please email me with condition and your price to
wd5bjq@bigfoot.com

Thanks

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4416. FS: NEW DTMF ENCODER & DECODER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519205103.00981.00003192@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142381

I got these 2 items that are new, bought in Oct 98 for $152.30. Never used.

NORCOMM NC 401 - DTMF Decoder
Pipo PP-2-16 DTMF Touch Tone Encoder
Both for $85.00 shipped INCONUS.
Thanks
Fran

4417. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7hvmaeplm2@208.207.71.171>
Source record: 142382
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ralf K. Buschner wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote in <7hqlbp$h68@news.Hawaii.Edu>:
>
> > How many, Bill? If someone is not interested in digital comms,
> > satellites, RTTY, component data, and SSTV, can they skip all those
> > questions and still pass, or will they be "forced" to learn those
> > subjects which they'll never use?
>
> The difference to cw is: By every digi mode, rtty, sstv et al you have
> only to learn, how to use your software. Extremely, i could set my
> better half on the keyboard, give her a listing of the function or
> action keys and thats it.
>
> Not so by cw: here you have to show the communitiy, that you are ready
> to spend a bit of your time with a necessary continuity over a langer
> period. So you show me (your qso partner) also, that you are one of the
> (lets say) ham community, and not one of the kewl boyz with inline
> skaters, which found it very kewl, to have a "right" radio, not even the
> simple cb radio as the other guys from your class...
>
> Exacty this is the situation, which i can often see at mondays, when
> here in Munich are the Ham Radio Exams, after that the Boys comin' to
> our shop, in the Ham radio dept., a whole gang of nonlicensed guys and a
> few girls around, and the new Op is _the_ kewl guy...
>
> ;-)
>
> If you passed a cw test, you say to me: I am one of yours.
>
> And i think, that's a damned good feeling!

Very well said, Ralf! I think you have gone to the core of
the matter. When a newcomer passes a code test, along with
the other required tests, he is saying "I want to join all
you other hams in a great hobby". On the other hand, when he
insists on dumping the code test he may as well say "Hey I
don't want to join you idiots who still believe that code is
important enough to learn, I just want it my way, all the
way". To him the hobby has nothing for him except that which
he tries to take by force, while claiming he is being
"forced".

Pretty much what we've seen here for so long on RRAP.

73, Dick W0EX

> Sorry for my not soooo perfect english, i hope i can explain my >position
> in a reasonable way... :-)

Your English is much better than my German!

4418. FS: Astron RS-70M 70 amp Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519205226.00981.00003193@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142383

For Sale Astron RS-70M 70 amp Power Supply
has Amp and Volt Meters $200 + shipping
Thanks
Fran

4419. Life as a codeless tech

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <3CJ03.6309$xa.57134@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142384

Life as a codeless tech would be more interesting if they successfully
get the P3D bird into orbit... then myself and my friends wouldn't need
to listen to these guys...

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269

Seriously though, will 6 metres ever provide any non US DX opportunity
from the NE area ? I have 5 elements on a 40 ft crank up US Tower...
wonder if 150 ft of RG-8 might be the achilles heel ?

73, Bill
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4420. Ebay: Unusual 1939 ARRL Handbook in Spanish

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Nestor J. Salguero" <macfanatic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7hvs2b$2c1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142385

Hello,

I thought you might be interested in bidding for a rare Spanish
language edition of the 1939 The Radio Amateur's Handbook, published by
Revista Telegr'fica in Argentina.
It is now being auctioned at http://www.ebay.com

Click on the following link or do a search on eBay for item # 106446543

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=106446543

Thanks for the bandwidth,

N J Salguero

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4421. CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <37435F2B.A2216631@parg.org>
Source record: 142386

I love CW because of all the intelligent, good natured, happy people I meet on the air. There are some lids who can't catch on to the split, or become impatient in the pileups, but that's about the worst of it. The CW sub bands are a wonderful escape from all the morons with CB attitudes I hear up on the Fone bands. If you don't want to do CW, DON'T! CW isn't ruining anything, but a lot of lazy dysfunctional people are.

4422. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hvu5d$3vp$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142387

In article <37436D65.73F4BFDD@dallas.net>,
Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net> wrote:
> In my search for a source of interfering signals in the AM broadcst band
> - I discovered
> a series of moderate to strong carriers in the 80 Meter band.
>
> These are grouped in the range from 3.500 through about 3.560 MHz.
>
> I have found, in driving around, that these are strongest around 3.530
> MHz.
The unnamed user is AT and TCI.

You are urged to call TCI for replacements, as these jacks were supposed
to have been not used after ARRL supposedly talked to them...

Call ARRL Reg Info for more.

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4423. Re: Life as a codeless tech

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hvuc8$416$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142388

In article <3CJ03.6309$xa.57134@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>,
"Bill Mather" <capecodhams@eudoramail.com> wrote:
> Life as a codeless tech would be more interesting if they successfully

The title of your message is an oxymoron.

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4424. About Riley Hollingsworth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519222422.02111.00003506@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 142389

Hey men,wise up. I'm reading tons of speculation about what Riley's doing and why and for whom etc. NOW HEAR THIS!!! UNDERSTAND THE FOLLOWING!!! NOW HEAR THIS!!!
If you think the man is anybody's patsy, you're NUTS. How difficult is it to understand that he is out to PRESERVE our spectra from foreign takeovers as a result of proven mayhem before the I.T.U. All the man wants is COOPERATION not SPECULATION. Let him do his job without second guessing him, without slandering his efforts on-the-air, without libeling his efforts on the Internet. He is in NO ONE'S CORNER; will you understand that? Concentrate on what he's doing for ham radio instead of what he may or may not be doing to someone you don't like. Leave personal feelings out of an honest to goodness assessment of Riley. How hard is it to see that when he began his job,he was NOT OUT to grab anyone's ticket but instead to confront a problem, to talk matters out with an individual, to reason with an individual and NOT TO FRIGHTEN anyone. This I'll say:had the enforcer been anyone else but him,heads and tickets would have rolled en masse. Those fellows and gals given warnings, stern or friendly, would now be on the outside looking in. Many of these posts make Riley outto be an ogre, an FCC stooge, an underling and so forth and so on. HE IS HIS OWN MAN! Naturally he must report to his employer but I'm willing to bet that it is HE who's the moving force behind the entire cleanup scenario. not his boss. By that I mean, men in top positions move or don't move based on Riley's recommendations. You have it the other way around.
And so before you post more criticism of the man, think about what I'm writing. If you try to understand the situation intelligently rather than listen to rumors,you'll appreciate what he's doing instead of trying to find fault. And I'll go on record by saying that I am no different than any other ham who is under scrutiny. Despite the fact that
this post backs him,I seek no favors from the man and realize that I too must comply the same as you and you and you and that's exactly what I'm doing And if you think otherwise,you have a screw loose. Doc,AF2Y

4425. Re: N0VFP,where are you?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519223258.06677.00002489@ng155.aol.com>
Source record: 142390

>I'm still waiting for someone to confirm or deny the fact that the Athens
>Alabama flake is indeed a know-nothing codeless Tech Plus who spends an
>inordinate amount of time "MONITWING" as W2OOQ used to say because the dummy
>never read "Ham Radio for Dummies," whose counterpart."Mac for Dummies" has
>turned me into a computer genius in just two short months of being in
>cyberspace and my unparalleled modesty is genuine.
>Doc, AF2Y
>
>
>

I am here, Dr. Hate.

First of all, Does it matter what class of license I have? Since when does it matter? My opinions here matter as much as yours. It seems from others that I have more credibility than you do. For example, I was never cited by the FCC's Kingsville, Texas office. I have not spent the last 7 years on 14.313 spreading hate and discontent.

All you seem to care about is to draw attention to yourself. In fact, I think it's funny for you to note that I have never posted anything of relevence on these newsgroups. I have been on USENET for 2 years, you have been on for just a few short weeks, with nothing important but a bunch of hate.

Just rememeber, You can't win a argument by spreading hate and discontent......

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4426. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: K1ALH <k1alh@cwix.com>
Message-ID: <DtK03.3496$4R.21391@news.cwix.com>
Source record: 142391

Could be harmonics.
Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net> wrote in message
news:37436D65.73F4BFDD@dallas.net...
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>
> These are grouped in the range from 3.500 through about 3.560 MHz.
>
> I have found, in driving around, that these are strongest around 3.530
> MHz.
>
> When these signal sources are found - the meter on the HR receiver is
> against
> the peg ...
>
> These 'carriers' can be heard as far as .8 miles form the source ...
> sometimes
> 'ringing' can be heard - and sometimes 1/2 of a phone conversation ...
>
> Driving south through Allen, Plano, Richardson into Dallas - MANY of
> these
> carriers can be heard?
>
> What are they?
>
> Have we lost that part of the band to an un-named user?
>
> Jim W B 5 W P A
>
> j v p o l l @ d a l l a s . n e t
>
>

4427. Salsa Net takes Shape: ARRL, FCC and Kaiser Klinton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7hvvno$545$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142392
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3742CFE2.50AC6DBC@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> 1. (mis)managers in the Clinton administration,
> who are always looking for ways to "globalize,"
> want to accommodate the illegal HF "telephone" systems
> in Central and South America by reallocating spectrum in Region 2
> to a new "service." ... The administration is very concerned with
> >"globalism" and supports offically sanctioning this system
> >and is putting a lot of pressure on the FCC to come up
> >with a plan to get it done.... they also make some cash
> >setting up the auctions so a few south amnerican
> >"companies" with lots of money buy the spectrum
> >so they can have a legal HF link into the states.

BWA HA HA ! They had several large companies in the US default on PCS
licenses !

> What are your opinions?
> Is there anyone out there who can corroborate this information?

Yes, it's true. ARRL, run by leftists hippies who use roach clips for
Product Review purposes, is supporting use of HF for Salsa Net phones.
It's called Intercon and its praises were sung in today's M.O. story on
K1LNC.

If they can't keep CB ers off 12 and 10, they sure as hell would be
unable to keep "new" telephone bands clear of 600,000 hams who they just
kicked in the ass.

Para los vendedores del drugos en el sur de ameruica, quieran nandos
nuvoes, pero si no tienen las policias del radio ahora, no se poder los
radioaficionados al distancio desde los bandos nuevos.

El CCF esta como la pelicula, "Keystone Cops."

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4428. Re: thanks for canceling my post

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519224553.06677.00002498@ng155.aol.com>
Source record: 142393

>Listen, mental midget, you obviously haven't read my other
>posts. The address warez.phantom.com always resolves to
>127.0.0.1 - a loop back address. If you can figure out how
>to resolve a host name, give it a try.
>

So basically you have no balls to post your real name??? Or your callsign? I wonder Why AF2Y has'nt asked for your callsign? I think I'm getting the picture!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
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ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4429. Counsel Made me Do It (AF2Y)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i00ep$5he$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Please Doc, if it was anymore transparent that your post portraying
Riley Hollingsworth, J.D., as a rugged individual and a Great Man was
done on the advice of counsel, you would have had his paralegal type it.

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4430. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990519230740.13213.00002821@ng-fk1.aol.com>
Source record: 142395

>These 'carriers' can be heard as far as .8 miles form the source ...
>sometimes
>'ringing' can be heard - and sometimes 1/2 of a phone conversation ...

There was an editorial in QST some months ago about this subject. The signals you hear are from cable tv modems, operating on carrier current. They were put out by TCI cable, and they are supposed to replace them.

When I called TCI, Denver, to report interference, I wandered thru their phone system for about 45min and three people before giving up. Despite the assertion in QST that TCI was aware of the problem, and would replace offending modems faster if complained about, I did not find anyone that was aware, or could help.

4431. Re: PRO-CW-Statement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7hvul5$3hv@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

In article <37407919@dnews.tpgi.com.au>, G8ASO <g8aso@hotmail.com> wrote:
>Now if this twat were to condone the continued use of Morse, then I would
>have to come out in opposition.

Hey Carl, you claim that no one is calling for the end of code usage.
Ol' GAS-O above proves you're just not credible.

Jeff KH6O

4432. ARRL Microwave Proceedings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryl@ntplx.net
Message-ID: <37438720.7564528@news.ntplx.net>
Source record: 142397

Hi all,
I'm after a copy of the ARRL Microwave Proceedings, Update 1994.
Just rung the ARRL today and they advise this is out of print and no
more will be printed. (Amusingly enough, they said everybody wants it,
Print some more ???!!!**%#$) Could anybody supply a copy for a
modest fee?

Barry Lennox

4433. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <7i01ft$f5m$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 142398

marsgal42@hotmail.com wrote in message <7hufh7$1dd$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>The flea market was obviously picked clean Friday: when
>I got there Saturday all that remained was just plain junk,
>that I didn't want at any price. After a couple of hours
>Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
>Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

yeah. This is a problem with flea markets in general...too many insiders trading amongst themselves and then there's no market for the folks that are paying to get in.

can you fault someone if a guy walks up and buys your stuff at top dollar before the show "starts"? it's probably not possible to enforce a rule that would prohibit early selling - it only cuts the show's throat (bad selection, empty swap table spaces...) so the seller doesn't really care and the seller has got his bird in the hand and didn't have to stay there all day or more and risk going home with what he brought in.

And if you make more than one show, you see the same guys with the same stuff (you'd think they'd mess up and sell it eventually...)

4434. RS-12/13 Site.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <37438CE7.2D1308BA@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 142399
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc

This site has been dedicated to these birds, Check it out.....
http://www.qsl.net/ac5dk/rs1213/rs1213.html
Damn, Fine, Job.....73
--
" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

4435. Re: Happy with Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Newkirk <wnewkirk@iu.net>
Message-ID: <927173925.470.73@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142400

William C. Thompson wrote in message <7hs4ll$5fb@acmey.gatech.edu>...
>1. $20 to attend a hamfest! I feel this is way too much for the everyday

Typical night of League Bowling (lineage, prize fund, secretary fee) is $10-15/session, so a year's worth (36 weeks) of bowling runs around $400 just for bowling.

OF course that's not the money maker for bowling alleys these days -- Cosmic Bowling pulls down $3.50 or more per game and it's all going to the center...

$20 is like what a $5 used to be...

4436. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <3743914D.F3F5CD08@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 142401

Phone is spelled: PHONE not fone...Great voice of CW.....73 de n8noe QSL?

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <374392A3.DB4EB5AF@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 142402
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I like MY roach clip, Don't you have one? Jerry's not realy dead, hes on vacation with Kennedy & Elvis & Hoffa in the islands....

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

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4438. Ebay: Motorola GP63, GP69, GP68+ Service Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7fet@nospam.psychonet.net
Message-ID: <37439277.5889559@news.bc.sympatico.ca>
Source record: 142403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Motorola GP60 Series Service/Programming Manual. Includes schematics, exploded views, and programming instructions for the GP63, GP68, GP68 Plus, and GP68-8. UHF and VHF models covered. In English. Original Motorola, brand new, latest revision (September 1997), not a photocopy. Buyer prepays with Internationally Negotiable money order (the RED one if the USPS type). PRICE INCLUDES USPS SHIPPING IN NORTH AMERICA.

Check out

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=104991784

Questions? Remove the "nospam" from the reply address.

Thanks,

Lee

4439. yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Shaun <amr@radiolink.net>
Message-ID: <3743A337.CEC07EF5@radiolink.net>
Source record: 142404

Can the yeasu FT-50R still be modified for Free band.
I have done the hardware mods but the radio wont change to free band.
can any one help.. Thanks

4440. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3743B338.3554D82F@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Get off my cloud.

Spike wrote:
>
> Nah, I gave the wrong impression about my suffering masses crap.
> My intent was to indicate that there has to be much better ways in your boring lives to
> "get off" other than coding.
> To me, coding is for goofballs who I just cannot relate to.

--
Will White, KD7BFX

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4441. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3743BBFC.78D5881D@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Apart from the fact that your source is anonymous (to everyone but you) and the fact that this comes completely out of the blue (your source describes a conspiracy of some long standing; how is it possible that the ARRL or some enterprising, conspiracy-minded ham hasn't got even a *whiff* of this before?) Maybe your source believes what he is giving you, but that makes it still (yet another among dozens daily in Washington)

OK, apart from that, what about:

*Customers: who is going to *pay* for LD telephone service with HF quality audio, and other HF variables, in these days of fiber-optics and satellites?

*ITU, CEPT, and the ham world outside of the US: are they going to put up with something like this, HF propagation being what it is?

*US Telcos: how are *they* going to profit from this? You can bet if the Baby Bells and LD providers don't get rich(er) from such a plot, it has no chance.

*3,000,000 hams worldwide: all of them real, real pissed off. The QRM would be absolutely unprecedented, making 3950 sound like a library.

*Commercial and Military (here and abroad) users of HF: ditto all above, and same for manufacturers, ham and otherwise. How does the US FCC auction spectrum that is international, not by act of Congress, but the laws of physics? Why does the US get the $$?

I could sit here and type up another half dozen or 6 more strong reasons not to believe this panic-inspired stuff, but you get the idea. It'll only happen after the UN takes over the US and declares martial law. . .

David Stinson wrote:
>
> A friend of mine in Washington, whom I shall not name,
> passed along a provocative story.
> He is in a good position to have this information
> and I tend to believe him. I find it very disturbing.
> I'm just passing along the information--
> you decide whether you think it's plausible.
>
> In summary, he is saying that:
> 1. (mis)managers in the Clinton administration,
> who are always looking for ways to "globalize,"
> want to accommodate the illegal HF "telephone" systems
> in Central and South America by reallocating spectrum in Region 2
> to a new "service."
>

> 2. The recent FCC "crackdown" is a put-up job.
> All this smoke and bluster over a few loonies -who represent
> less then one percent of the ham population- is a scam.
> The FCC lawyers know there is no way out of the "selective enforcement"
> trap which they set for themselves and into which they have fallen.
> Nor have they the budget for any large-scale rule enforcement.
> This entire "boogieman" charade' is designed to fabricate an excuse
> for confiscating Amateur Radio spectrum.
> The idea is; "See? We tried to get them in line and they
> just kept breaking the law, so we took it away from them."
>
> Here is a partial quote from his email:
> ---------------
>
> >...managers (from the Clinton administration- ed) are talking
> >with representatives from several central and south american
> >nations about useing the HF ham bands for long-distance
> >telephone systems.... The administration is very concerned with
> >"globalism" and supports offically sanctioning this system
> >and is putting a lot of pressure on the FCC to come up
> >with a plan to get it done.... they also make some cash
> >setting up the auctions so a few south amnerican
> >"companies" with lots of money buy the spectrum
> >so they can have a legal HF link into the states.
> >
> >...there are many ideas in the transmittal
> >but the one most in favor at FCC is in teh summary
> >just after the cover memo....
> >As a first step remove the bottom 100-150 khz
> >of 80, 40, 20, and 15 meters and several mhz VHF UHF
> >and reallocate it for Region 2 to this new service.
> >Hams would receive 100-120 khz near 5 mhz
> >and a few khz low frequency on a secondary basis as compensation.
> >Time line says some time in the fall...
> >
> >...they can justify this by making a big
> >case out of a few law breakers and thats what
> >all this enforcement dog and pony show is about...
> >...they know lots of hams will say "see we deserved it
> >and its all so and so's fault" and then they can use the
> >chaos and infighting to take more, all with the
> >support of most hams who will think they must deserve it.
> >Its a slick plan.....
>
> ------------------------------
>
> I've known this man for many years.
> He's in a position to know and this sounds
> exactly like what Clinton appointees would do.
> I place a lot of stock in his letter.

>
> What are your opinions?
> Is there anyone out there who can corroborate this information?
>
> 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
> arc5@ix.netcom.com

--
Will White, KD7BFX

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4442. Re: It's not just Dayton that has falling attendance.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3743C154.4EC12C48@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142407

Remember when the exchange rate was almost 400Y/1D?

Lee Reynolds wrote:
>
>
> (I'm naive - I was waiting for the price for Japanese rigs to go back
> down when the exchange rate went from 84 Yen to 130 something.....)
>
> Lee KD1SQ

--
Will White, KD7BFX

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4443. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3743C0E4.17B2149D@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It is chilling how little privacy any of us have remaining. This is the reason an acquaintance of mine gave me for never having applied for a SSN in the first place, or having a bank account, or paying the IRS. The' guy is not at all paranoid, just prescient (he's about 55 I suppose) and likes his privacy. He is a ceramicist in Bisbee AZ, and makes his living in cash selling very expensive pots (plural, not the herbaceous kind!) to well-to-do private parties and galleries. Nice work if you can get it.

Bob wrote:
>
> Now go here:
>
> http://www.informus.com/ssnlkup.html
>
> and find out what we can now find out about you with this valid SS
> number which was assigned in 1974.
>
> Bob
>
> >
> >What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

4444. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Rico <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3743ccbb@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote in message news:7h9gjt$cu7>
There's a statement I can fully agree with. It is senseless
> to grant a No-Code Tech the right to put a 2KW transmitter
> on any of his authorized frequencies on the strength of what
> he "learned" to pass the memorized, word associated "test"
> which he took after studying the pool of all the questions
> and their exact answers for a few days prior to sitting for
> the test.

Someone someday will tell me, no doubt, what connection Morse Code has to any technical proficiency. None at all, in my opinion.

I took the Novice, general, and advanced tests back when the FCC administered them in the 60s. Those tests were easier than the ones they give today. The ARRL License Manual pretty much had all the Qs and As ahead of time. Those who say otherwise, in my opinion, are kidding themselves.

Roger J. Buffington

"Reasonable Doubt at a Reasonable Price"

"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

4445. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Rico <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3743ce4c@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7h8lht$rt5@news.Hawaii.Edu...
>
> Still waiting for your response from my challenge: Let's have a race
> to see who can build a station from junkbox components -- yours
being
> digital, mine being CW.
>
Who cares? At the rate our HF activity is declining, soon there won't
be enough activity to scare up an argument on this topic.

The decline in the HF and VHF components of our hobby is sickening.
It is just pathetic. I predicted five years ago that unless we
ditched the Morse Code requirement that the hobby would die. Right
now the hobby is on the critical list, well on the way to the
graveyard. There are so few of us hams now that out here in
California,practically every new house built in the last 10 years is
subject to CC&Rs that absolutely forbid external ham antennas. The HF
bands are dead as doornails most of the time above 20 meters. Even
when the bands are wide open the activity level is sickening low
compared to past sunspot cycle peaks.

But hey, we still got us that neat Morse Code requirement. I guess
that is more important to some people than having a thriving hobby.
RJB.

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Roger J. Buffington

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"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

4446. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Rico <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3743cee9@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142411

Tom B. <ab7tu@parg.org> wrote in message
news:37435F2B.A2216631@parg.org...
> I love CW because of all the intelligent, good natured, happy people
I
> meet on the air. There are some lids who can't catch on to the
split, or
> become impatient in the pileups, but that's about the worst of it.
The
> CW sub bands are a wonderful escape from all the morons with CB
> attitudes I hear up on the Fone bands. If you don't want to do CW,
> DON'T! CW isn't ruining anything, but a lot of lazy dysfunctional
> people are.

I find most CW QSOs to be a bore, myself. Hi name is Bob, rig is KW
850 RST 599 CUL 73 QSL sure SK. Gee, two or three of these a decade
is enough for me. Big bore.

CW is ruining our hobby by keeping newcomers from joining. The level
of activity on the bands is just pathetic. The average age has got to
be over 60, and on CW I will bet it is closer to 70.

Roger J. Buffington

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"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

4447. Re: Coded Ham VS. No Coded Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Rico <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3743cfa9@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142412

William Lee <willee@interconnect.net> wrote in message
news:7h6o9p$n66$1@nntp1.atl.mindspring.net...
> I would disagree with that Gary, I DO think that things that require
effort
> to obtain are valued more than those that are free and easy to get.
It's a
> personal opinion, like yours.
>
> William Lee N5WRX
>
When the effort has a point, sure. Morse Code is a pointless bore.
All other radio services save ours have abandoned it. Morse Code is
never a significant component of amateur radio during emergencies.
Like it or not, Morse Code does not enrich the nation or the hobby,
except as an amusing anachronism from the past. One thing it has done
though, is kill our hobby. The bands nowadays sound like a party line
from an AARP convention. Managed care, anyone?

--

Roger J. Buffington

"Reasonable Doubt at a Reasonable Price"

"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

4448. Know Code International?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3743D1B6.798BD646@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,Rec.radio.amateur.policy

While reading the ARRL Web Extra, I discovered that now there is an organization called _Know Code International_. He he. I am almost a CW-only op, but I asm neither a Pro-Coder nor an Anti-Coder. I find the debate endlessly tiresome and think it accomplishes absolutely nothing. FWIW, it should be interesting now to watch and see this new group, K.C.I., and the older-fly-by-nighters of N.C.I. eviscerate each other.

Hell, I can even imagine lawsuits over the organizational name. When will it end? We really should have WRC's only every 10 years or so in order that we don't have to suffer these bi-annual squabbles anymore.
--
Will White, KD7BFX

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4449. -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Con Daly <radioman27@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <OwR03.6489$xa.58798@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142414

Hello everyone,

I don't read the posts from this group much and am'nt as active as much
I would like to be on the air. However I see a lot of debate going on
about morse. It seems to be the most passionate issue among amateur
and professional radio operators these days. I sailed as a merchant
marine radio officer from 1991-1997. I found morse to be absolutely
invaluable at that time (not terribly long ago). There were times
when I really could not have managed without it. This was not just
a matter of equipment on board as I often sailed with Inmarsat
terminals, both A and C systems which were supposed to be well
established at that time.
I have countless stories about satellite null zones along the equator
and many other areas, extremely weak signals on SSB etc, where the
only option available was to use morse. Indeed on one particular voyage
on board an Inmarsat-C equipped vessel I was using CW 90% of the time.
When the first changes started to appear with the introduction of the
new maritime radio system (GMDSS), there was any
number of mishaps occuring with ships normally having no communication
problems suddenly "dissapearing" from the air for days on end.
The ones which still had radio officers had no problems, as with the
ones with electronics officers who were former radio officers.
Having come close to shipwreck on 2 occasions I expressed great concern
about the changes taking place, as they seemed to be rather
premature and rushed and there was a desperate drive to get it all into
place before the millenium.
Now don't get me wrong, I'm no old salt and am always
keeping up to date with electronics and the latest innovations, but
morse should not be seen as simply old technology, it is just another
method of communication, proved itself very reliable again and again up
to the present day, I can vouch for that. Certainly
new communications technology should be introduced to all fields,
amateur or commercial. Especially when the high traffic needs of todays
industry are demanding it, but it seems that certain people
are just determined to get rid of something that they never embraced
because they never saw it in the right way. Morse is not a code, it
is a language. That is the first mistake a lot of people make in the
way they approach it. Certainly those people more musically inclined
will tend to like it more than others (I play 5 string Banjo), but
like learning an instrument, it takes a lot of time and effort and
can be frustrating.
Ok, so I'm obviously an advocate of CW but you may
be surprised to hear that I'm not in favour of keeping the requirement
for a proficiency test, if thats what people want. I just wish that

those against the code requirement would take a long hard look at what they are really campaigning against. It seems like it is really based on an irrational belief that it's too old fashioned, but really fashion shouldn't come into it. It certainly didn't matter for me in the Mid atlantic when we were taking on water faster than the pumps could get rid of it down in the engine room. That was in 1992 and there were other less urgent incidents right up to the time I left in 1997.

Certainly the amateur service is'nt as important as a shipboard radio installation or a coastal station but all you anti code people out there, please, take a good look at what you are starting. Because there will be no going back and it will be dead within 20-30 years of a no code requirement. The commercial people made a mistake, based on purely financial motives. 12 WPM is not difficult to obtain if it is learned the right way. At least ask yourselves is it really the requirement you are trying to get rid of or is it the whole art form itself. I hope I have at least provided some food for thought and that it will add some new and interesting insights.

73's

Conor Daly EI5IK
Dublin
Ireland.

PS, if there are any other musicians on this group I would like to hear how much you relate music to CW.
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4450. Re: Happy with Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: shephed@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520072514.11227.00003512@ng-fp1.aol.com>
Source record: 142415

>$20 is like what a $5 used to be...
>

Not when you have three kids it ain't!
:-)

73
Dan, N8IE
QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
shephed@aol.com
http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm

4451. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11adbbc0e54300f39897f0@news.planet.net>
Source record: 142416

In article <7i01ft$f5m$1@remarQ.com>, wnewkirk@iu.net says...
>
> marsgal42@hotmail.com wrote in message <7hufh7$1dd$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> >The flea market was obviously picked clean Friday: when
> >I got there Saturday all that remained was just plain junk,
> >that I didn't want at any price. After a couple of hours
> >Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
> >Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte
>
>
> yeah. This is a problem with flea markets in general...too many insiders
> trading amongst themselves and then there's no market for the folks that are
> paying to get in.

The amount of trading THURSDAY, while vendors set up is staggering.
Cartloads of goods moving out of the flea market to vendors vehicles is a
sight to behold.

>
> can you fault someone if a guy walks up and buys your stuff at top dollar
> before the show "starts"? it's probably not possible to enforce a rule that
> would prohibit early selling - it only cuts the show's throat (bad
> selection, empty swap table spaces...) so the seller doesn't really care and
> the seller has got his bird in the hand and didn't have to stay there all
> day or more and risk going home with what he brought in.

Quite a few empty spots were caused by the "fire marshal" who prevented
everyone from entering after the flea market opened. Friday, the wait to
get into your spot was averaging 40 minutes. Imagine driving from the
East Coast, getting to the arena at 7:15 and then having to wait only to
be turned away because the clowns who were letting the cars in didn't
know what they were doing. Quite a number of people left and went home

>
> And if you make more than one show, you see the same guys with the same
> stuff (you'd think they'd mess up and sell it eventually...)

No one mentioned the lack of quality food. I don't mind paying $3 for a
hamburger because the extra $$$ goes for a fund raiser, but at least put
some meat in that burger. Plus, did anyone notice that the majority of
water fountains were turned off?? Hamvention officials admitted doing
this to make the attendees by $2 bottles of water that sell for 79 cents
at the local 7-11

It seems that Hamvention is getting a tad to big for its britches. Maybe
they should move to Dayton, New Jersey

4452. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <NR2q5CAmW7Q3EwVC@virgin.net>
Source record: 142417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <3743440D.7F2B@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> writes
>> Yeah. I found this really interesting. But what has all this got to do
>> with Soc Penpals? I don't really care anything about radio
>> communications of any sort. So why not just keep this on the boards that
>> apply and take it off soc.penpals.
>
>
>Let me try to explain. When people reply to a post on a newsgroup, they
>don't usually read what newsgroups are all listed and delete the ones
>they THINK are not appropriate. They just hit send, and it goes to all
>the newsgroups the original post was on. Blaming the person who replied
>to the post is silly, he did not choose the newsgroups listed.
>
>And to delete any of the groups would be just as silly, because you are
>sending a reply to the post and don't know which of the groups he will
>be checking back to read your reply, so it makes sense to leave
>everything as is.
>
>Why do people hate logic and common sense so much?
I am the first to agree that many lack common sense these days, but what
happened to all those complaints we used to get from newsgroups that
your posting was 'inappropriate' to the newsgroup in question!
Let's suppose we broadcast this thread in say uk.misc or talk.bizarre,
or maybe even soc.culture.israel then they would soon let us know about
it!

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3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4453. Solar report in cw (May, 21)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: DTC <dtc@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7i112j$v3g$2@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 142418
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

The latest solar and geomagnetic activity report as Morse code audio
files can be accessed / downloaded in MIDI-format at the DTC web site:

at 12 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/wx210599.mid
at 30 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/swx21599.mid

For the full text version look at http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html
clicking on the line with ONDREJOV in the left frame.

73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| Email: dtc@muenster.de |

4454. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <21898-37440559-20@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142419

Sorry, Bill. There is one FACT that blows your ridicule propaganda right out of the water. Hollingsworth has been on the air talking about how the amateur spectrum may soon be given to Latin American telecommunications interests if we don't straighten up our act!!

The more I speak to Riley, and the more I see what he's doing, the more I'm beginning to think that he's NOT part of this Clinton agenda, but is trying to give us subliminal warnings to start behaving ourselves! I think his hands are tied by "higher ups". But I think deep down he would love to clean up the mess, but is being restricted. How else would you explain the EXTREMELY lenient punishment to the 14 year old ham who played music on a police frequency for 15 minutes? That was endangering the general public! I would have strung that kid up by his testicles! But Riley just slaps his wrist and says, "naughty. naughty boy."

Jr.

4455. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37440B6A.AB2A16B0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Boy, have I gotten some hot emails.
Hey guys-- remember you don't shoot the messenger.
I've said twice in the post that, while I trust the person who
wrote it, it is not first hand and you should decide for yourselves.
Then I asked if anyone could back it up.
I sure wish more people would *read* the things they pop-off about.

Secondly, on Riley:
He has to implement policy, not make it. Not his fault.
If this nasty little game is indeed truly happening,
I'd bet he hasn't been told a thing about it.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

4456. Re: Riley Censored?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37440BF6.B668C83B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Darn, Jim!
I thought I had the best rumor, but you worked Y2K into
yours so I'm skunked. Let me go see if I can work Area 51
into it somewhere....

73 D.S.

4457. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i17cqoo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fbye0g0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>,
"Phil Kane" <philkane [at] commlawcenter [dot] com> wrote:
> On Tue, 18 May 1999 17:30:04 -0600, AB7RS wrote:
>
> > What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy
> The only ones who could rail against that are anti-government
> nuts.
>
> 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

Phil you must really have it in for Jefferson and Washington...

The point isn't the government writ large, it's the presence of bad apples like Miss Mesa who then can use your info, send it to her DC college chums and they can go on a spending spree at Eddie Bauer while your credit rating gets the seven-year itch.

Furthermore, the hackers who regularly attack federal computers can access the real data and do the same, and federal claims of security are bogus.

The truth would cause a panic, lessen e transactions and hurt Bill Gates' future contributions to the DNC.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4458. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3744167B.6D0F33B0@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142423

<SNIPPED LONG EPISTLE>

<<At least ask yourselves is it really the requirement you are trying to get rid of or is it the whole art form itself.>>

No one here has advocated abolition of CW only its removal as a test requirement. If knowledge of Morse Code is needed in critical fields it should be maintained as a criterion. But to keep something like CW only because it's traditional is absurd.

There will be more interest in CW if it is made a proficiency award like WACS, WAS, DXCC, etc.

4459. Re: A MIGHTY CHALLENGE TO RICH WHITLESS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-20 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520102009.13734.00002638@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 142424

>AB5S = Nothing more than Texas white nigger trash, jealous of things he
>will never have. "WTIA"
>

DoNkBoY99 = A spineless turd who does not have the balls to post his real name
and callsign!

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4460. NFM and WFM what's the difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Telco <paul@telco1.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <927316819.2373.0.nnrp-04.9e984783@news.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 142175

Hi,

I'm using a PCR-1000 and would like to know the difference between WFM and NFM. You can select various filters for both but the results are completely different.

Using the pcr to receive weather satellites only works when set to NFM 50KHz filter so there must be a difference between WFM and NFM apart from the receive bandwidth. Is it something to do with IF response or equalization for instance?

Thanks for any help,
Paul

--
paul@telco1.demon.co.uk

4461. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7i4dni$97j$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 142176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote in message <37459A4F.50534456@IEEE.org>...
>big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>> You're a newcomer hiding behind vanity W6 -- you know nothing about
>> the 60s.
>
>A newcomer, eh? Wonder how many members of the Old Old Timers Club
>are newcomers? I was W5DXP from the early 50s until I moved to CA
>where the FCC issued me W6RCA in the 70s. I got KG7BK when I moved
>from CA to AZ and got my old W6RCA call back under the vanity program.
>Check your 1980s callbook for W6RCA and check your 1952 callbook for
>W5DXP. I wish you were right that I am a newcomer but you are totally
>and absolutely wrong. How you can open your mouth when you risk being
>so wrong is beyond comprehension.
>--
>73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

To answer your question Cecil, ... He has nothing to lose at all.
Hiding behind Deja News and a sudo ID he can say anything he wants.
Of course there is no value placed on those his comments either.
Most of the users posting from Deja News are trouble makers, who live for
any kind of controversy.
Some have even had their Amateur license suspended and are now using this
news group to do the same thing they used to do on the ham bands. At least
here we can pick and choose what items we want to read and leave the rest
for the trash can where they belong. Personaly..... I am just about to the
point of writing off this news group as a waste of time and removing it from
my news reader. I am sure they will flame this but I will never see those
witty replys because I'll just skip them by.

William Lee N5WRX

4462. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "R.L. Tannehill, P.E." <rickw7rt@mail.firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <3745BC9C.1286@mail.firstinter.net>
Source record: 142177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed Hare, W1RFI wrote:
>
> R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:
>
> > Riley is not a
> > Clinton appointee. He is a staff professional administrator at the FCC,
> > that has been there for the past three presidents. Is it possible that
> > he is being directed by some undisclosed Clinton appointee to do all
> > this? Yes, or course possible, but knowing Riley, I don't think he
> > would do that as a person of conscience.
>
> I had the pleasure of speaking with Riley on the phone. As an aside, he
> told me that his current work is the most rewarding he has had at the
> FCC. He is putting a lot of his personal self into this, and it shows.
> This is not the work of one who is being "directed."
>
> 73,
> Ed Hare, W1RFI

Agreed....I know him personally, see him at a lot of trade shows, and
think he's on a mission to save the ham bands from those that want to
merely trash them for their own amusement. I'm with him!

Rick T., OO
W7RT

4463. Corking Porky_Donkboy's Spew

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3745BE0C.6160FCA0@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

If anyone would care to exchange emails with
abuse@dejanews.com,
You can get Rich Whitless aka Porkbutt akd Dungboy99's
dejanews posting ID trashed.

Just set your browsers to view all header information,
copy a few of his more abusive posts along with the
headers and send them to support@dejanews.com and
abuse@dejanews.com if you'd like to ruin his day.

He'll probably just get a new one, but it would be fun.

4464. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <7i4f67jln1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 142179

In article <927267404.249.52@news.remarQ.com>, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>To everyone who thinks simply passing a 13 wpm test makes them a member
>of some elite club, I wish to tell them that this just isn't so. It just
>makes you the slowest thing on the band.
>
>After several weeks of studying, I passed my General and Advanced tests
>this evening. For whatever reason, I now feel like an outsider. For
>sure, I'm gratified to have the new band privileges. However, entry has
>a price. Until the FCC issues my new license, I tag my callsign with
>"/AA". Up until I muttered this in public, I thought I might carry it
>proudly, like some kind of freaking merit badge. Instead, I feel exactly
>like a freshman candidate at fraternity functions, arm band and all. Did
>someone do something to make me feel this way? Emphatically, NO. It is
>entirely me.
>
>Acceptance comes from within. I don't feel I belong. I'm a poseur in a
>land of mere mortals. I stutter while everyone else sings, and it's
>plain as day for everyone to see. And who gives a shit? Nobody, aside
>from myself. Narcissism is its own special hell.
>
>Thanks. I feel much better already.
>
>Michael.
>KB9UNH/AA

Congrats on the upgrade Michael. I passed my General written but failed the code by a bit so I've been practicing some more. I'll get it in a month or 2.

73,
Tom

Remove the "P" from the below address (spam blocker)

Tom Randall Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
tprandall@idsi.net Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

4465. AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521165450.03521.00003120@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142180

If I get one more piece of hate mail from you 3.950 turds, I shall make it my business to put up a dipole and meet you word for word on that frequency. So far I've taken pity on you inadequate buffoons, but push me just a bit further and you've had it. I have 800 watts and that dipole will be up high so everyone will hear me. You will then wish you never tangled with the likes of AF2Y, one of the greatest and most modest hams to ever grace the frequencies. I have spoken! AF2Y Doc

4466. BROTHER JOHN ON 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521170449.03521.00003125@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142181

attention...attention...KC3AU HAS BEEN ON .313 for one hour with his disciple Astley, 6Y5GR. All of you without faith, please tune in and you will be converted.
To Judaism.
AF2Y Doc

4467. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521171044.00983.00004249@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142182

>If I get one more piece of hate mail from you 3.950 turds, I shall make it my
>business to put up a dipole and meet you word for word on that frequency. So
>far I've taken pity on you inadequate buffoons, but push me just a bit
>further
>and you've had it. I have 800 watts and that dipole will be up high so
>everyone
>will hear me. You will then wish you never tangled with the likes of AF2Y,
>one
>of the greatest and most modest hams to ever grace the frequencies. I have
>spoken! AF2Y Doc
>
>

That's funny, really funny, Doc

You should be a comedian!

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4468. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521171511.00983.00004255@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142183

>If this wasn't so ludicrous i might offer to send you letters recieved from
>Terry Halpern to me. Or, a letter recieved from a sister the
>Courage Center. SASE only..n4lmc

What we would all like to know about ol N4PCK, and his "problems" ???

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4469. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24408-3745D079-60@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142184

You do that Doc, and you'll meet the same fate as your little ADL suck-boy.....David Castle!

Jr.

4470. Cobra 148GTL Is Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7i4l7k$241$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

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The Cobra 148GTL Is Sold
Thanks For All Whom Replied
73's
W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
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4471. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3745DC13.2481@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142186

realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> You guys are just being exposed to Doctor Hate as we call him on twenty
> meters. He has been pulling this Hitler behind every bush BS on twenty
> for years. The very idea, wanting call signs here on a forum. What a
> paranoid nincompoop, But I am glad he is here, he can be a crazy go ape,
> and post stupid replys all day long. Enjoy the rantings of one loony
> Doctor Hate. Get that horse apple computer cooking Doc not home, Doc
> not home!!!!!!
>
> article <19990521133257.13042.00003004@ng-fh1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> > << Subject: Re: Doc Hate spews again.....
> > From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> > Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 12:47 PM
> > Message-id: <24671-37458E2B-38@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
> > <<Listen up yellowbelly...I put my name and call behind every post
> which is
> > more than I can say about you. I get all mail for my home sent to a
> box for a
> > very good reason...our mailman was drunk three quarters of the time
> and our
> > mail would end up all over the city. If you feel comfortable hiding
> behind the
> > skirts of anonymity, go right ahead but people would pay more
> attention to you
> > if you were man enough to at least give a callsign, that is if you
> have one.
> > Doc AF2Y>>>>>
> > Doc, rec.radio.amateur.misc is a part of Usenet. We do NOT require
> names
> > or call signs here. In fact, because ANYONE in the world is able to
> > access this newsgroup, or any other newsgroup, it's actually good
> common
> > sense to remain anonymous. There are nut cases (like yourself) all
> over
> > this world that would love to harm citizens and their family members.
> So
> > I choose not to invite trouble.
> >
> > If we really wanted to get technical about this "coward" stuff,
> > Doc.....I could ask the same about you and your use of a PO Box for
> your
> > ham ticket. Are YOU afraid of something or someone, Doc???

> >
> > Have a good day, Doc....
> > >>
> >
> >
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
This post is either polly or biily jack either way its out of Memphis
TE.

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4472. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3745DACC.F7@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142187
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

R.L. Tannehill, P.E. wrote:
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> Ed Hare, W1RFI wrote:
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> > FCC. He is putting a lot of his personal self into this, and it shows.
> > This is not the work of one who is being "directed."
> >
> > 73,
> > Ed Hare, W1RFI
>
> Agreed....I know him personally, see him at a lot of trade shows, and
> think he's on a mission to save the ham bands from those that want to
> merely trash them for their own amusement. I'm with him!
>
> Rick T., OO
> W7RT

I'm with him too. I also want to save the Amateur radio bands from the Banana Republics. The part that I find interesting is the ones who are in trouble are trying to drag as many down with them as they can. The funny part about it is it ain't going to work. I don't know Riley personally but I have talked with him on many occasion. I do beleive that he is a cop. He is a good cop bent on doing his job that mind you he did Vol.for, for that I do support him. It takes guts to face 250,000 people. Some of them complete idoits. I would say he is getting his 15 mins. of fame. I sure in heck wouldn't want the job. He has also let a few off the hook but they still continue to act like idoits. He has also got one that I know of in the ringer and there have be two that I know of that have been suspended from HF. There is one I can't figuar out how he is getting away with stuff?????? I don't know about that one. I feel that one of the guys on suspension should get help for alcohol. He is only one guy against 250,000 hams including the nocode guys. So he has his work cut out for him.

73 from
Oris
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4473. Re: BROTHER JOHN ON 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24407-3745D171-81@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142188

Doc:

You're a Jew.
I'm an Israelite.
There's a BIG difference.
I'm of the chosen people.
And you're not.

Sorry about that.

Jr.

4474. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24407-3745D327-84@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142189

Oh, I'm familiar with Doc Hate. But if this "newbie" thinks he's gonna burst into r.r.a.m. and start "jamming" our newsgroup "qso's", he's got another thought coming!!

Someone needs to feed Doc a little "spam" for lunch and give him a little taste of the net! ;-)

Jr.

4475. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3745DD3E.45E2@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142190

N0VFP wrote:
>
> >If I get one more piece of hate mail from you 3.950 turds, I shall make it my
> >business to put up a dipole and meet you word for word on that frequency. So
> >far I've taken pity on you inadequate buffoons, but push me just a bit
> >further
> >and you've had it. I have 800 watts and that dipole will be up high so
> >everyone
> >will hear me. You will then wish you never tangled with the likes of AF2Y,
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> >of the greatest and most modest hams to ever grace the frequencies. I have
> >spoken! AF2Y Doc
> >
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So now your going to fall to the level of Porkbut and pigvomit? Doc your
not going to get on 3950 and cause QRM are you? I mean I have thought
that you where better then those to cloppers I just mentioned. cum on
now.
Now if you don't want to get anymore spew from them justt tell their
servers on them. Warn them then take it to their servers they will stop.
But please don't get yourself in trouble like porkbut and pigvomit did.
73 from Oris
--

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4476. PorkButt "WTIA" ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3745F9FC.DBA6DB9@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 142191

I wonder why is so obsessed with "WTIA" for, I guess that is what he
is??
--
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4477. Re: Obvious, you are all jealous

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521184100.11471.00003364@ng-fd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142192

>Poor poor WTIA scumbags, jealous of a life style you could never have.
>Try getting a life, you will all be soooo disapointed when you find out
>the T*R*U*T*H.

Huh?

4478. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3745E1EC.383C@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Mike Silva wrote:
>
> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> >
> >
> >Danny wrote:
> >>
> >> Mother Nature wrote:
> >> >
> >> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> >> > making me hot......<g>
> >>
> >> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
> >>
> >> Danny
> >> --
> >
> >I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
> >a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!
>
> Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!
>
> ... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
> stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...
>
> Mike
Don't foget Spark Gap. For those of you who do not know what DX is; it
means receiveing a radio/television signal from far away. From far away
as in you usually do not get a signal from this place. DX can also mean
how far your siganl is getting out. From everything that I read; if you
can run just 10 watts, and your siganl is getting out 300 to 400 miles
then that is better DX then somebody running 1000 watts and doing th
same thing.
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4479. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3745E2A0.1CC9@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Harry wrote:
>
> > Why do people hate logic and common sense so much?
>
> That is a silly question since the answer itself is common sense. If people
> were logical then who would have babies? Betamax video recorders would
> still be in use in Europe and Jesus may not have been nailed to a tree! If
> there is a God then perhaps she is sitting up there having a damn good
> laugh at us all - I am.
That is he
--
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ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4480. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3745E2BE.4DC7@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Harry wrote:
>
> > Why do people hate logic and common sense so much?
>
> That is a silly question since the answer itself is common sense. If people
> were logical then who would have babies? Betamax video recorders would
> still be in use in Europe and Jesus may not have been nailed to a tree! If
> there is a God then perhaps she is sitting up there having a damn good
> laugh at us all - I am.
Actyually; I thought that Betamax was better then VHS
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4481. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3745E425.1FDF@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142196
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett wrote:
>
> I'm having problems with receiving the Isle of Wight monochrome TV
> transmitter on Channel BBC-1 from this location. Has anybody based in
> Holland any tips on the subject?
>
> --
> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
> Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
> trojan.horse@virgin.net
> [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
> http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
> UIN #3457372
> http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
> wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
> 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com
Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
Monochrome would imply. Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.
By the way, the best Black and White is what is know as a Twistee cone.
That is when they combine Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Ice Crea.
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4482. FS: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eIn56B#o#GA.271@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 142197
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

T3011 BX & CX To DX $150.00
T3014 BX & CX To DX $125.00

There left over kits that where not used only a few left

Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
such as Astros and MTSX 2000.

Price Includes Parts Labor And Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

4483. FS: Reduced Motorola DVP KVL T3010 AX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#URQ7B#o#GA.271@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 142198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola DVP Key Variable Loader (KVL) T3010 AX

$400.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

4484. FS: Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <epekeC#o#GA.371@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 142199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

1 Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz 16Ch Conv w/o Scan $100.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

4485. FS: Motorola Battery Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eBteoD#o#GA.257@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 142200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600, P200, MT1000, MTX SERIES RAPID CHARGER
NTN 6433C $60.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

GP-300, GP-350, GTX Series Rapid Charger
HTN 9630C $62.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

HT-1000, MTSX 8000, 9000, 838, MTS 2000 Series Rapid Charger
NTN 1171C $72.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

4486. FS: 3 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <Omch5C#o#GA.341@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 142201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 3 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

4487. A WARNING TO AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Megahertz-mania@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24111-3745E2D8-91@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142202

You set one foot on 3.950, and the vulgar recordings of your bigoted and racist GOOD FRIEND...Rich Whiten...will find their way to FCC Chairman Kennard's office, PLUS....several national news organizations.

If this isn't the pot calling the kettle black! Well TWO can play at this game, Doc-Boy!!

4488. NEW ! - 50 MHz Beacon list

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <Lom13.1549$B81.41072@news030.image.dk>
Source record: 142203
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that I resently have uploaded an updated
beacon list at my website covering a 70 MHz world wide, a 50 MHz
world wide in six continantal splitted listings covering, Africa,
Asia, Europe, North America, Ocean/Pacific and South America.

These lists can either be viewed in html or downloaded as a ZIP
file in band pacages, the ZIPed version contains a bandplan aswell.

These can be found at http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

I hope You find the listings of use ...

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

4489. Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <3745F492.B5BA925@purdue.edu>
Source record: 142204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

One of the local scanner hobbist told me that Bill Cheek
was arrested for making a decoder for the Motorola MDT.

Cheek appearantly posted this on his web page which
resulted in his arrest. While this sounds strange,
did it happen?

With the Clinton administration repealing most of the
civil rights gains of the '70s, people are a little
concerned.

4490. Was there anything to be excited about at Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <3745F600.3BE9489@purdue.edu>
Source record: 142205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I had to work so I could not go to Dayton this year.
Other than lower crowd size, was there anything that
one could be excited about? New products?

4491. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mother Nature <m_nature@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3745FC39.FED576DA@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142206
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jim Kehler wrote:
>
> Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
> >This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what do
> >they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
>
> Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
> geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
> looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
> anything DX related for quite a while.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D

Party poopers......you mean they don't like us hot women from
soc.penpals?

4492. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mother Nature <m_nature@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3745FE5E.F3D61312@hotmail.com>
Source record: 142207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

OBI-WAN PEROGI wrote:
>
> Mike Silva wrote:
> >
> > Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> > >
> > >
> > >Danny wrote:
> > >>
> > >> Mother Nature wrote:
> > >> >
> > >> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> > >> > making me hot......<g>
> > >>
> > >> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
> > >>
> > >> Danny
> > >> --
> > >
> > >I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
> > >a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!
> >
> > Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!
> >
> > ... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
> > stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...
> >
> > Mike
> Don't foget Spark Gap. For those of you who do not know what DX is; it
> means receiveing a radio/television signal from far away.

<snip>

I try not to worry about these things as I've got cable.....<g>

4493. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Rice <KG4APJ@bellsouthNOSPAM.net>
Message-ID: <37460437.DE9E5515@bellsouthNOSPAM.net>
Source record: 142208

Oscar wrote:
>
> <SNIPPED LONG EPISTLE>
>
> <<At least ask yourselves is it really the requirement you are trying to
> get rid of or is it the whole art form itself.>>
> -----
> No one here has advocated abolition of CW only its removal as a test
> requirement. If knowledge of Morse Code is needed in critical fields it
> should be maintained as a criterion. But to keep something like CW only
> because it's traditional is absurd.
>
> There will be more interest in CW if it is made a proficiency award like
> WACS, WAS, DXCC, etc.

Hokay-I've got my asbestos underwear on- so here goes-

to all you no coders like me and to all you pro-coders-

it's very simple-

if us no-coders don't hurry up and upgrade, there ain't gonna BE any
HF bands cause nobody is gonna ues them-

now to you pro-coders-

this is enough. either help us learn, or shut the hell up.

I intend to take and pass a 20WPM test before the end of this year.

the prob with this NG is that most real Hams are talking on the Radio
rather than on the internet- including my Elmer- thank God!!!!!!!!!
--

****
'73

Jim Rice
KG4APJ

http://personal.atl.bellsouth.net/atl/j/i/jimr/index.html

"Always Proofread carefully to see if you left any out"
"Support Your Local Repeater"

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4494. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert <rc123@gnc.net>
Message-ID: <374602C4.D69C85CA@gnc.net>
Source record: 142209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Follow this link:
http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/newsflsh.htm

Robert
http://dune.globe-net.net/~rc123/Robert/

Greg Dean wrote:

> One of the local scanner hobbist told me that Bill Cheek
> was arrested for making a decoder for the Motorola MDT.

4495. Kartoons Up the Kazoo!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kartoon Korner <k4adl@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <374606A3.4D0@qsl.net>
Source record: 142210

The K4ADL Kartoon Korner now has 29 richly crafted ham radio cartoons available for your viewing pleasure. Visit this ad-free site for a chuckle or a groan. Commercial-free! In the words of one visitor,

"Your cartoons are absolutely dreadful."

http://www.qsl.net/k4adl

Enjoy (if you can).

----------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News ==----------
http://www.newsfeeds.com The Largest Usenet Servers in the World!
------== Over 73,000 Newsgroups - Including Dedicated Binaries Servers ==-----

4496. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37460E85.4F368A6F@jump.net>
Source record: 142211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

First of all I have a commercial pilot's license with airplane single and multiengine land and instrument ratings. I have been flying since 1967. I own and fly a Baron. No I didn't have to learn Morse to identify navigation aids, the CW is printed right on the chart or approach plate. The statement "don't know of anything used in flying their planes that would need to recieve (sic) morse code for any reason" is fascinating. What do your friends fly? Ultralights? What are their license numbers? Mine is 1774847. My Baron's call sign is N502TB. When you tune in an NDB, a VOR, or an ILS you are taught to listen to the CW identification to confirm that you have the correct station. This takes more time if you have to look at the chart or approach plate to see what the CW is rather than just hear the ID.
H.
WA5IGW

Sir wrote:

> H. Adam Stevens wrote:
> >
> > Well said.
> > I'm thinking of one area where I use Morse outside of ham radio: flying. Navigation
> > aids identify in Morse, but a 5 WPM proficiency suffices.
> >
> Two of my friends are pilots and say this is a bunch of bullshit.
> Neither of them had to learn morse code to get their pilot's license and
> don't know of anything used in flying their planes that would need to
> recieve morse code for any reason.

4497. Re: BROTHER JOHN ON 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: kf2ti@planet.net
Message-ID: <MPG.11afe25f4a2379a69897f1@news.planet.net>
Source record: 142212

In article <24407-3745D171-81@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Zero-Beat@webtv.net says...
> Doc:
>
> You're a Jew.
> I'm an Israelite.
> There's a BIG difference.
> I'm of the chosen people.
> And you're not.
>
> Sorry about that.
>
> Jr.
>
>
Actually the only difference between an Israeli and an Israelite, is that the Israelite has 30% fewer calories

However, an Israelite is not necessarily Jewish, by a Jew, by law is considered an Israelite

Try again, thanks for playing

4498. Re: Was there anything to be excited about at Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DPH <rally2xs@csi.com>
Message-ID: <37461FB4.927E40BA@csi.com>
Source record: 142213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

There was a pretty neat ICOM dual-bander with a full-color LCD readout that also doubled as an NTSC video display. They had a video camera hooked up to it and it produced some pretty nice pictures.

Then there's Kenwood's VC-1 visual communicator that had a video camera and display and I believe fast scan capability as well as slow scan for HF. Think it was out somewhat before Dayton, tho.

Also, the guy doing the packet forum was turning handsprings over Kenwood's handheld (also out before Dayton, I think, but first time for me to get an eyeball on it) that has the built-in packet modem. Am still not sure of the details, but think it's set up for APRS. Cool.

Didn't really search for latest/greatest because it would have been stuff more expensive than I wanted to fool around drooling over. The MFJ line is getting absolutely huge now, and I got their little in-line filter for eliminating the paging transmitters that tears up most 2M receivers nowadays. Haven't got it installed yet. Been dead-run-busy, plus sick, this week. (Still doing better than one of my friends who went to the hospital with appendicitis, however...)

Dave Head
K8DH

PS - Ham Radio _AIN'T_ dyin... Manufacturer's sales keep going thru the roof... look at all the stuff MFJ has come out with... Ham Radio may be CHANGING, but it isn't DYING.

Greg Dean wrote:

> I had to work so I could not go to Dayton this year.
> Other than lower crowd size, was there anything that
> one could be excited about? New products?

4499. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: DPH <rally2xs@csi.com>
Message-ID: <37462145.7319B7A0@csi.com>
Source record: 142214

So, what Hamvention did YOU go to? The one I went to had some of the nicest, friendliest, most courteous people I am ever likely to run into, I think. Don't know how many thousand "excuse me"'s I heard (and said) as I was bounced off of and as I bounced off others in the crowd. People would greet you even tho they don't know you, etc. I can't see how you could want much better, actually. Where can you find better people? At church, maybe? But nowhere else outside of the "Sunday Halo Effect" of church, I think.

Dave Head
K8DH

Steven wrote:

> Do you think it may have something to do with the fact that HAMS,at
> HAMFESTs,are probably the most rude,dis-courteous and all around
> obnoxious people on the planet????
>
> On Mon, 17 May 1999 21:53:12 -0400, DPH <rally2xs@csi.com> wrote:
>
> >I've been going to the Hamvention since the late 60's. Even made it
> >back from Panama for one when I was in the service.
> >
> >Last weekend was one of the lowest attended Hamventions I can remember.
> >I could actually walk around inside the buildings. You could actually
> >see the equipment. There was no huge crush. Just a BIG crowd.
> >Probably 20,000 or so. Certainly not 33,000.
> >
> >Didn't make it last year, unfortuantely, but understand that there was
> >17,000 in attendance then.
> >
> >So, where was everyone? If you went before and quit for some reason,
> >why did you quit? What could the Hamvention Committee change to get you
> >back (other than the old date, which was usurped by the extended hockey
> >season?) What did you do instead? Was it more fun?
> >
> >I feel the Hamvention is as great as it always was, and now drive 550
> >miles instead of 100 and don't mind a bit. What a show! Walked/spent
> >myself silly.
> >
> >So what's going on?
> >
> >Dave Head
> >K8DH
> >

4500. Re: Cobra 148GTL Is Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Speedbuggy714 <galaxy1@zoomnet.net>
Message-ID: <927343998.134.37@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Well if anyone still wants one I have a nice one for sale too. Peaked up with modulation limiters still intact, Extra channels with channel sheet, Roger beep that you can turn off, Clarifier opened up. No holes drilled in the chassie, channels and roger beep are controled by existing switches. Mobile was never in a vehical, used on a power supply in the house. Brand new mounting bracket and cobra hand mic also brand new power cord with fuse holder. No orginal box or papers included. I will sell it and ship it for a money order sent first for $150. If anyone needs to see a report of my charcter they can click on the link below to see reports from satisfied customers that I have delt with before.....
Thanks,
Mike
http://cgi2.ebay.com/law-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewFeedback&userid=speedbuggy714

W5IDX wrote in message <7i4l7k$241$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>The Cobra 148GTL Is Sold
>Thanks For All Whom Replied
>73's
>W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
>
>

4501. Re: Cobra 148GTL Is Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Speedbuggy714 <galaxy1@zoomnet.net>
Message-ID: <927345511.301.54@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142216
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Well I guess that site is down. Oh well anyway it is a good radio and I will guarentee it not to be D.O.A.............
Mike

Speedbuggy714 wrote in message <927343998.134.37@news.remarQ.com>...
>Well if anyone still wants one I have a nice one for sale too. Peaked up
>with modulation limiters still intact, Extra channels with channel sheet,
>Roger beep that you can turn off, Clarifier opened up. No holes drilled in
>the chassie, channels and roger beep are controled by existing switches.
>Mobile was never in a vehical, used on a power supply in the house. Brand
>new mounting bracket and cobra hand mic also brand new power cord with fuse
>holder. No orginal box or papers included. I will sell it and ship it for a
>money order sent first for $150. If anyone needs to see a report of my
>charcter they can click on the link below to see reports from satisfied
>customers that I have delt with before.........
>Thanks,
>Mike
>http://cgi2.ebay.com/law-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewFeedback&userid=speedbuggy71
4
>
>
>
>W5IDX wrote in message <7i4l7k$241$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>>The Cobra 148GTL Is Sold
>>Thanks For All Whom Replied
>>73's
>>W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
>>
>>
>
>

4502. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <MHmK8GAhWdR3Ew80@virgin.net>
Source record: 142217
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <375f4b9b.6604563@news.lineone.net>, Walt Davidson
<no.junk.mail@thank.you> writes
>On Fri, 21 May 1999 08:08:42 +0100, Keith Bennett
><trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
>>I'm having problems with receiving the Isle of Wight monochrome TV
>>transmitter on Channel BBC-1 from this location. Has anybody based in
>>Holland any tips on the subject?
>
>Yes. Buy a time-travel machine and use it to either:
>
>(1) take you back 10 years, or
>
>(2) take you for a very quick trip in space to a location at least 10
>light years away from Earth.
>
>Then you will start picking up the BBC-1 405-line monochrome
>transmissions from Rowridge.
Is Walt trying to take the urine out of me?

--
From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
trojan.horse@virgin.net
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http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4503. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <OXFKIKAsXdR3EwcJ@virgin.net>
Source record: 142218
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7i3afnhdb1@brokaw.wa.com>, Jim Kehler <kh2d@my-
dejanews.com> writes
>Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
>>This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what do
>>they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
>
>Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
>geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
>looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
>anything DX related for quite a while.....

But Jim, this is all very well, but I still don't know what DX means as
EP will not tell me!

--
From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
trojan.horse@virgin.net
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http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4504. They may be leaving 3950, but . . .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <Bpo13.2456$ql.211056@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142219

They may be leaving 3950 but that will only give them more time to trash the Internet. Do you suppose that Riley could get them off here and leave this place to decent folks?

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

4505. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Granger <bgranger@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <3744982f.0@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 142235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

>>
>>Just goes to show that people are mindless sheep that will believe
>>anything - why else do you think con-men can steal millions from an
>>unsuspecting public?
>>
>>If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
>>his face.
>>
>>-Phil

well Phil, it can happen and it has happened. A young woman turned into a fireball in Sydnay about three years ago from just this very thing. Which is why there are signs up on every gas station around here notifying users to not smoke or use cellphones whilst refuelling.

Brad.

4506. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i284g$scn@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Contact bounce on cell phone => spark. Boom!

In article <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:
>Totally impossible!!
>
>Keith Bennett wrote:
>>
>> Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
>> noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
>> was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
>> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
>> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
>> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
>> phone!!
>>
>> --
>> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
>> Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
>> trojan.horse@virgin.net
>> [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
>> http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
>> UIN #3457372
>> http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
>> wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
>> 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4507. Heathkit HM-9 QRP Watt/SWR meter question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: happy150@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520204028.17404.00002899@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 142237

Hello. I am interested in purchasing a Heathkit HM-9 QRP Watt/SWR meter. What is a good price of that item?
Thank you,
happy150@aol.com

4508. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i28d5$sm3@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142238
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
>Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
>about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?

Listen to the theme song at the end of the program; you'll hear
the violins sending M O R S E over and over (in Morse code, of course).

Jeff KH6O

4509. Re: FLASH ! Herr Hollingsworth Heils Klinton, Contesters !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: farthq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520205041.19949.00002905@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142239

>HUDSON, NH: The FCC has asked a net control station of the Liberty Net
>on 3950 kHz to justify the net's use of Amateur Radio frequencies. Via
>Certified Mail May 7 to Extra class licensee Victor A. Misek, W1WCR, FCC
>Legal Adviser for Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth said monitoring on May
>1 indicated that Misek's station and members of the group for which
>he was acting as net control "began transmitting on top of existing
>Amateur communications that were already in progress."

Hollingsworth is wrong. I heard the whole
incident. There had been a QSO going on
for a while before the Liberty Net started.
WA9KJI began QRMing that QSO. Riley
apparently turned on his receiver shortly
before the net started, and heard WA9KJI
in there talking. The original QSO turned the
frequency over to the Liberty Net, but KJI
continued his "ghost talking" QRMing that he
is so famous for. Riley assumed that the net
had opened up on WA9KJI's "QSO". I
hope W1WCR can get this false accusation
cleared up, because WA9KJI was the real
culprit, not the Liberty Net.

What really angers me about this is that
Riley apparently did absolutely nothing
about the malicious QRMing of the Liberty Net by W9ART and a white-noise jammer
that started shortly after the net started.

Go figure!

4510. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520205616.04492.00003109@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 142240

Said Roger J. Buffington,"

>I find most CW QSOs to be a bore, myself. Hi name is Bob, rig is KW
>850 RST 599 CUL 73 QSL sure SK. Gee, two or three of these a decade
>is enough for me. Big bore.

Takes two to converse. I confess, though, when I meet a bore, or an unskilled op, I will cut it short.

Have we worked??

4511. WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: farthq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520211253.19949.00002918@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 142241

I've seen some posts in here claiming that Hollingsworth has kicked WA9KJI off of HF for 2 years. Really? Then how come I hear him on 3950 as I type this?

Is this just another rumour, or does someone have concrete proof?

4512. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3744B9AA.549BCB31@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> Oh, I don't know; just like you can skip questions on the written and
> still pass, you can also skip questions on the code test and still pass.

The difference is one can skip all the questions on SSB on the written
test and still pass. Try skipping all the questions on Morse code on
a Morse code test and see what happens. Because of that, IMO, Morse
code is presently considered as important as everything else in ham
radio combined. A bunch of us are trying to get that inequity changed.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4513. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990520215427.13057.00002960@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142243

<< Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble.<<<Junior boy-you aren't bursting any bubble. It appears that Riley is fed up with you hatemongers who preach the worst hatred heard on ham radio and then pretend innocence by using the Bill of Rights s a shield. Do you take Riley for an idiot? Maybe you do? Maybe you take a lot of people for idiots while never being aware of the fact that those same folks are "on" to you. A discussion group my ASS. I call it a DISGUSTING GROUP. Ham radio in America doesn't need or want you and your loathsome kind. You do much harm to the image of USA hamdom because your filthy racist remarks, be they covert or overt,are being heard all over. Based on the tone of Riley's statements, you had better start looking for a new home to conduct your subversive talk. You're leaving 3.950 whether you like it or not and the one place Riley didn't mention as a new home is a sewer. Look into it. AF2Y,Doc>>>>> But that letter to Vic
was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>

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From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

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was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>

4514. M.F. Luder White Paper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i2kj4$2di$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142244
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

1, I do not support WB2OTK, AF2Y or W1WCR

2. FCC has gone too far and not far enough. They are criticizing things protected by the First Amendment while allowing acts specifically prohibited to go unpunished.

3. FCC is hypocritcal, ignoring Intercon and K1MAN violations (if other avenues are available for WCR, they certainly are for boaters, missionaries, and tell MAN to take his 1-800 talkshow to AM, where he'd choke) because of these persons' cozy position with a corrupt Democratic administration.

4. If ham radio dried up tomorrow, I'd simply go back to listening.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4515. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wb8foz@netcom.com
Message-ID: <wb8fozFC2BFn.7FB@netcom.com>
Source record: 142245

kf2ti@planet.net (Steve - KF2TI) writes:

>NOTE the food monopoly was controlled by the Hamvention people who made
>money by renting the spots out to various organizations. (Where do you
>get your information from anyway????) Obviously as to water fountains,
>they didn't because the were shut at the insistence of the Hamvention
>folkes

Interesting you think this. What's the source of this factoid?
See, private chats with Committee members @ the Hamvention have led
me to believe exactly the opposite -- the food concessions are
controlled by Hara; some staffed by volunteer groups for a cut,
others by employees. That, by the way, is the way every other
facility I've seen is handled.

I just looked at http://www.hamvention.org/comms.html and don't see
anyone to run same, but I do not claim that's definitive.

>> I've been to many hamfests over the years; none has come close to
>> Dayton. If you can do better, please do & I'll attend.

>Try Timonium. Getting to be AS big and seems to run with the attendees
>in mind. You know things are going downhill when the major manufacturers
>start to complain

Hmm, I've been there for 5+ years, but never seen a fraction of the
flea market, much less manufacturer's displays, there. Do you have
any attendance figures for it?

--
A host is a host from coast to coast.................wb8foz@nrk.com
& no one will talk to a host that's close........[v].(301) 56-LINUX
Unless the host (that isn't close).........................pob 1433
is busy, hung or dead....................................20915-1433

4516. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i2j6b$6rq@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave

Michael Young wrote:
> j reynolds <rfjim@mft.com> wrote in message

>> No of course not and speed
>> should not be an issue in amatuer radio cw. Only a working knowledge
>> of the code is needed and that is what should be mandated.

> That, of course, begs the question: how do you define "working knowledge
> of the code"?

The ITU dictates that distress traffic is be done at 16 WPM. We could
always take that speed as a "working knowledge."
Jeff KH6O

4517. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i2jos$78l@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3743423D.7069@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
>I don't see any groups listed where the Morse Code issue would not be
>appropriate.

That's because you're not familiar with the rec.radio hierarchy; here's
a reminder:

Subject: List of the rec.radio newsgroups
Followup-To: poster
Approved: news-answers-request@mit.edu,rec.radio.info-moderator@primenet.com
Distribution: world
Expires: 01 June 1999
Summary: This article provides a list of the rec.radio newsgroups; it is
posted alternately with the longer "Guide to the Rec.radio NGs"
Keywords: radio amateur ham cb scanner shortwave netiquette
X-Last-Updated: 1998/03/29
Version: 1.1 created 98/03/05 03:50:23
Posting-Frequency: posted on the 1st of each month

Archive-name: radio/personal-brief-introduction

In an effort help ensure a poster's article reaches the appropriate
audience, below is a list of the rec.radio newsgroups. In most cases,
a group's name will explain its purpose. Cross-posting should rarely
be necessary.

rec.radio.broadcasting (devoted to the broadcast industry; moderated)
rec.radio.cb
rec.radio.info (periodic informational bulletins; moderated)
rec.radio.scanner
rec.radio.shortwave
rec.radio.swap (for buying, selling, and trading; not a discussion group)

rec.radio.amateur.antenna
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors (tube-type communications equipment)
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc (packet, pactor and other digital modes)
rec.radio.amateur.dx (long-distance amateur communications)
rec.radio.amateur.equipment (questions, comments regarding commercially-
built amateur gear; not for buying/selling)
rec.radio.amateur.homebrew (devoted to home-building ham gear)
rec.radio.amateur.policy (issues include code, restructuring, local
restrictions in conflict with FCC R&R)
rec.radio.amateur.space (satellites, meteor scatter, EME)
rec.radio.amateur.misc (any topic not covered in the above groups)

(At least two other English language radio hierarchies exist, prefixed with "uk" (United Kingdom), and "aus" (Australia), in place of "rec.")

Again, cross-posting should rarely be necessary. Many times, a long-running thread results from a single cross-posted article, and the contents of such a thread drift further and further away from being "on-topic" in the various NGs that receive each and every followup.

For more detailed information, see "Guide to the Rec.radio Newsgroups" posted on the 15th of each month.

Jeffrey Herman, KH6O, and your friendly rec.radio.amateur working-group

4518. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <sq413.1927$kn6.46699@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142248

Exactly. I have never, ever heard a songle word of profanity on CW, nor even
any personal insults. And you can spell "fone" any way you like. After all,
we spell Radio-teletype: "RTTY".

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Tom B. wrote in message <37435F2B.A2216631@parg.org>...
>I love CW because of all the intelligent, good natured, happy people I
>meet on the air. There are some lids who can't catch on to the split, or
>become impatient in the pileups, but that's about the worst of it. The
>CW sub bands are a wonderful escape from all the morons with CB
>attitudes I hear up on the Fone bands. If you don't want to do CW,
>DON'T! CW isn't ruining anything, but a lot of lazy dysfunctional
>people are.
>

4519. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <uq413.1928$kn6.46699@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

I think we are all agreed, that as per the rules, we may not transmit without permission of the pilot, on an aircraft. Posession of a radio does not imply use of it, or intent to use it. A licensed ham, by virtue of having a license, is by implication willing to follow the rules. My contention that the airline may refuse to allow an HT aboard, and that the passenger may refuse to fly that airline, and may tell anyone who will listen to do likewise, is based entirely on common sense.

I think we would do better to post those carriers who have a history of non-cooperation with traveling hams, and avoiding, where possible, those airlines, and seeking to educate them to the extent possible. This argument appears to be a dead horse, well beaten.

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RADIO MAN wrote in message <3741E4E9.2371@ameritech.net>...
>robinson wrote:
>>
>> They should be able to prevent anybody they like from boarding for any
>> reason they like. It is their plane, and their business. They can runn
off
>> ALL their customers if they like, and fold up, or they can let anybody at
>> all board with anything allowed by the law, and behaving in any manner at
>> all that is not specifically illegal. Or they can strike a middle road
>> somewhwere in there. Thhat's called free enterprise... market economy...
>> supply/demand... and giving the customer what he wants, or losing his
>> business.
>>
>> I used to always carry my TS-50S in my briefcase. The one time they
refused
>> to allow it to pass, (The by-the-numbers instructions they got were to
have

>> me turn it on, and naturally I could not, without a source of 13.8VDC)
they
>> busted both the lamps for the LCD panel, and I also had to do a full
reset.
>> The next time, I was given the option of opening it up and I happened to
>> have my swiss army knife in my pocket, so I did, and showed them there
was
>> not room inside for even a single stick of dynamite. After that, I never
had
>> a problem.
>>
>> I have never flown with an HT, and do not even own one. But I bet working
>> your way up the chain of command, you would have eventually found someone
>> who can count past ten without removing his shoes, showed him your
license,
>> informed him that you know your responsibilities and obligations under
the
>> CFR (quoting chapter and verse sounds impressive to some people) you
would
>> have been allowed to board with your HT. This would have helped the next
>> poor ham who had to deal with those mental midgets.
>>
>> If you try everything and get no satisfaction, when given the choice,
don't
>> fly that airline, and inform them of it. Fill out one of the complaint
>> cards that most airlines have, and some distribute, usually in the
airline's
>> in-flight rag. I have always got a response when I have sent one in.
>>
>> When you have a prob with a particular airline, and they simply won't be
>> reasonable no matter what, other hams should be informed. A letter to QST
>> and posts here would together inform probably half of all licensed hams,
and
>> would represent a substantial amount of lost revenue to the ucooperative
>> airline.
>>
>> ---------------------------------
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>> --
>>
>> hawke wrote in message <373B9D4F.5767A2DC@uswest.net>...
>> >Read below...
>> >
>> >Curtis CCR wrote:
>> >
>> >> radiosigs@aol.com
>> >>
>> >> Are you serious? "Even unfair rules" are OK?"
>> >
>> >Airlines have the right to refuse service for nearly any reason.
>> >
>> >>
>> >>
>> >> What else should they ban? Laptop computers? Car keys?
>> >
>> >Laptops, cd players, radio recievers and other rf producing electronic
>> >devices
>> >not pertanent to the operation of an aircraft are already on the list of
>> >"banned devices"
>> >via the Flight Aviation Rules and general policy of most airlines.
>> >
>> >>
>> >>
>> >> BTW - I'm a pilot and I have no knowledge of any Federal Aviation
>> >> Regulation the prohibits passengers from carrying tranceievers on
board
>> >> aircraft. There are rules about *using* portable electronic devices
>> >> (FAR 91.21).
>> >
>> >Look a little closer at that regulation. Part of the RCPA of 1996
included
>> >provisions related to the use of specified electronic equipment on board
>> >any commercial aircraft flying within or over any territory owned
>> >or controlled by the US Government.
>> >
>> >This vary same arguement was held in here and on rec.radio.scanner
>> >some 11 months ago.
>> >
>> >>
>> >>
>> >> I usually have a pretty flexible schedule when I travel. If I was
>> >> denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back
>> >> to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight.
>> >> Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I
>> >> wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.
>> >
>> >Carrying them is ok, using them aboard aircraft is not.
>> >

>> >>
>> >>
>> >> Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.
>> >>
>> >> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>> >> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>> >
>Well it also has to do with electronic interference. You wouldn't want
>the plane to go down becasue you were busy with a QSO with somebody over
>30 miles away thanks to the elevation that you were at, huh?
>--
>RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
>FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

4520. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: robinson <rmcrusoe@gte.net>
Message-ID: <vq413.1929$kn6.46699@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 142250

Excellent post, Con. From a life-long seaman. AB, R/O. Limited Master. And banjo picker too, but not very musically talented, I'm afraid.

Last ship was in the far east. Funny, but still LOTS of CW there on 8 and 12 megs. Still hear a bit in the North Sea, and the Med, too. Even some military traffic in the IO. I guess the death of CW has been somewhat exaggerated.

Before we lost the R/O spot on the Tellus, all our AMVER traffic was sent CW, and the WX OBS, since the CW equipped stations ran the AMVER for free. We had InMarSat A and C. Actually, except for the fact that we had no SITOR, we were already GMDSS compliant long before the '97 thing. Yet, CW was often the practical mode, and saw quite a bit of use. Funny thing was, we never had an R/O inadvertantly send a false autoalarm sig on 500. I don't know HOW many times I have been on a ship since where a mate has triggered an EPIRB, a SART, or auto-alarm via GMDSS VHF. Happens every day, with these "highly trained radio experts" with their 50 hours of training to comply with STCW. No, the move from CW is not per se the cause of all this radio mayhem, but the lack of a skilled operator is, and the only way they could ever have done away with a skilled operator aboard ship WAS to get rid of the Morse requirement.

CW is "dead". Long live CW.

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Con Daly wrote in message ...
>Hello everyone,
>
>I don't read the posts from this group much and am'nt as active as much
>I would like to be on the air. However I see a lot of debate going on
>about morse. It seems to be the most passionate issue among amateur
>and professional radio operators these days. I sailed as a merchant

>marine radio officer from 1991-1997. I found morse to be absolutely
>invaluable at that time (not terribly long ago). There were times
>when I really could not have managed without it. This was not just
>a matter of equipment on board as I often sailed with Inmarsat
>terminals, both A and C systems which were supposed to be well
>established at that time.
>I have countless stories about satellite null zones along the equator
>and many other areas, extremely weak signals on SSB etc, where the
>only option available was to use morse. Indeed on one particular voyage
>on board an Inmarsat-C equipped vessel I was using CW 90% of the time.
>When the first changes started to appear with the introduction of the
>new maritime radio system (GMDSS), there was any
>number of mishaps occuring with ships normally having no communication
>problems suddenly "dissapearing" from the air for days on end.
>The ones which still had radio officers had no problems, as with the
>ones with electronics officers who were former radio officers.
>Having come close to shipwreck on 2 occasions I expressed great concern
>about the changes taking place, as they seemed to be rather
>premature and rushed and there was a desperate drive to get it all into
>place before the millenium.
>Now don't get me wrong, I'm no old salt and am always
>keeping up to date with electronics and the latest innovations, but
>morse should not be seen as simply old technology, it is just another
>method of communication, proved itself very reliable again and again up
>to the present day, I can vouch for that. Certainly
>new communications technology should be introduced to all fields,
>amateur or commercial. Especially when the high traffic needs of todays
>industry are demanding it, but it seems that certain people
>are just determined to get rid of something that they never embraced
>because they never saw it in the right way. Morse is not a code, it
>is a language. That is the first mistake a lot of people make in the
>way they approach it. Certainly those people more musically inclined
>will tend to like it more than others (I play 5 string Banjo), but
>like learning an instrument, it takes a lot of time and effort and
>can be frustrating.
>Ok, so I'm obviously an advocate of CW but you may
>be surprised to hear that I'm not in favour of keeping the requirement
>for a proficiency test, if thats what people want. I just wish that
>those against the code requirement would take a long hard look at
>what they are really campaigning against. It seems like it is really
>based on an irrational belief that it's too old fashioned, but really
>fashion shouldn't come into it. It certainly didn't matter for me in
>the Mid atlantic when we were taking on water faster than the pumps
>could get rid of it down in the engine room. That was in 1992 and there
>were other less urgent incidents right up to the time I left in 1997.
>
>Certainly the amateur service is'nt as important as a shipboard radio
>installation or a coastal station but all you anti code people
>out there, please, take a good look at what you are starting. Because
>there will be no going back and it will be dead within 20-30 years

>of a no code requirement. The commercial people made a mistake, based
>on purely financial motives. 12 WPM is not difficult to obtain if it is
>learned the right way. At least ask yourselves is it really the
>requirement you are trying to get rid of or is it the whole art form
>itself. I hope I have at least provided some food for thought and
>that it will add some new and interesting insights.
>
>73's
>
>Conor Daly EI5IK
>Dublin
>Ireland.
>
>PS, if there are any other musicians on this group I would like to hear
>how much you relate music to CW.
>--
>Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
>Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>

4521. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i2jen$72v@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote:
>Here in Davie Fla, U.S.A. we have a automobile drivers test station that
>makes you shoe a horse before you can take a driving test. [Davie is a

That would make sense if about 50% of the folks on the road were riding
a horse. // Jeff KH6O

4522. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7i2mt5$ose@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142252
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
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: a horse. // Jeff KH6O

I see you haven't visted Davie ;)

Davie is one of the last So Fla. holdouts with real working cowboys. One
of the last large cattle drives in the U.S. started in Davie (late 1960's)
when the dairy farmers drove their cows several hundred miles up to the
middle of the state.

Now I live in a nice "proper" city and we don't allow horses to be ridden
in town. We don't want all that "pollution" on our streets. In Davie they
call it furtilizer and they -sell- it to us by the pound. :-)
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4523. Re: A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3745dfad.1827445@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 04 May 1999 08:59:46 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>
>>...that will be the end of all our problems with this
>> individual. But there will be someone else with
>>an axe to grind to take his place. 73s
>
>You may call yourself a "lowly CBer," but it looks
>like you have more sense then a lot of hams these days.
>
>Radio loonies have been around since spark and
>will be around as long as mankind warms the ether.
>The names and frequencies change but one thing
>forever remains the same:
>They are only as big a problem as we make them.
>
>The vast, vast majority of QSOs on the ham
>bands are "straight," normal conversations.
>Did you ever see a thirty-post long
>thread on those good operators?
>No- but Rich and Doc
>get more press then Kosovo, for God's sake!
>
>By focusing attention on the few nut cases,
>we make a minor annoyance into a major problem
>and give them the infamy and attention they crave.
>Stop making them the "stars" of ham radio
>and they will dry up and blow away.
>
>Go listen to a good technical conversation on 3768 KC.
>Talk with someone about weak signal work on 189 KC or 432 MC.
>Do ANYTHING but sit on 14.313
>wringing your hands over Rich and Doc.
>In the big picture, they're less then nothing.
>Stop wasting the precious, irreplaceable minutes
>of your life worrying about them.
>
>73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
>arc5@ix.netcom.com
>
>And I still say we are going to rue the day
>we demanded the Feds step in

>and wipe our snotty noses for us.

Your Right, Most Hams Are decent operators and a lot of Course are good ops too! We should focus on the positive of both services, for God knows we will one day need both when the next big hurricane, earthquake, tornado, or astroroid strike. so lets work together to make both services the best they can be.

73s Rick KC2ESD

4524. Re: M.F. Luder White Paper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744E0A2.465A@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> 1, I do not support WB2OTK, AF2Y or W1WCR
>
> 2. FCC has gone too far and not far enough. They are criticizing things
> protected by the First Amendment while allowing acts specifically
> prohibited to go unpunished.
>
> 3. FCC is hypocritcal, ignoring Intercon and K1MAN violations (if other
> avenues are available for WCR, they certainly are for boaters,
> missionaries, and tell MAN to take his 1-800 talkshow to AM, where he'd
> choke) because of these persons' cozy position with a corrupt Democratic
> administration.
>
> 4. If ham radio dried up tomorrow, I'd simply go back to listening.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
I agree! 100%
Oris

4525. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3744E243.94F@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

Brad Granger wrote:
>
> >>
> >>Just goes to show that people are mindless sheep that will believe
> >>anything - why else do you think con-men can steal millions from an
> >>unsuspecting public?
> >>
> >>If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
> >>his face.
> >>
> >>-Phil
>
> well Phil, it can happen and it has happened. A young woman turned into a
> fireball in Sydnay about three years ago from just this very thing. Which is
> why there are signs up on every gas station around here notifying users to
> not smoke or use cellphones whilst refuelling.
>
> Brad.
Wow, I never heard os such a thing. Hear in Ohio, one of the suburbs
passed a rule that states that you can only use a cell phone for an
emergency or you will get a ticket
--
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4526. Re: FCC Illegally Requires SSN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: w6ir@xxxqsl.net
Message-ID: <3744e1dd.22067491@news>
Source record: 142256

On Thu, 20 May 1999 15:44:47 -0600, AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net> wrote:

>mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>>
>> In article <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fbye0g0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>,
>> "Phil Kane" <philkane [at] commlawcenter [dot] com> wrote:
>> > On Tue, 18 May 1999 17:30:04 -0600, AB7RS wrote:
>> >
>> > > What the heck is wrong with using your SSN? Mine is 517-86-9119 Tracy
>> > The only ones who could rail against that are anti-government
>> > nuts.
>> >
>> > 73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP
>>
>> Phil you must really have it in for Jefferson and Washington...
>>
>> The point isn't the government writ large, it's the presence of bad
>> apples like Miss Mesa who then can use your info, send it to her DC
>> college chums and they can go on a spending spree at Eddie Bauer while
>> your credit rating gets the seven-year itch.
>>
>> Furthermore, the hackers who regularly attack federal computers can
>> access the real data and do the same, and federal claims of security are
>> bogus.
>>
>> The truth would cause a panic, lessen e transactions and hurt Bill
>> Gates' future contributions to the DNC.
>>
>> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
>
> HOW??? It is an identification # and an account # with no real money
>in it,not a charge account.I can't get any money from it and probably
>never will,how can someone else. Tracy

Guess you've never heard of identity theft and other various frauds
that can make your life a total hell. All one needs is your social
security number and you'll be buried so deep in the credit world that
you'll never see the light of day again. And you didn't do anything
but give out your SSN.
IMO, for what it's worth, guard that number and be careful about who
you give it to and why.

4527. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3744E47A.42FC@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142257
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> D Best <dbest@iquest.net> wrote:
> >It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
> >the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
> >altogehter. Is that really so difficult?
>
> So are you saying that you wouldn't mind if the 200,000+ newsgroups were
> lumped together as just one NG? After all, one would only need to inspect
> the subject line as one waded through the 10 million posts each day,
> right?
Well that is true
--
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ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4528. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3744E49F.27BC@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142258
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
> >Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
> >about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?
>
> Listen to the theme song at the end of the program; you'll hear
> the violins sending M O R S E over and over (in Morse code, of course).
>
> Jeff KH6O
What program?
--
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4529. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3744E841.4A0F@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142259
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals,alt.radio.scanner.uk,alt.radio.scanner.aus.radio.scanner

Keith Bennett wrote:
>
> Really: Try a little experiment for me then. Just stand at a gas station
> whilst somebody is refuelling and induce just a small spark! If you have
> never seen a gasoline vapor explosion and the resulting skin burns then
> maybe you'll think again. Any transmitter is dangerous under those
> conditions, and a cell phone is still a transceiver with operating keys.
> Then again you are justly entitled to your opinion as I am and I prefer
> to play along the lines of common sense and public safety. No doubt you
> are quite happy to smoke a cigarette whilst refuelling your car!
>
> In article <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
> writes
> >Totally impossible!!
> >
> >Keith Bennett wrote:
> >>
> >> Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
> >> noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
> >> was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
> >> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
> >> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
> >> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
> >> phone!!
> >>
> >> --
> >> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
> >> Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
> >> trojan.horse@virgin.net
> >> [Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
> >> http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
> >> UIN #3457372
> >> http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
> >> wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
> >> 3457372@pager.mirabilis.com
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That is just as bad as running the car while refueling. I wonder what would happen if everybody had atomic powered cars. Would an explosion result in a atomic chain reaction
--
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4530. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3744E8A5.3239@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals,alt.radio.scanner.uk

Keith Bennett wrote:
>
> Well Phil have you ever seen the results of a gasoline vapor explosion?
> No of course you have not! But I have. And the resultant skin burns are
> not pretty to see. Any electronic device is capable of producing short
> circuits and sparks. Activating cellphone keypads may or may not induce
> an electrical connection, however small, but you can bet your bottom
> dollar that if there was such a fault produced then you would be the
> poor schmuck standing there pumping unleaded gas into your car! We here
> in the UK do not have vapor vacuums fitted to the gas pumps, so the
> whole area around a busy market gas station is full of gas fumes.
> All I am considering is the personal safety of my family and myself, and
> if you don't like it Phil you can go and stuff yourself!
>
> In article <7humm6$3av$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>, Phil Smalley
> <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com> writes
> >
> >Jim Wayda wrote in message <3742D147.215F6AA0@home.com>...
> >>Totally impossible!!
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> >
> >If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
> >his face.
> >
> >-Phil
> >
> >-=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
> >-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

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I wonder if those new car features where they unlock your car from
remote can make a station go kaboom too
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4531. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3744E9AA.34A2@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Keith Bennett wrote:
>
> In article <3743440D.7F2B@sir.com>, Sir <sir@sir.com> writes
> >> Yeah. I found this really interesting. But what has all this got to do
> >> with Soc Penpals? I don't really care anything about radio
> >> communications of any sort. So why not just keep this on the boards that
> >> apply and take it off soc.penpals.
> >
> >
> >Let me try to explain. When people reply to a post on a newsgroup, they
> >don't usually read what newsgroups are all listed and delete the ones
> >they THINK are not appropriate. They just hit send, and it goes to all
> >the newsgroups the original post was on. Blaming the person who replied
> >to the post is silly, he did not choose the newsgroups listed.
> >
> >And to delete any of the groups would be just as silly, because you are
> >sending a reply to the post and don't know which of the groups he will
> >be checking back to read your reply, so it makes sense to leave
> >everything as is.
> >
> >Why do people hate logic and common sense so much?
> I am the first to agree that many lack common sense these days, but what
> happened to all those complaints we used to get from newsgroups that
> your posting was 'inappropriate' to the newsgroup in question!
> Let's suppose we broadcast this thread in say uk.misc or talk.bizarre,
> or maybe even soc.culture.israel then they would soon let us know about
> it!
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Don't forget soc.culture.polish
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4532. Re: A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3744EC84.3C67@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Rick KC2ESD wrote:
>
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> God knows we will one day need both when the next big hurricane,
> earthquake, tornado, or astroroid strike. so lets work together to
> make both services the best they can be.
>
> 73s Rick KC2ESD

Good point and your right. I mean the FCC apears to be working. I still would say that FCC is not working the way that they used to. I think that is the problem. Here on the internet these clown seem to be getting all the attention that they crave. What are you going to do. Its just like on the air these lids to best that they know how to keep the crap going weather its on the internet or on the air.

I happen to like e-skip on ten or even better when the South pacific comes in or when the band is open to the Indian Ocean. If you post something neet like that these same clowns that you talk about or one of there fool will post some crap like SO WHAT no big deal or it you try to work CW in a out of the way place the same ones start their crying. I do beleive that feds are letting this go to hell in a hand basket. I also beleive that it is the FCCs responsablity to take care of amateur radio. One thing that I noticed things are allot quiter I mean quite. I just come back in form the shop. I was scaning the spectrum a little bit and 75 was about dead. The interesting and scary thing is 11-meters was even dead. 11-meters around here is never dead. I found two truckers at the 154 mile stick on 85. They where on on 27.635 of all places other then that the spectrum is pretty darn quite. There where a couple of week signals on 3950 and some activity on 3945 but not much more then that. on 28.445 I have some kind of noise coming out of the north I'll walk the back of my land to see if there is a new electric fence up. My neighbor runs cattle.

Well I have said for some time now that both services should combine as one and make a beginner no test licnese for the average CBer and start from there. Alot of hams start there anyway. Your right with the big one right around the corner we all need to learn to work together. I even wrote up a plan for such a merger and put it on the internet and it got picked apart sometimes I wonder why I bother If you interested check out http://www.dirtball.com/band.html Heck nobody else was doing anything. All I was trying to do is promote peace between the CBers and hams. Like I said it is worth a try.

anyway 73 and thanks for reading.

Oris N3CND

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4533. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927265128.427.97@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals,alt.radio.scanner.uk

> I wonder if those new car features where they unlock your car from
> remote can make a station go kaboom too

Haven't you been paying attention? Everything makes gasoline vapors "go kaboom." Anything can cause a public air carrier crash. Get with it, buddy. What does it take to get through to some people?

Michael.

4534. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry <spam@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bea34f$c0f9e8e0$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>
Source record: 142264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Why do people hate logic and common sense so much?

That is a silly question since the answer itself is common sense. If people were logical then who would have babies? Betamax video recorders would still be in use in Europe and Jesus may not have been nailed to a tree! If there is a God then perhaps she is sitting up there having a damn good laugh at us all - I am.

4535. Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927267404.249.52@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142265

To everyone who thinks simply passing a 13 wpm test makes them a member of some elite club, I wish to tell them that this just isn't so. It just makes you the slowest thing on the band.

After several weeks of studying, I passed my General and Advanced tests this evening. For whatever reason, I now feel like an outsider. For sure, I'm gratified to have the new band privileges. However, entry has a price. Until the FCC issues my new license, I tag my callsign with "/AA". Up until I muttered this in public, I thought I might carry it proudly, like some kind of freaking merit badge. Instead, I feel exactly like a freshman candidate at fraternity functions, arm band and all. Did someone do something to make me feel this way? Emphatically, NO. It is entirely me.

Acceptance comes from within. I don't feel I belong. I'm a poseur in a land of mere mortals. I stutter while everyone else sings, and it's plain as day for everyone to see. And who gives a shit? Nobody, aside from myself. Narcissism is its own special hell.

Thanks. I feel much better already.

Michael.
KB9UNH/AA

4536. AF2Y Cannot win a agrument!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <374518AD.CED6CC13@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 142266

Read this e-mail he sent me privately....

>>>You're a big fat ZERO posing as a big fat ONE MILLION. Your opinions, mainly as an SWL, hold as much water as a glass with a hole at the base. I earned the right to express myself on ham radio matters because I worked for that right. You, on the other hand, crawled in sneakily and quietly to prevent real hams from knowing that a SHAM is on the computer. You have no right being here and I personally will make it so hot for you, you won't be! Keep that in mind! <<<<< End of message...

What does "earn the right" mean? How did he work for that right? Does that mean someone who could not learn code keep him from expressing himself? Sounds like a form of censorship to Dr. Hate.

I also noticed that when I bring up stuff like being cited by the Kingsville, Texas FCC office, he never replied to that. I think Dr. Hate has something to hide, could it be that he cares not for Nets, Anti-Semites, etc? But only to be on this NG to divert us from talking about other issues. He wants to be noticed and that is very sad.....

Is'nt that Kosher of him or what?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB

WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4537. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <Hj6mHHANWQR3EwvH@virgin.net>
Source record: 142267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <01bea34f$c0f9e8e0$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>, Harry
<spam@hotmail.com> writes
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>
>That is a silly question since the answer itself is common sense. If people
>were logical then who would have babies? Betamax video recorders would
>still be in use in Europe and Jesus may not have been nailed to a tree! If
>there is a God then perhaps she is sitting up there having a damn good
>laugh at us all - I am.
>
Well Harry I'm glad that somebody has something to laugh about!

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4538. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <bywxjxAkHRR3Ewdu@virgin.net>
Source record: 142268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

In article <3744E243.94F@ameritech.net>, OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnk
id@ameritech.net> writes
>Brad Granger wrote:
>>
>> >>
>> >>Just goes to show that people are mindless sheep that will believe
>> >>anything - why else do you think con-men can steal millions from an
>> >>unsuspecting public?
>> >>
>> >>If someone told me this supposed explosion theory I would have laughed in
>> >>his face.
>> >>
>> >>-Phil
>>
>> well Phil, it can happen and it has happened. A young woman turned into a
>> fireball in Sydnay about three years ago from just this very thing. Which is
>> why there are signs up on every gas station around here notifying users to
>> not smoke or use cellphones whilst refuelling.
>>
>> Brad.
>Wow, I never heard os such a thing. Hear in Ohio, one of the suburbs
>passed a rule that states that you can only use a cell phone for an
>emergency or you will get a ticket
Whilst on the same subject a number of traffic accident fatalities have
been caused here by drivers using cell phones, including head on
crashes! Trouble is our road traffic laws are so slow to be changed that
no doubt the carnage will continue.

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4539. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <FDfmfKAbXQR3EwMF@virgin.net>
Source record: 142269
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7i27kt$rvu@news.Hawaii.Edu>, Jeffrey Herman
<jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes
>D Best <dbest@iquest.net> wrote:
>>It won't, so I think you might save yourselves some heartache and look at
>>the subject before you read the message -- or just ignore the thread
>>altogehter. Is that really so difficult?
>
>So are you saying that you wouldn't mind if the 200,000+ newsgroups were
>lumped together as just one NG? After all, one would only need to inspect
>the subject line as one waded through the 10 million posts each day,
>right?
Now THAT is an interesting proposition. Let's ask the Association of
Internet Service Providers what they think!

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4540. Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <KTnlbMA6ZQR3EwNr@virgin.net>
Source record: 142270
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I'm having problems with receiving the Isle of Wight monochrome TV
transmitter on Channel BBC-1 from this location. Has anybody based in
Holland any tips on the subject?

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4541. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <PT8krSAWbQR3EwNO@virgin.net>
Source record: 142271
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7i28d5$sm3@news.Hawaii.Edu>, Jeffrey Herman
<jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes
>Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
>>Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
>>about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?
>
>Listen to the theme song at the end of the program; you'll hear
>the violins sending M O R S E over and over (in Morse code, of course).

This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what do
they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?

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4542. Re: Yaesu VX-5R or Kenwood TH-D7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Vic <ke4qjk@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <b0b13.782$J3.31624@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dan,

You mentioned "EVE" software ... can you provide us with more
info?
Never heard of it, is it shareware? On the web?

Vic

Dan <n9drm@nospam.tcon.net> wrote in message
news:3744c5a5@news.oaktree.net...
:
: ...
: > Hi! How are you doing? I'm going to get a new HT either Yaesu
VX-5R or
: > Kenwood TH-D7A(since I may try to operate packet radio). Any
suggestion?
: > Thanks!!
:
: I'm kinda partial to the VX5-R. I bought one a couple of weeks
ago and
: cannot put it down. The small size and the 5 watt output were
big sellers
: for me. I'm burnt out on packet, so that wasn't an issue. I
also like the
: ability to program the radio as I like it using either ADMS or
EVE software.
: It does a good job even on AM broadcast and the SW bands with a
good
: antenna. It is am amazing little radio given its' size.
:
: Dan
:
:
:

4543. WTD: Motorola Maxar 80 PL encoder info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: owenrZZZ@navcanada.ca
Message-ID: <7i3eomauq1@garnet.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 142273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a Motorola Maxar 80 with a "reedless" PL encoder model # TRN4238A.
The PROM on the encoder is a N82S123N with a Motorola sticker ID
of 240PKL4021, which I presume is programmed to operate on 146.2 Hz.

I'm looking to program a PROM for the encoder such that it will operate at
141.3 Hz. Just curious if anyone has the binary information so that I can
accomplish this.

Thanks,

Ron

owenrZZZ@navcanada.ca (remove ZZZ to e-mail)

4544. Re: SPEAKING OF BRO.STAIR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19*nospam*@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19*nospam*-2105990749100001@ppp-40.ts-4-bay.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 142274

The latest last day prophet---Radioman

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/rman/rman.html

In article <19990517212714.02103.00002133@ng-ca1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> Last week while slumming on shortwave,I listened to the screaming egocentric
> maniac,Brother Stair,.proclaiming to the world that he is the last day prophet
> of God or some crap like that. I also logged onto his website and he looked
> like an unshaven bum ready to accept any "offering" including some disposable
> Bic shavers. As a Jew I found his behavior rather puzzling but then again, as
> long as he keeps hammering away at the Pope,he's going to leave my brethern
> alone. Candidly if I were a Christian, I'd find that man a total embarrassment
> because he's not acting in the name of Christ but rather in a manner to spite
> it. It seems that he's positive that Catholics aren't going to heaven because
> they follow a Pope whom, according to Stair, is in cahoots with the devil.
> Devils? We got a whole bunch of them in New Jersey who play pro hockey!
The way
> I sum up the obnoxious Brother is that he's just another Elmer Gantry, out to
> hoodwink the gullible in order to steal their funds. Another"give me your cash
> or you'll never get into heaven" charlatan who's based in South Carolina. And
> that leads me to this question: why is it that so many of these thieves waving
> a cross, work out of the South?. Are you Johnny Rebs all that
> gullible,stupid,naive or just plain frightened? There must be fertile ground
> down South to reap in the big bucks while screaming Jesus taught that poverty
> is no sin and to give it away,especially to a fraudulent man of the cloth like
> Stair in order to enter heaven. Too bad I'm not of the same Christian
> persuasion as is Stair because if I were, I'd call myself Brother
Escalator and
> laugh all the way to the bank. Doc, AF2Y

4545. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: n9vjg19*nospam*@idt.net
Message-ID: <n9vjg19*nospam*-2105990753030001@ppp-40.ts-4-bay.nyc.idt.net>
Source record: 142275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

http://n-lemma.com/FBOM/

Ham radio isn't dead yet. Check out the above link.

In article <3743ce4c@news1.us.ibm.net>, "Johnny Rico" <lawdog2@ibm.net> wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
> news:7h8lht$rt5@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> >
> > Still waiting for your response from my challenge: Let's have a race
> > to see who can build a station from junkbox components -- yours
> being
> > digital, mine being CW.
> >
> Who cares? At the rate our HF activity is declining, soon there won't
> be enough activity to scare up an argument on this topic.
>
> The decline in the HF and VHF components of our hobby is sickening.
> It is just pathetic. I predicted five years ago that unless we
> ditched the Morse Code requirement that the hobby would die. Right
> now the hobby is on the critical list, well on the way to the
> graveyard. There are so few of us hams now that out here in
> California,practically every new house built in the last 10 years is
> subject to CC&Rs that absolutely forbid external ham antennas. The HF
> bands are dead as doornails most of the time above 20 meters. Even
> when the bands are wide open the activity level is sickening low
> compared to past sunspot cycle peaks.
>
> But hey, we still got us that neat Morse Code requirement. I guess
> that is more important to some people than having a thriving hobby.
> RJB.
>
> _______________________________
>
> Roger J. Buffington
>
> "Reasonable Doubt at a Reasonable Price"
>
> "I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
> "Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

4546. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i3mslpgr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142276
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:

> Johnny Rico wrote:
> > I took the Novice, general, and advanced tests back when the FCC
> > administered them in the 60s. Those tests were easier than the ones
> > they give today. The ARRL License Manual pretty much had all the Qs
> > and As ahead of time. Those who say otherwise, in my opinion, are
> > kidding themselves.
>
> It's way past kidding, Johnny, all the way to delusional.
> --
> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

HOLA, HOLA, OM W6RCA,

You're a newcomer hiding behind vanity W6 -- you know nothing about
the 60s.

BGO

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4547. Re: WA9KJI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24407-37453E9F-8@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142277

Because KJI isn't connected to the internet, he may not even be aware of his own demise yet. It will be coming via certified mail either today or tomorrow.

Many others are aware he is now a "bootlegger" and didn't respond to him because they didn't want to endanger their own ticket.

Jr.

4548. Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24409-37453DD8-4@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142278

Doc, Doc, Doc. Such hatred you have!

The Liberty Net use to be one of the most interesting groups on ham radio! (Until a certain miscreant from Evansville thought it was his place to censor.) There use to be extremists on "the right" as well as well as left wing commie bastards just like yourself! It truly was a nationwide town forum!

I'm afraid current events and political discussions will continue on 3950 for a long time to come. Now excuse me while I go and pop the cork on my bottle of champagne!

K J I is gone!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

HEEEEEEEEEEEHAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!!!!!!

Jr.

4549. Re: Solar report in CW (May, 14)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <37455cef.8764659@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 142279
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

"DTC" <dtc@muenster.de> wrote:

:The latest solar and geomagnetic activity report as Morse code audio
:files can be accessed / downloaded in MIDI-format at the DTC web site:
:
:at 12 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/wx140599.mid
:at 30 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/swx14599.mid
:
:For the full text version look at http://www.muenster.org/dtc/eindex.html
:clicking on the line with ONDREJOV in the left frame.
:
:73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
:Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

How much do you want for it and where can we buy it?

Barry
==========
Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
Web page: http://www.acay.com.au/~barryo

4550. Icom Li battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Nardo' Roberto <nardo@pv.infn.it>
Message-ID: <37450500.7AAA@pv.infn.it>
Source record: 142280

I'm Roberto IK2RND , I have realized a replacement board for EX-314 MEMORY BOARD installed in these Icom rigs :
IC-745 IC-751 IC-751/A ICR-71A/E IC-271 IC-471 IC-1271.
My board called EPROM/RAMBOARD definitely solve the problem related to the lithium battery fails. When battery fails the rig stop to work and you need to send your radio or EX-314 board to the Icom service center to replace battery and reprogram the board.
Data in the my board are stored in an EPROM chip the RAM is used only to store the 32 memory channels.
I will take 60 US $ including shipping air mail.

73, Roberto IK2RND

for more info pse mailto:nardo@pv.infn.it

you can see photo http://www.pv.infn.it/~nardo/epromram.jpg

4551. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521100411.23508.00002816@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 142281

stop griping and be thankful that we have amateur priveledges at all.

4552. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521100803.23508.00002817@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 142282

Uh dum dums:

This is a "ham radio" newsgroup: I guess the pot got to your brain instead of your hair. heh

4553. Is this true about AF2Y???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24671-374565A2-12@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142283

Someone close to Doc told me that every night, before he retires for the evening, lifts up the sheets from his bed, and peeks below it to see if there are any Nazi's hiding underneath the bed. Is this true???

Jr.

4554. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Drumheller <drumheller@nrl.navy.mil>
Message-ID: <374569A0.41C6@nrl.navy.mil>
Source record: 142284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson wrote:
>
> A friend of mine in Washington, whom I shall not name,
> passed along a provocative story.
> He is in a good position to have this information
> and I tend to believe him. I find it very disturbing.
> I'm just passing along the information--
> you decide whether you think it's plausible.
>
> In summary, he is saying that:
> 1. (mis)managers in the Clinton administration,
> who are always looking for ways to "globalize,"
> want to accommodate the illegal HF "telephone" systems
> in Central and South America by reallocating spectrum in Region 2
> to a new "service."
>
> 2. The recent FCC "crackdown" is a put-up job.
> All this smoke and bluster over a few loonies -who represent
> less then one percent of the ham population- is a scam.
> The FCC lawyers know there is no way out of the "selective enforcement"
> trap which they set for themselves and into which they have fallen.
> Nor have they the budget for any large-scale rule enforcement.
> This entire "boogieman" charade' is designed to fabricate an excuse
> for confiscating Amateur Radio spectrum.
> The idea is; "See? We tried to get them in line and they
> just kept breaking the law, so we took it away from them."
>
> Here is a partial quote from his email:
> ---------------
>
> ### Quote eliminted for brevity ####
>
> ------------------------------
>
> I've known this man for many years.
> He's in a position to know and this sounds
> exactly like what Clinton appointees would do.
> I place a lot of stock in his letter.
>
> What are your opinions?
> Is there anyone out there who can corroborate this information?
>
> 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S

> arc5@ix.netcom.com

I question the validity of any posting that quotes an unidentified source. The anti-Clinton tone doesn't help either, as it reveals the author's bias.

My opinions/questions about the summary:

(1) Who are these "managers" and why would they care about "accomidating" HF telephone systems south of the border?

(2) It's doubtful that government "managers" would waste time, public money and effort to set up an phoney enforcement program. The scheme listed above is far too complex, risky and troublesome for anyone to bother doing. If "the government" wants to yank spectrum from the amateurs, it'll do it. Frankly, our HF bands aren't that valueable. This would all make more sense if we were referring to the amateur microwave allocations.

If the quotes and claims are genuine, then it sounds like they originated from a disgruntled employee.

-Dave, KA3QBQ

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David Drumheller
Washington, DC

4555. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: r_buschner@KNUUT.de
Message-ID: <7HHFQ6CIkEB@r_buschner.knuut.de>
Source record: 142285

Con Daly wrote in <OwR03.6489$xa.58798@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>:

> I don't read the posts from this group much and am'nt as active as
> much I would like to be on the air. However I see a lot of debate
> going on about morse. It seems to be the most passionate issue among
> amateur and professional radio operators these days. I sailed as a

[stuff deleted]

> is learned the right way. At least ask yourselves is it really the
> requirement you are trying to get rid of or is it the whole art form
> itself. I hope I have at least provided some food for thought and
> that it will add some new and interesting insights.

Thanks for your words, Conor. I know a lot of (seemingly) good
arguements against the requirement of a cw test, but i you look closer,
you will see, that all these args are only spells...for example "i'm a
completly nonmusical", "the commercial radiostations are ceasing cw, why
shouldn't we do so" etc.
Background is, the youngsters are too lazy, and are not really
interested in hamradio. IMHO is hamradio not simply one of a lot of
hobbies, its a way of always learning. And it's a little bit of Zen,
i think, the way is the goal. (At least is that the translation of the
words we say in german, hi, hope u understand...).
But learning is not much popular today, the own activity is not much
popular today and all that is not accepted as "kewl". Cool is, what we
can get without much effort, the best way is simply to buy it.
For example: scubadiving was a sport for a few enthusiasts, known as
very dangerous and the divers are silly people, which are at
temperatures of 4ï¿½C in the water...
Today is scubadiving a part of the tourism industry, PADI (Prof.
Association of Diving Instructors) says diving is easy, like everything
is easy, so we have a mass of divers today, which needs to be guided and
are not responsible for himself.
Running gag here is "Makes diving dependent?" - "I don't know, i will
ask my diving instructor".
Diving is seen as cool today, cause you can buy it. And its similar to
paragliding, snowboarding, etc. And its one of the most important things
to wear the corresponding clothes for snowboarding, you never could
snowboarding the right (cool) way with skiing clothes for example. ;-)

And to be cool is one of the most important things under youngsters...

To learn cw seems not to be cool.... ;-)

> PS, if there are any other musicians on this group I would like to
> hear how much you relate music to CW.

I don't think so, i play bluesharp since abt 20 Years, but i can't see a relation. As a kid i learned drums in the classical music, but also the rhythm of drums is not the same or similar to cw...

cu, Ralf

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Was fuer 'ne Signatur?

4556. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: r_buschner@KNUUT.de
Message-ID: <7HHFQKzIkEB@r_buschner.knuut.de>
Source record: 142286

Oscar wrote in <3744167B.6D0F33B0@hotmail.com>:

> No one here has advocated abolition of CW only its removal as a test
> requirement. If knowledge of Morse Code is needed in critical fields
> it should be maintained as a criterion. But to keep something like
> CW only because it's traditional is absurd.

The cw requirement meets several functions. One of these functions (not originally by the ITU, but from experiences since a lot of years) seems to be, that a test in a specific field, which requires a bit of effort keeps a lot of lids out of the amateur radio service...
This function makes it worth for the real interested ham, to opt pro cw test. It's not toooooo much effort, everybody can learn it, who is not willing to spend a half year of effort for a long life as a radio amateur, they shouldn't choose another hobby.

cu, Ralf

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Was fuer 'ne Signatur?

4557. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: r_buschner@KNUUT.de
Message-ID: <7HHFQcTIkEB@r_buschner.knuut.de>
Source record: 142287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> Davie is one of the last So Fla. holdouts with real working cowboys.
> One of the last large cattle drives in the U.S. started in Davie
> (late 1960's) when the dairy farmers drove their cows several hundred
> miles up to the middle of the state.
>
> Now I live in a nice "proper" city and we don't allow horses to be
> ridden in town. We don't want all that "pollution" on our streets. In
> Davie they call it furtilizer and they -sell- it to us by the pound.

Simply: I think i would love Davie.

We here in germany, we have to pay much tax for dogs (we have a Hovawart and doin' Schutzhund sports). But the lot of money does not prevent us from a fine, if the dog makes small brown things anywhere, for example in a big park areal with a giant size of xx hectars, the Munich Olympic parc or similar...nono, we just pay, bcause we _have_ that dog. But better would be, we wouldn't have a dog. ;-)
The next step: in germany is a very big histery(?) and discussion about (so called) fighting dogs, american pit bull terrier, bull terrier, american staffordshire terrier, dobermann dogs, rottweiler and others. They seems to be very, very dangerous, degenerated and are only waiting for a chance to kill our kiddies. ;-)
So the city administrations orders a tax for such dogs, which is about ten times the normal tax for non "fighting dogs".

Strange times today...and i would like Smallnicevillagewithlotsofhorsesandcowsanddogsontheroads... :-)

cu, Ralf

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Was fuer 'ne Signatur?

4558. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <374b768d.2329755@news.erols.com>
Source record: 142288

On Fri, 21 May 1999 01:16:46 -0500, "Michael Young" <nobody@all.org>
wrote:

>To everyone who thinks simply passing a 13 wpm test makes them a member
>of some elite club, I wish to tell them that this just isn't so. It just
>makes you the slowest thing on the band.

Yeah, those who use CW are usually working at the 15 to 25 WPM level
outside the novice bands. Many of the really vehement advocates of CW
haven't touched a key in years.

>After several weeks of studying, I passed my General and Advanced tests
>this evening. For whatever reason, I now feel like an outsider. For
>sure, I'm gratified to have the new band privileges. However, entry has
>a price. Until the FCC issues my new license, I tag my callsign with
>"/AA". Up until I muttered this in public, I thought I might carry it
>proudly, like some kind of freaking merit badge. Instead, I feel exactly
>like a freshman candidate at fraternity functions, arm band and all. Did
>someone do something to make me feel this way? Emphatically, NO. It is
>entirely me.

Relax. I've been an Extra for over 20 years and I feel like an
outsider on HF too.

>Acceptance comes from within. I don't feel I belong. I'm a poseur in a
>land of mere mortals. I stutter while everyone else sings, and it's
>plain as day for everyone to see. And who gives a shit? Nobody, aside
>from myself. Narcissism is its own special hell.

You'll get better with the CW if you work at it. In fact, 13 WPM was
selected as a licensing speed because it is a cognitive barrier. At
that point you have to be receiving unconsciously while you're
writing. Once you've crossed that barrier, speeds up to 20 WPM should
come along pretty quickly.

>Thanks. I feel much better already.

Congratulations Michael. Please keep in mind that you don't have to
use CW any more if you don't want to. There's lots of cool digital
activity taking place at the bottom edges of the band which has
nothing to do with the code. Some of those folks would be glad to
meet you.

GL ES 73

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4559. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <YSe13.216$Nb2.522@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 142289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

STOP KVETCHING and START WORKING to recruit more newcomers into the hobby if you care at all about amateur radio !!!

The rest will take care of itself.

Rudi - KF6RLQ

Johnny Rico wrote in message <3743ccbb@news1.us.ibm.net>...
>
>Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com> wrote in message news:7h9gjt$cu7>
>There's a statement I can fully agree with. It is senseless
>> to grant a No-Code Tech the right to put a 2KW transmitter
>> on any of his authorized frequencies on the strength of what
>> he "learned" to pass the memorized, word associated "test"
>> which he took after studying the pool of all the questions
>> and their exact answers for a few days prior to sitting for
>> the test.
>
>Someone someday will tell me, no doubt, what connection Morse Code has
>to any technical proficiency. None at all, in my opinion.
>
>I took the Novice, general, and advanced tests back when the FCC
>administered them in the 60s. Those tests were easier than the ones
>they give today. The ARRL License Manual pretty much had all the Qs
>and As ahead of time. Those who say otherwise, in my opinion, are
>kidding themselves.
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>_________________________________
>
>Roger J. Buffington
>
>"Reasonable Doubt at a Reasonable Price"
>
>"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
>"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."
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>

4560. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <7i3ui9$k3@acmex.gatech.edu>
Source record: 142290

In article <wb8fozFC1Bx7.9Jo@netcom.com>, David Lesher <wb8foz@nrk.com> wrote:

>Well, our packet explained the rules, and we believed them. (I also
>don't expect TWA to wait 15 minutes if I show up late; YMMV) As for
>the quotes around fire marshall above; are you implying it was NOT
>the Trotwood Fire Marshall but the Committee who set the
>rules on access?

>You CAN choose to show up on time.

A plane must leave on time so as not to disrupt numerous schedules. It would be highly impractical to try to wait on individuals. Yet I, and I am sure others, have had to wait on passengers from a connecting flight that arrived late. But, according to your rather pious sounding observations, those people were also in full charge of there own schedules. Should we not have had to wait on them? It would have cost the airline money to fly on time, so an adjustment was made. When my money and time are in question, I expect adjustments to made as well.

Of course the difference is no one expects the hamfest to not open without them, just that accommodations be made for those who were delayed in their arrival. You can have a little gold star for arriving on time each day, but you have no idea who, or what, dictates other's schedule.

In a earlier post I was asked, who would take on the Trotwood Fire Marshall. He is just an employee, one with a vital job, but never the less, an employee. The safest way to hold any large event is just not to have it at all. Anytime large groups of people get together, especially with machinery, electricity, and other hazards, there is the potential, even the expectation, of a certain amount of injury. Holding the event at all is a compromise. If the compromise is too one sided, as to be unworkable, then adjustments need to be made. I know what I am talking about, I have handled crowds larger then Dayton more than once in my life. And frankly they were usually composed of people for more raucous than hams.

In closing, when I buy something, like I did those three spaces at Dayton, and all the tickets, fees and expenses involved with attending, I fully expect that every reasonable effort be made to provide me with full value. I do not expect that I will have someone gleefully point to a guideline in a pamphlet, and tell me that I will be penalized needlessly. I do approximately 10-15 shows a year, and can assure you that DARA's problems are hardly unique among hamfests. The only difference is scale, and the service philosophy of the hamfest committee/staff. Most of these shows give me more for my money. At no time did a DARA member ever ask what he could do to HELP me. You have every right to your own expectations. These

are my opinions but I know many that share them. Bill

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Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always
take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4561. Re: AF2Y Cannot win a agrument!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521115350.13046.00003164@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142291

<< Subject: AF2Y Cannot win a agrument!
From: "Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net>
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 2:26 AM
Message-id: <374518AD.CED6CC13@bellsouth.net>
<<We can all be assured of one thing. Everything N0VFP posts here would prove impossible to do on cw. AF2Y>>>>>>
Read this e-mail he sent me privately....

>>>You're a big fat ZERO posing as a big fat ONE MILLION. Your opinions, mainly as an SWL, hold as much water as a glass with a hole at the base. I earned the right to express myself on ham radio matters because I worked for that right. You, on the other hand, crawled in sneakily and quietly to prevent real hams from knowing that a SHAM is on the computer. You have no right being here and I personally will make it so hot for you, you won't be! Keep that in mind! <<<<< End of message...

What does "earn the right" mean? How did he work for that right? Does that mean someone who could not learn code keep him from expressing himself? Sounds like a form of censorship to Dr. Hate.

I also noticed that when I bring up stuff like being cited by the Kingsville, Texas FCC office, he never replied to that. I think Dr. Hate has something to hide, could it be that he cares not for Nets, Anti-Semites, etc? But only to be on this NG to divert us from talking about other issues. He wants to be noticed and that is very sad.....

Is'nt that Kosher of him or what?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB

WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VF >>

4562. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Silva <mjsilva@jps.net>
Message-ID: <7i4070$c83$1@its.hooked.net>
Source record: 142292
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
>
>
>Danny wrote:
>>
>> Mother Nature wrote:
>> >
>> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
>> > making me hot......<g>
>>
>> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
>>
>> Danny
>> --
>
>I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
>a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!

Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!

... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...

Mike

4563. Re: N3CND Known QRM'er, Rolled over on WB2OTK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: rich7@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i47aa$644$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7i3r4osqs1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
> In article <3744D321.58F2@dirtball.com>,
> Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> > Be sure to tell the truth its going to be funny to see you in jail
> > again!
> >
> > Oris, thats really funny coming from a liar like you. Could be
you'll
> soon be in deep do do for lying to the FCC, like the lie about a
certain
> amp you told to Riley. Hmmm
> I wonder why Oris was driving his SB-220, with 200 watts, to get how
much power out???? A typical SB-220, only requires aroud 100 watts for
1200 watts or so output. Not to mention, he bragged about doing so on
75 meters, and his signal was 10 kc wide!
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4564. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521121149.13046.00003173@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142294

<< Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 10:26 PM
Message-id: <3744C46B.5A7F@dirtball.com>
<<<Before folks read your comments and you certainly are entitled to them, let me make this clear. I am against censorship but it has nothning to do with the relevance of the existence of 3.950 hatred. Those bastard subversives are NOT out to discuss topical issues intelligently but IRRATIONALLY! When these slobs sit on a frequency for the sole purposes of trying to convince themselves and others that e.g. Bill Clinton is a Communist. that Militia Movements are necessary to protect oneself against a "fascist" D.C. government; that America is subservient to the U.N., and that America is for Christians only and that people of color are inferior as are Jews who are not people of color and that all emigration must be stopped to keep America pure and so forth and so on with all that foul bullslop, the right to occupy a ham radio frequency is FORFEITED. And I interpret;, I stress the fact that this is MY interpretation and I'm not talking for Riley,that Riley is annoyed as would be any other decent proud American. If we are asked to stop the garbage on 20 to prevent American hamdom from taking away American spectra before the ITU, then the same should apply to 75 meters since these clowns on 3.950 are doing nothing but making America look SICK! AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>
>
> << Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
> From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
> Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
>
> Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble.<<<Junior boy-you aren't
> bursting any bubble. It appears that Riley is fed up with you hatemongers who
> preach the worst hatred heard on ham radio and then pretend innocence by
using
> the Bill of Rights s a shield. Do you take Riley for an idiot? Maybe you do?
> Maybe you take a lot of people for idiots while never being aware of the fact
> that those same folks are "on" to you. A discussion group my ASS. I call it a
> DISGUSTING GROUP. Ham radio in America doesn't need or want you and your
> loathsome kind. You do much harm to the image of USA hamdom because your
filthy
> racist remarks, be they covert or overt,are being heard all over. Based on
the
> tone of Riley's statements, you had better start looking for a new home to
> conduct your subversive talk. You're leaving 3.950 whether you like it or not
> and the one place Riley didn't mention as a new home is a sewer. Look into
it.
> AF2Y,Doc>>>>> But that letter to Vic

> was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
> to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>
>
> << Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
> From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
> Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
>
> Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble. But that letter to Vic
> was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
> to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>
I think what we have here is Doc doesn't approve of what they discuss on 3.950 and sometimes I don't either. BUT that doesn't give me the right to weather or not they can discuss it. You know what this great USA has done for me it allows me to mach that choice. It doesn't mandate what I read or what I talk about, or even who I hang with. That is the bottom line this great nation in which I live in allows me to be wrong and allows other people to be wrong to.

What it sounds like to me here Doc is you guilty of the same behaivor as these guys. You don't like there beliefs and the don't like yours so your going to call them all kinds of names. What good is that? If they have broken a part of part 97 so be it they have to put up with the consinquesis not you. But if you get caught up in the crap the bam your right in the middle of crap stew. sorry about that. The scary part here is who has the right to dictate what any of us say on the radio. Does that mean that government can tell me weather or not I can discuss the state of affairs in this great nation over the radio as I see it? Doc thats scary! Come on now. Who has that right. I would say that under the constitution nobody does. Now comes the sticky part you can't stand on a street corner and shout nasty words. How ever a man can stanad on the corner and preach Jesus. Community standards are the main thing here so if these guys what to talk about the state of affairs so be it! NAZI crap so be it. You would what anyone to dictate what you say over the radio would you. All you want to do is pick a fight and be jugdmental of other people. I think you need to keep your side of the street clean. I don't know how many times I have heard you start crap in your round about way and then cry I didn't do anything and lean back in you chair on on your tredmill and laugh at thesae idoits. Copme on DOC lets be honest here!

I think that the content isn't the issue here and I think that you Doc are trying to make it a issue. The issue is did they interfer with on going communications on that Frequency?? That is the issue. Politics has nothing to do with it and I thing that is where Riley has made his mistake on this one.

I know for a fact that the content of what these folks discuss here isn't whats important here. Its weather or not they broke the rules. Content should never be a issue unless the conversation is foul language. Then content should be used the and only then. Also I think that a list of words that are not permented on amateur radio should be included in the rules. Why you say because of words like damn GOD damn

is bad but is that damn chain broke is that bad? Or how about the
Conawingo dam in Maryland generates 28 megawatts of juce in a hour. see
what I'm saying. Also some words in the south arn't allowed and they are
ok in the north. Content of communications can be a tricky thing to try
and dictate.
Thats just my opinion I could be wrong
Oris

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics expert >>

4565. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521121453.13046.00003175@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142295

<< Subject: Doc Hate spews again.....
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 7:04 AM
Message-id: <24409-37453DD8-4@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
<<As long as criticism comes from an unidentified bigoted COWARD like you,I'm not concerned what you write. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>
Doc, Doc, Doc. Such hatred you have!

The Liberty Net use to be one of the most interesting groups on ham radio! (Until a certain miscreant from Evansville thought it was his place to censor.) There use to be extremists on "the right" as well as well as left wing commie bastards just like yourself! It truly was a nationwide town forum!

I'm afraid current events and political discussions will continue on 3950 for a long time to come. Now excuse me while I go and pop the cork on my bottle of champagne!

K J I is gone!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

HEEEEEEEEEEEHAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!!!!!!

J >>

4566. FS: Complete TS-50S Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: klog@gold.mv.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11af53cd26cc30c2989680@nntp.mv.net>
Source record: 142296
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have the following Kenwood ham equipment available for sale. This equipment is in like new condition and has never been installed as a mobile rig. This equipment was purchased new from HRO a couple of years ago.

Priced as a complete package for $1100 plus shipping (suggest UPS COD/Cashier's Check)

TS-50S (Serial Number 61200420)
AT-50 Automatic Antenna Tuner (Serial Number 70100159
PS-33 Power Supply (Serial Number 3020021) w/cables
MR-50 Mobile Microphone
TS-50S User Manual
TS-50S service Manual
IF-232C Interface (Serial Number 70400088, original box)
IF-10D Interface Unit (Original Box)
YK-107C Crystal Filter (Original Box)
MR-13 Mounting Bracket

Bill Kellogg
W1ZIW
118 Morrill Road
Canterbury, NH 03224

Voice Mail: (603)224-7334
FAX: (603)226-9017
E-mail: klog@gold.mv.com

4567. Any knowledge of a 2M or 440 repeater at Yosemite?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: morchar@pacifier.com
Message-ID: <morchar-2105990947450001@ip182.van6.pacifier.com>
Source record: 142297

I am going to be spending 10 days in Yosemite with my family soon. Dose anyone know of an open repeater for Yosemite?

Thanks...please also send a replay to my email if it is not too incovenient. 73's.

Mike Orchard
KB7SUE

(I have a repeater book, about three years old, and often find it to be out of date, or just plain incorrect, even when it was "new".)

4568. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: joedb@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <374584f1.6769223@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>
>I question the validity of any posting that quotes an unidentified
>source. The anti-Clinton tone doesn't help either, as it reveals the
>author's bias.
>
>My opinions/questions about the summary:
>
>(1) Who are these "managers" and why would they care about
>"accomidating" HF telephone systems south of the border?
>
>(2) It's doubtful that government "managers" would waste time, public
>money and effort to set up an phoney enforcement program. The scheme
>listed above is far too complex, risky and troublesome for anyone to
>bother doing. If "the government" wants to yank spectrum from the
>amateurs, it'll do it. Frankly, our HF bands aren't that valueable.
>This would all make more sense if we were referring to the amateur
>microwave allocations.
>
>If the quotes and claims are genuine, then it sounds like they
>originated from a disgruntled employee.
>
>-Dave, KA3QBQ
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>--
>David Drumheller
>Washington, DC
As far as HF phone links to the US, AT&T is trying to take their phone
service off the air due to lack of business. There is about to be a
whole lot of freqs and equipment up for grabs, so the idea of taking
over ham radio freqs is beyond idiotic.
Joe
N3HGB

4569. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7i426nol1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142299

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990514204206.19944.00000633@ng-ft1.aol.com>...
>For all of you jackals who look down at a Cloudwarmer,this morning at 1110
UTC
>on 14.313 I worked VK2WJC and got a 10/9 report from Australia. Eat your
hearts
>out! I said I work more stations than you bimbos hear and I'll stick by my
>pronouncement. Furthermore I think I heard "Queenie" Mort in there, trying
with
>a "superior directional antenna and higher power, to work the Aussie TO NO
>AVAIL! Yep, with just two parallel wires and 800 watts, I put your fools to
>shame so go sulk in the corner. They don't call me the world's greatest
natural
>DXer for no reason! AF2Y Doc

800 watts? Gee I thought my 5/6 report from Perth was pretty impressive with
8 watts into a vertical, but WOW you did it with 800 watts! VERY IMPRESSIVE.
I see now why a cloudwarmer is so important.

Tim ka8ddz

4570. Crossing Atlantic Ocean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roger Watrelot <watoo1@club-internet.fr>
Message-ID: <7i42bicne1@front3m.grolier.fr>
Source record: 142300

Friend of mine is crossing Atlantic Ocean rignt now on a sailing boat...
from St Marteen to Marseille (south of France) but alone. Does somebody know
how to find poeple hearing SSB frequencies (14380 Khz SSB at 0900 GMT, 8710
Khz at 12 00 GMT, 6945 Khz at 13 00 GMT, Call sign +ACI-Marius+ACI-). His family
really appreciate to her about him.
Please anny information to reach him are very welcomed.

Merci beaucoup +ACE-

Roger
watoo+AEA-club-internet.fr

4571. Re: Yaesu VX-5R or Kenwood TH-D7A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Darryl Wagoner <darryl@sai.com>
Message-ID: <374591B7.94445439@sai.com>
Source record: 142301
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.noncomm,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

It is a freeware package for the VX5. It seems like a good program, but

I haven't had a chance to use it much.

The URL is http://www.geol.com/vx5/

Vic wrote:

> Dan,
>
> You mentioned "EVE" software ... can you provide us with more
> info?
> Never heard of it, is it shareware? On the web?
>
> Vic
>
> Dan <n9drm@nospam.tcon.net> wrote in message
> news:3744c5a5@news.oaktree.net...
> :
> : ...
> : > Hi! How are you doing? I'm going to get a new HT either Yaesu
> VX-5R or
> : > Kenwood TH-D7A(since I may try to operate packet radio). Any
> suggestion?
> : > Thanks!!
> :
> : I'm kinda partial to the VX5-R. I bought one a couple of weeks
> ago and
> : cannot put it down. The small size and the 5 watt output were
> big sellers
> : for me. I'm burnt out on packet, so that wasn't an issue. I
> also like the
> : ability to program the radio as I like it using either ADMS or
> EVE software.
> : It does a good job even on AM broadcast and the SW bands with a
> good
> : antenna. It is am amazing little radio given its' size.
> :
> : Dan
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> :

4572. Re: Life as a codeless tech

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i44dr$dr2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142302

Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com> wrote:
>Life as a codeless tech would be more interesting if they successfully

spent two 15-minutes sessions each day working on the code. Once at
5 WPM, a whole new world of radio communication would open to them.
Jeff KH6O

4573. Re: Life as a codeless tech

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i44ih$drj@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142303

Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com> wrote:
>Life as a codeless tech would be more interesting if they successfully

learned enough electronics to conduct experimental R&D work up on V/UHF.
Jeff KH6O

4574. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24671-37458E2B-38@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142304

Doc, rec.radio.amateur.misc is a part of Usenet. We do NOT require names or call signs here. In fact, because ANYONE in the world is able to access this newsgroup, or any other newsgroup, it's actually good common sense to remain anonymous. There are nut cases (like yourself) all over this world that would love to harm citizens and their family members. So I choose not to invite trouble.

If we really wanted to get technical about this "coward" stuff, Doc.....I could ask the same about you and your use of a PO Box for your ham ticket. Are YOU afraid of something or someone, Doc???

Have a good day, Doc....

Jr.

4575. A NEW USE FOR 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521132457.13059.00002896@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142305

Now that the use of 3.950 for spreading hate is coming to an end and Vic and company will be holding forth in a rat infested sewer equipped with underground dipoles, we must think of how to better use that frequency. Has anyone thought about a BROTHERHOOD NET? Just imagine how beneficial to ham radio and to America that would be. Instead of that frequency being used as a mouthpeace for THE SPOTLIGHT, we could start a newspaper called THE BEACON dedicated to illuminating our greatness through our diversity. A forum to discuss matters which builds us up instead of tears us down. A forum in which PRIDE in America is exemplified for the world to hear instead of the belittlement, degradation and intolerance preached by the soon-to-be dispossessed hobos.A frequency on which we can learn from each other, appreciate each other and even to disagree but in a polite manner rather than the crass and ugly temperament displayed by bigoted bums who have one thing in common-FAILURE. Yes indeed, a better day is coming to 3.950 and we will all be indebted to a person with authority who loves our hobby/service. AF2Y, Doc

4576. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521133257.13042.00003004@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142306

<< Subject: Re: Doc Hate spews again.....
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 12:47 PM
Message-id: <24671-37458E2B-38@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
<<Listen up yellowbelly...I put my name and call behind every post which is more than I can say about you. I get all mail for my home sent to a box for a very good reason...our mailman was drunk three quarters of the time and our mail would end up all over the city. If you feel comfortable hiding behind the skirts of anonymity, go right ahead but people would pay more attention to you if you were man enough to at least give a callsign, that is if you have one. Doc AF2Y>>>>>
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Have a good day, Doc....
>>

4577. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i45iu$ejr@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142307

Jeffrey M. Swiger <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net> wrote:
>Phone is spelled: PHONE not fone...

Hams have written "fone" for decades for the same reason we say/write "73" rather than "Best regards."

Jeff KH6O
"Bring back the three-month wait between passing the exams and receiving the license!"

4578. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37459A4F.50534456@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142308
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> You're a newcomer hiding behind vanity W6 -- you know nothing about
> the 60s.

A newcomer, eh? Wonder how many members of the Old Old Timers Club
are newcomers? I was W5DXP from the early 50s until I moved to CA
where the FCC issued me W6RCA in the 70s. I got KG7BK when I moved
from CA to AZ and got my old W6RCA call back under the vanity program.
Check your 1980s callbook for W6RCA and check your 1952 callbook for
W5DXP. I wish you were right that I am a newcomer but you are totally
and absolutely wrong. How you can open your mouth when you risk being
so wrong is beyond comprehension.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4579. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i46le$fcc@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142309

In article <3744167B.6D0F33B0@hotmail.com>, Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote:
>No one here has advocated abolition of CW

That's a lie. Read G8ASO's comment.

>If knowledge of Morse Code is needed in critical fields it
>should be maintained as a criterion.

You need to step back so as to get a global view of why the code require-
ment exists for HF privileges. RF at HF respects no boundaries, and as
communicators first and foremost, hams the world over should have at
least one mode in common. At present, there is only one mode all the
world's HF-licensed amateurs hold in common: CW. Whether one chooses to
use it or not does not matter; if the need arises he has it available to
him (maybe at a slower speed than when he was first licensed!). The phone
modes won't work as an international mode due to differences in languages,
but there are sufficient code pro-signs so that a meaningful QSO can
extend across language barriers. A digital mode could become the
international standard, but until such time that every ham worldwide is so
equipped and/or has the ability to build and self-maintain such
equipment, CW will remain the common mode. The ITU has this global view
while many individuals have only an insular nearsightedness - their own
personal goals out-weigh those of the global amateur community.

(Daily worldwide comms don't normally take place above 50 MHz, so a common
mode in that region can be chosen on a national level; for us it's of
course FM phone.)

73, Jeff KH6O

4580. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37459DC4.2B2C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142310

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
> From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
> Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 10:26 PM
> Message-id: <3744C46B.5A7F@dirtball.com>
> <<<Before folks read your comments and you certainly are entitled to them, let
> me make this clear. I am against censorship but it has nothning to do with the
> relevance of the existence of 3.950 hatred.
Ok I can execpt this you and I both and all ivoled have the right to our
opinion. I also am against Censorship. Who has the right to tell me what
to like as well as what not to like. So we are in agreement here.

> Those bastard subversives are NOT
> out to discuss topical issues intelligently but IRRATIONALLY! When these slobs
> sit on a frequency for the sole purposes of trying to convince themselves and
> others that e.g. Bill Clinton is a Communist.
This I wonder about I think if you wanted peoplr to take what you say
more seriuos I think your choice of adjtives should be better though of
you don't know if these guys are Bastards they might come from fine
American homes you trullt don't expect people to truly think that all of
them are bastards? Come on now.

that Militia Movements are
> necessary to protect oneself against a "fascist" D.C. government; that America
> is subservient to the U.N.,
Well I can honestly disagree with you here. I do beleive that the USA is
subservient to the UN. I also beleive if we don't watch our step we will
no longer be free as we understand freedom. I also think that the
Militia Movements are necessary to keep the govrernment and police
forces in this contry in check. As far as Clinton being a communist, I
don't think so he is a extreem Democrat to the point of Socailizum. The
Government as we no it is becoming more and more socailizum government.
I will say you go to court for speeding now days and you have to prove
your innocents. So the indvidaul rights of this contry are shout and you
can thank the so-called war on drugs for that one. We never used to have
road blocks and thinks like that. The police never used to be able to
search your car and all the people in the vehical. All in the name of
the war on drugs. I have said this before about police to them everyone
is guilty. Keep that in mind innocent till proven guilty? I think you
need to pay attention Doc! It wouldn't suprise me that when the year
2000 strikes and people flip out Clinton will declare marshall law. Y2K
is a problem but it is not the big problem people like Monex and those
groups make it out to be. But the averge Joe blow will try to "stock up
money food and so on that government will be forced to marshall law.

Thats enough on the power hungry Clinton.

and that America is for Christians only and that
> people of color are inferior as are Jews who are not people of color and that
> all emigration must be stopped to keep America pure and so forth and so on with

Well this is bullslop America is for everyone what is the remark on that
great statue of Liberty. That is what that means. And again I have said
this in the past if you are an American then you problem have a mixture
of everything. So we are the Heinz57 of the world.

> all that foul bullslop, the right to occupy a ham radio frequency is FORFEITED.
> And I interpret;, I stress the fact that this is MY interpretation and I'm not
> talking for Riley,that Riley is annoyed as would be any other decent proud
> American. If we are asked to stop the garbage on 20 to prevent American hamdom
> from taking away American spectra before the ITU, then the same should apply to
> 75 meters since these clowns on 3.950 are doing nothing but making America look
> SICK! AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>

Doc America is sick and the clowns on 14.313 3.901 3.8945 7.248 28.085
27.185 14.302 the list is endless oh lets not forget 3.950. They are all
so-called bad neighborhoods of Amateur radio. I also want to remind you
and everyone else Riley IS A COP let me repete that RILEY IS A COP! If
he comes to see you about your station or sends you a letter the cops
are watching. Let me remind yoou again to cops we are all guilty! Don't
forget that. Those guys there again your choice of words we don't if
they work at a circus, those guys are doing nothing different then the
guys on 14.313 You can take that to the bank! I think that Riley is
annoyed at all of us. And when I say Us I mean the whole of ham radio.
73 from Oris

> >
> > << Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
> > From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> > Date: Thu, May 20, 1999 7:33 PM
> > Message-id: <22194-37449BC9-102@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
> >
> > Excuse me, Doc. Don't mean to burst your bubble.<<<Junior boy-you aren't
> > bursting any bubble. It appears that Riley is fed up with you hatemongers who
> > preach the worst hatred heard on ham radio and then pretend innocence by
> using
> > the Bill of Rights s a shield. Do you take Riley for an idiot? Maybe you do?
> > Maybe you take a lot of people for idiots while never being aware of the fact
> > that those same folks are "on" to you. A discussion group my ASS. I call it a
> > DISGUSTING GROUP. Ham radio in America doesn't need or want you and your
> > loathsome kind. You do much harm to the image of USA hamdom because your
> filthy
> > racist remarks, be they covert or overt,are being heard all over. Based on
> the
> > tone of Riley's statements, you had better start looking for a new home to
> > conduct your subversive talk. You're leaving 3.950 whether you like it or not
> > and the one place Riley didn't mention as a new home is a sewer. Look into

> it.
> > AF2Y,Doc>>>>> But that letter to Vic
> > was sent BEFORE Riley fully investigated and found that WA9KJI had LIED
> > to him about who had control of the frequency. THAT is the reason for >>
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4581. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37459FB8.23B2@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142311

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << Subject: Doc Hate spews again.....
> From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 7:04 AM
> Message-id: <24409-37453DD8-4@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
> <<As long as criticism comes from an unidentified bigoted COWARD like you,I'm
> not concerned what you write. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>
> Doc, Doc, Doc. Such hatred you have!
>
> The Liberty Net use to be one of the most interesting groups on ham
> radio! (Until a certain miscreant from Evansville thought it was his
> place to censor.) There use to be extremists on "the right" as well as
> well as left wing commie bastards just like yourself! It truly was a
> nationwide town forum!
>
> I'm afraid current events and political discussions will continue on
> 3950 for a long time to come. Now excuse me while I go and pop the cork
> on my bottle of champagne!
>
> K J I is gone!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> HEEEEEEEEEEHAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!!!!!!
>
> J >>
I don't know Doc I used to check into the Libertynet back in the early
80's and it was a OK place. Since moving to this backwards can't get
anything done state of Georgia. I really haven't been able to hear them
though all the QRMing so I don't know. I will say this that hey did let
me have my say when I was in Maryland and talked with them. I never
agreed with any of it in fact they even help me with the trampaleen
antenna cause I didn't have a amp at that time. I used to love to get
inther and disagree with old vic when ever I got my chance. So either
the redoric has changed or tolerance is less I don't know but I never
had any problems and I would diagree on a nightly basics.
73 from Oris
Doc are you a racest against so-called whites?
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4582. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37459FE2.6C2D@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142312

Timothy Hynde wrote:
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> Radiosigs wrote in message <19990514204206.19944.00000633@ng-ft1.aol.com>...
> >For all of you jackals who look down at a Cloudwarmer,this morning at 1110
> UTC
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> hearts
> >out! I said I work more stations than you bimbos hear and I'll stick by my
> >pronouncement. Furthermore I think I heard "Queenie" Mort in there, trying
> with
> >a "superior directional antenna and higher power, to work the Aussie TO NO
> >AVAIL! Yep, with just two parallel wires and 800 watts, I put your fools to
> >shame so go sulk in the corner. They don't call me the world's greatest
> natural
> >DXer for no reason! AF2Y Doc
>
> 800 watts? Gee I thought my 5/6 report from Perth was pretty impressive with
> 8 watts into a vertical, but WOW you did it with 800 watts! VERY IMPRESSIVE.
> I see now why a cloudwarmer is so important.
>
> Tim ka8ddz
full wave loop is a good antenna.
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4583. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i4e4g$b13$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142313

You guys are just being exposed to Doctor Hate as we call him on twenty meters. He has been pulling this Hitler behind every bush BS on twenty for years. The very idea, wanting call signs here on a forum. What a paranoid nincompoop, But I am glad he is here, he can be a crazy go ape, and post stupid replys all day long. Enjoy the rantings of one loony Doctor Hate. Get that horse apple computer cooking Doc not home, Doc not home!!!!!!

article <19990521133257.13042.00003004@ng-fh1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: Doc Hate spews again.....
> From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
> Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 12:47 PM
> Message-id: <24671-37458E2B-38@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
> <<Listen up yellowbelly...I put my name and call behind every post which is
> more than I can say about you. I get all mail for my home sent to a box for a
> very good reason...our mailman was drunk three quarters of the time and our
> mail would end up all over the city. If you feel comfortable hiding behind the
> skirts of anonymity, go right ahead but people would pay more attention to you
> if you were man enough to at least give a callsign, that is if you have one.
> Doc AF2Y>>>>>
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> access this newsgroup, or any other newsgroup, it's actually good common
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> Doc.....I could ask the same about you and your use of a PO Box for your
> ham ticket. Are YOU afraid of something or someone, Doc???
>
> Have a good day, Doc....

> >>
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4584. Re: Is this true about AF2Y???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i4eh6bbl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142314

Nazi's are every where in Docs strange world , under the matress, in the basement, the paperboy, the clerk at Mcdonalds, the garbage man and on and on . It is a strange world this kook lives in. EVERYONE IS A NAZI TO HIM!!!!!! Doc not home!! Doc not home!!

article <24671-374565A2-12@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>, Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone) wrote:
> Someone close to Doc told me that every night, before he retires for the
> evening, lifts up the sheets from his bed, and peeks below it to see if
> there are any Nazi's hiding underneath the bed. Is this true???
>
> Jr.
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>

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4585. Re: A NEW USE FOR 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3745A205.4A8C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142315

Doc
You go from one extreem to another
wishful thinking
73 from Oris
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4586. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <5Za13.1542$ql.168502@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 142316

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http://www.schlatter.org/
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4587. Service manual for Icom IC-W32A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: N8WSQ <phipps@wesnet.com>
Message-ID: <3745a07e.0@WS1.wesnet.com>
Source record: 142317

Does anyone have or know where I can get a copy of the service manual for the Icom IC-W32A dual band radio? Email me at phipps@wesnet.com

4588. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <374c97da.10856521@news.erols.com>
Source record: 142318

Interesting and well put ideas, Mr. Daly.

On Thu, 20 May 1999 10:32:14 GMT, "Con Daly" <radioman27@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>I don't read the posts from this group much and am'nt as active as much
>I would like to be on the air. However I see a lot of debate going on
>about morse. It seems to be the most passionate issue among amateur
>and professional radio operators these days. I sailed as a merchant
>marine radio officer from 1991-1997. I found morse to be absolutely
>invaluable at that time (not terribly long ago).

<maritime examples of morse use snipped>

Look, I do similar things flying an airplane. I still have to ID VOR,
ILS and NDB beacons using morse code. But very few aircraft still get
weather using morse, not even the guys who fly across oceans.

If the communications are spotty, maybe one should spend money
improving the communications. Saying that CW gets through when RTTY
or SSB doesn't is sort of silly. Anyone who can afford a RTTY capable
radio can afford a computer to run something like PSK31.

And note that I'm not saying that morse code is useless. Like
horsemanship, it will always have a place even if it is more
recreational than anything else. HOWEVER, I am not one who that in
order to get a driver's license, that one should be able to prove
horsemanship.

>Ok, so I'm obviously an advocate of CW but you may
>be surprised to hear that I'm not in favour of keeping the requirement
>for a proficiency test, if thats what people want. I just wish that
>those against the code requirement would take a long hard look at
>what they are really campaigning against. It seems like it is really
>based on an irrational belief that it's too old fashioned, but really
>fashion shouldn't come into it.

Fashion has nothing to do with it. Technology does. Do you know what
I do when the radios fail in my airplane? We have tight protocols on
exactly what procedures one takes when communications fail,
particularly during an instrument flight plan. So in the event I lose
communications I reach for a handhold aviation radio! Radios are dirt
cheap if you compare prices over the years against any measure of the
Consumer Price Index.

I question the judgement of anyone who goes to sea these days with
comm gear so poor that they have to revert to morse code to get the

message out. I don't leave the ground in my small airplane without multiply redundant and diverse communication or navigation systems. Why would someone cross the oceans with anything less?

>Certainly the amateur service is'nt as important as a shipboard radio
>installation or a coastal station but all you anti code people
>out there, please, take a good look at what you are starting. Because
>there will be no going back and it will be dead within 20-30 years
>of a no code requirement. The commercial people made a mistake, based
>on purely financial motives. 12 WPM is not difficult to obtain if it is
>learned the right way. At least ask yourselves is it really the
>requirement you are trying to get rid of or is it the whole art form
>itself. I hope I have at least provided some food for thought and
>that it will add some new and interesting insights.

You think the Coast Guard didn't know what it was doing when they retired the morse code?

Let's consider the Continental code: It "died" and yet there are still a few folks out there who spend time learning and using it. Interest in Morse code may ebb and flow, but I seriously doubt anyone will forget it entirely. Likewise, there are things such as slide rules which few still use. Yet, some collect them and use them precisely because they are so impractical.

Ham Radio being a hobby, practicality is not the issue. It's fun. So in that light, I still think there will be many folks who will use morse code for fun. I know I will.

However, I firmly believe we need to revitalize this hobby. Look at the recent attendance figures for the Dayton Hamvention if you don't believe there is a problem. Look at the licensing statistics versus operator age. This hobby has aged and young recruits are fewer and fewer. It's not the hot technology it once was. Radio is no longer unusual in an era of portable cell phones which cost less than a pay phone to use.

So lets consider the morse code mystique. "It acts as a filter" say some. Yeah? Then what's that trash on 75 meters all about? Hasn't anyone else noticed that nearly all of the trouble makers in this hobby passed code tests?

We have to sit up and realize that we need to make the radio part of ham radio magic again. Cars are no longer magic. Yet more people than ever go to watch NASCAR races. Airplanes lost their magic too; yet the crowds at air shows are as big as they ever were. Maybe we need to look in to making some magic happen for the radio hobby as well.

This is why insisting ham radio must include morse code ability cuts so many potentially interested people out of the magic. These are capable people. I know. Look at the legions of folks with no code licenses. Their numbers are still increasing. And often these folks

are just as technically capable as you or me, if not more so.

So are we going to let the hobby die because some think morse code has a universally needed magic which the hobby simply cannot do without? I won't. If we follow that line of reasoning, the next thing you know we'll have another bunch asking that we all demonstrate proper use of the circular slide rule while taking the written exams. I've used slide rules for fun. I think they have a nice magic to them too. I think circular slide rules would also separate the kids from adults. Yet I think it would be a hideous mistake to mandate their use for entering this hobby.

And THAT is why I think the arguments for keeping morse code are so feeble.

>PS, if there are any other musicians on this group I would like to hear
>how much you relate music to CW.

I'm not an active musician, but I did spend a few years learning to play piano in my pre-teen and teen years. I'm also proficient with CW (25 WPM typical, 35 in contests). I don't relate music to morse in any conscious manner. At most I use some elements of rhythm recognition to get the feel of characters and words.

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4589. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: donrm@sr.hp.com
Message-ID: <7i4bl6$he2@canyon.sr.hp.com>
Source record: 142319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

John Reimers (jjr@inlink.com) wrote:

> Scanner and HT's can interefere with flight instruments and data systems.
> As a ham and a scanner user you should know that.

True.

This was discussed at length on a similar newsgroup about ten years ago...
one followup poster related an incident who as a passenger on a 747, said
he performed a hammerhead stall and several touch-and-goes merely by care-
ful adjustment of the controls on his handheld transceiver.

Seriously, one very popular 2M handy-talkie has its first LO radiation
falling from 122.6 to 126.6 Mhz @ -57dbm at the antenna port. Pretty
weak signal, but I still wouldn't feel comfortable riding in the same
aircraft as this radio.

Don Montgomery K6LTS
donrm@sr.hp.com

4590. 6 Mtr Military Radios- Calling Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3745B8B3.846C49DA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The Military Collector's Group mailing list,
a major group of internet-connected military radio collectors,
has settled on 6-meter calling frequencies for our
green VHF military radios like the BC-620, BC-659,
PRC-6, PRC-10, RT-70, RT-68 and others.

51.0 MC FM General local use, in the tradition of 3885 KC.
Re-enactment groups, field days, special events etc.

51.6 MC FM DX calling frequency for military rigs.
For the stout-hearted who want to work
across the pond with their PRC-10.

50.6 MC AM VHF mil rigs (there are a few) calling and secondary use.

With the sunspots on the rise, I will be dedicating
a scanner and antenna to guarding these frequencies in
central Texas beginning this summer.

Please relay this information as you see fit.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

4591. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521153716.23698.00003385@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142321

<< Subject: Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!
From: "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
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4592. Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!

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Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521155025.23698.00003391@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142322

<< Subject: Re: The Cloudwarmer Works!
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 2:03 PM
Message-id: <37459FE2.6C2D@dirtball.com>

Timothy Hynde wrote:<<<THIS IS A MESSAGE FOR TIM HYNDE. IN 1980,
IWROTE"VERTICAL USERS;NOVICE TO EXTRA" WHICH I PLACED IN 40 ELECTRONICS STORES
ACROSS THIS NATION. BEFORE DOING SO, I SENT COMPLIMENTARY COPIES TO BIG NAMES
IN HAM RADIO, ONE OF WHOM WAS BILL ORR,W6SAI, WHO PRAISED IT. I KNOW ABOUT
VERTICALS AND WHAT I SUGGEST IS THIS:send me an SASE and I'll send you a one
page sheet on how to build a Cloudwarmer for 20. Then compare it against your
vertical and if the "Warmer" doesn't eat its lunch on both transmit and
receive, I'll eat your radials. My address is AF2Y, Box 1347, Clifton,NJ 07015.
Send NO MONEY. It will not be accepted. You build a Cloudwarmer and the results
will astound you." See ya, Tim>>>>>>>> INCIDENTALLY I DID Not invent the
antenna. I homebrewed my own. The idea was given to me by one of the finest
hams to ever hold a ticket,WB2OTK, who did not invent it either>>>>>
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> Radiosigs wrote in message <19990514204206.19944.00000633@ng-ft1.aol.com>...
> >For all of you jackals who look down at a Cloudwarmer,this morning at 1110
> UTC
> >on 14.313 I worked VK2WJC and got a 10/9 report from Australia. Eat your
> hearts
> >out! I said I work more stations than you bimbos hear and I'll stick by my
> >pronouncement. Furthermore I think I heard "Queenie" Mort in there, trying
> with
> >a "superior directional antenna and higher power, to work the Aussie TO NO
> >AVAIL! Yep, with just two parallel wires and 800 watts, I put your fools to
> >shame so go sulk in the corner. They don't call me the world's greatest
> natural
> >DXer for no reason! AF2Y Doc
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> 800 watts? Gee I thought my 5/6 report from Perth was pretty impressive with
> 8 watts into a vertical, but WOW you did it with 800 watts! VERY IMPRESSIVE.
> I see now why a cloudwarmer is so important.
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> Tim ka8ddz
full wave loop is a good antenna.
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4593. Re: A NEW USE FOR 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <24409-3745B44D-25@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142323

The net is not coming to an end. The regulars who hang out there will still be around. I don't know where Doc comes up with this nonsense!

Jr.

4594. WTD: Kenwood TH-71A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-21 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Albert <lalbert@uakron.edu>
Message-ID: <3745B93A.7C9BC0C8@uakron.edu>
Source record: 142324

I need a Kenwood TH-71A! I will buy it only, no accessories including antenna and battery! It must WORK well.

E-mail mailto:labert@uakron.edu

Lou WA8PHD
http://ifip.com/wa8phd.htm

4595. Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26897-37469F7F-1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142025

Back in November, we heard your best radio buddy, WB2OTK, utter some of the filthiest racist remarks many of us have ever heard on amateur radio. The recorded words consisted of such vile names as: nigger, spear chucker, jigger-boo, brillo pad, etc.

Also, on several occasions, we've heard your anti-Liberty Net friends spew bigoted, hateful words. Your good friend WA9KJI....along with K5BLB and K5MVK have used the terms: faggot, queer-bastard and nigger.

Now....you've accused Kevin Strom, WA4AIO of being a bigoted, racist Nazi. But I've NEVER heard ANY of the racist terms spewing forth from the mouth of Mr. Strom.

So what's wrong with this picture, Doc-Boy? Could it be that YOU and your cohorts are the REAL racist Nazi's????

(I'm looking forward to seeing you try and squirm out of this one, Doc!)

Jr.

4596. Re: A NEW USE FOR 3.950

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Source record: 142026

That's right, TINY Tim. In fact, I heard them last night. A fine group of people. N3GVA. N2SAG. KD1PL. Yep. Good to hear them WITHOUT interference from Dave Castle. (Although Monkey Vomit tried to qrm, but he's just nuts. Once he takes his Prozac, he usually drifts of to sleep.)

See you on tonights net!!!

Jr.

4597. Re: BROTHER JOHN ON 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reed Park <reedpark@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <3746A632.C2FA1253@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 142027

Radiosigs wrote:

> attention...attention...KC3AU HAS BEEN ON .313 for one hour with his disciple
> Astley, 6Y5GR. All of you without faith, please tune in and you will be
> converted.
> To Judaism.
> AF2Y Doc

Makes me real happy to be a Canadian. At least I don't have to worry that
they will operate below 14.140 MHz/

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Reed

--

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Canada E1A1M1

Amateur Radio VE1NU
WW II, # 19 SET user
I.C.Q. # 4138282

4598. Re: 4 more gorgous blue berry muffins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reed Park <reedpark@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <3746A4F2.4EE3982@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 142028

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:

> A certain beautiful blond just brought me 4 more of her delicious piping
> hot blue berry muffins, strait from our $2700 self cleaning oven. I'm
> thinking of you poor poor WTIA's, so so jealous of a life style you only
> see on your measly 19 inch K-mart Samsungs, heh heh.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

Make up your mind. Did that oven cost 2700 as this message states,
or 2500 as your other message states ? When there are conflicting
statements, you loose all your credibility. That is, if you ever had any
in the first place.

7 3
Reed (with no muffins)

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4599. Re: When Intercon goes, Ham Radio goes!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522090255.00967.00004279@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142029

>When Intercon goes, ham radio goes to. Those nice old ladies and
>gentlemans are putting something back into the hobby, without the
>nets you can kiss ham radio bye bye.
>
>

I think it'd be better, No more Drug runners, no more telephone toll avoiders....

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4600. Morse code/Trying to reach Hawaii

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <aMH$uGAmAmR3EwPW@virgin.net>
Source record: 142030
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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In article <7i53th$isd@news.Hawaii.Edu>, Jeffrey Herman
<jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes
>OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>> Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
>>> >Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
>>> >about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?
>
>>> Listen to the theme song at the end of the program; you'll hear
>>> the violins sending M O R S E over and over (in Morse code, of course).
>
>>What program?
>
>Inspector Morse. (A&E, Tuesday evenings) // Jeff KH6O
Hey Jeff, what are the chances of you sending me a Hawaii'an beach
shirt?

--
From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
trojan.horse@virgin.net
[Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com
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4601. Does Intercon pay it's people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522090444.00967.00004280@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142031

I happened to be scanning the band last week, and overheard this Illeagal net.
I heard one of the net people say, "We're sure glad your on our PAYROLL!"

This is not legal according to Part 97.....

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4602. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7i69dfisg0@208.207.71.147>
Source record: 142032
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
> : Roger B. wrote:
> [snip]
>
> : Back in 1932 there were only 40 kilohams in the US. The hobby did quite
> : well with those few numbers.
>
> Things have changed somewhat in the mean time.
>
> : Jeff KH6O
>
> I think that in 1999 and beyond it will take more than 40K hams to KEEP
> the frequencies for the ARS though. Perhaps even 670K isn't enough.

So we should just suck all the CB/Freebies into ham radio
to "save it", right?? How are you so sure the cure won't be
worse than the disease, if there even is one-very
questionable, to be sure. If the morass on 27 mHz is any
clue it will be far worse.

4603. Re: The missionnaries need the nets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522090547.00967.00004282@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142033

>The BARF hates the nets, but where would the missionnaries be without
>the nets??? Stranded in the jungles or worst, no way to have a few words
>with their families at home.

They can use a remote telephone system....

Anyway, thier supporting Churches pay some of thme just to have a "vacation"

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4604. Re: 4 more gorgous blue berry muffins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522090746.00967.00004283@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 142034

>A certain beautiful blond just brought me 4 more of her delicious piping
>hot blue berry muffins, strait from our $2700 self cleaning oven.

Hey, I thought it was $2500???

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4605. Re: You WTIA so so worried

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522094112.21412.00003350@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142035

<< Subject: You WTIA so so worried
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 9:06 AM
Message-id: <7i6a4ahfn1@nnrp1.deja.com>

You WTIA are so so worried about what the Jewish people own, the TV,
movies, banks and wall street. To to bad for you poor malcontents, we
own them because we work hard just a little bit harder.
<<<"Donk," you're circumsized and made Bar Mitzvah? Huh? Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what yo >>

4606. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7i6bsr$cb8$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 142036

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Hash: SHA1

Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com> wrote in message
news:374b768d.2329755@news.erols.com...
>
> You'll get better with the CW if you work at it.

Probably true for most people ... the question is who
WANTS to??? (some do, many don't care)

> In fact, 13 WPM was selected as a licensing speed
> because it is a cognitive barrier.

Actually, Morse test speeds for the highest class of
license were increased from 10 wpm to 13 wpm, circa 1936,
at the request of the ARRL president in a letter to the
FCC. The ARRL wanted faster code tests PURELY as a
means of slowing growth in the amateur ranks, contending
that (with about 30,000 hams at the time) "the bands
are approaching saturation" ... clearly a ridiculous
claim, since we have nearly 20x that many hams today.

For the full details, researched from the original
documents in the National Archives by a professional
archivist, see the article at http://www.nocode.org
under the "Articles" button, down towards the bottom
of that page of links.

73,

- --
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NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3

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q44jILWCI4Wa5gLi7yE8Hcl8

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=YO+t
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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4607. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7i6c8jceo1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 142037

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-----BEGIN PGP SIGNED MESSAGE-----
Hash: SHA1

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7i45iu$ejr@news.Hawaii.Edu...
[snip]
>
> Jeff KH6O
> "Bring back the three-month wait between passing the exams and receiving
> the license!"

Now there's another brilliant, productive idea from
a procoder (NOT!) ... about on par with many of the
other "keep 'em out unless they join our fraternity by
submitting to our hazing ritual" attitudes expressed
by so many procoders here ...

- --
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Version: PGP for Personal Privacy 5.5.3

iQA/AwUBN0a0E5e+N6+q84HiEQJu6gCcD1pwAuDRoJYWtR2yrCyBtaL6KFYAnA+M
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=J3ZB
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----
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4608. Re: Does Intercon pay it's people?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522094334.21412.00003351@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142038

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<< Subject: Does Intercon pay it's people?
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 9:04 AM
Message-id: <19990522090444.00967.00004280@ng-cc1.aol.com>

I happened to be scanning the band last week, and overheard this Illeagal net.
I heard one of the net people say, "We're sure glad your on our PAYROLL!"

This is not legal according to Part 97........
<<<Don't sweat it. They pay only the minimum wage except in my case.
Heh..heh..heh..Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
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4609. Re: The Nazi Net stepped in it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522093859.21412.00003349@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142039

<< Subject: The Nazi Net stepped in it
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 9:11 AM
Message-id: <7i6ad7$hm6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

Looks like the Nazi Net stepped in it big time, if AF2Y decides to put
up a 75 meter dipole. You think Dave KJI was a royal pain in the ass,
you haven't had a dose from the good doctor lately, heh heh.
<<<<Hey "Donk," as Bogie said to Claude Rains,the Prefect of Police, in the
last scene of "Casablanca," "LOOIE, THIS COULD BE THE BEGINNING OF A BEAUTIFUL
FRIENDSHIP." If that dipole goes up, and I get just one more word of hatred
from those Schweinhunds,they can kiss their backsides,GOODBYE." Doc,AF2Y>>>>>

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4610. Re: KV4FZ never stops lying

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522100220.21412.00003360@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142040

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<< Subject: KV4FZ never stops lying
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 3:04 AM
Message-id: <7i5kuk$47u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

Your boy KV4FZ the convicted felon never stops lying about the fine
people on Intercon, they put something back into the hobby. I never
tell lies, I tell the truth and you tin roof WTIA's can't stand it, heh
heh.
<<<Donk," I'm getting to be very fond of you. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you do >>
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4611. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522095835.21412.00003358@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142041

<< Subject: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 8:13 AM
Message-id: <26897-37469F7F-1@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
<<<Sorry but "Spear Chucker" is not a perjorative name for a Black man. If you see the original motion picture M*A*S*H*, take heed of the Black fellow who's recruited to play football in the final scenes. He refers to himself as "Spear Chucker." The rest of those perjorative names must have come from someone else; in fact, right from the Liberty Net as well as from the Nazi bastards who occupy 3.950 every night but Saturdays. Guys like Mean Gene Crotch from Bloomsburg, and Al Parker, the momma's boy from Hicksville and Gene Metzger, the hoodlum from Buffalo and Mike, the retard from Maryland and that idiot in Roanoke who used to live in my area but got booted out for God knows what and ad nauseum. My friends are well mannered, elite,educated,kind,friendly,honest and respectful of all races,religions,nationalities and sexual preferences. Apparently you have a case of mistaken identity which is so common for you turdballs.After all.if you brand a person as a Communist, or a Socialist or what not for not putting up with your Heil Hitlers,then why not falsely accuse en masse? ZeroBeatMeat, I've read your trash long enough and I advise you to leave this r.r.a.m. immediately before you get me mad. You don't want me as an enemy, I assure you. This is my final warning before I lower the boom. Hit the high road while there's an exit left. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>
Back in November, we heard your best radio buddy, WB2OTK, utter some of the filthiest racist remarks many of us have ever heard on amateur radio. The recorded words consisted of such vile names as: nigger, spear chucker, jigger-boo, brillo pad, etc.

Also, on several occasions, we've heard your anti-Liberty Net friends spew bigoted, hateful words. Your good friend WA9KJI....along with K5BLB and K5MVK have used the terms: faggot, queer-bastard and nigger.

Now....you've accused Kevin Strom, WA4AIO of being a bigoted, racist Nazi. But I've NEVER heard ANY of the racist terms spewing forth from the mouth of Mr. Strom.

So what's wrong with this picture, Doc-Boy? Could it be that YOU and your cohorts are the REAL racist Nazi's????

(I'm looking forward to seeing you try and squirm out of this one, Doc! >>

4612. Riley Hollingsworth, Undeniable Truths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paula Farnswell <farnswell106@regentsorg.net>
Message-ID: <zwz13.4341$ll5.1190771@news1.mia>
Source record: 142042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

HOLLINGSWORTH's RULES

1. Riley Hollingsworth is a federal bureaucrat and
his pay check has FCC printed on it.

2. Riley Hollingsworth is a lawyer, and lawyers
are always loyal to each other.

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Hollingsworth's loyalty is to the people who put money
in his bank account. He will NEVER offend them and will
do whatever they tell him to do. If in doubt, see rule #1.

Providing he will not break rule#1, Riley Hollingsworth
will ALWAYS be loyal to other lawyers. If in doubt, see
rule#2.

All other discussion is purely academic. If in
doubt, see rule #1 and rule #2.

You people wanted enforcement. You've got it!
And Hollingsworth has gotten out of shuffling papers until
he retires.

What a fucking joke!

4613. Re: They may be leaving 3950, but . . .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522111005.23507.00003376@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 142043

<< Subject: They may be leaving 3950, but . . .
From: "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 10:13 PM
Message-id: <Bpo13.2456$ql.211056@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>

They may be leaving 3950 but that will only give them more time to trash the
Internet. Do you suppose that Riley could get them off here and leave this
place to decent folks?
<<<No Joe, Riley has no say whatsoever over the Internet. There never should be
censorship on it which, by the way, is an unwritten rule. However there's no
rule against driving the meatheads nuts on the Internet which is exactly what
I'll do. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>>
--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH >>

4614. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522110618.23507.00003374@ng62.aol.com>
Source record: 142044

<<This moron lists all of the countries which expelled Jews. Is it coincidental that their empires and influence crumbled? Has the United States ever expelled her Jews? No, which explains why we are the greatest and most progressive and democratic nation in the history of the world. Why? Because God blesses those who bless His Chosen and curses those who curse them. And why is it that between all the expulsions,persecutions and mass murders, the Jews have survived and enriched the world with their influence? Because they are God's chosen people. And so people like Carol Valentine and her followers can rant and rave and accuse 'til the cows come home-you will only be able to defy God, never defeat Him. You will always be able to persecute Jews but never be able to eliminate them. As long as man seeks remedy for pain,brilliance in science,creativity in the arts and the inspiration for hope among the hopeless, you'll find the Jew. Long after abominations like Valentine and company are wormfood, the Jew will be in tact and always prepared to enrich this world with great things to come. We are quite a remarkable people if you stop to think of it-if you use your head instead of biased hearts-if you understand some history and philosophy. I really feel sorry for anyone who keeps a chart of the expulsion of Jews. All you're proving is how ignorant and biased historical illiterates can be. Doc,AF2Y and a P.S. Chetley you are all bigfoot and no brain.>>>>>>>>>

Date/Location Date/Location

250: Carthage 1559: Austria
415: Alexandria 1561: Prague
554: Diocese of Clement (France) 1567: Wurzburg
561: Diocese of Uzzes (France) 1569: Papal States
612: Visigoth Spain 1571: Brandenburg
642: Visigoth Empire 1582: Netherlands
855: Italy 1593: Brandenburg, Austria
876: Sens 1597: Cremona, Pavia & Lodi
1012: Mayence 1614: Frankfort
1181: France 1615: Worms
1290: England 1619: Kiev
1306: France 1649: Ukraine
1348: Switzerland 1654: Little Russia
1349: Heilbronn (Germany) 1656: Lithuania
1349: Hungary 1669: Oran (North Africa)
1388: Strasbourg 1670: Vienna
1394: Germany 1712: Sandomir
1394: France 1727: Russia
1422: Austria 1738: Wurtemburg
1424: Fribourg & Zurich 1740: Little Russia
1426: Cologne 1744: Bohemia

1432: Savory 1744: Livonia
1438: Mainz 1745: Moravia
1439: Augsburg 1753: Kovad (Lithuania)
1446: Bavaria 1761: Bordeaux
1453: Franconis 1772: Deported west of Dnieper
1453: Breslau 1775: Warsaw
1454: Wurzburg 1789: Alace
1485: Vincenza (Italy) 1804: Villages in Russia
1492: Spain 1808: Villages & Countrysides
1495: Lithuania (Russia)
1815: Lubeck & Bremen
1497: Portugal 1815: Franconia, Swabia &
Bavaria
1499: Germany 1820: Bremen
1514: Strasbourg 1843: Russian Border Austria &
Prussia
1519: Regensburg 1862: Area in the U.S. under
Grant's Jurisdiction
1540: Naples 1866: Galatz, Romania
1542: Bohemia 1919: Bavaria (foreign born
Jews)
1550: Genoa 1938-45: Nazi Controlled Areas
1551: Bavaria 1948: Arab Countries
1555: Pesaro

Could the expulsions have been because the Jews were busy little
beavers, building w >>

4615. Re: I'm always ready

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522113752.12517.00004004@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142045

>I don't go to hamfests to start trouble, but I'm always ready if trouble
>starts. Get in my face and go home in a body bag, just ask Gene ask
>Tom, heh heh.

That's not what I heard, Porky Boy!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4616. Re: Just plain vanilla with no sprinkles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522113928.12517.00004005@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142046

>I don't need followers, don't want to be anybodys leader. I'm just
>plain vanilla with no sprinkles, people listen to me because I always
>tell the t*r*u*t*h, heh heh.

CBRambo Sez,

HA HA HA HA!!!!!

You could'nt tell the truth if your life depended on it!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4617. CBRAMBO IS HERE TO STAY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522114126.12517.00004007@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142047

You just better count on it this time! You really thought I was going to leave for good? Well think again! Looks like Doc Hate and PorkButt think they have it figured out, but I know better! Just wait and see..... heh heh!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4618. Re: One phone call to Al Gore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522114403.12517.00004009@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 142048

>Just got off the phone with Al Gore, one call was all it took.
>It's all over, don't you wish you knew what I know??? heh heh.
>
>

I think I want to throw up on my new keyboard. If you only knew what I knew Porky, I just got a letter from the State of Florida, looks like you better enjoy that "lifestyle" you have now, because before long, you will be seeing Bubba for a while!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4619. Re: Crossing Atlantic Ocean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rudi Wiedemann <wiedemann@home.com>
Message-ID: <qiA13.399$Nb2.757@news.rdc1.sfba.home.com>
Source record: 142049

Since you've already got a schedule set up for him to listen, I recommend
you find a friendly sailor with a marine SSB rig and contact him directly.
If you don't know anyone, contact your nearest and largest yachting center
and start asking around. Marine chandleries are good contact places as
well.

good luck to you.

Roger Watrelot wrote in message <7i42bicne1@front3m.grolier.fr>...
>Friend of mine is crossing Atlantic Ocean rignt now on a sailing boat...
>from St Marteen to Marseille (south of France) but alone. Does somebody
know
>how to find poeple hearing SSB frequencies (14380 Khz SSB at 0900 GMT, 8710
>Khz at 12 00 GMT, 6945 Khz at 13 00 GMT, Call sign +ACI-Marius+ACI-). His
family
>really appreciate to her about him.
>Please anny information to reach him are very welcomed.
>
>Merci beaucoup +ACE-
>
>Roger
>watoo+AEA-club-internet.fr
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4620. OUT OF CONTROL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww7@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27075-3746CDAE-30@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142050

Please excuse me but I get these arrl emails all the time and every one now consists of virtually a 100% worship of fcc enforcer hollingworth.The messages get more bazaar all the time. I am in total agreement that in amateur radio with the lack of fcc enforcement over recent years a few 'bad apples' have sprouted up and something should be done.With 1,000,000 amateur radio operators surely there are going to be some nut? cases? Intentional interference..lewd language that is lewd,etc.etc. FINE-CLEAN UP SOME OF THE GARBAGE. What I seem to be hearing now are PERSONAL OPINIONS OF WHAT AMATEUR RADIO SHOULD BE LIKE AND IF YOU DON'T FIT SURRENDER YOUR LICENSE. Now we even have the social security number collecting. But what bothers me is the personal non-democratic opinion of how an amateur is suppossed to be and if your not that way..we're going to boot you out !!!! I can smell alot of people being portrayed as crooks when they are not even in violation of fcc rules. ----- I just got the email about CLUBS. Theres no law saying a person can't have 3000 clubs but my last email says if anybody has more than one they are a crook. WITHOUT KNOWING THE FACTS PEOPLE ARE BEING CALLED CROOKS !!!! Theres some guy that recently has up to 30 clubs and he'd advertised as a fraud prior to his trial. IT ALSO GOES ON TO SAY IF ANYBODY HAS MORE THAN ONE WE-I....THE FCC...IS COMING TO GET YOU. There was a period of time somebody could get any amount of clubs they wanted.They still can except I think theres suppossed to be so many members now vs. 2 to get the club license.Also some minor things like 'papers of organization'. There were a few people that seemed to be abusing the system but was it legal OR in my opinion who really cares ? TOP PRIORITY ? On the internet if somebody has 100 different websites who cares ? Several years ago I got 3 clubs. 3 with totally different themes. I am going to be away for the summer but I should stay here and watch my mail for a notice telling me I might be a crook ??(with so many days to answer)---but whats next ??? I don't even want to be in amateur radio that is a police-state enviorement. Its a hobby to enjoy. YES---CLEAN UP THE FEW BAD APPLES AND CHARACHTERS THAT ARE CAUSING THE COMMUNITY PROBLEMS. I can remember when the arrl begged for a fcc limit on clubs but never got it. I can recall the arrl begging for many things and never got them from fcc. Now it seems the arrl has anything they want if law or no law. I hear amplifiers that can exceed 1.5kw are to be banned now. My AL-82 can go over 1.5 but not with 100 watts driving it. Its becoming banned radio equipment along with everything that can recieve 800mhz?? I wonder what they would say in 1920 if told listening to under 20mhz was illegal ? Excuse the long post but I am beginning to get concerned about this 'running for political office' 'high profile' enforcement..... I am just trying to express a democratic opinion. Am I too radical ? The opinion of what an amateur radio operator is suppossed to be is in 1999 made by amateurs who the average age is

60+.This has nothing to do with the great cw debate.Think theres problems now? Wait to amateur radio is cb-style...it might be sad but is cb style illegal ? I would have had great concerns 30 years ago if the fcc was behaving this way vs. SILENT enforcement of regulations.

4621. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <svA13.881$eC3.87825@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 142051
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:7i6614$mgh@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com...
> In <374602C4.D69C85CA@gnc.net> Robert <rc123@gnc.net> writes:
> >
> >Follow this link:
> >http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/newsflsh.htm
> >
> >Robert
> >http://dune.globe-net.net/~rc123/Robert/
> >
> >Greg Dean wrote:
> >
> >> One of the local scanner hobbist told me that Bill Cheek
> >> was arrested for making a decoder for the Motorola MDT.
> >
>
> yes he was arrested.
>
> yes he was let go on bail.
>
> yes, he has to go to NYC
> if they want him for appearance.
>
> he's been screwed.
>
> agree about the Clinton bit: for him
> the 70's was staying out of the military.
>
> I guess he's getting even.
>
> bill conduit
> etc.
>
>

4622. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <BvA13.882$eC3.88022@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 142052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:7i6614$mgh@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com...
> In <374602C4.D69C85CA@gnc.net> Robert <rc123@gnc.net> writes:
> >
> >Follow this link:
> >http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/newsflsh.htm
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> bill conduit
> etc.
>
>

4623. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <rGA13.884$eC3.86997@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 142053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

BAYCITVIDGRP <myway@ix.netcom.com> wrote ...
> >Greg Dean wrote:
> >
> >> One of the local scanner hobbist told me that Bill Cheek
> >> was arrested for making a decoder for the Motorola MDT.
> >
>
> yes he was arrested.
>
> yes he was let go on bail.
>
> yes, he has to go to NYC
> if they want him for appearance.
>
> he's been screwed.

How so? Do YOU know the facts? Seems we only hear rumors on this NG.

> > agree about the Clinton bit: for him
> the 70's was staying out of the military.

Yes. many opposed Vietnam. They have been proven correct. No dominos. Not Red or Dead. Ask Bobby MacNamara. Read. Try and learn beyond your brainwashing.

> I guess he's getting even.

Guess you are a Republican that can't face its party sucks worse than the Democrats.

Didn't Bill brag on his WWW page about the ability to receive MDT?
Didn't he send (5 times) software to decode MDT with the data slicers he sold to the Feds?
Why hasn't Opto been attacked by the Feds? Must have paid off Clinton, right?

can you answer real questions?

4624. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26895-3746D2E5-16@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142054

Oh, phuck you Doc-Boy. You might have jammed me on 20/75 meters, but you WILL NOT silence me her on Usenet.

I can tell you this, if my question was asked by Riley, your lame answer would have been rejected by him and you would have been told to properly respond to the issues and reply within two weeks. ;-)

You're a very interesting subject for my psychological studies. You're highly intelligent, but highly irrational. I'm not sure what category to place you in. But perhaps you'll spew some more of your drivel, and that may help me determine what mental illness you need treatment for.

Have a great Saturday, Doc-Boy!

Jr.

4625. RACIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ww7@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27077-3746D28C-24@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142055

I seldom ever get here to read or post. I don't believe the people should spew forth unendless racist hatred type mumblings. My bigger concern has always been democracy telling somebody how they can think. Its illegal not to like something or somebody ? Thats democracy ? Personally I ignore the nonsense and people should be jailed for their opinions ?? Many of these groups that get all these racist-hate laws passed and enforced are the biggest racist-hatred groups around !!!!!! Now I'm not going to go the ignorant racist direction but for example DO YOU THINK THE ADL CARES ABOUT YOU ? WHAT DO THEY THINK ABOUT YOU ? I have no problems with any group promoting their ethnic? pride but any group promoting it where THEY are the 'chosen' 'best' 'superior' 'god-chosen' and all that stuff.?? I get along with 'black people' fine... did anybody ever guess that there are some black people that really don't care what happens to a white person? Maybe it would be nice if every race/creed/color/? always got along but is it ever reality? Laws to control how people can think ? In amateur radio theres people that don't like qrp'ers. Theres people that don't like contesters. ILLEGAL to say so ?

4626. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3746D5A4.D75489C7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142056
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Ed:
Your post is reasoned and reasonable, but I disagree on points.
I tend to get a little "passionate" about these issues,
which is both good and bad.
It's a sad soul who doesn't feel passionately about something.

I don't doubt Mr. Hollingsworth's good intentions.
I believe him to be an honorable man. But there are
principles by which we are supposed to live and
he's stepped -or been pushed- over them twice, to my knowledge.

I don't care for WB2OTK's attitudes one bit.
But demanding that he respond to informal OO notices
as though they were official FCC enforcement documents,
and demanding it again with the threat of punitive action
if he does not comply are way out of line.

I neither agree with nor support the views of *most* people
on the Liberty Net. But their rights to hold and voice
those views in a peaceful manner are protected in the
Bill of Rights. The FCC has been "spanked" by the courts
on this issue several times. The idea that your
civil rights can be negated by the simple proclaimation of
a functionary of a licensing federal agency was settled long ago.
His flat statement that our first amendment civil right to freedom
of expression somehow does not extend to amateur radio is outrageous.

One-way broadcasting, "ghost talking" and jamming
on the Liberty Net are obviously not protected speech.
But those charges are irrelevant to my point.
Most thinking people who are not knee-jerk or vested apologists for
Mr. Hollingsworth agree that he is attempting enforcement
action based -in part- on the political content of Liberty Net speech.
That may be "politically correct," but it's also way out of line.

Mr. Hollingsworth is an honorable, intelligent man trained in the law.
He must be aware of these points.
These FCC postions can't possibly be sustained
past the first serious court challenge,
unless the courts really *are* as corrupt as some believe.
Therefore, it is logical to assume that he is receiving
irresistable pressure from above to espouse these positions.

That being the case, it is in our interest to examine
the motives and intentions of those applying that pressure.

73 OM DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

4627. Re: I have returned!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522124149.24424.00003652@ng16.aol.com>
Source record: 142057

I thought you were gone for good? It would have been good, certainly, but now we can add "Promise Breaker" to the other low-life, scum-sucking titles you earned earlier, when you were an HIV infection on the ngs

4628. Re: CBRAMBO IS HERE TO STAY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bea472$05145c40$27afbacd@mikey>
Source record: 142058

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http://pw1.netcom.com/~frg9600/jammers.html

CBRambo1 <cbrambo1@aol.com> wrote in article
<19990522114126.12517.00004007@ng-cd1.aol.com>...
> You just better count on it this time! You really thought I was going to
leave
> for good? Well think again! Looks like Doc Hate and PorkButt think they
have
> it figured out, but I know better! Just wait and see...... heh heh!
>
>
> "Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
> "I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"
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4629. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522124700.24424.00003655@ng16.aol.com>
Source record: 142059

Your feelings are common, and correct, for those who have "advanced beyond their experience." Book- larnin' is only half of the deal, and experience comes only with time and "doing." Thats why a savy sarge was worth 10 new 2nd lueys.

4630. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9UPI <wendie7@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7i6rm8skp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142060

In article <19990522055745.23711.00003584@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:
> I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech
plus
> I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and
or
> can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
> better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
> Thank you
>

I am basically in the same situation you are, except I am just THINKING about upgrading my license. I know that my brother and his friend have downloaded some morse code teaching programs off the internet that are simple to use and seem to be pretty helpful. If I can find the addresses to them, I will send them to you. They let you go at your own pace and once you've learned a few, they let you decide what you need to work on and things like that, whereas, I can't see just a tape doing that. But who knows. If I can find the addresses to the one we use, I will send it to you. Good Luck

KB9UPI
Wendie

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4631. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Barry Smith <baz@g4iat.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <ant2216210b0nGS$@g4iat.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 142061
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3745E425.1FDF@ameritech.net>, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<URL:mailto:theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:

> Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
> Monochrome would imply. Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.
> By the way, the best Black and White is what is know as a Twistee cone.
> That is when they combine Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Ice Crea.

If you're going to be pedantic at least check your facts first.
Monochrome - (of, using or being) reproduction or execution in 1 colour,
black and white, or shades of grey.
And technically speaking, black and white, being the absorbtion or reflection
of the whole spectrum, are not colours.

Barry
--
Support the Acorn User RC5-64 cracking effort
See http://www.acornusers.org/rc5/

4632. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3746E387.CA8CFEF2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142062

In-the -Zone wrote:
(speaking of Doc)
> ...You're a very interesting subject for my psychological studies.
>You're highly intelligent, but highly irrational....

This is an old and well-understood phenomenon-
An example of the power of a lifetime of racist and
political indoctrination. Rational, reasoned arguments
supported with irrefutable facts have no power over such
a person. Their training is paramount to the point of
self-destruction. It's very interesting to watch
these people flop from one extreme to another in order
to avoid rational argument. Personal attacks are the
usual avenue, since rational discourse is utterly beyond them.
Kinda sad, really....

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

4633. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i6po5$pmt@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>You missed the point, Jeff. Morse code skill is considered approximately
>as important as everything else in ham radio combined. You can miss all
>the questions on the most popular mode and pass the written. You cannot
>miss all the questions on the third most popular mode and pass the code
>test. Skipping all the written questions means skipping all the questions
>on ALL the modes. Skipping all the code questions means skipping all the
>questions on ONE mode. You call that fair?

So you're opposed to having a single skill test. Fine. Let's incorporate
skill tests on say, the three most popular modes. Those wishing to
receive an HF license would pass a skill exam on each of SSB, code, and
packet. (Note that code is the second-most popular HF mode, Cecil.)

73, Jeff KH6O

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Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4634. Pork Butt Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i6ugnugu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142064

Uh Oh, It looks like WB2OTK "PORKBUTT" has TVI problems, also telephone and computer inteference problems. No promblembo, he can take a few of those
wonderful Porkbutt "RFI FILTERS" that he had his suckboys selling and shilling for him a few weeks ago and fix the problem. I guess they are useless as everyone said {except his suck boy shills) Just another way for the "MILLIONAIRE" to scam a few bucks!!!!!

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4635. TH6DXX Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John J. Burke" <jburke@wa-net.com>
Message-ID: <3746f742.0@news.worldaccessnet.com>
Source record: 142065

I need a manual for readjusting my beam when I pull it down on the first
Anyone can help??? Maybe even FAX it to me at (360)225-6413 ??

Thanks

John W7BO

4636. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7i6rrp$f13@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael Young (nobody@all.org) wrote:
: James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote in message
[snip]

: You need to answer 7 of the 10 questions. 70% of 13 is less than ten.
: Forget that they stipulate 13 wpm. They're testing for 10 wpm.

13 WPM times anything is still 13 WPM :) (especially if you try the 100%
route.)

: Besides, what's wrong with a no-code ticket? I yams what I yam!!

Different strokes for ....

: Michael.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4637. Re: Riley Hollingsworth, Undeniable Truths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <3746F44B.109@cats-net.com>
Source record: 142067
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Paula Farnswell wrote:
>
> HOLLINGSWORTH's RULES
>
> 1. Riley Hollingsworth is a federal bureaucrat and
> his pay check has FCC printed on it.
>
> 2. Riley Hollingsworth is a lawyer, and lawyers
> are always loyal to each other.
>

It seems to me that the above should be entitled "Paula Farnswell's Rules" (if there is a Paul Farnswell). You wrote them; Hollingsworth did not. I'll bet his "paycheck" is an electronic direct deposit. If it came from Uncle Sam, it would say "United States Treasury" and nothing about the FCC.

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>
> Hollingsworth's loyalty is to the people who put money
> in his bank account. He will NEVER offend them and will
> do whatever they tell him to do. If in doubt, see rule #1.

You mean you aren't loyal to your employer? Do you offend your employer and do you do what your employer tells you to do?

You wrote rule #1.

> Providing he will not break rule#1, Riley Hollingsworth
> will ALWAYS be loyal to other lawyers. If in doubt, see
> rule#2.

Is that we have lawyers battling each other in court?

You wrote rule #2.

> All other discussion is purely academic. If in
> doubt, see rule #1 and rule #2.

You wrote rules #1 and #2.

> You people wanted enforcement. You've got it!
> And Hollingsworth has gotten out of shuffling papers until
> he retires.

Yes, we wanted enforcement. How does stepped up enforcement translate into getting out of shuffling papers? It would seem that an increase in enforcement increases the paperwork flow.

> What a fucking joke!

I don't know how old you are but you type like a 19-year-old fresh from boot camp.

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
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For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

4638. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3746f444.8577771@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142068
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

DX is ,technically,making 'contact' with a station in another Country.

On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:

>Mike Silva wrote:
>>
>> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
>> >
>> >
>> >Danny wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Mother Nature wrote:
>> >> >
>> >> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
>> >> > making me hot......<g>
>> >>
>> >> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
>> >>
>> >> Danny
>> >> --
>> >
>> >I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
>> >a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!
>>
>> Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!
>>
>> ... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
>> stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...
>>
>> Mike
>Don't foget Spark Gap. For those of you who do not know what DX is; it
>means receiveing a radio/television signal from far away. From far away
>as in you usually do not get a signal from this place. DX can also mean
>how far your siganl is getting out. From everything that I read; if you
>can run just 10 watts, and your siganl is getting out 300 to 400 miles
>then that is better DX then somebody running 1000 watts and doing th
>same thing.
>--
>REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
>ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4639. Re: A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rickhit@worldnet.att.net
Message-ID: <3746f7a5.16213331@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 142069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 21 May 1999 15:03:43 GMT, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:

>In article <3744EC84.3C67@dirtball.com>,
> Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
>
>> dead. 11-meters around here is never dead. I found two truckers at the
>> 154 mile stick on 85. They where on on 27.635 of all places other then
>> that the spectrum is pretty darn quite.
>
>> Oris, you be long on 27.635 with the rest of the WTIA. Did Susie go
>over there to do them a little favor, to get the rent for that tin roof
>shack you live in??? hmmm
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

It's Comments like that above that is hurting the Radio Hobby, not
helping it!!!

Rick KC2ESD

4640. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27306-3746F211-61@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142070

When you refer to the conversation between OTK and N9GOR, where the names of Spearchucker, brillo-head etc.were used, you need to know that the two people in conversation were and are friends for over a 10 year period, and were only clowning around and no one said anything on either side that was meant to hurt the other, and neither took it that way. These two are always clowning around with each other. A few of those listening..suck as W4FQF and friends had a fit, and showed their respectve asses, without having the slightest clue as to what they were talking about. I hope I have helped clear up some of the missunderstandings here. K4RUB

4641. Re: 6 scrumptous orange danishs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11b0c4b4a7670fad98969f@news.vais.net>
Source record: 142071

In article <7i6annhvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com mumbled...
--> You WTIA malcontents are so jealous, a gorgous blond just fixed me 6
--> scrumptous orange danishs piping hot oozing with hot icing strait from
--> our $2900 self cleaning oven. WTIA = White Trash In America

You must be a real FATBOY, always eating. That's not right!

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http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm

4642. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3746ff02.11327742@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142072

While I am glad your Hamfest 'experience' was a good one...I have been
kicked,shoved,'elbowed' and near suffocated(from the lack of others
personal hygiene) at Hamfests in several cities.I honestly believe the
majority of those in attendance to be the most rude,obnoxious and
'all-around' discourteous group of people ever assembled.
As far as Dayton...I wasnt there and wouldnt have walked 1 block from
my home to be there.

On Fri, 21 May 1999 23:15:17 -0400, DPH <rally2xs@csi.com> wrote:

>So, what Hamvention did YOU go to? The one I went to had some of the nicest,
>friendliest, most courteous people I am ever likely to run into, I think.
>Don't know how many thousand "excuse me"'s I heard (and said) as I was
>bounced off of and as I bounced off others in the crowd. People would greet
>you even tho they don't know you, etc. I can't see how you could want much
>better, actually. Where can you find better people? At church, maybe? But
>nowhere else outside of the "Sunday Halo Effect" of church, I think.
>
>Dave Head
>K8DH
>
>Steven wrote:
>
>> Do you think it may have something to do with the fact that HAMS,at
>> HAMFESTs,are probably the most rude,dis-courteous and all around
>> obnoxious people on the planet????
>>
>> On Mon, 17 May 1999 21:53:12 -0400, DPH <rally2xs@csi.com> wrote:
>>
>> >I've been going to the Hamvention since the late 60's. Even made it
>> >back from Panama for one when I was in the service.
>> >
>> >Last weekend was one of the lowest attended Hamventions I can remember.
>> >I could actually walk around inside the buildings. You could actually
>> >see the equipment. There was no huge crush. Just a BIG crowd.
>> >Probably 20,000 or so. Certainly not 33,000.
>> >
>> >Didn't make it last year, unfortuantely, but understand that there was
>> >17,000 in attendance then.
>> >
>> >So, where was everyone? If you went before and quit for some reason,
>> >why did you quit? What could the Hamvention Committee change to get you
>> >back (other than the old date, which was usurped by the extended hockey
>> >season?) What did you do instead? Was it more fun?
>> >

>> >I feel the Hamvention is as great as it always was, and now drive 550
>> >miles instead of 100 and don't mind a bit. What a show! Walked/spent
>> >myself silly.
>> >
>> >So what's going on?
>> >
>> >Dave Head
>> >K8DH
>> >
>

4643. Hamfest Hamfest Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: rychard@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3746fdb9.15654703@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142073

Hello All,

Just a reminder.
The Atlanta HamFest and Computer Show is coming soon.
visit http://www.saf.com/arc/atlfest.htm for more details
This will be the 71st Hamfest for the Atlanta Radio Club,they have
been doing this since about 1928,one of the oldest hamfest in the
Southeast

June 5th and 6th 9:00am-5:00pm Sat and 9:00am-3:00pm Sun.
The location is at the 116 Acre Jim Miller Park, Marietta, GA.
This is on Callaway Rd. This is very near the junction
of I-75 and the I-285 loop around Atlanta.This junction is on the
west side of the I-285 loop .Just north of this junction on I-75 is
exit 110.Take exit 110(Wendy Hill Rd.) and go West.Travel a few miles
to Austell Rd. and turn left on it.Go a short distance to Callaway and
turn right on it.A short distance on Callaway Rd will take you to the
Jim Miller Park on your right.Hope to see you and your friends there.
Tickets are just 5$
The event is being put on by volunteers from the following clubs,and
other sources also.
The Atlanta Radio Club
Gwinnett Amateur Radio Society
Kennehoochee Amateur Radio Club
North Fulton Amateur Radio League

We will offer all of the following:
Large Tail gate area
Lots of free parking
20,000 square feet Indoor Market
37,000 square feet Outside Covered Show Ring for Flea Market
RV Camping full hookup for 44 lucky Hams
Cash Vouchers and other prizes

This is also the ARRL's Georgia State Convention!!
Talk-in will be on 146.82Mhz - offset. Tis repeater is located on the
NationsBank building in downtown Atlanta and has a great coverage of
the Metro Atlanta area.

For additional information contact one of the co-chairmen:
Ben Dasher, KE4YZX, 404-869-6959, bendasher@mindspring.com
Charles Golsen, N4TZM, 404-252-3303, cgolsen@atlanta.com

Be seeing you there,
Dean, KR4IU

4644. Re: RACIST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522155939.26268.00003620@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142074

<< Subject: RACIST
From: ww7@webtv.net
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 11:51 AM
Message-id: <27077-3746D28C-24@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

I seldom ever get here to read or post. I don't believe the people should spew forth unendless racist hatred type mumblings. My bigger concern has always been democracy telling somebody how they can think. Its illegal not to like something or somebody ? Thats democracy ? Personally I ignore the nonsense and people should be jailed for their opinions ?? Many of these groups that get all these racist-hate laws passed and enforced are the biggest racist-hatred groups around !!!!!! Now I'm not going to go the ignorant racist direction but for example DO YOU THINK THE ADL CARES ABOUT YOU ? WHAT DO THEY THINK ABOUT YOU ? I <<<The ADL was founded to combat anti-Semitism. The only people to object to it are Jew haters. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>
have no problems with any group promoting their ethnic? pride but any group promoting it where THEY are the 'chosen' 'best' 'superior' <<<Now the problem with the goyim is that they don't believe what's written in the Old Testament because too many are brainwashed into thinking that there is none. Your priests and ministers are not levelling with you, Genitals. Now all you gotta do is to look in the Old Testament under DEUTERONOMY. Then turn to Chapter 7:6. Then open up your two eyes and read this:"For thou art an holy people unto the Lord thy God;the Lord thy God hath chosen thee to be a special people unto himself,ABOVE ALL PEOPLE THAT ARE ON UPON THE FACE OF THE EARTH." The God of the Jews, the CREATOR OF THE UNIVERSE, not Jesus Christ, was addressing Israel. He was laying down laws that must be followed FOREVER. These laws which you'll read about, coupled to the Ten Commandments, are the CORNERSTONE OF WESTERN CIVILIZATION. They do not set apart Gentile and Jew-they should NOT set apart Gentile and Jew. They should bring us together but all too often, Christians who have been brainwashed by phony men of the cloth who must bolster their faith by denegrating Judaism,are taught to resent and hate the House of David which brought them Jesus. And of course this type of stupidity and bigotry is heard on amateur radio courtesy of Herbert Lucifer Schoenbohm and his band of demented Junior G-Mean in tandem with the 3.950 beasts whom Riley Hollingsworth suggests to find a new habitat, OFF HAM RADIO! Listen up,ww7@webtv.net.... if you want to learn about HATE, quite possibly visit your church and you'll hear fairy tales about Jews yelling to Pilate to crucify one of their own while Jewish law forbade any other type of execution than by stoning. You will hear how a small band of ragtag Hebrews. completely dominated by Rome,suddenly had enough authority to demand anything from Pontius Pilate. But the truth is that these ragtag people were chosen by God Almighty to bring to this world, and to constantly re-inforce the idea of MONOTHEISM-One God ,which has been adopted by our Christian and Moslem brothers. Had Jehovah not

spoken to Abram, who later became Abraham which was a venerated name given by God, and a covenant had never been forged between Abraham and God, we today would be no better than the jerky pre-Christian Greeks who had a God for every occasion. In summation, all the ADL wanted to do, at the outset, was to prevent the persecution of Jewish Americans and then included other factors in American society as well. And for all who are still hateful of Jews, my suggestion is to geh kockin afinyam which is Yiddish for "have a good day." Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>> 'god-chosen' and all that stuff.?? I get along with 'black people' fine... did anybody ever guess that there are some black people that really don't care what happens to a white person? Maybe it would be nice if every race/creed/color/? always got along but is it ever reality? Laws to control how people can think ? In amateur radio theres people that don't like qrp'ers. Theres people that don't like contesters. >>

4645. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i75sm$3bg$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142075

Rube:

You chain smoking Moron. Shut your Jenny Craig mouth fatass. How do you know it was all in fun? So You are in to mind reading now. Porkbutt meant every raceist thing he said. You are just the complete brown nosing suck boy and you will never change. Keep that weight up moron. Suck those cigs.Go to Jenny Craigs and do something about that gut. There is more in this world than sucking up to a failure.

article <27306-3746F211-61@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> When you refer to the conversation between OTK and N9GOR, where the
> names of Spearchucker, brillo-head etc.were used, you need to know
that
> the two people in conversation were and are friends for over a 10 year
> period, and were only clowning around and no one said anything on
either
> side that was meant to hurt the other, and neither took it that way.
> These two are always clowning around with each other. A few of those
> listening..suck as W4FQF and friends had a fit, and showed their
> respectve asses, without having the slightest clue as to what they
were
> talking about. I hope I have helped clear up some of the
> missunderstandings here. K4RUB
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--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4646. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522160339.26268.00003621@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142076

<< Subject: Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 11:53 AM
Message-id: <26895-3746D2E5-16@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

Oh, phuck you Doc-Boy. You might have jammed me on 20/75 meters, but you
WILL NOT silence me her on Usenet.
<<<Junior, your spelling is atrocious and when I get through with you, you'll
be only too happy to crawl back into the slime pit from whence you
came.Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>
I can tell you this, if my question was asked by Riley, your lame answer
would have been rejected by him and you would have been told to properly
respond to the issues and reply within two weeks. ;-)

You're a very interesting subject for my psychological studies. You're
highly intelligent, but highly irrational. I'm not sure what category to
place you in. But perhaps you'll spew some more of your drivel, and that
may help me determine what mental illness you need treatment for.
>>

4647. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522160459.26268.00003622@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142077

<< Subject: Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 1:04 PM
Message-id: <3746E387.CA8CFEF2@ix.netcom.com>
<<Wow, look at who bought a dictionary! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>

In-the -Zone wrote:
(speaking of Doc)
> ...You're a very interesting subject for my psychological studies.
>You're highly intelligent, but highly irrational....

This is an old and well-understood phenomenon-
An example of the power of a lifetime of racist and
political indoctrination. Rational, reasoned arguments
supported with irrefutable facts have no power over such
a person. Their training is paramount to the point of
self-destruction. It's very interesting to watch
these people flop from one extreme to another in order
to avoid rational argument. Personal attacks are the
usual avenue, since rational discourse is utterly beyond them.
Kinda sad, really....

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com
>>

4648. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522160903.26268.00003623@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142078

<< Subject: Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd)
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 2:06 PM
Message-id: <27306-3746F211-61@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
<<<<And furthermore Rube, I have tapes of the worst racism possible out of the mouth of that redneck Tennessee hillbilly, the husband of one-tooth Ruth. And let's not forget that the KKK originated in Pulaski, Tennessee and my guess is that the Ashley family had much to do with it. The Dumbo Clavern. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>
When you refer to the conversation between OTK and N9GOR, where the names of Spearchucker, brillo-head etc.were used, you need to know that the two people in conversation were and are friends for over a 10 year period, and were only clowning around and no one said anything on either side that was meant to hurt the other, and neither took it that way. These two are always clowning around with each other. A few of those listening..suck as W4FQF and friends had a fit, and showed their respectve asses, without having the slightest clue as to what they were talking about. I hope I have helped clear up some of the missunderstandings here. K4RUB
>>

4649. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37470FAF.2F7B21F5@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> So you're opposed to having a single skill test. Fine.

Nope, I'm opposed to any kind of skill test at all. Skill can be
learned as needed. IMO, knowledge tests are all that are necessary.

> (Note that code is the second-most popular HF mode, Cecil.)

I don't believe I mentioned HF, Jeff. CW is the third most
popular mode in ham radio.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4650. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374710B1.21C65A2F@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142080

I said:
>...Personal attacks are the usual avenue,
>since rational discourse is utterly beyond them....

Then Doc said:
> <<Wow, look at who bought a dictionary! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>

Doc makes my point for me again. Thanks, Doc! :)

73 Dave AB5S

4651. Re: When Intercon goes, Ham Radio goes!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522162418.26254.00003732@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 142081

<< Subject: Re: When Intercon goes, Ham Radio goes!
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Sat, May 22, 1999 9:02 AM
Message-id: <19990522090255.00967.00004279@ng-cc1.aol.com>

>When Intercon goes, ham radio goes to. Those nice old ladies and
>gentlemans are putting something back into the hobby, without the
>nets you can kiss ham radio bye bye.
><<<GUARANTEED,,,INTERCON'S GOING NOWHERE.IT'S BEEN ON SINCE 1960 WITH AN
IMMACULATE RECORD OF SERVICE TO THE ENTIRE GLOBE, AND AS FAR AS N0VFP GOES, HIS
BEST BET IS TO A STORE TO PICK UP SOME TAPES AND TEXTS SO THAT HE CAN GET A
DECENT HAM RADIO TICKET INSTEAD OF THAT PHONY INSIPID NO-CODE TECH CRAP HE
PROUDLY DISPLAYS AS HIS CREDENTIALS. DOC,AF2Y>>>>>>>
>

I think it'd be better, No more Drug runners, no more telephone toll
avoiders....

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dw >>

4652. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@MINDSPRING.COM
Message-ID: <374915d7.796590389@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142082

On Sat, 22 May 1999 15:16:49 -0500, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
wrote:

>I said:
>>...Personal attacks are the usual avenue,
>>since rational discourse is utterly beyond them....
>
>Then Doc said:
>> <<Wow, look at who bought a dictionary! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>
>
>Doc makes my point for me again. Thanks, Doc! :)
>
>73 Dave AB5S

Why do we never see any of Doc's posts here? The ORIGINAL posts.

4653. looking for azden pcs-3000 mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeremy Hopkins <jhopkins@toltbbs.com>
Message-ID: <374717F9.C3E610FF@toltbbs.com>
Source record: 142083
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

looking for azden pcs-3000 mic

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Jeremy W. Hopkins
KC8GWH
Toledo Ohio USA
http://www.toltbbs.com/~jhop

4654. Plugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: G8ASO <bajones@worcester.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <37471955@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 142084
Cross-posted to: alt.pirate.radio,alt.radio.pirate,aus.radio.amateur.misc,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Greetings

Yes a blatant plug for our club site!

http://www.laughingpoliceman.com

Check it out without further delay!

73s G8ASO

4655. Re: CBRAMBO IS HERE TO STAY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <01bea494$4de1a0a0$31afbacd@mikey>
Source record: 142085

Are you retarded ? It's perfectly legal to record from the amateur radio
service the only violations are from those recorded.
--
http://pw1.netcom.com/~frg9600/jammers.html

Dave <postmaster@warez.phantom.com> wrote in article
<slrn7ke0dm.g4.postmaster@wild.net>...
> On 22 May 1999 16:44:53 GMT, FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> : --

>
> Aren't you in violation of part 95 yourself for putting these
> recordings on the net?
>

4656. Re: I have returned!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: frnkburnz@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522172812.08838.00006036@ng-ch1.aol.com>
Source record: 142086

>Subject: Re: I have returned!
>From: mailfrmpa@aol.com (MailfrmPA)
>Date: 5/22/99 10:41 AM Mountain Daylight Time
>Message-id: <19990522124149.24424.00003652@ng16.aol.com>
>
>I thought you were gone for good? It would have been good, certainly, but now
>we can add "Promise Breaker" to the other low-life, scum-sucking titles you
>earned earlier, when you were an HIV infection on the ngs

Don't tell me you actually believed that KF4DDM was going to keep his promise??! Drew Durigan is a lying sack of shit--always has been, always will be. He's been pulling his stunts in the newsgroups for years now under various AOL screen names. Why do you think all of Drew's posts after 2/16/99 have disappeared from Dejanews? Been learning a few tricks of the trade from your little buddy in Phoenix, Mr. Durigan? Guess there isn't much else for Drew to do with his free time after a "hard day" of deejaying but spam this NG with his moronic drivel. Hey Drew, why don't you get a real job (that is, if there's a radio station in the US which you haven't been fired from) and go back to rec.radio.cb where you belong? I hear your buddy Enrico Oyen has been posting there lately!

"Where's all the RADIO CRYBABIES?"
"I wanna hear 'em TALK TOUGH!"

4657. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i7744$5ee@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal wrote:
> Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:

> : Back in 1932 there were only 40 kilohams in the US. The hobby did quite
> : well with those few numbers.

> Things have changed somewhat in the mean time.
> I think that in 1999 and beyond it will take more than 40K hams to KEEP
> the frequencies for the ARS though. Perhaps even 670K isn't enough.

Today there is much less pressure upon our spectrum from outside services
than anytime in the last 50 years. 40,000 HF-licensed active hams would
be plenty to insure the safety of our below-30MHz frequencies. Leave
protecting V/UHF to the no-code Techs; that was the reason for creating
the license class in the first place.
Jeff KH6O
--
Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4658. Re: Morse code/Trying to reach Hawaii

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i76i8$52s@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142088
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
>Hey Jeff, what are the chances of you sending me a Hawaii'an beach
>shirt?

Email me with your size and postal address. // Jeff KH6O
--
Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4659. Re: CBRAMBO IS HERE TO STAY!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: razzu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522175313.12902.00000714@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 142089

>Subject: Re: CBRAMBO IS HERE TO STAY!!!
>From: "FRG9600" <frg9600@ix.netcom.com>
>Date: 5/22/99 2:50 PM Mountain Daylight Time
>Message-id: <01bea494$4de1a0a0$31afbacd@mikey>
>
>Are you retarded ? It's perfectly legal to record from the amateur radio
>service the only violations are from those recorded.
>--
>http://pw1.netcom.com/~frg9600/jammers.html
>
>
>Dave <postmaster@warez.phantom.com> wrote in article
><slrn7ke0dm.g4.postmaster@wild.net>...
>> On 22 May 1999 16:44:53 GMT, FRG9600 <frg9600@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>> : --
>
>>
>> Aren't you in violation of part 95 yourself for putting these
>> recordings on the net?

Ah, but if one were to record amateur radio transmissions and then rebroadcast those transmissions on an amateur band without permission, then one would indeed be guilty of violating part 95 because they would be transmitting false signals.
By the way, "Frog Man," what's up with all the images of fat guys (Rich, Drew, etc.) on the 3950 Jammers Page? Been feeling a bit pudgy lately?

4660. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <37472885.311DE01@usa.net>
Source record: 142090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

It's all true.

He was arrested, much equipment was confiscated, & he was imprisoned
until he
made bail. He now faces federal charges & possible state charges.
Things look fairly
for him as he has a previous ciminal record (by his own admission) and
he wife may
always volunteer to turn to give evidence & act as a witness against him
to save herself (she
has also been implicated becasue the business was in both names).

Greg Dean wrote:

> One of the local scanner hobbist told me that Bill Cheek
> was arrested for making a decoder for the Motorola MDT.
>
> Cheek appearantly posted this on his web page which
> resulted in his arrest. While this sounds strange,
> did it happen?

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

4661. FS: HF gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: w9art <w9art@aol.com>
Message-ID: <vEx13.145$007.2937@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142091

My good friend, David Castle--WA9KJI, has got various pieces of HF gear for sale. Several different transceivers and amps. Call him for more details.

He says he'll also consider trading his HF gear for good, quality VHF/UHF gear.

Give him a call at: 1-812-424-5986

Art
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4662. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <6232-37472EA8-31@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142092

Mr Plaintruth Montcalm, with a gut like yours...you want to point your finger at mine? Oh by the way, Lloyd, when someone tells me to shutup..they better have the ass to back up their words, because my first instinct is to stand up. Since you are a coward...you should watch your mouth!!

I can explain the bit between OTK and N9GOR, because I have known them both personally for 10 years. Lloyd, it would be better for you to remain silent and appear the fool....rather than open your mouth... and remove all doubt! K4RUB

4663. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7i7d4d$rl4$0@208.207.71.162>
Source record: 142093
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
> Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > So you're opposed to having a single skill test. Fine.
>
> Nope, I'm opposed to any kind of skill test at all. Skill can be
> learned as needed. IMO, knowledge tests are all that are necessary.
>
> > (Note that code is the second-most popular HF mode, Cecil.)
>
> I don't believe I mentioned HF, Jeff. CW is the third most
> popular mode in ham radio.

When the subject is "access to the HF allocations within
ham radio" it would surely be proper to 'mention' HF.
Unless, of course, it works against one's "Agenda". Then one
does it the Cecilian way, and takes whatever position works
the best.

4664. FS: MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eJWH1jKp#GA.326@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 142094
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation
$200.00 + Shipping (New In Box)

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

4665. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <37473B46.7FB4@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 142095

Johnny Rico wrote:

> I find most CW QSOs to be a bore, myself.
> Hi name is Bob, rig is KW
> 850 RST 599 CUL 73 QSL sure SK...

And the morning commute show on the local
2m machine is much more exciting?

Hi Bob. Going to work again?
Hi Bill. Yup. Just like the other 364 days.
OK, well I'm destinated, CU later.

Now that's excitement. Being able to talk
over virtually dozens of miles via an
expensive machine on the hill.

Or how 'bout message handling. Now
there's some exciting traffic!...;-)

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

4666. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <37473C3E.3135@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 142096

Johnny Rico wrote:

> ...FCC administered them in the 60s.
> Those tests were easier than the ones
> they give today. The ARRL License Manual
> pretty much had all the Qs
> and As ahead of time...

Same as today, is it not? Q's & A's published.
Both the theory and the code?

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

4667. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <37473E91.2FA7@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 142097

Keith Bennett wrote:
>
> Whilst getting some diesel fuel at the filling station yesterday I
> noticed this guy at another pump who was filling with petrol (gas) and
> was happily chatting on a cell phone at the same time.
> I went over to him and politely asked him to stop using the phone.
> He asked me why and I said that with the amount of gasoline vapour about
> he could probably activate an explosion! He decided to quit using the
> phone!!

If you'll indulge an off topic, I've got an even better one.

While I was a college kid, working in a gas station,
I'm watching this guy smoking a fag while
filling his car with petrol. I yell to him
from the booth 'Hey put your cigarette out'.

He does an interesting gesture that involves
flipping the cig into the air with his middle
finger, and allows his bird finger to remain
displayed. The cig (lit) flies up a few feet,
then back down and lands where? IN THE GAS TANK.
Right through the open gas cap door.

Explosion, fire, badly injured guy that flipped
me off, etc. Didn't hurt me but burned up my
motorcycle parked nearby. I got a new Honda.
He got...tons of problems.

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

4668. Re: The Nazi Net stepped in it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TallyHo in the Tamarisk <chagreb@nwbell.net>
Message-ID: <7i7f7pdmr1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142098

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in message <7i6ad7$hm6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>Looks like the Nazi Net stepped in it big time, if AF2Y decides to put
>up a 75 meter dipole. You think Dave KJI was a royal pain in the ass,
>you haven't had a dose from the good doctor lately, heh heh.

Please let us hear the Great Alpha Foxtrot 2 Yankee on 3.950 !
I don't know about you, but the thought of AF2Y firing up on 3.950
sounds like more fun than watching a WWF pay-per-view !

4669. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37474494.2D362772@jump.net>
Source record: 142099

Go Murphy go, Darwin's friend. Love it. That scene belongs in a movie
somehwere.
H.
WA5IGW

Lumpy wrote:

> snip-

> If you'll indulge an off topic, I've got an even better one.
>
> While I was a college kid, working in a gas station,
> I'm watching this guy smoking a fag while
> filling his car with petrol. I yell to him
> from the booth 'Hey put your cigarette out'.
>
> He does an interesting gesture that involves
> flipping the cig into the air with his middle
> finger, and allows his bird finger to remain
> displayed. The cig (lit) flies up a few feet,
> then back down and lands where? IN THE GAS TANK.
> Right through the open gas cap door.
>
> Explosion, fire, badly injured guy that flipped
> me off, etc. Didn't hurt me but burned up my
> motorcycle parked nearby. I got a new Honda.
> He got...tons of problems.
>
> Lumpy
> --
> The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
> http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

4670. Re: Riley Hollingsworth, Undeniable Truths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: TallyHo in the Tamarisk <chagreb@nwbell.net>
Message-ID: <7i7fnh$ec1$1@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 142100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Paula Farnswell wrote in message ...
> HOLLINGSWORTH's RULES
>
> 1. Riley Hollingsworth is a federal bureaucrat and
>his pay check has FCC printed on it.
>
> 2. Riley Hollingsworth is a lawyer, and lawyers
>are always loyal to each other.

What else do you believe in that paranoid little mind of yours Paula ? That the ARRL is now part of the UN and FCC monitoring stations are staffed by foreign troops in khaki uniforms with blue UN flags on their shoulders ?

Tell you what, just keep buying that numismatic gold and red wheat in paint cans from militia-Pete's supply of Montana and you'll be just fine. Just don't scratch those "gold" coins too much or the slag copper underneath will show. xoxo

4671. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7i7fve$dpt@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142101
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <37472885.311DE01@usa.net> jmackey@usa.net writes:
>
>It's all true.
>
>He was arrested, much equipment was confiscated, & he was imprisoned
>until he
>made bail. He now faces federal charges & possible state charges.
>Things look fairly
>for him as he has a previous ciminal record (by his own admission) and
>he wife may
>always volunteer to turn to give evidence & act as a witness against
him
>to save herself (she
>has also been implicated becasue the business was in both names).
>

listen up you anal retard
given wretch by your five-
nosed mama.

One nose each to smell
your ass each day to
make sure you are not
hers.

Anytime Bill Cheek find himself
in need of funds for his
defense all he has to do is come
to us in this and other NG's and
i'm first in line to send him what
I have at that time.

I am sure there will be many
hundreds or more...who will be
on that list to help Bill for
his needs. All he has to do is
ask....that's how fast I'll send
my donation for his defense.

Now you mind-less cripple....

How many of us will send you
funds if you get arrested one
day, hopefully soon?

Answer that you smelly sack
of vomit burgers.

bill will be given help because
he needs our help.

i am sure all of us will send
you a bill for all the shit you
have chunneled out on this NG and
then allow you your due.

the sound of a shit-pie rotting.

bill conduit
etc.

4672. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37474D64.3E01@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142102
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Steven wrote:
>
> DX is ,technically,making 'contact' with a station in another Country.
>
> On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
>
> >Mike Silva wrote:
> >>
> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> >> >
> >> >
> >> >Danny wrote:
> >> >>
> >> >> Mother Nature wrote:
> >> >> >
> >> >> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> >> >> > making me hot......<g>
> >> >>
> >> >> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
> >> >>
> >> >> Danny
> >> >> --
> >> >
> >> >I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
> >> >a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!
> >>
> >> Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!
> >>
> >> ... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
> >> stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...
> >>
> >> Mike
> >Don't foget Spark Gap. For those of you who do not know what DX is; it
> >means receiveing a radio/television signal from far away. From far away
> >as in you usually do not get a signal from this place. DX can also mean
> >how far your siganl is getting out. From everything that I read; if you
> >can run just 10 watts, and your siganl is getting out 300 to 400 miles
> >then that is better DX then somebody running 1000 watts and doing th
> >same thing.
> >--
> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;

> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
No, it is a long distance contant or reception. It is all in how you
view it
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4673. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37474ED4.58D3@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142103
Cross-posted to: soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
>
> In article <7i3afnhdb1@brokaw.wa.com>,
> kh2d@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
> >
> > >This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what
> do
> > >they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
> >
> > Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
> > geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
> > looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
> > anything DX related for quite a while.....
> >
> > 73, Jim KH2D
>
> Jim, nothing wrong with hot women interested in dx. Sounds like just
> what we need in amateur radio. Those topless Polish QSL cards are
> getting kind of worn, you know. ;^)
>
> 73,
> Brian/N0iMD
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
SO ARE THE FRENCH, CHINESE, ENGLISH, AMERICAN, AND RUSSIAN ONES.
NOW THAT TAKES CARE OF THE SECUITY COUNCIL.
HOW ABOUT THOSE ITALIAN, SICILIAN, GERMAN, SPANISH, IRISH, BELGIUM,
GOING FOR ECC AND NATO NOW
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4674. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37475042.9583D727@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142104

Rich, have you lost a screw or two?
Your posts are sounding more and more shrill.
Still never three+ coherent sentences, though.

Perhaps you need to have your medication adjusted?

Regards,
Dave S.

4675. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37474FA6.1655@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142105
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Barry Smith wrote:
>
> In article <3745E425.1FDF@ameritech.net>, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> <URL:mailto:theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
>
> > Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
> > Monochrome would imply. Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.
> > By the way, the best Black and White is what is know as a Twistee cone.
> > That is when they combine Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Ice Crea.
>
> If you're going to be pedantic at least check your facts first.
> Monochrome - (of, using or being) reproduction or execution in 1 colour,
> black and white, or shades of grey.
> And technically speaking, black and white, being the absorbtion or reflection
> of the whole spectrum, are not colours.
>
> Barry
> --
> Support the Acorn User RC5-64 cracking effort
> See http://www.acornusers.org/rc5/
Well then tell that to my eyes.
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4676. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <374750F0.4DAD@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142106
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mother Nature wrote:
>
> Jim Kehler wrote:
> >
> > Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
> >
> > >This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what do
> > >they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
> >
> > Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
> > geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
> > looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
> > anything DX related for quite a while.....
> >
> > 73, Jim KH2D
>
> Party poopers......you mean they don't like us hot women from
> soc.penpals?
Well I like you hot women.
...---...
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4677. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3747513C.535D@ameritech.net>
Source record: 142107
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> >Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> >> Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
> >> >Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
> >> >about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?
>
> >> Listen to the theme song at the end of the program; you'll hear
> >> the violins sending M O R S E over and over (in Morse code, of course).
>
> >What program?
>
> Inspector Morse. (A&E, Tuesday evenings) // Jeff KH6O
Well what happens if you do not have cable, subscription, or satellite
Television, huh?
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4678. MT-2000 A4 programming help...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marc Schauber <waffull@skibuff.com>
Message-ID: <3747518B.9200DFE2@skibuff.com>
Source record: 142108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have an MT-2000 A4 450-520 that I am trying to program with the full 48 channels and 3 zones..... Right now I have the ABC button programmed each to one zone... I would prefer to program one of the side buttons to cycle through the zones. Is that possible? Is there anyway to program something other than the 16 selector nob and the ABC switch to the Zones?
Thank you for your help.
Marc Schauber

4679. Re: wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <jHI13.1736$J3.60196@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142109

There we were, at 250 feet on short final when plaintruth@my-dejanews.com keyed the mike and said:

>WB2otk is wanted in Florida on a bad check charge. The warrant is still
>in effect. He faced a foreclosure on a home he was buying in Florida. He
>and members of his family were involved in a shoplifting affair in
>Greenville S. C. This is the stuff you will not hear on the hambands,
>but we can freely disclose the truth here. heh heh. Boy is he a success
>in his chosen profession constant lying. say no more. All of this can
>be proven. Also one of his buddies claimed to have received the Medal Of
>Honor. This bird was WB9BCC. It was pure egotist BS and against the law
>This is the kind of people who are posting all this stuff on the news
>group. They are a legend in their own minds. Of course the suck boys
>just look over these small defects in their heros.
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

QUOTE
Also one of his buddies claimed to have received the Medal Of
Honor. This bird was WB9BCC.
END QUOTE

According to QRZ.com, WB9BCC is Duane L. Jacobson.

--There is no Jacobson recipient of the Medal of Honor from Vietnam
-- There is no Jacobson recipient of the Medal of Honor from the Korean War
-- A MOH was awarded in WW II to Douglas Thomas Jacobson, PFC, US Marine Corp, for action on Iwo Jima.

For those who are interested, the US Army Center of Military History has a listing of all MOH recipients and the citations for their awards at this URL:

http://www2.army.mil/cmh-pg/moh1.htm

Regards,
Joe Schlatter
http://www.miafacts.org
http://www.schlatter.org
Amateur Radio Extra Class licensee W4HH

4680. Re: How to find HF nets and frequencies ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <37475F11.4C57@imt.net>
Source record: 142110

Lynton@iname.com wrote:
>
> Anyone know of HF net frequencies and what time they are active, or is
> there a website with a listing?
>
> -=== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==-
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

The ARRL publishes a net directory.Tracy

4681. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <37475FCF.31F1@imt.net>
Source record: 142111

Stoli126 wrote:
>
> I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
> I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
> can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
> better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
> Thank you
Scrap the tapes you have and get Jerry Ziliaks high speed code course,it
is a piece of cake using these,I went from 0-20WPM in 5 months and only
LISTENED while I was driving.Tracy

4682. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <374765E6.37B0@sir.com>
Source record: 142112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Baron's call sign is N502TB. When you tune in an NDB, a VOR, or an ILS you are taught to
> listen to the CW identification to confirm that you have the correct station.

Apparently not any more. Neither of my friends ever HEARD of this BS
and they both have licenses and fly planes. Perhaps back in the 60's
things were different.

4683. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <374764EA.173C@sir.com>
Source record: 142113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

> Computers are like Old Testament gods; -

They are not alike at all. One is real, one is fiction. BIG difference.

4684. WTB: Good quality UHF/VHF SWR and Watt Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <pGK13.4$p3.5013@news21.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur

Please email me a description, price and the condition of the unit.

Thanks,

Paul

4685. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37477A39.2453AD98@jump.net>
Source record: 142115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Right now. Right here. You don't know anyone in aviation. I flew my last IFR cross country Thursday. Damn if the Centex VOR didn't go _. _. ._ _ _._ "CWK". Then the Waco VOR went ._ _._. _ "ACT". Then the Waco ILS went .. ._ _._. "IACT". The Navaids that don't do it (CW ID) are LORAN and GPS. Pack up any sectional aeronautical chart or approach plate and the
CW is printed next to the Navaid identifier. That's the last for your troll, wankstain.
H.

Sir wrote:

> > Baron's call sign is N502TB. When you tune in an NDB, a VOR, or an ILS you are taught to
> > listen to the CW identification to confirm that you have the correct station.
>
> Apparently not any more. Neither of my friends ever HEARD of this BS
> and they both have licenses and fly planes. Perhaps back in the 60's
> things were different.

4686. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27312-374776AA-8@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142116

Then my appology to Mr Montcalm...if it is Polly..he truly should keep his mouth shut, because, he sounds a lot like Lloyd Montcalm!

4687. Re: MT-2000 A4 programming help...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth Allan Mitchell <nokones@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37477AD4.C12E6B08@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The RSS software for the A7 version radio will allow the side buttons
to be programmed for Zone select. Rather or not it will work in your
radio is another question. Just because the RSS software allows for
it, the radio may not let you do it.

The new version 6 RSS MTSX software has "MPL" and the radio will take
it and you get the sharp tone when you try to activate the feature but
the radio doesn't do anything.

You can only try and see if it works.

Marc Schauber wrote:
>
> I have an MT-2000 A4 450-520 that I am trying to program with the full
> 48 channels and 3 zones..... Right now I have the ABC button
> programmed each to one zone... I would prefer to program one of the
> side buttons to cycle through the zones. Is that possible? Is there
> anyway to program something other than the 16 selector nob and the ABC
> switch to the Zones?
> Thank you for your help.
> Marc Schauber

--
Kenneth Allan Mitchell
mailto:nokones@ix.netcom.com

4688. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <FTM13.28621$5e2.533182@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 142118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

The only facts one needs to show that you are a loser, obsessed with Bill Cheek, are the hundreds of asinine posts you have made.

TR

jmackey@usa.net wrote in message <37477664.B01B352A@usa.net>...
>Bill Conduit-
>
>Why is it that you are unable to present any FACTS to support your
>cause & have to resort to school yard type ridicule?
>
>
>> listen up you anal retard
>> given wretch by your five-
>> nosed mama.
>>
>> One nose each to smell
>> your ass each day to
>> make sure you are not
>> hers.
>
>SNIP
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

4689. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <wmN13.1134$eC3.157040@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 142119
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:37477664.B01B352A@usa.net...
> Bill Conduit-
>
> Why is it that you (snip)
> have to resort to school yard type ridicule?

It must be obvious to every person but you John-Boy. Bill is lowering himself to your level. For most of us that is a giant drop, you should be flattered someone would take the time to stoop so low.

4690. Re: Morse code/Trying to reach Hawaii

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <jIRxPHA$5yR3Ewo6@virgin.net>
Source record: 142120
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7i76i8$52s@news.Hawaii.Edu>, Jeffrey Herman
<jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> writes
>Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:
>>Hey Jeff, what are the chances of you sending me a Hawaii'an beach
>>shirt?
>
>Email me with your size and postal address. // Jeff KH6O
They won't allow us packages here in Wormwood Scrubs. Nice to offer
though!

--
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UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4691. Re: How to find HF nets and frequencies ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: john1952@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i5a1vths1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142125

In article <7i53r8$pq5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
Lynton@iname.com wrote:
> Anyone know of HF net frequencies and what time they are active, or is
> there a website with a listing?
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
There are lots of web sites with net listings. For starters, check out
http://www.ac6v.com
Also, go to a search engine such as infoseek
http://www.infoseek.com and type in "amateur radio nets" (include the
quotation marks). That should keep you going for quite a while.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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4692. Re: SAG the FAG is done on 3950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521200415.18119.00001756@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142126

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<< Subject: SAG the FAG is done on 3950
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 7:19 PM
Message-id: <7i4pl4$j82$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<<<Dear "Donk'" Please do not refer to Al Parker as a fag. It gives
homosexuals a bad rap. Thank you. Doc. AF2Y>>>>>>>
Every night WTIA N2SAG, the fag mommas boy can't keep from whinning
every night on 3950. To bad your Nazi net is history, if you only knew
what I know, heh heh.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you >>
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4693. Re: Wait to see about Big Gulp Al K4OKA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521200536.18119.00001757@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142127

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<< Subject: Wait to see about Big Gulp Al K4OKA
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 7:15 PM
Message-id: <7i4pe2$j06$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<<Dear "Donk," From your mouth to God's ears. Doc, AF2Y>>>>>>
Big Gulp Al is being shut down big time real soon, just wait and see.
If you only knew what I know, I'm laughing all the way to the bank.

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4694. Re: The nightly Polly and Billy Jack show???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521200813.18119.00001760@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142128

<< Wonder what happened to the nightly Polly and Billy Jack jamming show???
We took them out, just like we took care of the Mike and Judy show.
"WTIA"
>>>>>>Polly is having an operation on his dumbo ears and Billy's putter is
busted." AF2Y,Doc<<<<<<<<<

4695. Re: A WARNING TO AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521201158.18119.00001763@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142129
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

<< Subject: A WARNING TO AF2Y!
From: Megahertz-mania@webtv.net
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 6:48 PM
Message-id: <24111-3745E2D8-91@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

You set one foot on 3.950, and the vulgar recordings of your bigoted and racist GOOD FRIEND...Rich Whiten...will find their way to FCC Chairman Kennard's office, PLUS....several national news organizations.

If this isn't the pot calling the kettle black! Well TWO can play at this game, Doc-Boy >>
<<<>>>>>>

4696. Re: Say Bye Bye to the 3950 Nazi net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521202136.18119.00001770@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142130

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<< Subject: Say Bye Bye to the 3950 Nazi net
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 6:51 PM
Message-id: <7i4o2c$i3v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

Ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls its time to say bye bye to the 3950
Nazi net. Just wait and see, if you only knew what I know, heh heh.
<<<On behalf of "Donk" and Doc and everyone else who cherishes this wonderful
land, let me wish the 3.950 hemorrhoids a fond adieu and a fervent hope that
they all end up with their Nazi heroes in burning hell unless of course the
Jews put in air conditioning.AF2Y Doc>>>>>

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4697. Re: PorkButt "WTIA" ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521202500.18119.00001774@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142131

<< Subject: PorkButt "WTIA" ??
From: "Lloyd A. Davies" <n0vfp@bellsouth.net>
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 6:27 PM
Message-id: <3745F9FC.DBA6DB9@bellsouth.net>

I wonder why is so obsessed with "WTIA" for, I guess that is what he
is??<<<No Lloyd-it's a person like you to whom Rich is referring. Incidentally
I am the President of the Richard Whiten, WB2OTK, fan club. The man has stood
against the Herbie trash for as long as I remember and anyone who opposes FZ
and his dungmeisters is a friend of mine. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>
--
LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
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4698. Re: It's a done deal, KV4FZ is gone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521201757.18119.00001768@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142132

<< Subject: It's a done deal, KV4FZ is gone
From: DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 6:58 PM
Message-id: <7i4oe6idn1@nnrp1.deja.com>

Oh, I'm so happy its a done deal, KV4FZ is gone. The scumbag harassed
the nice old folks who put something back into the hobby, for years. Bye
bye Herbie, bye bye.
<<<Not so fast, "Donk." Oral arguments for overturning the FCC's decision to
toss him out forever are scheduled to be heard in D.C. Appellate Court on
Oct.18th. Apprently the felon's lawyer hates the FCC because I am willing to
bet he's working for nothing because his client has nothing and IS nothing.
Furthermore is it safe to assume that since Herbie's oral arguments are to be
heard, all the others have been anal? AF2Y Doc>>>>>>

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4699. MAYBE I'M WRONG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521203356.18119.00001782@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142133

Holy smokes...maybe I'm wrong. I had a feeling that the guy nuking posts was Jimmy O'Brien. Of course I couldn't prove it but then again I'm entitled to my suspicions.
I just noticed that the No-Code Tech moron from Athens Alabama, N0VFP is also on Bell South and it is fact that the "nuker" was on it.
Hey Jimmy, if I'm proven wrong, I'll issue an apology right on this net.
Anybody think that Lloyd Davies is the nuker? I ask because Davies loves the BARFies and StumpJumpers which means he can't stand the truth. He prefers cesspools of lies.
Doc, AF2Y

4700. Re: Doc Hate spews again.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521203601.18119.00001784@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142134
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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<< ct: Re: Doc Hate spews again.....
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 5:41 PM
Message-id: <24407-3745D327-84@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

Oh, I'm familiar with Doc Hate. But if this "newbie" thinks he's gonna
burst into r.r.a.m. and start "jamming" our newsgroup "qso's", he's got
another thought coming!!

Someone needs to feed Doc a little "spam" for lunch and give him a
little taste of the net! ;-)

Jr. >>
<<>>>>
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4701. Re: KV4FZ - American Hero

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521203804.18119.00001785@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142135

<< e: KV4FZ - American Hero
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 5:15 PM
Message-id: <19990521171511.00983.00004255@ng-cc1.aol.com>

>If this wasn't so ludicrous i might offer to send you letters recieved from
>Terry Halpern to me. Or, a letter recieved from a sister the
>Courage Center. SASE only..n4lmc

What we would all like to know about ol N4PCK, and his "problems" ???
<<<N4PCK was a child molesting scumbag. You on the other hand are a southern
white trash scumbag. Doc, AF2Y>>>>>>

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
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4702. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521204433.18119.00001788@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142136

<< and that dipole will be up high so
> >everyone
> >will hear me. You will then wish you never tangled with the likes of AF2Y,
> >one
> >of the greatest and most modest hams to ever grace the frequencies. I have
> >spoken! AF2Y Doc
> >
> >
>
> That's funny, really funny, Doc
>
> You should be a comedian!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
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> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
So now your going to fall to the level of Porkbut and pigvomit? Doc your
not going to get on 3950 and cause QRM are you? I mean I have thought
that you where better then those to cloppers I just mentioned. cum on
now.
Now if you don't want to get anymore spew from them justt tell their
servers on them. Warn them then take it to their servers they will stop.
But please don't get yourself in trouble like porkbut and pigvomit did.
73 from Oris
-- <<<No Oris,I jam no one but I'm entitled to get on any frequency that my
Extra license permits. There's no restriction against 3.950 and since the Nazi
angle will soon be gone,perhaps you and I can make something worthwhile out of
it? Doc AF2Y>>>>>>

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics ex >>

4703. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521204715.18119.00001789@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142137

<< Subject: Re: AF2Y'S WARNING
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 5:30 PM
Message-id: <24408-3745D079-60@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

You do that Doc, and you'll meet the same fate as your little ADL
suck-boy.....David Castle!

Jr. >>
Hey ZeroBeatMeat...your threat is being sent to Riley. If you think you're
keeping me off 3.950, a frequency which should be utilized by sterling
compliant hams like I, you're crazy. Get ready-I'll be there. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>

4704. Re: BROTHER JOHN ON 14.313

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521204923.18119.00001790@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 142138

<<
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)
Date: Fri, May 21, 1999 5:34 PM
Message-id: <24407-3745D171-81@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>

Doc:

You're a Jew.
I'm an Israelite.
There's a BIG difference.
I'm of the chosen people.
And you're not.

Sorry about that.

Jr. >>
<<<HIT THE ROAD, YOU GOYISCHE SCHEISSMEISTER>>>>AF2Y, Doc

4705. Re: MAYBE I'M WRONG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521210303.21412.00003177@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142139

NO Doc it's not Lloyd. He hasn't been on Bellsouth for more than a week or two at the most.

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4706. Re: A WARNING TO AF2Y!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521211007.21412.00003179@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142140

>You set one foot on 3.950, and the vulgar recordings of your bigoted and
>racist GOOD FRIEND...Rich Whiten...will find their way to FCC Chairman
>Kennard's office, PLUS....several national news organizations.
>
>If this isn't the pot calling the kettle black! Well TWO can play at
>this game, Doc-Boy!!
>

Now wait a minute!! I'm not taking up for Doc he can handle his own, but, who the hell are you to tell someone to stay off of 3950?? You must be a member of the "So Called" net, they think that they own 3950 and it sounds like you do too.

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4707. Re: Hams Sold Out by FCC, Clintonettes?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: billsohl@planet.net
Message-ID: <374600ba.25878248@news.planet.net>
Source record: 142141
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:14:36 -0400, Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:

>I'm with him too. I don't know Riley
>personally but I have talked with him on many occasion. I do beleive
>that he is a cop. He is a good cop bent on doing his job that mind you
>he did Vol.for, for that I do support him. It takes guts to face 250,000
>people. Some of them complete idoits. I would say he is getting his 15
>mins. of fame. I sure in heck wouldn't want the job. He has also let a
>few off the hook but they still continue to act like idoits.

Maybe he is just giving them more time (more rope) to
hang themselves.

Cheers :-)

Bill K2UNK

4708. Re: A NEW USE FOR 3.950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521212933.21412.00003191@ng63.aol.com>
Source record: 142142

>The regulars who hang out there will
>still be around.

That's right ZERO - we will be.

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4709. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37460da9.6406734@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142143
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

I saw a BALD 'Hippie' the other day....

On Mon, 17 May 1999 20:02:22 -0400, kihika <kihika@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
>We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
>marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
>in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
>a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
>I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
>better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
>question if this marijuana thing is true.
>
>
>
> ------------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News ==----------
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4710. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37460f6d.6859608@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142144

Do you think it may have something to do with the fact that HAMS,at
HAMFESTs,are probably the most rude,dis-courteous and all around
obnoxious people on the planet????

On Mon, 17 May 1999 21:53:12 -0400, DPH <rally2xs@csi.com> wrote:

>I've been going to the Hamvention since the late 60's. Even made it
>back from Panama for one when I was in the service.
>
>Last weekend was one of the lowest attended Hamventions I can remember.
>I could actually walk around inside the buildings. You could actually
>see the equipment. There was no huge crush. Just a BIG crowd.
>Probably 20,000 or so. Certainly not 33,000.
>
>Didn't make it last year, unfortuantely, but understand that there was
>17,000 in attendance then.
>
>So, where was everyone? If you went before and quit for some reason,
>why did you quit? What could the Hamvention Committee change to get you
>back (other than the old date, which was usurped by the extended hockey
>season?) What did you do instead? Was it more fun?
>
>I feel the Hamvention is as great as it always was, and now drive 550
>miles instead of 100 and don't mind a bit. What a show! Walked/spent
>myself silly.
>
>So what's going on?
>
>Dave Head
>K8DH
>

4711. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i538u$iej@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Try skipping all the questions on Morse code on a Morse code test and see
>what happens.

Try skipping all the written questions on a written test and see what
happens. (Really, Cecil -- you've have to do better than that!)

Jeff KH6O

4712. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <374610a7.7173411@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142146
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Their dont seem to be a problem with placing them on mail
lists!!!Call them on Sunday for 10 cents a minute.Less expensive than
an envelope,liturature and a stamp!!!!

On Tue, 18 May 1999 23:03:02 -0400, DPH wrote:

>Really hard to talk to the ones that aren't there... unless you kept a database
>of all the tickets you sold the years before, and then compare, and then spend
>thousands of bucks on phone calls, and then reduce the data to something
>meaningful, its gonna be tough to know what the "not theres" really have on their
>minds.
>
>Talking to the ones that do come can tell you what THEY like about the Hamvention,
>and what they don't. Some that still come anyway don't like the beanie babies in
>the flea market, either - I'd be one of those. The clothing vendor in the tent
>shoulda been tossed, too. Whadda they think this is, a rummage sale?
>
>About the best way to talk to some of the people that didn't come is probably this
>thread.
>
>Dave Head
>
>Shephed wrote:
>
>> >No, they don't need to talk so much to "more of the Hams who come each

>> >year", but rather they need to talk to more of the hams who DON'T come

>> >each year.

>> >

>> >If you want to find out why an event is on the wane, it won't be much
>> >help

>> >to talk to the ones who are addicted and come each year out of habit.

>> >What you'll need to do is suck it up and go have a talk with the

>> >disaffected who have bailed out. You might not be happy with what they

>> >have to say, but their input is crucial.

>> >

>>
>> Point well taken.

>> The bottom line is, they need to TALK with Hams period. I think they have just
>> decided what they feel is best, and it is not.
>>
>> 73
>> Dan, N8IE
>> QRP-L # 1404, FISTS # 4985, ARRL VE
>> shephed@aol.com
>> http://members.aol.com/shephed/n8ie.htm
>

4713. Stumpjumpers Webpage! CHECK IT OUT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521221413.02271.00000205@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142147

Check out this cool page I found!

http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

hope you enjoy it!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4714. I have returned!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521222236.02252.00000273@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142148

Looks like I need to return to keep some of you NitWits in line, AF2Y, PorkButt and several others need to hear from me again.....

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4715. Re: Was there anything to be excited about at Dayton?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521222342.02252.00000275@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142149

>I had to work so I could not go to Dayton this year.
>Other than lower crowd size, was there anything that
>one could be excited about? New products?
>

You did'nt miss much, Ham Radio is Dying!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4716. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i53th$isd@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142150
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrooklynkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> Keith Bennett <trojan.horse@virgin.net> wrote:

>> >Well naturally I read the subject matter and thought here is an item
>> >about Inspector Morse. No doubt you have heard of Inspector Morse?

>> Listen to the theme song at the end of the program; you'll hear
>> the violins sending M O R S E over and over (in Morse code, of course).

>What program?

Inspector Morse. (A&E, Tuesday evenings) // Jeff KH6O

4717. Re: Hope the FCC likes the ADL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521222544.02252.00000278@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142151

>if you
>only knew what I know, heh heh

We really don't care what you know Porky Boy, We know your getting a BIG NAL!!

Enjoy!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4718. Re: More free-rides f\the Handicapped (was: Another nice thing about CW.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37461467.8133269@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142152
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.scanner

On 09/03/91 I 'worked' N6OSN..John, on 10 mtr.This particular
gentleman studied AND mastered CW as part of RE-HABILITATIVE therapy
after suffering a STROKE.Thanks to WB6NOA,John acheived his goal of
overcoming the CW obstacle.

On Tue, 18 May 1999 07:14:13 -0700, Oscar <captorb@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I just had to enter this thread:
>To equate this goofy 10 minute SCUBA test with a permanently disability
>is ludicruous. Try a better example like doing your everyday routines
>blindfolded or in a wheel chair, or with your dominant hand immobile for
>24 hours. Then write back and tell the group how easy it was & don't
>pick a nice sunny day; try it when the weather is inclement.
>----
>And what does this short, ten minute, CONTROLLED introduction to
>survival have to do with Morse Code? Does one's life depend on CW? Get
>real!!!!

4719. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521222733.02252.00000279@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 142153

>You do that Doc, and you'll meet the same fate as your little ADL
>suck-boy.....David Castle!
>
>Jr.

We need
Sir Sidney and Doc Hate and Davy Boy and It would be a great "Zoo"!!!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4720. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37461810.92E4DE54@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >Try skipping all the questions on Morse code on a Morse code test and see
> >what happens.
>
> Try skipping all the written questions on a written test and see what
> happens. (Really, Cecil -- you've have to do better than that!)

You missed the point, Jeff. Morse code skill is considered approximately
as important as everything else in ham radio combined. You can miss all
the questions on the most popular mode and pass the written. You cannot
miss all the questions on the third most popular mode and pass the code
test. Skipping all the written questions means skipping all the questions
on ALL the modes. Skipping all the code questions means skipping all the
questions on ONE mode. You call that fair?
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4721. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i55o2$k6o@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Roger B. wrote:

> Who cares? At the rate our HF activity is declining, soon there won't
> be enough activity to scare up an argument on this topic.

Clean your antenna, Roger. 160, 80, and 40 are jammed with operators
in the evening.

> But hey, we still got us that neat Morse Code requirement. I guess
> that is more important to some people than having a thriving hobby.

Back in 1932 there were only 40 kilohams in the US. The hobby did quite
well with those few numbers.

Jeff KH6O

4722. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521224310.13052.00003270@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 142156

The insanity continues apace ....

4723. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i56h2$klg@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 142157

Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com> wrote:
> Many of the really vehement advocates of CW haven't touched a key in
> years.

Jake, could you quantify your "many"? Did you conduct a poll to arrive at that conclusion?

73, Jeff KH6O

4724. Re: I have returned!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: (unknown)
Message-ID: <3747204f.733724510@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142158

On 22 May 1999 02:22:36 GMT, cbrambo1@aol.com (CBRambo1) wrote:

>Looks like I need to return to keep some of you NitWits in line, AF2Y,
>PorkButt and several others need to hear from me again.....
>
>
>"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?
>"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

Subject: An Open Letter, Apology, and Final Message from CB Rambo
Date: 1999/03/16
Author: CBRambo <cbrambo@aol.com>

Over the past few days, I have spent a great deal of time in reflection of my past behavior on the radio newsgroups. My conclusion is that I have wasted a great deal of time and effort engaging in pointless arguments and petty bickering with other participants here. This is time and effort that would have been much better spent on other, more meaningful pursuits. I have also come to the realization that I have offended some of you with my comments, as some have inadvertently taken my remarks in a personal manner. This was never my intention...and for this, I am truly sorry.

Contrary to popular belief, I am not a "bad guy". If you were to know me in person, you would probably say that I am kind-hearted, free-spirited, fun to be around, and generally easy to get along with. But, like all of us, I also have my character flaws and shortcomings. Specifically, I tend to be particularily stubborn at times (especially when provoked) and I am also prone to "carrying things too far" upon occasion. I like to play games, tease, and joke around...and sometimes, I don't know when to stop. This has always been a weakness of mine, and I am now working very dilligently to control it.

As I read some of my past newsgroup postings, I must admit that I am rather embarrassed and upset with myself for engaging in some of this nonsense. I have made off-topic comments here which have had the effect of causing chaos and disrupting the flow of information for which this forum was designed. I am certainly not the only one who has done this, but that doesn't justify my behavior. Lack of maturity, insecurity, poor judgement, the "thrill" of being safe behind a keyboard, and an occasional feeling of boredom in my life right now...all of these were contributing factors. Again, that does not justify my behavior, but I can see now how these feelings and character flaws caused me to behave as I did.

I also tend to get a little "touchy" when someone accuses me or implies that I engage in illegal radio operations. This is simply not true. Never has been, never will be. I am a law-abiding citizen who does not have even as much as a traffic ticket on his police record. I don't mention this as an attempt to justify my behavior, but only so that you might understand why I occasionally acted the way that I did.

In an effort to restore order and tranquility to this newsgroup, I will immediately and forever cease from posting here. I will be available via e-mail for the next 24 hours, and would appreciate hearing from those of you who have thoughts on this matter and do not wish to post them publicly on the newsgroup. When the 24 hours has expired, I will permanently delete the "CB Rambo" screenname from my America Online account and I will not appear online again. I'm sure many of you are skeptical here...and rightfully so...but time will indeed prove my sincerity. Again, I apologize to those whom I offended here and for being a nuisance on this newsgroup.

Thank you for your time. Radio is a wonderful thing. May it have a long and prosperous life. Goodnight and God bless you.

"WHERE'S THAT BIG 'OL CB RAMBO?"
"HE APOLOGIZED, LEFT THE NEWSGROUP, AND WENT AWAY FOR GOOD!"

4725. CB Web Site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: deltonaman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521232240.24425.00003697@ng16.aol.com>
Source record: 142159

A web site full of CB info including lots of good links..
Click here

4726. Does anyone ever get on 3901 anymore???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990521232242.01632.00003988@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 142160

Really, what happend??

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4727. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37463163.7DD1@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142161
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

Steven wrote:
>
> I saw a BALD 'Hippie' the other day....
>
> On Mon, 17 May 1999 20:02:22 -0400, kihika <kihika@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
> >
> >We'll, I've been told that because we smoked
> >marijuana over 20 years ago, this would result
> >in baldness for sure. Has anyone ever heard of such
> >a thing? Even though since I've been taking fresh supplements
> >I picked-up thru http://netmins.com I have been feeling much, much
> >better and the loss of hair has pretty much slowed down, I still
> >question if this marijuana thing is true.
> >
> >
> >
> > ----------== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com, Uncensored Usenet News ==----------
> > http://www.newsfeeds.com The Largest Usenet Servers in the World!
> >------== Over 73,000 Newsgroups - Including Dedicated Binaries Servers ==-----
Who cares leagalize it.
--

http://www.dirtball.com

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(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4728. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7i5bhc$m49@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142162
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
: >Try skipping all the questions on Morse code on a Morse code test and see
: >what happens.

: Try skipping all the written questions on a written test and see what
: happens. (Really, Cecil -- you've have to do better than that!)

Isn't that called NOT TAKING THE TEST?

: Jeff KH6O

The difference is that you can TAKE the complete test, not answer ANY
questions about any ONE mode OTHER THAN Morse, and still get a license. But
you HAVE TO pass the questions on Morse code to get a license.

But you knew all that anyway.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4729. Re: What is wrong with donkyboy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374633B9.1948@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142163

plaintruth@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> What is the matter with poor donkeyboy? He is posting here, he is
> posting there. Is he under pressure to answer a charge. Why is he so
> nervous? He is like a mad donkey, kicking out at everyone.What is ADL,
> WTIA ? And, who cares?
> Is his goose cooked? Is a two week delay of the hangsman noose getting
> to the four legged Jackass. Time will tell. Mr Hollingsworth has this
> potbellied equine in
> his sights. Stay tuned. Mean while his followers who love him are
> lonesome for their
> master on the hambands. He is wasting his time on Deja.com. Pity. pity.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
Now thats funny!
--

http://www.dirtball.com

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4730. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7i5bqn$m49@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 142164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: Roger B. wrote:
[snip]

: Back in 1932 there were only 40 kilohams in the US. The hobby did quite
: well with those few numbers.

Things have changed somewhat in the mean time.

: Jeff KH6O

I think that in 1999 and beyond it will take more than 40K hams to KEEP
the frequencies for the ARS though. Perhaps even 670K isn't enough.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4731. Re: I have returned!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dufus <noname@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <Uor13.159$7M.178345@client.news.psi.net>
Source record: 142165

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But will they listen, Oh Great One?
CBRambo1 <cbrambo1@aol.com> wrote in message
news:19990521222236.02252.00000273@ng-cb1.aol.com...
> Looks like I need to return to keep some of you NitWits in line, AF2Y,
> PorkButt and several others need to hear from me again.....
>
>
> "Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
> "I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"
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4732. Looking for FT-50 RDF files from across the US

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: eightbike1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522022633.05415.00000263@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 142166

Thanx for your responses.....I travel all over the US for some of my Teaching at PD Academys and my Search & Rescue work.... I just recently acquired my FT-50, love the radio, usually I am given a radio from the department where I am visting or teaching a. It would be interesting to have some of the freqs ready to go on my laptop upon arrival, I am goingto try and build a nationwide database for use by my other team members as they acquire their FT50s, seems they all liked mine and are dumping their assorted brands in favor of the Yaesu.
Any responses can be e-mailed to 'Yourgrdian@aol.com'
Thanx again- Mike

4733. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927354895.299.67@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142167

Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com> wrote in message
news:374c97da.10856521@news.erols.com...
> This is why insisting ham radio must include morse code ability cuts
> so many potentially interested people out of the magic. These are
> capable people. I know. Look at the legions of folks with no code
> licenses. Their numbers are still increasing. And often these folks
> are just as technically capable as you or me, if not more so.

So they're restricted to 50 MHz and above. Is that a loss?

Your thoughts and sentiments are well taken. For once, though, I believe a goverment agency has made the right decision, and applied the correct balance. On the one hand, the old salts must not have their privileges diminished. On the other, strong incentive must be given to extend the art.

Everyone's desire is to work world-wide, to effortlessly cross physical boundaries. HF operations already allows us that. At one time, these same HF bands -- 200 meters and up -- were thought to be useless for long haul communications. We now know just how wrong they were.

The new horizon is to push the limits on V-, U-, and EHF communications. Historically, where there was a will, there was always a way. (Otherwise, history just branded them fools.) I think it's grand that no-code techs don't have access to the easy HF bands. It is on their will that us old, tired, farts are riding. We leave it up to them to point the way to tomorrow. Myself, I copped for the easy way out, and took the code test.

The flaw in my logic is that those capable of leading new technology also have no trouble passing a code test. All that are left among the no-coders are the whiners, those just starting, and those happy to bounce around on local 'peaters. If the hobby truly is dying, it's because no one is left to push the horizon.

I find it ironic that the only real solution is to cut off the dead wood: close the HF bands to all amateur traffic. There will be a period of upheaval, and then hopefully, usable solutions found within the decade.

Let's be careful what we wish for. I'm for maintaining the status quo. Just because I'm old, tired, and lazy.

Michael.

4734. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927361362.167.67@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142168
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal <z005381b@bc.seflin.org> wrote in message
news:7i5bhc$m49@nntp.seflin.org...
> Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
> : W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> : >Try skipping all the questions on Morse code on a Morse code test
and see
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> : happens. (Really, Cecil -- you've have to do better than that!)
>
> Isn't that called NOT TAKING THE TEST?
>
> : Jeff KH6O
>
> The difference is that you can TAKE the complete test, not answer ANY
> questions about any ONE mode OTHER THAN Morse, and still get a
license. But
> you HAVE TO pass the questions on Morse code to get a license.
>
> But you knew all that anyway.

You need to answer 7 of the 10 questions. 70% of 13 is less than ten.
Forget that they stipulate 13 wpm. They're testing for 10 wpm.

Besides, what's wrong with a no-code ticket? I yams what I yam!!

Michael.

4735. How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: stoli126@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990522055745.23711.00003584@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142169

I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
Thank you

4736. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: The English Patient <englishpatient@england.com>
Message-ID: <WIv13.7441$%x.5784@wards>
Source record: 142170
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Keith Bennett wrote in message ...
>In article <7i3afnhdb1@brokaw.wa.com>, Jim Kehler <kh2d@my-
>dejanews.com> writes
>>Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
>>
>>>This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what do
>>>they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
>>
>>Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
>>geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
>>looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
>>anything DX related for quite a while.....
>
>But Jim, this is all very well, but I still don't know what DX means as
>EP will not tell me!
>

I told you trojan...Dx is cleared up easily with creams
If you keep picking at it......well...it'll scar.

The English Patient
>--
>From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
>Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
> trojan.horse@virgin.net
>[Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
>http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
>UIN #3457372
>http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
>wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
>3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4737. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: chetlyle@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <7i6cem$ir8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142171

In article <19990519201330.28125.00002464@ng-fu1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY
> From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
> Date: Wed, May 19, 1999 5:34 PM
> Message-id: <7hvaps$m80$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> <<<Before you read the virulent anti-Semitic crap from the demented
mind of a
> Carol Valentine who's husband probably is the demented neo-Nazi Tom
Valentine
> heard on demented shortwave stations,

1. The Babylonian Talmud, Judaism's holy book which takes precedence
over the Old Testament, cannot be antisemitic.
2. Facts cannot be antisemitic.
3. You have not addressed any of the facts cited by the previous poster.
Insults are not facts.

>keep in mind that western
civilization was
> built on JUDAISM.

Sorry bud, you got it exactly backwards: western civilization seems to
have been built *despite* Judaism. Over the centuries, Jews have been
expelled from the following European-controlled countries and
localities:

Date/Location Date/Location

250: Carthage 1559: Austria
415: Alexandria 1561: Prague
554: Diocese of Clement (France) 1567: Wurzburg
561: Diocese of Uzzes (France) 1569: Papal States
612: Visigoth Spain 1571: Brandenburg
642: Visigoth Empire 1582: Netherlands
855: Italy 1593: Brandenburg, Austria
876: Sens 1597: Cremona, Pavia & Lodi
1012: Mayence 1614: Frankfort
1181: France 1615: Worms
1290: England 1619: Kiev
1306: France 1649: Ukraine
1348: Switzerland 1654: Little Russia
1349: Heilbronn (Germany) 1656: Lithuania
1349: Hungary 1669: Oran (North Africa)
1388: Strasbourg 1670: Vienna

1394: Germany 1712: Sandomir
1394: France 1727: Russia
1422: Austria 1738: Wurtemburg
1424: Fribourg & Zurich 1740: Little Russia
1426: Cologne 1744: Bohemia
1432: Savory 1744: Livonia
1438: Mainz 1745: Moravia
1439: Augsburg 1753: Kovad (Lithuania)
1446: Bavaria 1761: Bordeaux
1453: Franconis 1772: Deported west of Dnieper
1453: Breslau 1775: Warsaw
1454: Wurzburg 1789: Alace
1485: Vincenza (Italy) 1804: Villages in Russia
1492: Spain 1808: Villages & Countrysides
1495: Lithuania (Russia)
1815: Lubeck & Bremen
1497: Portugal 1815: Franconia, Swabia &
Bavaria
1499: Germany 1820: Bremen
1514: Strasbourg 1843: Russian Border Austria &
Prussia
1519: Regensburg 1862: Area in the U.S. under
Grant's Jurisdiction
1540: Naples 1866: Galatz, Romania
1542: Bohemia 1919: Bavaria (foreign born
Jews)
1550: Genoa 1938-45: Nazi Controlled Areas
1551: Bavaria 1948: Arab Countries
1555: Pesaro

Could the expulsions have been because the Jews were busy little beavers, building western civilization? I don't think so.

>Now if there are Jew hating so called Christians out there,

Fact is, it is a well-known Christian virtue to love thy neighbor. But it is a Jewish virtue to hate Christians. Hate 'em with a passion. Their religion commands it. The Talmud teaches that "Only ye are designated as 'men' " (Baba Mezia 108b). The "ye" is Talmudists. The non-Talmudists (i.e., Gentiles, Christians) are not men, they are on the level of mere beasts, or cattle. They may be lied to, cheated, and exploited without blame.

Dr. Israel Shahak of Hebrew University reports that the Israelis burned hundreds of New Testament Bibles in occupied Palestine on March 23, 1980 (cf. Jewish History, Jewish Religion, p. 21). This was done under the auspices of Yad Le'akhim, a Jewish religious organization subsidized by the Israeli Ministry of Religions.

> I know it hurts but our way of life here in the west would be chaos if not for a

> certain man who apparently had an "in" with Jehovah. That man was
Moses who
> received the Ten Commandments, the CORNERSTONE OF WESTERN
CIVILIZATION!

Funny you should mention that. One of the prominent features of the Babylonian Talmud, the heart's blood of the Jewish faith, is that it reverses every one of the Ten Commandments, the teachings of Moses and the Prophets, and enshrines their opposites under a "whited sepulchre" which is a disguise for murder and "all uncleanliness", as Christ charged.

> Furthermore Jesus Christ, much to the dismay of the Valentine crowd,
came from
> the House of David and if you don't know what that means, ask your
priest or
> minister.

Jesus Christ is the ultimate object of hatred in Talmudic Judaism. Of all Gentiles, Christians are the most insanely hated, loathed and reviled because their doctrines are the opposite of every Talmudic doctrine. You don't seem to know that. Time you learned.

>These neo-Nazi creeps, female and male,

Just like a Talmudist: one can see that in your own heart, the worm of hatred gnaws.

>try to make you
believe that
> there is no linkage between Yeshua(Jesus) and Judaism.

Citation, please? I see no such claim being made by the previous poster.

There is a great deal of linkage between Jesus and Judaism, all of it negative. The Talmud teaches that Jesus "committed bestiality", "corrupted the people", "is turned into hell" (Sanhedrin 105a). As stated in the sadistic fantasies of the Talmud, Jesus gets to experience four methods of execution: he is stoned, then "hanged" or crucified (Sanhedrin 43a-43b, 67a) as a blasphemer of Pharisee Judaism; he is burned (Sanhedrin 52a): "the death penalty of burning was executed by pouring molten lead through the condemned man's mouth into his body, burning his internal organs"; he is strangled (Sanhedrin 52a and Sanhedrin 106b); in hell, his punishment is "boiling in hot semen" (Gittin 57a).

Much more can be cited to illustrate the "link" you proclaim, but I think the above will suffice. Is this the kind of "link" to Judaism you had in mind?

>They don't want
you to
> know that he was circumsized,

No kidding. So are all Moslems. And what, exactly, is so great about this practice of mutilating an infant's sexual organ?

>a Bar Mitzvah etc.

Actually I don't think so. The Bar Mitzvah is a recent invention and was at one time considered by Jews to be a great heresy. Dr. Israel Shahak, in his book previously cited, reports the case of a liberal rabbi in the Galician city of Lemberg (now Lviv) who was poisoned by Talmudists in the 19th century, for the offense of advocating and actually performing the Bar Mitzvah ceremony, which had recently been invented.

>You are expected to
>be caught
> up in lies and slander

Please cite the "lies and slander" that you have in mind.

>about those folks who gave you Jesus Christ.

They didn't "give" anyone Jesus Christ, for He was not theirs to give. They cast him out, disowned him, and piled calumnies on His head. "Those folks", to whom you tenderly refer, actually devote a considerable portion of their holy book to Christ's defamation: see above.

>Jews
> comprise one-tenth of one percent of the world's population,yet their
> contributions to our world have been monumental.

Name some. Let's say, name us only two "monumental contributions" of Judaism.

>Why? Because God
didn't give
> His Ten Commandments to schmucks but only a schmuck like Carol
Valentine plays
> games with such a fact.

Empty insults do not an argument make. You have hurled wild invective and posted some ADL propaganda, but cited no facts. What can you do for an encore?

--Chet Lyle

AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>
>
> In article <19990512204514.11259.00000934@ng-cs1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
>
> > I urge you to click on to this WebsiteADL, the
> > world's leading organization to fight &#65533;and realize
> >that it is one of the
> > most important organizations in this nation to care
> > about the rights of

> > everyone! The dignity of every man! An organization
> > that keeps close tabs on
> > skuzzies like the Boys from Brazil on 3.950 or
> >for that matter any hate group
> > hell bent on destroying your liberty. And I believe
> > the ADL does work in
> > concert with the FBI,ATF and city and state
> >law enforcement personnel
> > throughout the country. Bigots..EAT YOUR HEARTS OUT!
>
> What a boast . . . That the ADL works with those other champions of
> liberty, the FBI and the ATF!
>
> In fact, the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai Brith is a Jewish
> organization. The Jewish tradition is virulently opposed to the
> American Bill of Rights and principle of "equal justice under law."
>
> According to the Talmud, non-Jews are sub-human and can be slaughtered
> like cattle.
>
> * The intent to kill a non-Jew is so laudable that even if a Jew is
> accidently killed in an attempt to kill a non-Jew, the murderous Jew
> suffers no liability.
>
> * But if a Jew intends to kill another Jew and does so, he is liable.
>
> (Babylonian Talmud, Soncino Edition, London, 1935. Sanhedrin 78b 79a;
> pg. 529-30.)
>
> * If a Jew murders a Gentile, the Jew suffers no death penalty.
> (Sanhedrin 57a., pg. 388)
>
> * if a Gentile strikes a Jew in the jaw, the Gentile, having stricken
> the "Divine Presence" (that is, a Jew) suffers the death penalty.
> (Sanhedrin 58b, pg.388).
>
> And what does the Talmud say about the obligation to tell the truth?
> Why, the Talmud sanctifies and institutionalizes false swearing, or
> lying.
>
> "And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall
be
> valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every
> vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN
> INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. "
> (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal
> dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of
> Atonement. (Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)
>

> ===
> Carol A. Valentine
> President, Public Action, Inc.
>
> Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
> See what they did to the mothers and children--
>
> http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter
>
> "In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary
> act." George Orwell
>
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>
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4738. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom@astro.net
Message-ID: <927374376.982.59@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 142172

In article <19990522055745.23711.00003584@ng-ci1.aol.com>, stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:
>I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
>I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
>can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
>better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
>Thank you

The tapes are a good way to start, follow what you are told to do on them. When you begin to get a little frustrated STOP. Take a break for an hour or 2 and come back and continue. Practice at least 15 minutes a day, more if you are able. I learned the code from tapes too and got to 7wpm in about 4 months, you may do it faster. I'm at 13wpm now. Most of all, have fun with it.

Congrats on your new license!

73,
Tom

Tom Randall -- trandall@idsi.net
Amateur Radio - KB2SMS
Mt. Beacon Amateur Radio Club / ARRL / 10-10
Member: AAVSO Solar Division

My Astronomy/Ham radio site: http://www1.mhv.net/~trandall/welcome.html

4739. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7i6614$mgh@dfw-ixnews8.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 142173
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In <374602C4.D69C85CA@gnc.net> Robert <rc123@gnc.net> writes:
>
>Follow this link:
>http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/newsflsh.htm
>
>Robert
>http://dune.globe-net.net/~rc123/Robert/
>
>Greg Dean wrote:
>
>> One of the local scanner hobbist told me that Bill Cheek
>> was arrested for making a decoder for the Motorola MDT.
>

yes he was arrested.

yes he was let go on bail.

yes, he has to go to NYC
if they want him for appearance.

he's been screwed.

agree about the Clinton bit: for him
the 70's was staying out of the military.

I guess he's getting even.

bill conduit
etc.

4740. Need some GE DeltaS LowBand assistance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: dj1@bresnanlink.net
Message-ID: <37469c67.42489205@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 142174

I am playing with a DeltaS on 6 meters. Radio worked great when just the Eprom was programmed up with 32 channels and using the standard no scan/ 16 channel head with a/b switch. I then found some 990 heads and set one up with the same channels. I programmed it as a Delta S 990. When I operated the radio all seemed to go well, it scanned properly but I found that it would not encode/decode pl.

I then programmed up the radio head as Delta S radio wide.
This time the keys on the 990 head beeped, PL was there on TX and RX and the GE encoding stuff came to life (I don't need it I just had tried to enable it in the earlier programming and it would work.) So I am trying to figure out what is the difference from normal to radio wide programming. When I remove and program the eeproms I can't differante between Delta S and Delta S wide. The only difference comes with the 990 head.

I am also trying to find some service manuals for the Delta S and the 990 head.

Any assistance you can provide will be appreciated. It has been a fun radio to have on 6. It's quiet around here, but it was fun to have on the way to Dayton.

Sean / N0PBA
dj1@bresnanlink.net

4741. What is wrong with donkyboy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i4u9v$m42$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142220

What is the matter with poor donkeyboy? He is posting here, he is
posting there. Is he under pressure to answer a charge. Why is he so
nervous? He is like a mad donkey, kicking out at everyone.What is ADL,
WTIA ? And, who cares?
Is his goose cooked? Is a two week delay of the hangsman noose getting
to the four legged Jackass. Time will tell. Mr Hollingsworth has this
potbellied equine in
his sights. Stay tuned. Mean while his followers who love him are
lonesome for their
master on the hambands. He is wasting his time on Deja.com. Pity. pity.

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4742. How to find HF nets and frequencies ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lynton@iname.com
Message-ID: <7i53r8$pq5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142221

Anyone know of HF net frequencies and what time they are active, or is there a website with a listing?

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4743. Re: AF2Y'S WARNING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i53sfpqa1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142222

radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> If I get one more piece of hate mail from you 3.950 turds, I
> shall make it my business to put up a dipole and meet you word
> for word on that frequency. So far I've taken pity on you
> inadequate buffoons, but push me just a bit further and you've
> had it. I have 800 watts and that dipole will be up high so
> everyone will hear me.

HOLA AF2Y, QRZ AF2Y, I can't seem to be hearing you. QRO PSE.

BGO

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4744. Re: 3.950 YOU ASKED FOR IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i54f4$q5n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142223

radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> I don't want to hear all this speculation and nonsense about
> Riley favoring this one or that one and so forth and so on.
> He's proving such allegations WRONG. Want to save your tickets?
> LISTEN TO WHAT HE SAYS! DOC, AF2Y

HOLA OM AF2Y,

On this matter you are right as rain.

Riley for President!

BGO

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4745. New Here

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-22 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9UPI <wendie7@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7i59lqted1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142224

Hello all, I'm knew to the amateur radio world, just got my licnese on the 11th and haven't gotten a chance to talk much. Interested in meeting some new people and seeing what is out there for me to do. I'd like to get aquainted with some other hams out there.

KB9UPI
Wendie

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4746. WTB:JPS-NIR12

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Massey <N6TT@jps.net>
Message-ID: <37488811@news1.jps.net>
Source record: 141875

Looking to buy the JPS NIR-12 DSP.....Drop me a line at N6TT@jps.net

4747. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <5_U13.1334$eC3.180132@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 141876
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote ...

> Glenn, Bill's level is already sub-basement, how could it go any lower?

That is what most on this NG ask you John-Bowl, how can you get so low.

If Bill is sub-basement that would put you at the core of the earth
Toilet-Boy.

Go away LOONEY.

4748. Re: A B.A.R.F. BUM EXPOSED!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i99sv$e1l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141877

All this coming from Dr Hate, AF2Y a man who told the whole world that Duane Jacobson WB9BCC received the medal of honor. (with out checking the list, mind you, and Duane was the bravest man on amateur radio. All of this was pure BS. Just the product of these sickos demented minds. All the time trying to aggrandizing theirselves, inventing antennas, putting out little jack rigged books on vertical antennas. bragging on and on. phewy!!! the stench from these skuz balls is unbearable.

article <19990523095801.20828.00004343@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> An agent just reported to me the following.....
>
> The dude who pukes out words of hate under the following:
> cbrambo@aol.com (and)
> dx302man@aol.com
>
> is none other than that mentally defective Code-Free Tech leech,
> Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
>

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4749. Re: 3 dozen choclate chip cookies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11b1e90b90faa2029896a0@news.vais.net>
Source record: 141878

In article <7i7vuijuk1@nnrp1.deja.com>, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com mumbled...
--> A certain gorgous blond just set a plate of 3 dozen hot cookies in front
--> of me, freshly cooked in our $3100 self cleaning oven. Poor poor
--> WTIA's, you know you'll never be able to afford a life style like mine,
--> heh heh.

Are you sure the ever-rising figure you are quoting is the price of the
oven and not actually your weight?

HTH HAND NRN

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http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm

4750. 3.950 on 14.300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523114408.20834.00004447@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141879

At 1300 UTC today,5/23/99,on 14.300, I heard 3.950. Was it a bird? Was it a plane?NO, it was SUPERFELON,KV4FZ once again spouting off and degrading MY GOVERNMENT and MY PRESIDENT! Now get this.,.hard to believe but I heard him say it. I'll paraphrase it like so: The shootings at Columbine and in Georgia and in other high schools had nothing to do with guns and their accessibility--it all centered on Bill Clinton himself and his wife's "Village concept." And you wonder why Riley is mad as all hell at how ham radio is being misused and abused? Herbie, do us all a favor and join K4GFM, your snivelling lackey who is now playing gin rummy with Mike Galego,KA4MUJ, in hell. The problem with our youth going nuts is PARTIALLY attributable to weapons accessibility while having NOTHING TO DO with the Clintons. The main cause is due to do VIOLENCE CONDITIONING. There's too much on TV, too much in the movies and too much in video arcades and on computer software. Our kids are being taught that it's chic to murder. Gun control would remain controlled if there weren't so many businessmen out there who profit from showing violence and then accidentally encouraging it. Dammit, I'm sick and tired of people like the Schoenbohm ilk who intentionally mislead amateur radio into believing that our government is evill and our leaders are evil etc. Realize that KV4FZ is the way he is because he is a convicted felon, caught by the government-the Secret Service! The guy's a two bit thief who simply has an axe to grind, a toxic dislike for that same government that brought him down and will eventually grind up his ham ticket to confetti. Clinton has led our kids into maniacal behavior, he says. If that's so, then blame Clinton for putting three of his four sons behind bars! AF2Y, Doc

4751. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Message-ID: <7i97qe$5c4@acmex.gatech.edu>
Source record: 141880

In article <37460f6d.6859608@news.mindspring.com>,
Steven <stevens@mindspring.com> wrote:
> Do you think it may have something to do with the fact that HAMS,at
>HAMFESTs,are probably the most rude,dis-courteous and all around
>obnoxious people on the planet????

Steven, If you truely believe what you wrote I can only suggest that you have not seen many crowds, and certainly not been all over the planet. Hams are a pretty tame crew. I, for one, have never heard of a riot at a hamfest..... Bill

--
Sgt. Bill Thompson / KC4ZUB <0> wt2@prism.gatech.edu
Georgia Tech Police Dept. Atlanta GA. <0> The Olympic Village Police Dept.
Money buys things, Power makes things happen. Given a choice, always take Power.-->Roger Zelazny <0> LOOK, I AM THE DAMN NRA!

4752. Re: The Nazi Net stepped in it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523114955.20834.00004448@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141881

<<
Please let us hear the Great Alpha Foxtrot 2 Yankee on 3.950 !
I don't know about you, but the thought of AF2Y firing up on 3.950
sounds like more fun than watching a WWF pay-per-view ! >>
<<THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR KIND WORDS AND ENCOURAGEMENT. I'M SERIOUSLY
THINKING OF DOING IT BUT AM NOT OUT TO BE ENTRAPPED BY THE EVIL BEASTS
INHABITING THAT FREQUENCY. I WOULD LIKE TO BEGIN A LEGITIMATE DISCUSSION GROUP
TO REPLACE THE ONE DEDICATED TO RUNNING DOWN OUR GOVERNMENT. ISN'T IT ABOUT
TIME TO STAND UP. ON HAM RADIO, FOR AMERICA? Doc,AF2Y>>>>

4753. Re: 3.950 on 14.300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374826E8.6C40@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141882

SUPERFELON ?
Doc I think you need help! Why is this slacker so important to you? Why is this loser so much in your mind? IF I WHERE YOU I WOULD SEEK HELP ON THIS ONE!
Oris

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4754. Re: M.F. Luder White Paper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hiram <Hiram@oracle.net>
Message-ID: <37481A4D.475582B1@oracle.net>
Source record: 141883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What do you mean "go back"? Isn't that all you're capable of doing now?

mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

> 1, I do not support WB2OTK, AF2Y or W1WCR
>
> 2. FCC has gone too far and not far enough. They are criticizing things
> protected by the First Amendment while allowing acts specifically
> prohibited to go unpunished.
>
> 3. FCC is hypocritcal, ignoring Intercon and K1MAN violations (if other
> avenues are available for WCR, they certainly are for boaters,
> missionaries, and tell MAN to take his 1-800 talkshow to AM, where he'd
> choke) because of these persons' cozy position with a corrupt Democratic
> administration.
>
> 4. If ham radio dried up tomorrow, I'd simply go back to listening.
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4755. Re: Riley Hollingsworth, Undeniable Truths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hiram <Hiram@oracle.net>
Message-ID: <37481AB6.85A48285@oracle.net>
Source record: 141884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Seems to work just fine, doesn't it.

Paula Farnswell wrote:

> HOLLINGSWORTH's RULES
>
> 1. Riley Hollingsworth is a federal bureaucrat and
> his pay check has FCC printed on it.
>
> 2. Riley Hollingsworth is a lawyer, and lawyers
> are always loyal to each other.
>
> - - - - - - - - - - - - - -- - - - - - - - - -- - - -
>
> Hollingsworth's loyalty is to the people who put money
> in his bank account. He will NEVER offend them and will
> do whatever they tell him to do. If in doubt, see rule #1.
>
> Providing he will not break rule#1, Riley Hollingsworth
> will ALWAYS be loyal to other lawyers. If in doubt, see
> rule#2.
>
> All other discussion is purely academic. If in
> doubt, see rule #1 and rule #2.
>
> You people wanted enforcement. You've got it!
> And Hollingsworth has gotten out of shuffling papers until
> he retires.
>
> What a fucking joke!

4756. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37482EEA.64AB@ameritech.net>
Source record: 141885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

MSteven wrote:
>
> The term 'DX' was originated by amateur radio ops.Others use it to
> mean different things.The original meaning of DX is to make contact
> with a station in another country.This is required to qualify for any
> of the ARRL DX awards that many Hams persue.You can call a dog a cat
> if you wish...it dosnt change the fact that its still a dog....:>)
>
> On Sat, 22 May 1999 20:35:48 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
>
> >Steven wrote:
> >>
> >> DX is ,technically,making 'contact' with a station in another Country.
> >>
> >> On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> >> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> >>
> >> >Mike Silva wrote:
> >> >>
> >> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> >> >> >
> >> >> >
> >> >> >Danny wrote:
> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> Mother Nature wrote:
> >> >> >> >
> >> >> >> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
> >> >> >> > making me hot......<g>
> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
> >> >> >>
> >> >> >> Danny
> >> >> >> --
> >> >> >
> >> >> >I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
> >> >> >a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!
> >> >>
> >> >> Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!
> >> >>
> >> >> ... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
> >> >> stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...

> >> >>
> >> >> Mike
> >> >Don't foget Spark Gap. For those of you who do not know what DX is; it
> >> >means receiveing a radio/television signal from far away. From far away
> >> >as in you usually do not get a signal from this place. DX can also mean
> >> >how far your siganl is getting out. From everything that I read; if you
> >> >can run just 10 watts, and your siganl is getting out 300 to 400 miles
> >> >then that is better DX then somebody running 1000 watts and doing th
> >> >same thing.
> >> >--
> >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> >No, it is a long distance contant or reception. It is all in how you
> >view it
> >--
> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
MEOW MEOW ROOF ROOF
--
REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4757. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <FvW13.31251$5e2.557314@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 141886
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Make that 101.

TR

jmackey@usa.net wrote in message <3747ACB9.5150C1BD@usa.net>...
>If I am obsesed with that person, when why is it that
>everyone else is always wanting to talk about him??
>
>When was the last time you saw ME initiate any discussion about him?
>
>
>
>tcrpe wrote:
>
>> The only facts one needs to show that you are a loser, obsessed with Bill
>> Cheek, are the hundreds of asinine posts you have made.
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

4758. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <374834C5.BF87E3DA@home.com>
Source record: 141887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

This is exactly correct. Code should be eliminated, and there should be
ONE
class of license. The the elitist attitude will be the death of ham
radio.
It is very unfortunate.

Manfred Berger wrote:
>
> In article <3727A5A1.67A0@sir.com>,
> Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
> > BungHole wrote:
> > >
> > > I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going
> around between
> > > old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.
> >
> > Yes, even when morse code is not a requirement for any license, the
> > attitude will still remain because of the different "classes" of
> > licenses. Extra class will look down upon General class even though
> > they both have privileges on the exact same bands. There is no reason
> > NOW to have General, Advanced & Extra other than to promote the
> cliquish
> > elitist attitude you mentioned and divide Hams into different groups.
> >
> > If there were just ONE Ham license, you wouldn't have all this BS.
> >
>
> --
> Manfred
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4759. Hey DONKEYBOY- Read this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Rizos <jrizos@nac.net>
Message-ID: <3748384D.C554CB34@nac.net>
Source record: 141888

Well,
Its nice to see someone flaunting their wealth like you do. Does that make you feel like more of a man? By the way, it's amazing how the price of your self cleaning oven fluctuates like that..... You call everyone white trash when you can barely spell it yourself. Well, the rest of us have lives and don't sit in front of our computer posting childish messages while stuffing our face full of cookies from our self cleaning oven and sitting in overstuffed chairs. It's people like you that are the trash, my friend. Get a life-

4760. how we look to others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Lantz <plantz@onlink.net>
Message-ID: <7i9deh$8oo$1@onlink3.onlink.net>
Source record: 141889

My grandson had a friend over, she's 8, today.
She watched me checking into a net, took a look at the computers and radios
and said, "is this your work?"
I told her no, I worked in my office.
She said, "but then why do you have people talking to you and telling you
the weather?"

Wouldn't be a bad job if it paid better..

Paul
VE3KBL

4761. Re: WA9KJI starting to spill his guts!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523132406.20837.00004621@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141890

What a frickin "conspiracy" they are spinning now. Damn they never tire of it
do they.
Sad thing is they probably believe it.

>From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net (In-the -Zone)

>I think its a good idea to approach David and Dorothy Castle about who
>supplied Dave the equipment for jamming. We all know they were as poor
>as church mice. And in no way could Dave have afforded all that
>beautiful gear! Let's urge David to tell us who gave him the gear, and
>we'll go to bat for him, and urge Hollingsworth to rescind the penalty
>against David, and instead, ask for the revocation of the licenses of
>the person or persons who urged him to jam, and supplied him the
>equipment to do it.
>
LOL LOL LOL LOL LOL LOL
LOL LOL

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http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4762. Re: Admiring my new remote control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <KDV13.3104$ql.311179@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141891

Invest in a dictionary and learn the difference between "steel" and "steal."

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in message <7i809r$k9o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>Picked up a new universe remote control at the mall today, it was a
>steel it was such a bargain. Now I can change channels on my 52 incher
>from any room in the house, while you WTIA must get up to change
>channels on your 19 inch K-mart Samsungs, heh heh.
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4763. Re: Mr. Boyhill loves us

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <mEV13.3105$ql.311119@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141892

Learn to read and distinguish between "Broyhill" and "Boyhill." Unless, of course, the furniture that you have is a cheap knock-off of the real Broyhill.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in message <7i80htkcb1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>Looking the price tags on the furniture in my family room, I know Mr.
>Boyhill must love us. This well appointed furniture is worth more than
>the houses you WTIA say you own, my my my is this over stuffed chair
>valued at nearly $4000 really comfy, heh heh.
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4764. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <j0X13.2464$%14.73346@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 141893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rob Carlson wrote in message ...
>
>W1PEV wrote in message <8QS13.19$p3.18218@news21.ispnews.com>...
>>I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a
>>privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?
>
>
> blah, blah, blah, drivel --snipped--
>
>
> I see we have yet another Riley Robot who can't
>thing for himself. You'll make a good candidate to
>support Al Gore's campain for more & bigger intrusive
>government.
>

It's amazing how many people cannot discern the difference between a right and a privilege. Rights, like in the first, second, etc. amendments are not granted by the government, they are inherent and as such they are acknowledged as pre-existing by the Constitution.

A privilege, on the other hand, is not granted or guaranteed by the Constitution, it is granted by the issuing authority based on personal qualification. These privileges are usually granted with a defined set of rules or behavior which must be followed in order to keep the privilege. When these rules are broken, the issuing agency has the power to amend and/or revoke the privilege.

An Amateur license, like a drivers license grants the holder certain privileges. However, if you act like a fool behind the wheel, or the mike, then the issuing agency of either license has every right and authority to revoke your privilege.

This is done all the time in the case of a drivers license, and it's well past due to do the same for an Amateur License.

73 de KF6KNB

4765. Thee "KJI Files" webpage! (with PHOTO!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: those ubiquitous undulations <suamonz@lisco.com>
Message-ID: <7i9c20$f51$1@ash.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Yes we have got them. The wa9kji files.

HEAR actual audio of KJI and his cockeye'd minons at play.

READ the full story about why Evansville's favorite nut-case has
just LOST his HF for the next TWO Years.

And finally - SEE a rare photo of Dante kji himself ! You'll know
why after just one look at this rare photo, who's several bricks
short of a full load!

Tis all here - -> http://www.pw1.netcom.com/~frg9600/jammers.htm

.wav's from 3950 QRM'rs page - - >
http://www.members.xoom.com/_XOOM/kevin_strom/amateur_3950.html

4766. Re: 3 dozen choclate chip cookies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: those ubiquitous undulations <suamonz@lisco.com>
Message-ID: <7i9c7f$8th$1@birch.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141895

DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in message <7i7vuijuk1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>A certain gorgous blond just set a plate of 3 dozen hot cookies in front
>of me, freshly cooked in our $3100 self cleaning oven. Poor poor
>WTIA's, you know you'll never be able to afford a life style like mine,
>heh heh.

How about some nice 3" thick NYC style cheescake with pineapple topping and a strip of chocolate syrup across the top? OOOFA!

4767. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374842D2.1AB3FB9@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dan K Nelson wrote:

> It's amazing how many people cannot discern the difference between a right
> and a privilege....
Your argument is incorrect. Ask Howard Stern, the other
"shock jocks" and the stations who have had their licenses threatened.
This has all been settled in the courts before.
Driver's Licenses are not in the Bill of Rights.
Freedom of expression is.

And besides-- this isn't really the point.
The point is not that you can say anything at all on Ham Radio.
There are other laws that protect the rights of other people
that place limits on such speech and that's fine.

The point is that Mr. Hollingsworth is attempting enforcement
based -in part- on the political content of speech,
not just in the manner it is delivered. It is a fine distinction,
but an extremely important distinction, for our very way of
life turns on such points. In this, he is out of line.

There are perfectly good regulations against broadcasting,
ghost talking and jamming. He is completely correct in
enforcing those rules. But when he begins suggesting
changes in the political content of speech,
all the while holding the club of license revocation
over a group's head, he goes too far.

It is sadly typical of a decayed society that the majority
are willing -without question and damning those who do question-
to follow any authority figure,
selling their birthrights and betraying their neighbors,
all for the promise of some temporary relief of some problem.
I'm sure you remember what Benjamin Franklin
had to say about such a people.

Regards,
Dave AB5S

4768. Re: A B.A.R.F. BUM EXPOSED!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523142016.28071.00000208@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141897

>An agent just reported to me the following.....

Like to tell us who agent might be?

>
>The dude who pukes out words of hate under the following:
>cbrambo@aol.com (and)
>dx302man@aol.com
>
>is none other than that mentally defective Code-Free Tech leech,
>Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
>

Better quit while yourahead, LLoyd has some connections up in Pulaski, TN!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4769. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i9gmg$n0a@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>Actually, Morse test speeds for the highest class of
>license were increased from 10 wpm to 13 wpm, circa 1936,
>at the request of the ARRL president in a letter to the
>FCC.

See Page 82 of "Fifty Years of ARRL" -- that's no deep dark secret.

>The ARRL wanted faster code tests PURELY as a
>means of slowing growth in the amateur ranks, contending
>that (with about 30,000 hams at the time) "the bands
>are approaching saturation" ... clearly a ridiculous
>claim,

Since you weren't on the bands then (and you're not even on them
now with your Tech+ license), your statement is itself ridiculous.

>since we have nearly 20x that many hams today.
>For the full details, researched from the original
>documents in the National Archives by a professional
>archivist,

Your "professional" archivist is a bit off -- there were 46,000 licensed
stations in 1936 (see Page 3 of "200 Meters and Down"). To have that many
stations on HF simultaneously would create complete bedlam. The 3.485 MHz
of the then HF spectrum *was* saturated: Assuming only half the HF spec-
trum was usable at any one time, each two-person QSO would be spaced
0.076 kHz (or 76 Hz) apart. Worse yet, during daylight hours, if 10m
was closed, all 46 kilohams would be jammed in the then 400 kHz-wide
20m band: Each two-party QSO would be spaced 17 Hz apart.

Keeping NCI honest,
Jeff KH6O

--
Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4770. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523141810.28071.00000205@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141899

I wonder when Ms. Valentine's attorney will be contacting you, Doc?

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

4771. THE SECRET OF LIFE.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523143348.27786.00000312@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141900

It's about being Alive...

Living in Alabama....
I feel free....

A warm cup of coffee...
A ice cold Pepsi.....

A nice young pretty college girl you see at the Church House....
She smiles at you all the time.....
Must I be in love?

A nice car...
Takes me where I want to go...

Good food to eat....
A roof over my head....

It's about being a Stumpjumper...

Standing up for the Truth...
About the "so-called" Public Service Nets....

Helping a freind in a time of need...
KV4FZ will be found innocent....

The South will rise again...
This time, we will do it right...

Seeing PorkButt get his big NAL soon!
Seeing Justice served....

Taking on Doc Hate...
Showing the world what a hateful person he is....

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4772. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7i9hkk$nm4@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3745E425.1FDF@ameritech.net>, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<URL:mailto:theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
> Monochrome would imply. Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.

"Monochrome" refers to the CRT having a single electron-beam gun and
a single-color phosphor on the CRT's screen.

Mono = single.

Depending upon the CRT's grid voltage, the beam+phosphor can create dozens
and dozens shades of grey.

Jeff KH6O
--
Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4773. Re: M.F. Luder White Paper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523144142.27786.00000320@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141902

>> 3. FCC is hypocritcal, ignoring Intercon and K1MAN violations (if other
>> avenues are available for WCR, they certainly are for boaters,
>> missionaries,

That's what the BARF has said all along, Intercon needs to shut down it's
net...
If you only knew what I knew.......

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4774. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3748562d.4385280@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 141903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"W1PEV" <paulvanasse@tp.net> wrote:

>I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a
>privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?
>
>I hate to tell you this Paula (or whoever is using Paulas newsreader), you
>were NOT born with the inherent natural right to use radiowaves as you see
>fit. The use of these frequencies are a governmental privilege granted to
>those who pledge themselves to act according to the rules and regulations
>that they promised to adhere to the day they signed their license
>application.
>

In times past, there were a lot of 'Riley Hollingsworth's' policing
the ham bands. I wish that there are 100 of him now!
He might be a start of restoring Ham radio to what has been and should
be,
Henry, K7WAR

4775. Re: WA9KJI starting to spill his guts!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523160016.02110.00005166@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141904

>
>What a frickin "conspiracy" they are spinning now. Damn they never tire of it
>do they.
>Sad thing is they probably believe it.
>

It's no different than KK7HO's claims that
the Liberty Net is a conspiratorial group of
Nazis out to overthrow the U.S. government
and kill all the minorities. As a matter of fact,
WA9KJI says this all the time!

4776. Illinois Ham e-mail reflector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike <mike1@urbancom.net>
Message-ID: <59Z13.10$0N1.78@news.megsinet.net>
Source record: 141905

Amateurs (hams) residing in Illinois (or anyone interested)
for the purpose of enhancing communication throughout the state.

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4777. Re: One phone call to Al Gore

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523160427.02110.00005172@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141906

>Just got off the phone with Al Gore,
>

You mean they finally thawed him out?

4778. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523160737.25671.00003712@ng-fc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141907

>Here's a suggestion Carol... you and your
>meathead husband Tom stick your heads in your heads in an oven and inhale the
>gas until you're dead. Then have your neighbor toss a match to incinerate
>both
>of you and in fifty years, when mention is made of the incident, a whole
>group
>of revisionists like you will say,"What incident? They died of old age."
>AF2Y,
>Doc

You have given yourself to the Dark Side of Force......

You are a disgrace to all Jews!!!!!!!!

Get it?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4779. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i9mu1$lp6$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 141908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

henry@wolfenet.com (Henry Knouse) wrote:

>In times past, there were a lot of 'Riley Hollingsworth's' policing
>the ham bands. I wish that there are 100 of him now!
>He might be a start of restoring Ham radio to what has been and should
>be,
>Henry, K7WAR

Amen, brother.

73, Jim KH2D

4780. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. C. Kelley" <km4o@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7i9of2$59t@sjx-ixn1.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141909

Code is as easy as YOU want it to be. Don't study and it is hard. A good thing to remember is to make it fun. Just remember dit dah is an A and everything else is different>>> just making it fun. and the learning process will be EASY.
You got to stay with it, what is easy for me may not be easy for you. YOU are the one that will determine how easy or hard it is to learn. Hang in there and Whamm you got it and then go take the exam.

GOOD LUCK
de km4o
73
Henry

Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net> wrote in message news:37480711.D58587EE@asu.uswest.net...
| Tapes are a fine place to get your feet wet. I wouldn't have gotten as far as
| fast without computer CW training, though. You can download shareware/freeware
| CW trainers all over the place. There is SuperMorse, NuMorse, and a load of
| others. Try them all to find the one you like the best. Above all, practice
| every single day, and you'll be at 13 WPM before you know it. Good luck.
|
| Stoli126 wrote:
| >
| > I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
| > I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
| > can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
| > better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
| > Thank you
|
| --
| Will White, KD7BFX
|
| to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

4781. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37486740.2A0F@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141910

JPNOLL wrote:
>
> dope has ruined your mind!
I think thats where your wrong I don't smoke dope. I do beleive that it
should be leagal. Haven't we learned anything from the 20'S
--

http://www.dirtball.com

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SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4782. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37486635.52D1@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson wrote:
>
> Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> > It's amazing how many people cannot discern the difference between a right
> > and a privilege....
> Your argument is incorrect. Ask Howard Stern, the other
> "shock jocks" and the stations who have had their licenses threatened.
> This has all been settled in the courts before.
> Driver's Licenses are not in the Bill of Rights.
> Freedom of expression is.
>
> And besides-- this isn't really the point.
> The point is not that you can say anything at all on Ham Radio.
> There are other laws that protect the rights of other people
> that place limits on such speech and that's fine.
>
> The point is that Mr. Hollingsworth is attempting enforcement
> based -in part- on the political content of speech,
> not just in the manner it is delivered. It is a fine distinction,
> but an extremely important distinction, for our very way of
> life turns on such points. In this, he is out of line.
>
> There are perfectly good regulations against broadcasting,
> ghost talking and jamming. He is completely correct in
> enforcing those rules. But when he begins suggesting
> changes in the political content of speech,
> all the while holding the club of license revocation
> over a group's head, he goes too far.
>
> It is sadly typical of a decayed society that the majority
> are willing -without question and damning those who do question-
> to follow any authority figure,
> selling their birthrights and betraying their neighbors,
> all for the promise of some temporary relief of some problem.
> I'm sure you remember what Benjamin Franklin
> had to say about such a people.
>
> Regards,
> Dave AB5S
I agree!
--

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4783. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374868CB.F82195CF@usa.net>
Source record: 141912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Glenn, do you enjoy having an audience to make an ass of yourself?

Glenn wrote:
stupidity snpped, nothing else left

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4784. Family Radio Service freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: psu76tg@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523164326.12501.00004648@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 141913

I would like to find out what frequencies the popular FAMILY RADIO SERVICE handhelds operate on??? are they compatible with 2 meter handhelds that have been opened up for extended transmit and receive??? are the freq in the 150 mhz band or 450??? anyone knowledgle about these frequencies out there?

4785. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan K Nelson <kf6knb@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <_NZ13.2659$%14.82639@dfiatx1-snr1.gtei.net>
Source record: 141914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson wrote in message <374842D2.1AB3FB9@ix.netcom.com>...
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>
>Dan K Nelson wrote:
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>> It's amazing how many people cannot discern the difference between a
right
>> and a privilege....

>
>Your argument is incorrect. Ask Howard Stern, the other
>"shock jocks" and the stations who have had their licenses threatened.
>This has all been settled in the courts before.

> SNIP <

You are trying to compare Public Broadcasting to that of a private radio service... By definition, the Amateur radio service is neither commercial, nor a broadcasting service.

Regulations for the Amateur radio service specifically forbid broadcasting, and /or operating the station for profit. Amateur regulations also frown on discussing topics of politics or religion. The court precedents regarding commercial broadcasting, like all court precedents, can only be applied to expressly similar circumstances. You cannot compare/equate apples to oranges in a court of law.

I would love to see some aggressive prosecution of outlaw ham operators in court. I think they will be rudely surprised by the verdicts, and the precedents set in these trials will be totally different than past rulings regarding commercial broadcast stations.

73 de KF6KNB

4786. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7i9p9j$q3g$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

You din`t quite get ALL the ignorant statements, I can still see yours !

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:3747AC16.27ABB6CC@usa.net...
> Glenn, Bill's level is already sub-basement, how could it go any lower?
>
>
> Glenn wrote:
>
> ignorant statements snipped, which left NOTHING from Glenn!
>
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
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>
>

4787. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7i9q7f$t66@dfw-ixnews9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <374868CB.F82195CF@usa.net> jmackey@usa.net writes:
>
>Glenn, do you enjoy having an audience to make an ass of yourself?

say Butt-fuzz

I sent a copy of your original
post to a few who are in that
business of what they do best:
do it to people like you.

get this you ass-end of nowhere fast

if bill ever has to ask for assistance
for his legal defense fund, all he has
to do is ask. I'll be the first to get
him what I can. and i'll bet hundreds
of NGers and more will too.

get this runt end of a gnat-fecaling

try asking people to help you with
money for your defense fund.

think about it square one. Minus one.
big zero.

I don't even think your mama will
strive to do it.

how many of us will contribute to
help Bill and how many of us won't
with you. THIMK.

best you really think this over and
then just blow away. by job and by
job and by job.

bill conduit
etc.

4788. Re: How to find HF nets and frequencies ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: john1952@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i9tiu$r1d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141917

In article <37475F11.4C57@imt.net>,
tglenn@imt.net wrote:
> Lynton@iname.com wrote:
> >
> > Anyone know of HF net frequencies and what time they are active, or
is
> > there a website with a listing?
> >
> > --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> > ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
> The ARRL publishes a net directory.Tracy
>
I posted this before, but apparently it didn't take, so here it goes
again:

The ARRL's 1997-1998 net directory is on the web at:
http://www2.arrl.org/files/infoserv/fsd/netdir97.txt

The 1999-2000 net directory should be coming out shortly (but as a
print publication; don't expect this to be posted on the web until
2001).

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4789. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927493638.067.25@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141918

The tapes are useful at first, but I'm partial to the software approach. Morse Academy worked extremely well for me. The bad side of the software is the temptation to push too far too fast. The tapes can't be changed, so you get the full dose. Maybe start with the tapes, and then work with software. Morse Academy's drills help you identify the problem characters, and allow you to work on those effectively. This isn't very meaningful until you know more than a few characters. In either case, you should strive to recognize the characters without effort. If you're working at decoding the sounds, you don't know them.

Think of Morse as similar to the phonetic alphabet. Anyone can learn the words in a few hours (Morse may take a while longer). The remainder is to skip the intermediate step of thinking it through: "KILO starts with K == K".

Work with the tapes, since you already have them. Don't be in a hurry, as you'll only have to go back to properly learn the ones you scrimped. Once you've done that, the software will take you the rest of the way to 13 and 20 very quickly. I especially like the MA drill that measures response time for each character. The slowest ones are the ones you need to work on.

Michael.

KB9UPI <wendie7@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:7i6rm8skp1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> In article <19990522055745.23711.00003584@ng-ci1.aol.com>,
> stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:
> > I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech
> plus
> > I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and
> or
> > can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there
anything
> > better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
> > Thank you
> >
>
> I am basically in the same situation you are, except I am just
THINKING
> about upgrading my license. I know that my brother and his friend have
> downloaded some morse code teaching programs off the internet that are
> simple to use and seem to be pretty helpful. If I can find the
> addresses to them, I will send them to you. They let you go at your
own

> pace and once you've learned a few, they let you decide what you need
> to work on and things like that, whereas, I can't see just a tape
doing
> that. But who knows. If I can find the addresses to the one we use, I
> will send it to you. Good Luck
>
> KB9UPI
> Wendie
>
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4790. Hollingsworth is a Bureaucrat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Robert E Lee IV <Freedom@patriotic.net>
Message-ID: <W2_13.13610$H82.1947917@news3.mia>
Source record: 141919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>It is sadly typical of a decayed society that the majority
>are willing -without question and damning those who do question-
>to follow any authority figure,
>selling their birthrights and betraying their neighbors,
>all for the promise of some temporary relief of some problem.
>I'm sure you remember what Benjamin Franklin
>had to say about such a people.
>
>Regards,
>Dave AB5S

Finally, a coherent statement and one from someone
obviously versed in American heritage.

Hollingsworth is a bureaucrat. It is the right and DUTY
of every American citizent to continually question the motives
of federal bureaucrats.

It is unfortunate that most American citizens (and
ham radio ops) cannot comprehend what Dave, AB5S just
said. His reference to Ben Franklin's quote is another
which will probbly not be comprehended either, but here it
is anyway:

"They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a
little temporary safety, deserve neither liberty nor safety."
-Ben Franklin

Federal bureaucrats are quite happy that the present
day American masses cannot recall such quotes, much less
act on them.

Bob Lee

"For God's sake, get us out of the United Nations."

4791. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374873D7.9484EB02@usa.net>
Source record: 141920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Yea, you're right, your message is still here too!

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> You din`t quite get ALL the ignorant statements, I can still

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4792. INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523173310.22561.00003757@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 141921

I just heard KD0LA make a valid point. If the Liberty Net has to justify it existance on 3950, then N4LMC should maybe think about justifcation of her Intercon Net, seeing that phone pacthes can be done by AT&T wireless.

humm?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4793. Equidistant Azumith Projections (Maps, etc.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tomas Hood - NW7US <nw7us@hfradio.org>
Message-ID: <37486F98.F2117CAC@hfradio.org>
Source record: 141922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

If you are interested in creating (on-the-fly, for download) Grid Square Maps, Azimuthal Projections, etc., please stop by and take a look at my AZ_PROJ Server (from Joe Mack). Maybe drop a line and let me know how it works for you.

73!

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please visit http://www.hfradio.org - create online equidistant,
azimuth maps, check propagation, read dx news, and more.
World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : 122.32W : 47.61N :
10x56526 : CW/SSB - DX hunter : Seattle
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4794. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374877E0.77B4@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141923

Doc
This is a ham radio Newsgroup not a Jews vs Nazi. Get it! You seem to talk about nothing but that Doc! Nazis are evil they are out to get me thats all you talk about. Now Doc I want you to talk to someone about that. over and over again. Thats all you talk about over and over again. I'm begining to wonder who is right here and who is wrong, If you get that type of email email there servers and tell them you don't want to receive mail for these people. Thats all you have to do. You make yourself out to be a idoit by posting this crap.
73 from
Oris

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http://www.dirtball.com

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4795. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Walker <dwalker@interalpha.co.uk>
Message-ID: <37487736.7DCE1379@interalpha.co.uk>
Source record: 141924
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

Yeah but the problem is it stays in your urine for quite a while. And
all Armed Forces are now doing hairtests, It stays in your hair 4 your
whole life. Providing you have done enough!

Kjole wrote:
>
> In article <3740B4E5.5FC050FC@prvnet.com>, mao2 <mao2@prvnet.com> wrote:
>
> > I sincerely believe that is bullshit. I have a friend who
> > has smoked A LOT of it for a very long time and he
> > has an incredible head of hair. Come to thing of it
> > I have another friend who smokes quite a bit of it
> > and he has all of his hair. Hey.... I seem to know a lot
> > of people who smoke pot.
>
> everyone that i know who smokes pot, has alot of hair...
> All the guys that i see walking out of the healthfood store jogging with
> their vitamins and beansprouts seem to be bald and sickly looking...
> I think Bob Dylan said it best : Everybody must get stoned...
>
> Tinky winky

4796. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #410

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.410.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 141925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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3W6, VIETNAM. "The 59(9) DXReport" reports that Karl, W9XK, will be active June 1st-July 20th as 3W6XK. Activity will be on 20 and 15 meters CW/SSB. QSL via homecall. ADDED NOTE: See XV7 below.

3W7CW UPDATE. Zygi, SP5ELA, from the Warsaw University of Technology RC (SP5PBE) and President, reports that Tom, 3W7CW/SP5AUC (ex-YI9CW), has been active from Hanoi, Vietnam since April 11, 1999. Tom has a one year license to operate on all HF bands plus 50 MHz, all modes. However, Tom's main interest is in CW. He is planning to operate some RTTY once his station gets fully set up. Tom's new QTH is on a second floor of a four story building (A DXer's paradise: no nearby high-rises, open horizon, tennis courts and parks all around. And, most of all, an unlimited access to the building's roof where Tom mounted his R7.) Tom is currently struggling with getting items ranging from a coax cable to a laptop computer, most of which have to be ordered from abroad. Fortunately, Tom took the majority of basics with him. He operates his faithful TS-180 and reports hearing not a single local 3W activity, only the neighboring BY, VS6, VK and JA. He has spotted many West Coast U.S. stations during the ARRL Contest, some of them really loud. Europe comes in with generally poor signals that he has to combat because of the overwhelming QRM from the local broadcasts, especially on 40 meters. Tom is planning to stretch some long-wire antennas north-west and possibly to other directions. He is a member of the Polish diplomatic corps in Vietnam and signed a four year contract. There should be lots of opportunities to work him, so dust those keyers off... For those interested in operating from Vietnam a

word of caution: a one-year license fee is 500 (USD)! QSL cards for 3W7CW should be directed to P.O.BOX 11, 02-800 Warsaw 93, Poland. Tom has been heard recently on 17 meters between 1230 and 1600z.

6 METERS CONTEST. Ciprian, YO3FWC, wants to remind everyone that the 1999 Oltenia Six Meter Contest will be held on the last full weekend of May (First period: May 29th, 0400-2000z, Second period: May 30th, 0400-2000z). All hams in the world are invited to participate in "Oltenia Six Meter Contest 1999". Rules can be found at "Romanian Amateur Radio Federation" Web site at: http://www.qsl.net/yo3kaa

BY, CHINA. The "DX News Sheet" reports that the Nanjing Agricultural University Radio Club will be active June 1-30th as BT99WED to celebrate "World Environmental Day".

BY, CHINA. Look for Pertti, OH2PM, to be active this weekend (May 29-30th), from the BY1DX station in Beijing for an all-band operation. Activity will be mostly on CW. QSL BY1DX via OH2BH.

CF3/VA3, CANADA. Look for amateurs in Ontario to begin using the CF3 prefix instead of VE3, and VX3 prefix instead of VA3 June 1-30th, for the 75th anniversary of the Royal Canadian Air Force (RCVAF).

CN, MOROCCO. Ben, DL6FBL/CN8WW, will operate during the CQ WPX Contest as a Single OP/All Bands entry. There will be some activity before the contest, but after the contest there will be no or only little activity because he will take down all antennas on Monday and go back to Germany early Tuesday morning. Ben states, "Please: during the contest all QSOs are welcome, of course. Outside the contest, please call me only on bands/modes, we have not yet worked!!! After this activity ALL logs will be merged and ALL QSOs (Oct.-Dec. 1998, Mar./Apr. 1999, and now) will be confirmed in one step!"

CY6, CANADA. Look for amateurs in Alberta to begin using the CY6 prefix instead of VE6, July 1-14th, to promote the Calgary Stampede.

DX CONVENTIONS (Update). The Holiday Inn in Visalia, where the International DX Convention is being held (in the year 2000), has a new area code. To make early reservations call 559-651-5000.

DX1S UPDATE. "QRZ DX" and "The Daily DX" sent out a press release from Martti, OH2BH, on his upcoming operation as DX1S. OPDX InterNet Subscribers will receive a copy of the release as an additional bulletin. Here are some excerpts from the release:
"Operators are Robin, DU9RG, Kan, JA1BK and Martti, OH2BH..... the station DX1S - DX Is - will hit the airwaves and be available for those who Deserve. DX1S is a new callsign of the Filipinas DX Society, of which WA6AUD and OH2BH are the first invited foreign members..... the station will be available May 28-31 for the multitudes on all known DX bands." Suggested frequencies: CW - 7005, 14025, 21025, 28025 kHz and SSB - 14195, 21295, 28495 kHz. QSL Manager for this special activity is KU9C.

GD6/MD0, ISLE OF MAN. GD6IA will be active during the upcoming ANRTS Contest, June 12-13th. Activity will be on 160-10 meters, but their

objective is to get some of the local hams active on RTTY.
Also, Doug, N6TQS, will be active as MD0BPI on RTTY from here May
21-27th. He will be using a wire antenna for the first two days, then he
will have a beam up and running. QSL via N6TQS or the G or W bureaus.

IOTA NEWS......
AS-122. This one came in late! Chung, HL2KAT, reports to look for
activity by HL0IHQ from Packryungdo Island now through May 25th.
Activity will be on 75/40/20/15/10/2 meters. This island is the
closest to North Korea, and it is a military area with a
sensitive zone. QSL via HL0IHQ; HL0IHQ, P.O.Box 375, Naminchon,
405-600 Korea. QSL searchs available at:
http://www.qsl.net/hl2kat
http://dx.qsl.net/logs

EU-008. Jeff, G3LWN, will be active June 1-4th, as 2S0PNS from the
Island of Pabay (57 17.7N/ 05.51.5W, IOSA NH11, WAB NG62). The
special call 2S0PNS is only available from May 6th to July 31st
and has been specially granted by the Radio Communications
authority to mark the Scottish Elections and the first sitting
of the Scottish Parliament. (The 2S replaces GM and of course
other GM stations can use the 2S prefix) The station will be
active on 160-10 depending on conditions and aerials available.
Jeff states that Pabay issues its own stamps (carriage labels)
and a special 2S0PNS stamp will be available.

EU-052. Jenci, HA5FA, will be active from Korfu Island with his CEPT
license as SV8/HA5FA/P between May 27th and June 2nd. QSL via
HA-Bureau.

EU-108. Operators GM0DEQ, GM0SEI and GM3WIL have planned another visit
to Lunga Island, Treshnish Isles (IOSA: NH17) on MAY 28-30th,
as GB5TI. Activity will be on 10/15/20/40/80 meters SSB/CW.
Last year's visit was cut short due to one operator suffering
a heart attack. QSL via GM0KVI.

EU-124. Glyn, GW0ANA, will be on Flatholm Island from August 27th
through September 1st. The callsign will be GB5FI. He states
that this will be a big event mounted by members of his club
"Barry Amateur Radio Society". They will be active on all bands
(Top band to 70cms) and modes (A1A, SSB, SSTV, RTTY, AMTOR,
PACTOR, and they will try PSK31). They will also have 6 meters.
QSL via GW0ANA bureau or CBA.

J6, ST. LUCIA. Jim/KF8VX and Cathie/KG8QL are announcing their summer
vacation/DXpedition to St. Lucia from June 19-26th. Callsigns are expected
to be J6/KF8VX and J6/KG8QL. They will be active on SSB and RTTY on all
bands based on propagation. QSL to home callsign or the W8 bureau.

KH0, MARIANA ISLANDS. Another group will be active from here during the
All Asian DX Contest. Look for Asa/JA6AGA and Tony/JA6CNL to be active
June 18-21st as KH0/AF4IN and KH0N. Listen for them on CW, 25 kHz up

from band edge.

NEW #CQDX HOME PAGE. Doug, N6RT, reports that the new home page of the IRC #CQDX Chat channel (with realtime spots from DX Summit) is now: http://dx.qsl.net/cqdx
The new page includes a java based IRC applet which you can try out if you have been curious about #CQDX but did not want to download and install any software.

OJ0 & OH0, MARKET REEF AND ALAND ISLANDS. A few press releases by Dennis, K7BV, announced that plans are now firm for the OJ0 and OH0 DXpedition. On May 25th, Dennis will fly via helicopter from the Aland Islands to Market Reef with Lars/OH0RJ, Seppo/OH1VR and Pasi/OH1MM. Operations will begin that evening (local time) after the antenna work has been completed. Listen for OJ0/K7BV, OJ0U, OJ0/OH0RJ and/or OJ0/OH1VR. Dennis will depart the reef for the Aland Islands OH0 Friday morning May 28th. One or two or all of the others may stay behind to operate in the CQ WPX CW Contest. K7BV will operate as OH0/K7BV from the OH0Z super station beginning the evening of May 28th and continuing until June 4th. He will use the OH0Z callsign during the WPX CW contest. Expect appearances on all bands 160-10 meters, the WARC bands and the RS12 satellite. A strong emphasis will be placed on CW. The 6 meters operation is questionable at this time. QSL OJ0/ OH0/ K7BV via KU9C. QSL OJ0U and OJ0/OH1VR via OH1VR. QSL OH0Z via OH1EH. The DXpedition Web site is now up and available for viewing at: http://www.qth.com/k7bv/

P3A AWARD. The 1999 P3A Team, which will be active in the upcoming CQ WPX CW Contest, announced that they will issue a special colorful award (with photos of all members of P3A) for contacts with P3A during 48 hours contest period. Details/press release will be provided to all OPDX InterNet Subscribers as an additional bulletin.

PW, BRAZIL. Alex, PY1KS, will be active in the CQ WPX CW Contest as PW1S. He will be on all bands as a low power entry. QSL via Bureau or direct to: P.O.Box 18123, Rio de Janeiro-RJ, 20722-970, Brazil.

QSL INFO AND NEWS......
4U1UN QSLS. The recent operation by Peter/ON6TT and Mats/SM7PKK should only be QSLed to: POB 3873, New York, NY 10017. (Remember ONLY this operation).

FT5ZH QSLS. Gil, F5NOD, reports that around 4000 FT5ZH QSLs have been mailed out, and the next 4000 QSLs will be mailed out in about one to two weeks maximum. They have received 8000 QSL currently. Some QSLs were received direct without postage contribution. These will be returned via the bureau. You can see the FT5ZH QSL on the following Web site: http://perso.easynet.fr/~f5nod/ft5z.html

The QSL route for 8P6AW is NOT via WB4RRK or K1XN. John has never been the manager for this club station. He suggests sending all QSL requests direct to 8P6AW: Amateur Radio Society of Barbados, Box 814-E, Saint Michael, Barbados.

The logs for the FO0AWI (Marquesas, January 1999) and FO0AWI (Australs, February 1999) are now online (as well as the FO0XUU operations) at: http://dx.qsl.net/logs

NOT THE QSL MANAGER! Steve Hurst, KA7NOC, reports that he is not the QSL Manager for YU1OJ. He has received many QSLs for this station over the last five years and has recently returned all cards to the hams who sent them. Steve WAS the manager for YU1PJ several years ago, but he has not heard from Zoran since the outbreak of war in YU-land in the early '90's. He feels this is why hams are sending him the QSLs. Should you require any further information, please refer to his Web site and follow the "YU1OJ" link at: http://www.magiclink.com/web/shurst

QSL YC0MZI via Muhamad Zaini "Zen" PO Box 7257/JKSPM, Jakarta 12072, Indonesia.

QSL YB0ZDD via Club Station "ORARI LOKAL PASAR MINGGU", PO Box 7257/ JKSPM, Jakarta, 12072, Indonesia.

SAVE YOUR GREEN STAMPS! EP/RA6LGM is a PIRATE.

WIA/IARU/VK8HA QSL BUREAU. Henry, VK8HA, states in reference to OPDX.409, Alan VK8AV does not refer to the WIA/IARU/VK8HA QSL Bureau. This bureau receives QSL cards for members as well as NON-members of the WIA. The WIA/IARU/VK8HA QSL Bureau address is: Box 619, Humpty Doo, N>T> 0836, Australia.

ZL9CI QSLs. These cards are expected to start coming out, and they expect to have all of the cards sent out by the end of June.

R200, RUSSIA. Look for special event station, R200AP, to be active on all bands and on all modes from June 5-7th to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the great Russian poet Alexander Pushkin. QSL via RA1WZ either direct (Al Trubchaninov, Rizhskij pr.51-104, 180016 Pskov, Russia) or through the bureau.

S9, SAO TOME (New on the Satellites?). Hardy, DC8TS/KC2DMA, states he will activate this one on the satellites. If you remember, he was active in 1996 as 5R8EO from Madagascar. He feels that it is now time for another "new one" on the satellites. However, he mentions that this is NOT a Dxpedition, but a holiday with his wife combined with a bit of satellite activity, if the licensing authorities allow this to happen. He has not heard anything yet about his license, but he will visit the Sao Tome Telecom to hopefully pick up a license on Monday the 31st of May. Activity in the hotel will be limited. Look for him between 1600-2000z. QSL is via the German QSL Bureau to DC8TS or direct. Direct QSLs for destinations outside of Europe require 2 USD return postage.

SV8, ZAKYNTHOS (Zante). Carl, GW0VSW, will be operating from this Greek island (IOTA EU-052) from June 1-14th, as SV8/GW0VSW. This will be mainly a vacation for Carl, but he hopes to be active every day. Activity will be on all bands mainly CW. He will also be looking for low power stations on the usual QRP frequencies. QSL via the bureau or direct to his home callsign.

XJ9, CANADA. A special prefix has been issued to be used by stations in Saint John, New Brunswick during the period of 0000z May 22nd through 2359z June 6th. There will be several stations active during this period. This prefix was issued to recognize 150 years of operation by the Saint John Police Dept., the oldest force in Canada. Andy, VE9DX, reports that he will be active during the CQWW WPX CW Contest as XJ9DX. Look for him before and after the contest on SSB, RTTY and PSK31.

XV7, VIETNAM. Rolf, SM5MX, is about to travel from Tokyo, his present QTH, to Hanoi to revive his call XV7SW for two weeks, May 23 to June 5. Rolf will take part in the WPX CW Contest. He is now the only remaining XV7 on CW. From now on, only 3W calls will be issued. QSL via SM3CXS.

YS, EL SALVADOR. Jack, KE4LWT, will be active as YS1/KE4LWT through at least August 15th. Activity will be on 10/12/15/17/20 meters. QSL through July 1st to: Jack R. Smith, Unit 3105, JTF New Hope, APO AA 34023. After July 1st, QSL direct to his home callsign. Bureau cards to the home callsign are always welcome.

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OPDX INTERNET SUBSCRIBE/UNSUBSCRIBE REQUEST: opdx-request@nshore.org
OPDX WORLD-WIDE WEB HOME PAGE (provided by John, K8YSE):
http://www.en.com/users/k8yse/opdx.html
OPDX SPANISH WEB SITE. (provide by "QTC Magazine" and Tony Pernas, EA1CSI):
http://www.intercom.es/qtc/qtcopdx.htm
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- OR - Send a message via packet to KB8NW @ WA8BXN.OH.USA.NA
- OR - Use the VOICE or FAX answering machine at 440-237-8208 which shares the same phone line as BARF-80 BBS using a data/fax/phone switch. To access: 1) Dial Number. 2) Wait for first ring (the second ring should be a false ring from the fax/data switch box) and then dial four quick ones ("1111"). (NOTE: Some FAX machines that send single "BEEPS" every second will not have to do this step.) 3) The phone will pick up and after the "BEEP" leave your voice message or FAX.

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4797. FS SSB UEK-2000SAT Down-Converter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carl Sherman <csherman@flash.net>
Message-ID: <37487E35.C23F84F5@flash.net>
Source record: 141926

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For Sale:
Satellite
SSB Electronics UEK 2000SAT Down-Converter
For Mode S reception
Originally purchased for Phase 3D
RF Input 2400 MHz
IF Output 144 MHz
Supply Voltage 13.5 VDC
Mounted but never powered
$250
Require money order or certified bank check
Carl Sherman, W5SBH
csherman@flash.net
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4798. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37487D12.E7AA6223@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dan K Nelson wrote:
> You are trying to compare Public Broadcasting to that of a private radio
> service... By definition, the Amateur radio service is neither commercial,
> nor a broadcasting service.
Irrelevant. The Bill of Rights does not make a distinction
between "public" and "private" circumstance.
A sign declaring "NO BLACKS" is equally illegal
on a public office building or a private place of business.

> Regulations for the Amateur radio service specifically
> forbid broadcasting,
<snip>
I have already said that broadcasting is not the point
of this argument. We are in agreement about that infraction.
Please argue to the point.

>...Amateur regulations also frown on
> discussing topics of politics or religion.
"Frowning upon" something is a matter of personal opinion.
It is not codified law and cannot be under the Bill of Rights.
Neither your, mine nor Mr. Hollingsworth's personal politics
or prejudices have any place as a matter of law enforcement.

> The court precedents regarding
> commercial broadcasting, like all court precedents,...
> You cannot compare/equate apples to oranges...
Both services are licensed communications services
administered by the same agency of the federal government.
I think the courts would see it as apples to apples.
But this is also irrelevant. The Bill of Rights
does not contain an exclusion based on type of service.
Part of the function of Amateur Radio is communication.
That is self-evidently correct. Otherwise, any exchange
that was not public-service or technical in nature would
be illegal. You can't have it both ways. It's either
legal to say "I like Bill Clinton" on ham radio or it's not.
I propose that until there is a Part 97.xxx,
stating that it is illegal to voice political opinions
on ham radio, that no enforcment action can properly
be based -even in part-, on such a concept.

Communication of views is protected, be it between a commercial
Rash Windbaugh and 40-millions or you and I on 75 meters.
We cannot allow it to be otherwise if we value our rights.

An enforcement officer may not demand that a citizen
cease to express his views in a peaceful, law-abiding manner.
Those people who have been "broadcasting" are not abiding the law,
but that's not the issue. Mr. Hollingsworth has made it clear
that *in his opinion* (for the test he is applying is nowhere
codified in the regulations),
the politics of this group are not "in the proper spirit."
It would appear that he wants citizens to stop expressing those
opinions,
in a law-abiding fashion or not, because they do
not conform to his personal notion of Amateur Radio.
He implicitly threatens to use his enforcement powers against those who
do not comply. That is improper coercion that
denies the civil rights of citizens and is -out-of-line-.

> I would love to see some aggressive prosecution of outlaw ham operators..
Most people would. But let's do it -within the law-, protecting the
principles of the Bill of Rights.
There's plenty of material to use against the bad guys
without crossing the line to tyranny.

>...I think they will be rudely surprised by the verdicts, and the
> precedents set in these trials will be totally different than past rulings
> regarding commercial broadcast stations.
Let us hope not. If so, it will knock yet another support
out from under the already tottering Bill of Rights.
Our fathers shed their blood for just such points as this.
People of conscience must protest when these priciples are threatened.

You know the worst part about this whole mess??
He doesn't NEED to trash the Bill of Rights to get the bad guys!
Mr. Hollingsworth doesn't need to inject demands that people
not express certain political views. The rules against
jamming and broadcasting are all the club he needs.
So why trample on the civil rights of citizens when
it's unnecessary?

73 OM DE Dave AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

4799. YOU FAGGOTS NEED TO GO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cyba Nonymous <CybaAnonymous21@nym.alias.net>
Message-ID: <19990523222541.18039.qmail@nym.alias.net>
Source record: 141928

All of you 3950 and 3894.5 faggots need to hit the road. That also goes for all the 14.300 and 314 assholes. You people are nothing but white trash. Get lost.

4800. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <374871C2.8CF@no.net>
Source record: 141929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim Kehler wrote:
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> henry@wolfenet.com (Henry Knouse) wrote:
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> >In times past, there were a lot of 'Riley Hollingsworth's' policing
> >the ham bands. I wish that there are 100 of him now!
> >He might be a start of restoring Ham radio to what has been and should
> >be,
> >Henry, K7WAR
>
> Amen, brother.
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> 73, Jim KH2D

Another ditto, I hope he prosecutes all of them and sticks them so far
back you have to pipe sunshine to them.

4801. Cape Cawd Cawmmunicators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <XA%13.80$Ia.2866@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141930

Memworial Day closes in and causes Cape Cawd Cawmmunicatahs
Cornsiderable Cawstawnashawn.

http://www.geocities.com/ResearchTriangle/Node/1269/drudgery.html

73,
Bill Mather
The Drudgery Report Writers
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4802. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <374889a5.975082@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 141931
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Both services are licensed communications services
>administered by the same agency of the federal government.
>I think the courts would see it as apples to apples.
>But this is also irrelevant. The Bill of Rights
>does not contain an exclusion based on type of service.
>Part of the function of Amateur Radio is communication.
>That is self-evidently correct. Otherwise, any exchange
The courts have limited the bill of rights as far as free speech is concerned. You can't shout fire in a theater!
Traditionally ham radio has excluded political speech and religion.
The terms of your ham license determine how you use ham radio.
Allowing crap, like the 3950, goes against every legal tradition in America! Prior to this decade, ham radio was off limits to junk like them.
Only in the 90's do, primarilly conservatives, feel that they have the right to blow their shit using any/every media known to man. This is unique to this time and defies tradition.

4803. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <37498a9b.1220607@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 141932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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>Another ditto, I hope he prosecutes all of them and sticks them so far
>back you have to pipe sunshine to them.

Another conservative. Conservatives use profanity and nasty mean
speech whenever they are out of ideas (people such as yourself).
A question on the General Class exam in 1961 was what was the penalty
for violating Amateur radio laws, the answer was 5 years in the
federal clink and $10,000 fine.
I hope that a million Hollingsworths come about to rid the ham bands
of trash, such as yourself.

4804. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA? Or is it really John Mackey selling licenses?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7ia2p7$98e$0@208.207.68.71>
Source record: 141933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

On Sat, 22 May 1999 21:53:19 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>he wife may
>always volunteer to turn to give evidence & act as a witness against him
>to save herself (she

Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants.

4805. Re: INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523193541.23712.00004078@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141934

>From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)

>If the Liberty Net has to justify it
>existance on 3950, then

Are you taking up for them??

>seeing that phone pacthes can be done by AT&T wireless.

I have never heard the "intercon net" but I have also never heard AT&T on ham
radio offer up a phone patch either. Now I have heard the "So Called" liberty
Nit - what do they have to offer???
>humm?
>

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4806. Re: Thee "KJI Files" webpage! (with PHOTO!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523193815.23712.00004079@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141935

Info on the "So Called" liberty NIT
take a LOOK at:

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4807. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <2h023.81$Q%5.16237@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 141936
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Don't worry you have the market to yourself John-Bowl.

You prove it 12 times today already.

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:374868CB.F82195CF@usa.net...
> Glenn, do you enjoy having an audience to make an ass of yourself?
>
>
> Glenn wrote:
> stupidity snpped, nothing else left
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
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4808. John Mackey falsifying VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <%p023.84$Q%5.15150@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 141937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Found this on the net today......

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Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants.

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Anybody know about this?

I know John has made many false claims about many things but do you believe
he would really take money to pass people?

John has lied on the net about his license status and other things but would
he stoop this low?

What's the story???

4809. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Bakers <nospam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <374897B6.BE9B807A@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141938

William C. Thompson wrote:

> I, for one, have never heard of a riot at a
> hamfest........ Bill

There was that time someone accidentally dropped a nickel, and well.....the rest is history.

4810. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <33439F61B1BED8EA.422ADE60767E99A6.B8E6AD9EF0A1FC0A@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Funny that you mention people looking down on General class as this is what the majority of HAM's are.
I never want to be anything more than General Class.
My friend is an Extra Class and he has not used Morse code in over 15 years and he thinks coders are a bunch of idiots in this modern day and age.
He doesn't look down on anyone except people who want to be HAM's but never make an effort at all.

4811. Re: Family Radio Service freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <37489869.D0A47B27@four-way.net>
Source record: 141940
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family radio service operates in the 460 Mhz range.. YES, most ham hand helds and mobile that can be modified can reach these frequencies.. be warned you can only use 1 watt of power max in this band due to the fact that it is shared with the GMRS band as well. Here is a list of both the FRS and GMRS frequencies.

Family Radio Service General Mobile Radio Service
==== ==== ===== ===== ===== ==== =====
462.5625 - CH 1 467.5625 - CH 8 462.550 462.6375 462.7250
462.5875 - CH 2 467.5875 - CH 9 462.5625 462.650
462.6125 - CH 3 467.6125 - CH 10 462.575 462.6675
462.6375 - CH 4 467.6375 - CH 11 462.5875 462.675
462.6625 - CH 5 467.6625 - CH 12 462.600 462.6875
462.6875 - CH 6 467.6875 - CH 13 462.6125 462.700
462.7125 - CH 7 467.7125 - CH 14 462.6250 462.7125

PSU76TG wrote:

> I would like to find out what frequencies the popular FAMILY RADIO SERVICE
> handhelds operate on??? are they compatible with 2 meter handhelds that have
> been opened up for extended transmit and receive??? are the freq in the 150
> mhz band or 450??? anyone knowledgle about these frequencies out there?

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

4812. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <CA3F24D15C7257E6.483F5D66D594855E.A6799EA5DDEEB096@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

No way dude!
Drop the code because it is obsolete, but not the classes!
I do think that the classes need to be redone though.
Tech classes are fine, Novice should be dropped, General
is fine but the Advances and Extra classes need more incentive (as if I were
to ever become and Advanced or Extra).
As a general class, I have no reason to me (other than the honor) to go through the
hell to become an advanced or Extra for the little freq's and extra rights offered.

4813. Galaxy radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Neomorpheous <vergara@thepentagon.com>
Message-ID: <O1mSPBYp#GA.113@cpmsnbbsa03>
Source record: 141942

I'm trying to take the technician license exam on June. I'm doing this besides a hobby, also to be able to communicate with both cars in the family and the house and also among friends in Florida that has HAM radios also. I would like to know if there is a radio that will allow me to have access to the frequencies that I would be entitled once I pass the exam and if those frequencies will allow me to talk at least within a couple of hundred miles away. I'm not looking to bounce signals off the moon or anything like that, I just want to be able to use the radio to communicate for example from Orlando or Tampa to Jacksonville, and also to be able to use the repeaters so if I want to make a phone call from the radio I can. Will the VHF and UHF that a technician is authorized to use will allow me to use repeaters, talk a long distance and make phone calls. I'm planning on running 200 watts of power. Can a Galaxy radio do any of these things? The reason why I ask this, is because I like the format of the Galaxy radios, (buttons and knobs, not pushing buttons). I would really appreciate your help with this since I'm kind of new the HAM hobby and still studying for the test.!!! :)

4814. This NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3748A5EB.DAD80FAB@dimensional.com>
Source record: 141943

I think this NG needs to be fumigated. Somebody call Orkin.

73,

Marv
AB0IO

4815. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3748AE9E.9EDBF60C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Henry Knouse wrote:

> The courts have limited the bill of rights as far as free speech is
> concerned. You can't shout fire in a theater!
I already addressed this in my passage concerning limits to speech
that are placed to protect the rights of other persons.
"Broadcasting" speech is a good example of speech not protected,
because it violates the rights of others
and threatens commercial interests.
Individual expression of political opinions do not harm others,
despite those who freely choose to listen and freely choose to
act offended so they can have something about which to complain
or can feel part of some "righteous cause" against the imagined
offender.

> Traditionally ham radio has excluded political speech and religion.
Tradition is not law. Tradition is not a right. It is an informal
and uncodified agreement, and therefore subject to change and
NOT subject to federal enforcement.

> Allowing crap, like the 3950, goes against every legal tradition in
> America!...
Funny... the "legal tradition" in American for nearly 200 years
was black slavery and sanctioned discrimination against
jews, hispanics, etc. It is "legal tradition" in some
African countries to mutilate small children. Traditions
are not laws. See above.

> Prior to this decade, ham radio was off limits to junk like
> them...
Absolutely untrue. There have been scufflaws and brigands
on the radio since the first spark gap. It's only this
decade that we've grown so lazy about ferreting them out
that we're willing to trade off personal freedoms so
a federal functionary can do our dirty work for us.

> Only in the 90's do, primarilly conservatives, feel that they have the
> right to blow their shit using any/every media known to man. This is
> unique to this time and defies tradition.
Outrageously false statement to the point of laughablity.
Read any newspaper from the 1960s. Peace, Man!

Regards,
Dave Stinson AB5S

4816. RSGB & UK Radio Authority agree on license class with full HF access with only 5 wpm Morse test!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7iadgq$6ll$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 141945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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All you procode fanatics better get your heart medicine
and some smelling salts and have the XYL stand by before
you read this ... :-)

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The following Press Release was issued by the RSGB and
the RA on Friday 21 May 1999:

New Licence Sets the Scene for the New Millennium
UK Amateur Radio Licensing is about to undergo the most
exciting changes seen since the introduction of the
Novice Licence in 1991.

Two major initiatives will allow greater access to the
full range of facilities that Amateur Radio has to
offer, and broaden the appeal of the hobby to a wider
audience. More amateurs will have the opportunity to
experience worldwide communications, and newcomers to
the hobby will find it possible to make contacts on a
wider range of frequencies.

These substantial improvements stem from discussions
between the Radio Society of Great Britain and the
Radiocommunications Agency, following consultation with
the Amateur Radio community carried out by both
organisations.

A new class of licence, to be known as the A/B licence,
and which will use the callsign series M5xxx, is to be
introduced in the early autumn. This will provide
access to all amateur bands, on passing the Radio
Amateurs Examination and a 5 words per minute Morse
test. 100 Watts PEP output will be allowed on the bands
below 30MHz (the HF bands); and 400 Watts PEP output
above.

The Novice A and Novice B licences will be enhanced in
the summer to allow a higher transmitted power than at
present. The power output will go up to 10 Watts PEP.
New frequencies will include the 144MHz band, an SSB
allocation on 3.5MHz and the extension of the existing
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Novice HF allocation to include the QRP CW calling frequencies.

It is expected that the World Radio Conference to be held in 2002 or 2003 will agree to the removal of mandatory Morse testing for access to frequencies below 30MHz. Following that decision, the existing licence structure will be replaced with an incentive-based system. In the meantime, discussions are under way to ensure that Morse and data sub-bands are safeguarded by incorporating them into licence schedules.

In summary, the improvements are:

Access to the HF bands with a lower Morse test speed
The Class A/B licence to provide access to all HF bands at the 100 Watt PEP level
Higher output power on all Novice bands
Wider allocations on existing Novice bands
Access to 144MHz for Novice licensees
Safeguards for Morse and data sub-bands
In the longer term, the introduction of an incentive-based licensing system
The RSGB and the RA are hopeful that these initiatives will provide a more attractive path into Amateur Radio, at the same time as increasing the facilities available to existing radio amateurs. These measures, together with the new licence structure, which will be put into place after a future WRC, will provide a healthy future for Amateur Radio well into the 21st century.

For further information, contact:

Specialist Sectors Unit, Radiocommunications Agency, New King's Beam House, 22 Upper Ground, London SE1 9SA

Radio Society of Great Britain, Lambda House, Cranborne Road, Potters Bar, Herts EN6 3JE
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And the times, they are a changing ...

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wa6vse@fast.net
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4817. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <ZN223.108$p3.44735@news21.ispnews.com>
Source record: 141946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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> blah, blah, blah, drivel --snipped--
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Let me attempt to set you straight. About 2 months ago a firefighter came to me and said that he thought that there was a CBer running an illegal linear near a local fire-station. The harmonic interference was causing a major disruption with both the rescue and the fire departments two way communications. After some investigation I found that there were no local ordinances or state laws prohibiting radio interference and the enforcement of which is solely placed on the FCC (AKA guys like Riley Hollingsworth).

Now you tell me, if your kid is lying in the middle of the street after being hit by a car, wouldn't you want the rescue to be able to freely communicate with the dispatcher at the fire dept without being interfered with by some radio operator whether it be a Ham or a CBer? This is just one of the countless reasons why we need people like Riley Hollingsworth and his dedicated and undermanned staff.

It is for reasons like this that a Riley Hollingsworth or any other FCC enforcement officer is worth their weight in gold. A bureaucrat.....I DONT THINK SO!

4818. FS: Kenwood UHF Repeater/Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7iae2u$d7k$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141947
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TKR-820 Desktop Repeater with Internal Cel-Wave Duplexer. The repeater is a 2-20 watt commercial unit. The power supply is built in and also has a 12VDC input for emergency automatic backup power. The repeater has a CW ID installed. There is also a Full Duplex CS-800 Interconnect/Repeater Controller which is wired to plug into the accessory plug on the rear of the repeater. Currently the repeater is programmed for 444.500 / 449.500. The repeater can be setup to operate from 8 different CTCSS or DCS codes (can be mixed). The TKR-820 is type approved for GMRS, Commercial, and Ham. The repeater is the same size as a Kenwood TS-850S HF rig. It is about a year and a half old and is currently in service. I also have 1 new and slightly used (2 months) TK-860 UHF - 32 Channel radios with CTCSS and DCS for sale. I also have a DTMF mic for one of the TKR-860s. All of the equipment is in good working order and looks new. I can program the TKR-860 radios to any channel setup required. I will discount for a package sale! Email radio@vvm.com for prices on selected or package items.

73, De Anthony, WB5TTY

4819. Think that gun owners have it bad, Federal agents arrest Scanner Hobbyist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <3748B9EC.6EB1A288@purdue.edu>
Source record: 141948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.law-enforcement,alt.politics.clinton

Bill Cheek and Keith Knipschild Arrested

April 2, 1999

John T. Ward posted an article on USENET about the following article which appeared in
the Friday, April 2 issue of NY Newsday newspaper, page A31.

Feds: Man Eavesdropped on Police / Agents say he posted cops' info on Web site

By Hugo Kugiya. STAFF WRITER

The U.S. Secret Service and Nassau County police arrested an unemployed electronics
enthusiast from Kings Park after he intentionally intercepted communication sent and
received by the mobile data terminals installed in police cruisers, federal agents said.

Keith Knipschild, a former NYNEX employee, was arrested Wednesday in his home at 29
Amapola Lane for intercepting information and posting some of it on his Web site, http://www.knip.com, agents said. Police use mobile data terminals to check for outstanding warrants, review driving records and to send emergency information they might not want to broadcast across police scanners, such as details of an ongoing surveillance or a planned
search.

An affidavit from a federal agent found that Knipschild's Web site had 93 pages of
police transmissions from March 12, which included criminal histories and warrants,
motor-vehicle checks, medical information about victims, and witness statements. Nassau
police confirmed the information was transmitted by police on that day. Investigators say
a confidential source led them to Knipschild, who could not be reached for comment yesterday.

Federal investigators said three satellite dishes, ranging in size from 18 inches to
12 feet in diameter, as well as a 40-foot radio tower were discovered on Knipschild's property. Calls to federal authorities

seeking comment were not returned yesterday. Details about the disposition of the case were not available.

Federal documents indicate Knipschild's Web site includes information of interest to electronic enthusiasts, with links to Web sites about scanners, satellites and dishes, and amateur radio.

Federal investigators said Knipschild used an illegal electronic device to intercept police communications. In a related case, the Secret Service have arrested a San Diego couple, Bill and Cindy Cheek, on a New York warrant charging they sold such illegal devices on the Internet to intercept police communications. The Secret Service said one of its undercover agents purchased a device from the Cheeks, who shipped it to New York. Details were not readily available yesterday.

Mobile data terminals send and receive information by radio frequencies, which are encoded into a digital or binary format, one that is not available to the public. Furthermore, these terminals are password-protected.

http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/newsflsh.htm

4820. Re: Family Radio Service freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3748B44F.A73E0935@ibm.net>
Source record: 141949

Don't forget to mention that it is not legal to transmitt on the
ftequencies with a modified ham ht and the deviation is only 2.5 khz
instead of the normal 5 khz used in the ham ht. The received audio
will be low when received on a ham ht and if it is used to
transmitt, the audio on the frs will be distorted or broken up very
bad unless you back way off the mic.

Brad Kellison KA8TOK wrote:
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> family radio service operates in the 460 Mhz range.. YES, most ham hand helds and
> mobile that can be modified can reach these frequencies.. be warned you can only
> use 1 watt of power max in this band due to the fact that it is shared with the
> GMRS band as well.

4821. Re: Think that gun owners have it bad, Federal agents arrest Scanner Hobbyist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7iah91$t9l$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.law-enforcement,alt.politics.clinton

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> April 2, 1999
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> which appeared in
> the Friday, April 2 issue of NY Newsday newspaper, page A31.
>
Yes, this is undoubtedly the same John T Ward who works at Uniden, and was instrumental in getting the latest round of restrictions slapped on us .
Have you read the text of the latest Anti - Scanner Bill ? He is mentioned prominently in it. Maybe you should read that.

This is hardly news, it has been posted at least 20 times, and there are at least three web sites I can think of where you can read it as well.

4822. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA? Or is it really John Mackey selling licenses?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7iah92$t9l$2@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Not only that, but she is going to tell them about his MULTIPLE ANUSES !

Blake Bowers <bbowers@townsqr.com> wrote in message
news:7ia2p7$98e$0@208.207.68.71...
> On Sat, 22 May 1999 21:53:19 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:
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>
> >he wife may
> >always volunteer to turn to give evidence & act as a witness against him
> >to save herself (she
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>
> Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
> VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants.

4823. FS: Kenwood UHF Repeater/Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7iahfd$5od$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141952
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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73, De Anthony, WB5TTY

4824. Re: John Mackey falsifying VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7iahg0tad1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Could he be low enough to walk under a snail and not disturb a hair on his flat head ? NO sweat ! His forehead ends right where his one continuous eyebrow is, and goes straight back. Picture that. His local nickname is "Superfly"......

Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote in message news:%p023.84$Q%5.15150@news.uswest.net...
> Found this on the net today......
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> Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
> VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants.
>
> -------------end---------------
>
> Anybody know about this?
>
> I know John has made many false claims about many things but do you
believe
> he would really take money to pass people?
>
> John has lied on the net about his license status and other things but
would
> he stoop this low?
>
> What's the story???
>
>

4825. Ham Radio license plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Fregeau <n5hsr@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <3748CC65.1B5FE40@sprynet.com>
Source record: 141954

Willing to buy or trade amateur radio license plates

Charles R Fregeau N5HSR

4826. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <3D4DA251E274AD84.DE51226880DFB5DA.AB1742140A304B6F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Oh really?
Hehehe, so much for the other HAM's then as they are outnumbered. :)

> Sorry to tell ya but the majority of Hams are no code techs.

4827. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fc7vya5.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 141956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 23 May 1999 22:24:37 GMT, JJ wrote:

> Another ditto, I hope he prosecutes all of them and sticks them so far
> back you have to pipe sunshine to them.

And makes sure that all the "I"s are dotted and the "T"s
are crossed so that cowboy shortcuts don't ruin a good case.

The same has to be said of ANY level of the law enforcement
system.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

4828. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fc7wgm6.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 141957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 23 May 1999 23:11:12 GMT, Henry Knouse wrote:

> A question on the General Class exam in 1961 was what was the penalty
> for violating Amateur radio laws, the answer was 5 years in the
> federal clink and $10,000 fine.

The question may have been there, but the correct answer was:

Statute (Congressional law) - 1 year and/or $10K
Communications Act, Sect. 501.

FCC Rule - $500 fine and no imprisonment.
Communications Act, Sect. 502.

These were the MAXIMUM penalties which could be imposed by a
court after formal prosecutions, which were as rare in the
amateur service then as they are now.

At that time the biggest stick that the FCC had was license
revocation. Monetary penalties ("forfeitures") imposed by the
FCC itself didn't come about until almost ten years later. The
FCC never had, nor does it have today, the power to imprison
anyone for anything.

See my earlier post for more details on current penalties.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

4829. Re: Motorola MC10154 Prescaler.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mzenier@netcom.com
Message-ID: <mzenierFC8xM9.B7p@netcom.com>
Source record: 141958
Cross-posted to: no.teknologi.elektronikk,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7i8ns7$gr7$1@romeo.dax.net>,
Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@c2i.net> wrote:
>Are there anyone with info about this prescaler, i've searched in vain for
>it in the big blue from Motorola it selfe...
>
>Also some extra info about prescaling technique in the 128/129 or above is
>much apreciated.
>I intend to use the MC145152P when designing a 6-meter cw transceiver...

It's not a prescaler, it's an ECL binary counter, so it would be in
the MECL databook. Their prescalers are in the MC12xxx number range
and (I think) are in the Communications databook (or web page section).

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com mzenier@netcom.com Washington State resident

4830. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37474FFC.DB7E6575@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
> >
> > Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> > > So you're opposed to having a single skill test. Fine.
> >
> > Nope, I'm opposed to any kind of skill test at all. Skill can be
> > learned as needed. IMO, knowledge tests are all that are necessary.
> >
> > > (Note that code is the second-most popular HF mode, Cecil.)
> >
> > I don't believe I mentioned HF, Jeff. CW is the third most
> > popular mode in ham radio.
>
> When the subject is "access to the HF allocations within
> ham radio" it would surely be proper to 'mention' HF.
> Unless, of course, it works against one's "Agenda". Then one
> does it the Cecilian way, and takes whatever position works
> the best.

Seems you consider it proper to twist my words into trying to
convince others that I said "HF" when all I said was "ham radio".
Why is it OK for you to twist my words to suit your agenda and
not OK for me to correct the error that I was even talking about
HF? Are you saying vhf/uhf is NOT part of ham radio?
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
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4831. Re: Cobra 148GTL Is Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <37474fa3.4554403@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141976
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

ATTN!!!!Send me a MONEY ORDER for $50 and I will send back a MO for
$100!!!!No joke!!!!I am HONEST!!!!Hurry before the waiting list gets
too long!!!

On Fri, 21 May 1999 23:52:59 -0400, "Speedbuggy714"
<galaxy1@zoomnet.net> wrote:

>Well I guess that site is down. Oh well anyway it is a good radio and I will
>guarentee it not to be D.O.A.............
>Mike
>
>
>Speedbuggy714 wrote in message <927343998.134.37@news.remarQ.com>...
>>Well if anyone still wants one I have a nice one for sale too. Peaked up
>>with modulation limiters still intact, Extra channels with channel sheet,
>>Roger beep that you can turn off, Clarifier opened up. No holes drilled in
>>the chassie, channels and roger beep are controled by existing switches.
>>Mobile was never in a vehical, used on a power supply in the house. Brand
>>new mounting bracket and cobra hand mic also brand new power cord with fuse
>>holder. No orginal box or papers included. I will sell it and ship it for a
>>money order sent first for $150. If anyone needs to see a report of my
>>charcter they can click on the link below to see reports from satisfied
>>customers that I have delt with before.........
>>Thanks,
>>Mike
>>http://cgi2.ebay.com/law-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewFeedback&userid=speedbuggy71
>4
>>
>>
>>
>>W5IDX wrote in message <7i4l7k$241$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>...
>>>The Cobra 148GTL Is Sold
>>>Thanks For All Whom Replied
>>>73's
>>>W5IDX@worldnet.att.net
>>>
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>

4832. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Granger <bgranger@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <37475cb8.0@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 141977
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

>Seriously, one very popular 2M handy-talkie has its first LO radiation
>falling from 122.6 to 126.6 Mhz @ -57dbm at the antenna port. Pretty
>weak signal, but I still wouldn't feel comfortable riding in the same
>aircraft as this radio.
>
>Don Montgomery K6LTS
>donrm@sr.hp.com

Depending where you are sitting, that's enough signal to get to the antenna of an aircraft com and open the squelch. At the very least, it would be irritating to the drivers.

I service General Aviation avionics. A signal at -65dbm from my test set is quite often strong enough to operate the aircraft nav receivers.

I know this because one of the tests I perform is a check on threshhold (nav flag) sensitivity and a comparison of the relative sensitivity of both Nav receivers.

The problem arises: Whilst we may feel that our scanners and ht's are safe, none of us has actually tested 'every' variable and could testify that 'it wasn't me' in front of the Coroner.

I use an IC R10 daily as a test receiver, have flown with it and used it in flight. BUT, the modern airliner has at least 3x 760 channel VHF coms, 2x 400 channel VHF Nav receivers, a couple of 75MHz marker receivers, a couple of 330 MHz Glideslope receivers, a couple of 200-1800khz receivers, a 9.45GHz receiver, a couple or three 4-5GHz receivers (rad alt and MLS) and perhaps a couple of 1575MHz GPs receivers.

These receivers DO interfere with each other occasionally, shortly followed by a manufacturers bulletin on how to prevent it. The manufacturers know what gear they expect to operate with and Local Oscillator frequencies are carefully chosen to prevent this.

The scanner or Ht is a wildcard. I'll bet none of you can tell me, off the top of your head, what frequency the LO is on when listening to your favourite Police frequency, for example. Remember that whilst scanning, the LO is hopping about or slewing about all over the spectrum.

You could, of course, go up the front and ask the pilot if you could use the radio, do a check on his coms and see that there's no interference, but in Departing Sydney airport, there are no fewer than 8 frequency changes required. Did you check them all?

Brad VK2QQ

4833. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dick Carroll <dixie@townsqr.com>
Message-ID: <7i7mdk$f2c$0@208.207.71.162>
Source record: 141978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA wrote:
>
Are you saying vhf/uhf is NOT part of ham radio?

Uh, Cecil, the No Codes already *have* vhf/uhf. What is at
stake is a codeless HF. Got that OM???

4834. Re: wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i7pnq$g67$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141979

You are absolutely right Joe. WB9BCC lived this lie for a while,
telling people he was a "SECRET" receiver of the MEDAL OF HONOR. There
is no such thing as a secret award they all are numbered.. In fact he
is lucky he did not
receive a visit from the FBI for spreading such a lie. Sinking so low
as to Steal glory from real heros like Roger Young. Commando Kelly and
others who received our nations highest award for valor. Dr Hate AF2Y
spread this story on the amateur bands also, telling what a great hero
this fellow is. He is no hero, he is a disgrace, a spinner of lies and
shameless.

article <jHI13.1736$J3.60196@news15.ispnews.com>,
"Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@schlatter.org> wrote:
> There we were, at 250 feet on short final when plaintruth@my-
dejanews.com
> keyed the mike and said:
>
> >WB2otk is wanted in Florida on a bad check charge. The warrant is
still
> >in effect. He faced a foreclosure on a home he was buying in
Florida. He
> >and members of his family were involved in a shoplifting affair in
> >Greenville S. C. This is the stuff you will not hear on the hambands,
> >but we can freely disclose the truth here. heh heh. Boy is he a
success
> >in his chosen profession constant lying. say no more. All of this
can
> >be proven. Also one of his buddies claimed to have received the
Medal Of
> >Honor. This bird was WB9BCC. It was pure egotist BS and against the
law
> >This is the kind of people who are posting all this stuff on the news
> >group. They are a legend in their own minds. Of course the suck boys
> >just look over these small defects in their heros.
> >
> >
> >--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> >---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
> QUOTE
> Also one of his buddies claimed to have received the Medal Of
> Honor. This bird was WB9BCC.
> END QUOTE
>

> According to QRZ.com, WB9BCC is Duane L. Jacobson.
>
> --There is no Jacobson recipient of the Medal of Honor from Vietnam
> -- There is no Jacobson recipient of the Medal of Honor from the
Korean War
> -- A MOH was awarded in WW II to Douglas Thomas Jacobson, PFC, US
Marine
> Corp, for action on Iwo Jima.
>
> For those who are interested, the US Army Center of Military History
has a
> listing of all MOH recipients and the citations for their awards at
this
> URL:
>
> http://www2.army.mil/cmh-pg/moh1.htm
>
> Regards,
> Joe Schlatter
> http://www.miafacts.org
> http://www.schlatter.org
> Amateur Radio Extra Class licensee W4HH
>
>

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4835. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Granger <bgranger@one.net.au>
Message-ID: <37475def.0@pink.one.net.au>
Source record: 141980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

>Whilst on the same subject a number of traffic accident fatalities have
>been caused here by drivers using cell phones, including head on
>crashes! Trouble is our road traffic laws are so slow to be changed that
>no doubt the carnage will continue.
>
>--
>From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!

Well around here there is a $190 fine if we are caught using a hand held mobile phone whilst driving. Hands free Car kits sell very well. We also have a very high percentage of mobile phone users. This year number of mobile voice calls made will exceed the fixed phone network.

Brad VK2QQ

4836. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7i7mv9$9rv@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 141981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dick Carroll (dixie@townsqr.com) wrote:
: James Rosenthal wrote:
: > [snip]
: >
: > I think that in 1999 and beyond it will take more than 40K hams to KEEP
: > the frequencies for the ARS though. Perhaps even 670K isn't enough.

: So we should just suck all the CB/Freebies into ham radio
: to "save it", right??

Not "all" of them. How 'bout just a tintsy-winsy little bit of them.
After all, there are 40 MILLION of them!!!

: How are you so sure the cure won't be
: worse than the disease, if there even is one-very
: questionable, to be sure.

Remember that joke, "what this *WE*.....". Are you out recruiting "bad"
CBers as prospective hams?

; If the morass on 27 mHz is any clue it will be far worse.

I do believe that CB doesn't have tests, no enforcment of the rules,
different goals than the ARS, 40 million rigs crammed in to 40 channels
over ~500 Khz, etc. etc. What do you think the ARS would be like under
those same conditions?

Since we DON'T have the same conditions, you really can't compare the two
services. But you'll keep doing it anyway since, as you like to say, it
suits YOUR agenda.

--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4837. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7i7nf3$9rv@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 141982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
: James Rosenthal wrote:
: > Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:

: > : Back in 1932 there were only 40 kilohams in the US. The hobby did quite
: > : well with those few numbers.

: > Things have changed somewhat in the mean time.
: > I think that in 1999 and beyond it will take more than 40K hams to KEEP
: > the frequencies for the ARS though. Perhaps even 670K isn't enough.

: Today there is much less pressure upon our spectrum from outside services
: than anytime in the last 50 years.

Uh hu. I think Ed can tell you of some nice new RF devices that will
change your mind about that.

: 40,000 HF-licensed active hams would
: be plenty to insure the safety of our below-30MHz frequencies.

Proof please.

: Leave
: protecting V/UHF to the no-code Techs; that was the reason for creating
: the license class in the first place.
: Jeff KH6O

Larry thinks that they were supposed to invent "a whole new infrastructure
of digital communications". I'd rather believe that just inventing
anti-gravity would be good enough for starters 8-/

The FCC seems to think that it is the "entry" class of the ARS.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

4838. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Message-ID: <7i7sgu$i0i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141983

In article <19990522110618.23507.00003374@ng62.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> <<This moron lists all of the countries which expelled Jews.
> Is it coincidental
> that their empires and influence crumbled?

Every empire has crumbled, including the empire of lands conquered by the ancient Hebrews and the empire of lands conquered by the Khazars.

The American nation was not founded on the principle of empire building, but on liberty and justice. Yet the US bathes the world in blood and injustice. The US government has utterly betrayed the promise of the American Revolution. Do you rejoice at this, or condemn it?

> Has the United
> States ever expelled her Jews?

Coincidentally, no. Not yet. But it may happen in the future.

While loudly proclaiming that THEY are the champions of the Bill of Rights and our American traditions, the Jews work overtime to subvert our ideals and steal our country out from under our noses.

The United States of America has a doctrine that church and state should be separate. But in April 1999, Jews and their running dogs arranged to have the US government sponsor a Jewish religious service. US government employees even got paid to attend. Of course they tried to keep it quiet . . .

And when some Americans found out about it and turned out to demonstrate and hand out fliers, the Jews tried to have the Americans swept off the street by the police! So you see what respect the Jews have for the First Amendment of the Bill of Rights!

Show the following to the ADL. Let us all know when the ADL, in the name of organized Jewry, issues its public condemnation of this abuse of the Bill of Rights.

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Waco: Fresh Salt in the Wound!
by Carol A. Valentine
Curator, Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum
http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

This text is available with live links at [http://www.monumental.com/SkyWriter/980415]

Talk about an in-your-face insult! The US government holocausted 80-odd professed Christians in Waco six years ago. The murderers are still free, and, as far as we know, still on the US payroll. Not one of them has been indicted.

Yet on the eve of the sixth anniversary of the inferno, what does the US government do? Why it sponsors a commemorative week for non-US citizens- that is, Jewish non-US citizens-- who died over 50 years ago during World War II!

It gets worse!

* On April 15, the US sponsored a quasi-religious Jewish holocaust event.

* The US paid federal employees to attend this event.

* Federal employees were requested to stand for the "Kaddish Prayer."

* Clinton wrote a "Yom Hashoah" letter, which was distributed at the theater.
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_6.gif

* When a group of non-Jewish Americans turned out to distribute handouts pleading for justice for the Davidians and for free speech, event organizers attempted to sweep them off the street!

How did I learn of the "Holocaust Week of Remembrance"? Not from the newspapers. The US kept it pretty quiet. I was tipped off when several friends who work for the US told me the entire week of April 11-18 was being set aside to remembering the Jews who died in World War II.

[For a list of the US agencies participating in the organization of the event, see
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_5.gif]

Then I learned that a special commemorative program was being arranged on April 15, at the Lincoln Theater, 1215 U Street, N.W. In Washington, DC, and that public employees were being **paid ** to attend. I was stunned, and so were a number of others I knew.

We decided to distribute fliers at the April 15 program. I wrote the text, which is attached at the bottom of this message. Did I insult or degrade Jews who died during World War II? See for yourself.

The flier was printed on two sides. Side One cited the principle of "Equal Justice Under Law" and asked for the indictment of the murderers of the Branch Davidians. Side Two demanded application of *American* principles of free speech and free inquiry to the subject of Jewish deaths during World War II.

Working With Special Operations

Having arranged two Waco protests outside the FBI Building in Washington, DC (1994 and 1995), I know the wisdom of working closely with the DC Metropolitan Police Department and the division that handles

demonstrations, the Special Operations division.

There are provocateurs in Washington, DC. It's their job to cause trouble. In the past, Special Operations have shown me how to prevent trouble. So I obtained a demonstration/protest permit to make sure Special Operations were fully informed about my plans.

Surveillance and Security on April 15

Some friends of the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum offered to help. We decided that fliers would be distributed by just two people, and that those people should be non-threatening to even the most timid heart. The first choice: a woman who appears to be about 40 years old (yours truly) :-); the second choice: a 13-year old school girl who volunteered to help.

Letting people know they are on record always helps keep order. So some supporters of the Museum provided a variety of conspicuous and inconspicuous surveillance and security services.

The entire effort was recorded by a conspicuously placed camcorder. I wore a conspicuous microphone on the lapel of my coat, and carried a tape recorder in a belly pack. A security detail was present, with a conspicuous cell phone.

The Morning of April 15

Unfortunately, I woke with laryngitis and could scarcely whisper. So I set off to Washington DC carrying an index card that read: "I have laryngitis."

I arrived at the Lincoln theater at about 11:10 a.m. At about that time a group of men arrived, who appeared to be organizers. With the exception of a short brown-skinned man, they all appeared to be Khazar/ Jewish. They showed a camera man inside the theater.

Within minutes I spotted the DC Special Operations Officer assigned to cover our flier distribution. I waved to him and then introduced myself--using pantomime and my "I have laryngitis" card. He parked across the street.

With the DC Special Operations Officer across the street and my surveillance and security teams in place, my 13-year old helper and I began to hand out fliers to those entering the theater.

Naturally, the flier soon reached the organizers. I saw a group gathered around the doors of the theater. I heard one voice say: "It's the Davidians!" I guessed that person had read Side One of the flier. Then I heard another voice say; "It's the revisionists!" I guessed that person had read Side Two of the flier.

After a few minutes the brown-skinned man who had been among the organizers approached me.

Pack Up Your Bags And Get Out

"I am Detective [name omitted]. I'm here to say pack your bags and get out. I'm not allowing you to ruin this for these people." I got his message real fast.

So I motioned the detective across the street to the Special Operations squad car. We crossed the street together and the Special Operations Officer rolled down the window of his car to talk to us. Referring to me, the detective told the Special Operations officer that "she has to leave."

Special Operations Officer replied (to paraphrase): "THE HELL SHE DOES!" This officer obviously had a better grip on the legal foundations of liberty in America than the detective. He refused the detective's request to have us removed, and we continued to distributed the fliers!

Having failed to deprive us of our First amendment rights, the organizers of the Jewish holocaust program had to go to another plan. One of them--let's call him "Sheldon"--stood outside the theater, telling those entering: "That leaflet is not from us. That is revisionist material." Revisionist material? Why describe "Equal Justice Under Law" and freedom of speech and inquiry as "revisionist material"? Why should Sheldon, on behalf of the Jewish holocaust program, have to disclaim such ideas?

[See Sheldon. http://www.public action.com/SkyWriter/980415/ sheldon3.jpg] If you have seen him before and know his real name, please drop me a line.

Reaction to Flier

The overwhelming majority of people coming in to the theater were Jewish. Upon hearing those remarks about revisionist material, many Jewish men smiled and told Sheldon they were *interested* in reading the material. One Jewish man, hearing Sheldon's warning about the flier in his hand, turned around and asked for two more copies.

The Jewish women's reaction was different. One woman caught my eye and slowly ripped the flier. Another woman crumpled it and was about to throw it on the pavement. I watched her raise her hand. But then she noticed the WHEM camcorder, stopped, walked over to the rubbish bin, and threw the flier into it.

A bus load of children arrived, and I gave each a flier. Sheldon spoke to the teacher, and she took the fliers away from the children.

*Enter "Morris"

Sheldon was joined by another--let's call this one "Morris." You can see Morris by clicking on. http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/morris4.jpg. Sheldon and Morris took turns standing in front of the doors of the theater warning people about the flier.

From time to time, one or the other of them would loudly proclaim that we had SOME NERVE doing what we were doing. Had I been able to speak, I would have told Sheldon and Morris: "Don't say 'nerve.' Say 'chutzpah.'"

A particularly tender moment occurred when Morris, standing in front of the theater doors, screamed at the two pamphleteers: "YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO DO THIS! THIS IS A FREE country . . . " The last word, "country," was uttered in a much softer tone. Morris apparently realized the irony in what he was saying as the word was leaving his mouth. My 13-year old helper could not help laughing, right then and there.

Sheldon and Morris had a third helper, a man I will call Herb. Each of them approached me at different times to ask questions and make comments:

"Who are you?"
"You have some NERVE!"
"What is your name?"
"What a NERVE."
"What organization are you with?"
"You have some NERVE!"
"Did you write this crap? It's disgraceful!"
"You've got a lot of NERVE."

As I mentioned above, I had laryngitis. Every time one of my torturers harassed me, all I could do was to show my "I have laryngitis" card. But that only made them madder, especially Sheldon.

"BULLSH_T," he yelled when I showed him the card. "You can talk." He then addressed several of his associates. "She can talk. This laryngitis thing is bullsh_t. This WHOLE THING is bullsh_t," Sheldon shouted, indicating the conspicuous members of my team.

At one point after showing Sheldon my laryngitis card, he continued to badger me. So I simply turned on my heel. The Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum camcorder picked up the image of Sheldon, dumbfounded, staring at the back of my head!

Preferring the Weaker Target

A Jewish woman, approximately 30 years old, came out of the theater and approached the 13-year old school girl who was helping me distribute the leaflets. This grown woman put her face right the little 13-year old's face and shouted: "I don't have any cousins. I don't have any grandparents." The little girl responded: "Please speak to that lady," and motioned to me.

The woman continued to thrust her face right into the little girl's and screamed: "I DON'T WANT TO TALK TO HER. I WANT TO TALK TO YOU!"

I went over and placed my body between the woman and the little girl. The woman then turned on me and said: "HOW DARE YOU PUSH ME."

Then it was Sheldon's turn to shout. "QUIET! QUIET!" he said to the woman. "SHE'S WIRED! SHE IS TRYING TO GET YOU ON TAPE. THEY ARE RECORDING EVERYTHING!" He motioned to the camcorder. Then the woman rapidly disappeared inside the theater.

Luckily my security man was right there, on his cell phone. It sure gave me a feeling of --er-- security, even though a potential incident did not eventuate. Our camcorder was, of course ,whirring all though the exchange.

Inside the Lincoln Theater

Here is how the service struck one of the US government employees who attended the event: "The noon gathering of federal workers from around Washington, DC at the Lincoln Theater on U Street NW had the distinct flavor of a religious service. That owed not a little bit to the manner of the presiding official, Secretary of Labor Alexis Herman. Herman spoke in the inspirational tones of a low-key baptist minister."

In the midst of the program a memorial candle was lit; the main speaker's address was bracketed by doleful songs sung by a tenor in what sounded like Yiddish to this Federal employee; and the program was ended by a call and response sort of prayer known as a kaddish. All of these factors contributed to the religious atmosphere of the event, wrote this person.

"Most of the audience, it seemed, was Jewish. There were a few blacks here and there. Near this writer there was a small concentration of them, most of whom apparently slept through the better part of the program."

To see the full accounting of the program from this employee's eyes, click on:
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/iwit_1.gif
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/iwit_2.gif

To see a the glossy, 8 1/2 x 11 inch color programbrochure given at the theater entrance,
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_1.gif
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_3.gif
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_4.gif
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_5.gif

By the way, look at the photo of the children behind barbed wire on the front of the brochure. The Star of David imposed over the photo makes the statement that those children were Jewish. But now look at the enlargement of the photo.
http://www.public-action.com/SkyWriter/980415/pgm_2.gif

Do those children look Jewish to you? They all seem to be of Germanic or Nordic racial stock . . . Sheldon must have overlooked this small detail.

Note the lighting of candles and the recitation of prayer documented on page 3.

Federal Lunch Hour

Just a few more words about the Federal lunch hour. Federal employees are allowed one HALF hour for lunch. The event was one hour long. Transportation to and from would take an estimated 30 minutes to one hour. The employees would still have to eat lunch--sometime. Add it all together, you can see that the taxpayer underwrote one and an half to two hours of pay for each federal employee in attendance.

Conclusion

The love of free speech and free assembly runs deeper in the hearts of the people than our enemies would have us believe. Think of all the bad reports about police throughout the country, and then think of the Special Operations division of the DC Metropolitan Police. On April 15, Special Operations breathed life into the First Amendment! They did their job.

And then think about Sheldon and Morris. They are right. It takes NERVE to stand up to bullies. And these bullies are not used to being opposed.

Just a few souls with courage . . . Had I organized a protest with a dozen picket signs, I would not have had so great an impact. The days of the mass demonstrations are over. Lightening strikes by a few courageous souls are the order of the day.

==Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum Flier, April 15, 1999==

The flier was printed on 81/2 x 11 paper,and then folded in half. These words, printed in big, bold letters, appeared face-up as the leaflets were handed out.

========== Side One, Top Half ==========

REMEMBER THE HOLOCAUST
==========

As the person turned the half sheet over this text appeared:

========== Side One, Bottom Half ==========

Remember The Holocaust . . . but which Holocaust?

It's safe enough to remember and talk about something we are told happened 60 years ago, in another country, at the hands of a government that no longer exists.

But what of The Holocaust that occurred in our own country, just six years ago at the hands of our own government? Is it safe for you to remember, and talk about, the Waco Holocaust?

Not one of the US military and government employees who assaulted, tortured, and murdered the Branch Davidians has been indicted. They still walk free.

Etched on the cornice above the Supreme Court building in Washington, DC are these words: Equal Justice Under Law. The murderers the Branch Davidians should be indicted and prosecuted as are other vicious criminals. How can you disagree? "Equal Justice Under Law." It's the American way.

For more information about America's shame, visit:
The Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum
http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter/WacoMuseum

==========End Side One, Bottom Half ==========

Now read what was printed on Side Two of the 8 1/2 x 11 paper.

========== Side 2 ==========

The Great Holocaust Irony

Who Is Afraid of Free Speech and Free Inquiry?

In the past decades, a growing number of people throughout the world, from historians to scientists to human rights activists, have publicly questioned the veracity of the classic Holocaust story, to wit: Hitler and the Third Reich designed and implemented a plan to exterminate the Jews, built gas chambers for the purpose, and six million Jews died as a result. What has happened to those who freely inquire about the truth of this story, and freely communicate their findings? Let us look at the stories of just a few:

* Australian historian Frederick Toben was arrested in Germany on April 9th, 1999 on charges of "defaming the dead." How did this charge arise? During a private discussion with two German officials, Dr. Toben was asked if he believed in the Holocaust story. He responded: "That's what you say." Dr. Toben was then arrested, apparently because his answer implied skepticism. Dr. Toben is currently in Mannheim prison in Germany. For more information: http://www.adam.com.au/fredadin/adins.html . Won't you write to the German government and ask that he be released immediately? For names and address of contacts: http://www.fpp.co.uk/Germany/addresses.html

* Canadian human rights activist and holocaust revisionist Ernst Zundel has been charged by the Canadian Human Rights Commission (CHRC) with spreading hate. In a shocking ruling, the CHRC said that Mr. Zundel could not use the truth of his statements as a defense! http://www.webcom.com/~ezundel/english/misc/attention.html and http://www.webcom.com/~ezundel/. (Late news: On April 13, the federal court of Canada quashed the CHRC "truth is no defense" ruling.)

* Best-selling British historian David Irving's writing career has been ruined because publishing houses have submitted to pressure and will no

longer publish his books. He is forbidden to enter a number of countries around the world.
Mr. Irving's crime? For ten years he researched the Hitler and German High Command archives and found no documentary evidence of the alleged Nazi extermination plan for the Jews. Then Mr. Irving had the intellectual integrity to publish, and speak about, his research!
Visit Mr. Irving's website at: http://www.fpp.co.uk/

* In Switzerland, J�rgen Graf and Gerhard F�rster have been punished with fines and prison terms for writing or publishing non-orthodox books concerning the treatment of Jews in WWII. http://ihr.org/jhr/v17/v17n4_Articles.html

* In Germany, Germar Rudolf, a chemist trained at the Max Planck Institute, took samples from the alleged homicidal gas chambers of Auschwitz to determine cyanide levels. He concluded that chambers could never have been used in the manner claimed. Mr. Rudolf submitted his report to more than 300 experts for their critique before he published it. Not one of them found the smallest error; nonetheless, as a result of his scientific findings, Germar Rudolf was criminally charged under Germany's repressive "Holocaust-is-a-dogma" law. He was sentenced to a prison term of 18 months. The report he wrote has been banned in Germany and ordered destroyed. Many people connected to its publication have been punished with jail terms and/or fines. German Rudolf and his young family live in exile. http://www.webcom.com/ezundel/english/debate/014_jam.html and http://vho.org/Authors/Germar_Rudolf.html

* French scholar Robert Faurisson is Europe's leading Holocaust revisionist scholar. He has been "condemned" three times in both criminal and civil legal proceedings in France, and physically beaten by thugs. A former tenured professor at the University of Lyons, he now cannot hold a teaching position because of his writings. See: http://ihr.org/books/kulaszka/30faurisson.html

* In Germany, American Carlos W. Porter was sentenced in absentia for publishing truthful but ludicrous excerpts of the Nuremberg Trial transcripts as they were reproduced by the Allies. Porter wrote to the German court:

"I refuse to be deprived of a basic right which belongs to everyone else in the world as a matter of course: the right to freedom of speech and freedom of the press. I retract nothing. I regret nothing. I fear nothing . . . If you fine me, I will not pay it; if you put me in prison, I will go on a hunger strike . . . I defy your authority and I refuse to comply with any order to do anything. I am not afraid of you; I fear the future if I do nothing. That is all." Visit the website of Carlos W. Porter at: http://www.cwporter.co.uk/

AND YET WE WERE TOLD THAT WORLD WAR II WAS FOUGHT TO MAKE THE WORLD SAFE FROM TYRANNY . . .

========== End of Side Two ==========

Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.

Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

"In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act."
George Orwell

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4839. Re: Explain this, Doc-Boy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Big Wheels <TruckerNet@youfindit.org>
Message-ID: <naK13.9074$H82.1498541@news3.mia>
Source record: 141984

plaintruth@my-dejanews.com wrote in message <7i75sm$3bg$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>

Plaintruth@my-dejanews.com IP trace shows
vic Memphis, TN

Realdeal = Plaintruth=Polly

4840. 50 MHz DX Bulletin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <vDK13.1910$B81.49222@news030.image.dk>
Source record: 141985
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-020 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

4841. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <37477664.B01B352A@usa.net>
Source record: 141986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Bill Conduit-

Why is it that you are unable to present any FACTS to support your
cause & have to resort to school yard type ridicule?

> listen up you anal retard
> given wretch by your five-
> nosed mama.
>
> One nose each to smell
> your ass each day to
> make sure you are not
> hers.

SNIP

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4842. FS: New 5-pin Nuvistor sockets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmoss@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <374778be.6619394@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141987
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cinch Jones 5NS Ring type 5-pin Nuvistor sockets. New. $1 each plus shipping.

Compare to Antique Electronic Supply 1999 price of $2.70 each.

Marv

4843. Re: NFM and WFM what's the difference?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brad Kellison KA8TOK <KA8TOK@four-way.net>
Message-ID: <374782EA.39099BB6@four-way.net>
Source record: 141988
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: KA8TOK.vcf

WFM is Wide fm for fm stereo signals and NFM is Narrow FM and is for communications like police, fire, buisness, ham radio and so forth that do not require stereo signals to be transmitted.

Paul Telco wrote:

> Hi,
>
> I'm using a PCR-1000 and would like to know the difference between WFM and
> NFM. You can select various filters for both but the results are completely
> different.
>
> Using the pcr to receive weather satellites only works when set to NFM 50KHz
> filter so there must be a difference between WFM and NFM apart from the
> receive bandwidth. Is it something to do with IF response or equalization
> for instance?
>
> Thanks for any help,
> Paul
>
> --
> paul@telco1.demon.co.uk

[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

4844. Riley H. / lib*erty* net discussed on NEWSLINE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfoutput@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523004608.10783.00002278@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141989

Listen to Amateur radio Newsline for _ May 21, 1999_ in real audio format and hear the intelligent position and comments of the F.C.C. concerning the - broadcasts - of the liberty net group. http://www.arnewsline.org

4845. L.P.W.S. in Worcester UK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: G8ASO <bajones@worcester.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <37479a99@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 141990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

Greetings

Up early today as I have decided to go down the road the odd couple of miles to Perdiswell Leisure Centre to watch "Jabba The Hut" (AKA Eddie Hoo Hah Cotton G4PQZ) bumping into things and people in his Everest & Jennings "Kerbcrawler", at The Three Counties Rally.

These self diagnosed quasi "disabled" people are getting to be a bloody nuisance everywhere these days, you can't walk round a shopping mall without some great "nutritionally challenged" buffoon bears down on you in their battery powered mobility cart.

The main purpose to vent my spleen on here so early in the day? well just a plug for the LPWS web site, for some reason last Wednesday was a record breaker for visits, no idea why though, lets send the hit counter off the scale today as well!

http://www.laughingpoliceman.com

I am reliably informed a new site is in preparation, although the current pages and numbers will be retained and added to, as major search engines seem to have indexed the entire content. I did a search on G0MAL and G8ASO and was directed to our pages for both.

Keep smiling, and see you in Worcester about 11.15 am, looking forward to warmly shaking Eddie "Hoo Hah" Cotton round the neck, only my hands are too small!

73s G8ASO

4846. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mother Nature <m_nature@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3747A608.6144E3F8@hotmail.com>
Source record: 141991
Cross-posted to: soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Brian wrote:
>
> In article <7i3afnhdb1@brokaw.wa.com>,
> kh2d@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
> >
> > >This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what
> do
> > >they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
> >
> > Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
> > geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
> > looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
> > anything DX related for quite a while.....
> >
> > 73, Jim KH2D
>
> Jim, nothing wrong with hot women interested in dx. Sounds like just
> what we need in amateur radio. Those topless Polish QSL cards are
> getting kind of worn, you know. ;^)
>
> 73,
> Brian/N0iMD
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

They love us, they really love us.....<g>

4847. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <3747AC16.27ABB6CC@usa.net>
Source record: 141992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Glenn, Bill's level is already sub-basement, how could it go any lower?

Glenn wrote:

ignorant statements snipped, which left NOTHING from Glenn!

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4848. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <3747ACB9.5150C1BD@usa.net>
Source record: 141993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

If I am obsesed with that person, when why is it that
everyone else is always wanting to talk about him??

When was the last time you saw ME initiate any discussion about him?

tcrpe wrote:

> The only facts one needs to show that you are a loser, obsessed with Bill
> Cheek, are the hundreds of asinine posts you have made.

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4849. Re: Morse code/Trying to reach Hawaii

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <aWGf4CAiB8R3EwOU@virgin.net>
Source record: 141994
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3750e247.4091347@news.lineone.net>, Walt Davidson
<no.junk.mail@thank.you> writes
>On Sat, 22 May 1999 08:43:34 +0100, Keith Bennett
><trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
>>Hey Jeff, what are the chances of you sending me a Hawaii'an beach
>>shirt?
>
>Probably about the same as the chances of him sending you a QSL card!
Hey, Walt baby! I know what a QSL card is! Used to send them out myself!
LOL

--
From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
trojan.horse@virgin.net
[Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4850. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net>
Message-ID: <LWeb4EACR8R3EwMk@virgin.net>
Source record: 141995
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

In article <3746f444.8577771@news.mindspring.com>, Steven
<stevens@mindspring.com> writes
>DX is ,technically,making 'contact' with a station in another Country.
Okay then, let me see you make 'contact' with Leighton Buzzard station!

--
From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
Please note that correct e-mail address is:-
trojan.horse@virgin.net
[Copyright 1999 by Trojan Horse]
http://albums.photopoint.com/j/AlbumList?u=24561
UIN #3457372
http://members.home.net/magickal1/soc/
wwp.mirabilis.com/3457372
3457372@pager.mirabilis.com

4851. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: la8ak@online.no
Message-ID: <374726ee.957118759@news.online.no>
Source record: 141996
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:54:29 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:

>Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
>Monochrome would imply. Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.
>
no, you are wrong!
Black is absense of any colour, but white is at least 3 colours

4852. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7i8j28lka2@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:37472885.311DE01@usa.net...
> It's all true.
>
> He was arrested, much equipment was confiscated, & he was imprisoned
> until he
> made bail. He now faces federal charges & possible state charges.

Like a sucker fish, the Looney - Tune once again rises to the bait ....

4853. Motorola MC10154 Prescaler.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Torbj&#65533;rn Morka <scanman@c2i.net>
Message-ID: <7i8ns7$gr7$1@romeo.dax.net>
Source record: 141998
Cross-posted to: no.teknologi.elektronikk,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Are there anyone with info about this prescaler, i've searched in vain for it in the big blue from Motorola it selfe...

Also some extra info about prescaling technique in the 128/129 or above is much apreciated.
I intend to use the MC145152P when designing a 6-meter cw transceiver...

LC3RBT

4854. Re: Lower 60KHz of 80 Meters re-allocated??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <3747E9AC.883D5E77@dallas.net>
Source record: 141999

Re: 3.58 (specically 3.579545) MHz emissions
from the color burst osc in TV sets ...

Just checked this out with my *Emerson* 21" TV
set on - and for the record did get NOT the usual
"60 dB over S9" as produced by the other sources ...

These emissions may have been *a fact of life* back
during the days of those gawdawful *tube* sets - but then
they produced a wide range of 'noise' throughout the
spectrum - most notably every 15.750 KHz (monochrome)
or 15.734 KHz (color) through the AM Broadcast band up
into HF ...

I'm really looking for reports from someone who
has done actual 'legwork' like I have and tracked
one (or more!) of these signal sources down ...

Chuck - In my experience DF with mobile HF gear and
3.58 MHz:

Either A) all TV sets are off in my little city or
B) 3.58 emissions aren't really a problem anymore

Jim

Chuck Reti wrote:

> In article <37436D65.73F4BFDD@dallas.net>, Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net> wrote:
>
> >In my search for a source of interfering signals in the AM broadcst band
> >- I discovered
> >a series of moderate to strong carriers in the 80 Meter band.
> >
> >These are grouped in the range from 3.500 through about 3.560 MHz.
> >
> >I have found, in driving around, that these are strongest around 3.530
> >MHz.
> >
> >When these signal sources are found - the meter on the HR receiver is
> >against
> >the peg ...
> >
> >These 'carriers' can be heard as far as .8 miles form the source ...
> >sometimes
> >'ringing' can be heard - and sometimes 1/2 of a phone conversation ...
> >

> >Driving south through Allen, Plano, Richardson into Dallas - MANY of
> >these
> >carriers can be heard?
> >
> >What are they?
> >
> >Have we lost that part of the band to an un-named user?
> >
> >Jim W B 5 W P A
> >
> >j v p o l l @ d a l l a s . n e t
>
> Every color television set in the US has a crystal controlled
> oscillator at 3.58 (3.579545) MHz, the NTSC color subcarrier
> frequency. A few thousand sets operating simultaneously, or just
> a single unshielded set, can cause QRM at that freq.
> ---
> Chuck Reti WV8A Detroit,MI
> aa010@detroit.freenet.org

4855. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3747F27F.3F524EDD@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Dick Carroll wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA wrote:
> >
> Are you saying vhf/uhf is NOT part of ham radio?
>
> Uh, Cecil, the No Codes already *have* vhf/uhf. What is at
> stake is a codeless HF. Got that OM???

Uh Dick, the question was whether CW is the second or third
most popular mode in HAM RADIO. Nothing said about HF. Got
that OM???
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca
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4856. WA9KJI starting to spill his guts!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zero-Beat@webtv.net
Message-ID: <29430-3747E5C6-13@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 142001

David Castle, WA9KJI, is starting to sing!!

Seems that he claims he was urged and provoked into jamming 3950 by none other than AF2Y, Doc-Boy! It seems Doc urged David to jam the net, and told David that as long as he was jamming "Nazi's", nothing would happen to him. (The definition of Nazi according to Doc is anyone who is a Republican.)

I think its a good idea to approach David and Dorothy Castle about who supplied Dave the equipment for jamming. We all know they were as poor as church mice. And in no way could Dave have afforded all that beautiful gear! Let's urge David to tell us who gave him the gear, and we'll go to bat for him, and urge Hollingsworth to rescind the penalty against David, and instead, ask for the revocation of the licenses of the person or persons who urged him to jam, and supplied him the equipment to do it.

Jr.

4857. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <8QS13.19$p3.18218@news21.ispnews.com>
Source record: 142002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?

I hate to tell you this Paula (or whoever is using Paulas newsreader), you were NOT born with the inherent natural right to use radiowaves as you see fit. The use of these frequencies are a governmental privilege granted to those who pledge themselves to act according to the rules and regulations that they promised to adhere to the day they signed their license application.

What I find truly amazing is that some people confuse amateur radio with free speech, which is totally oxymoronic. The signing of an amateur radio license application constitutes a diminishment of free speech because if it didn't, no license application would be needed at all.

Dont you think a lawyer of Riley Hollingsworth's caliber could make more money in the private sector as compared to earning a government paycheck? Get real.

As I see it, Mr. Hollingsworth is a very honorable individual given a very tough job and you should be thankful that people of his stature would serve the government.

4858. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rob Carlson <carlson87@vixinc.com>
Message-ID: <s8T13.12109$H82.1718782@news3.mia>
Source record: 142003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W1PEV wrote in message <8QS13.19$p3.18218@news21.ispnews.com>...
>I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a
>privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?

blah, blah, blah, drivel --snipped--

I see we have yet another Riley Robot who can't
thing for himself. You'll make a good candidate to
support Al Gore's campain for more & bigger intrusive
government.

4859. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <37480711.D58587EE@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 142004

Tapes are a fine place to get your feet wet. I wouldn't have gotten as far as fast without computer CW training, though. You can download shareware/freeware CW trainers all over the place. There is SuperMorse, NuMorse, and a load of others. Try them all to find the one you like the best. Above all, practice every single day, and you'll be at 13 WPM before you know it. Good luck.

Stoli126 wrote:
>
> I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
> I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
> can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
> better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
> Thank you

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

4860. Re: How to find HF nets and frequencies ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wyatt@kfalls.net
Message-ID: <7i94f6$ak1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142005

> > Anyone know of HF net frequencies and what time they are active, or
is
> > there a website with a listing?

Just tune around the bands and listen to the most boring
communications and procedures and you are there!!

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4861. A B.A.R.F. BUM EXPOSED!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523095801.20828.00004343@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142006

An agent just reported to me the following.....

The dude who pukes out words of hate under the following:
cbrambo@aol.com (and)
dx302man@aol.com

is none other than that mentally defective Code-Free Tech leech,
Lloyd Davies, N0VFP

4862. FS YAESU FT-50R (freeband) **********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8ewq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523100820.27772.00000258@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 142007

IT COMES WITH THE 5 WATT BATTERY, MAHA 5 WATT NMHD BATTERY,
ALKALINE BATTERY CASE, PREMIER BOOM MIKE, AND ALL THE
ORIGINAL ACCESSORIES. THE ONLY THING MISSING IS THE BOX. THIS
RADIO HAS BEEN FREEBANDED AND HAS FULL CELL. IT IS A 8.5 ON
A 10 SCALE FOR THE CONDITION AND IT IS A 10 ELECTRONICALLY.
THE PRICE IS $275 SHIPPED (neg)

IF INTERESTED PLEASE EMAIL ME
THANKS
TONY

4863. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3747FFC4.575C@no.net>
Source record: 142008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Rob Carlson wrote:
>
> W1PEV wrote in message <8QS13.19$p3.18218@news21.ispnews.com>...
> >I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a
> >privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?
>
> blah, blah, blah, drivel --snipped--
>
> I see we have yet another Riley Robot who can't
> thing for himself. You'll make a good candidate to
> support Al Gore's campain for more & bigger intrusive
> government.

And I see we have yet another moron who can't think at all.

4864. Upcoming Long Island Hamfest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: hmnadel@banet.net
Message-ID: <3748123A.C1C956D5@banet.net>
Source record: 142009

Check out http://www.qsl.net/w2ufo for information on the upcoming
June 13th Long Island NY hamfest.

4865. Re: wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <QsU13.505$007.3358@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 142010

On Sun, 23 May 1999 00:09:54 GMT plaintruth@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> WB2otk is wanted in Florida on a bad check charge. The warrant is still
> in effect. He faced a foreclosure on a home he was buying in Florida. He
> and members of his family were involved in a shoplifting affair in
> Greenville S. C. This is the stuff you will not hear on the hambands,
> but we can freely disclose the truth here. heh heh.

We won't hear it on the hambands?? Maybe not now, since KT4TR received
his letter of greeting from Hollingsworth. Prior to that, these things
were trumpeted constantly over the air, repeated several times a day
for the past two years! A few guys were even singing songs about it:
"Bad Check, Bad Check, A-Watcha gonna do?" Hey, remember KT4TR's
Special Stumpjumper Christmas announcement from 1997? Guess what it
was? WB2OTK had an outstanding warrant out of Florida from 1983!

For someone who goes by the screen name plaintruth, you sure seem to
like to engage in deception. Here's a suggestion: If you expect anyone
to believe what you claim, don't open the discussion with an obviously
false statement. It damages your credibility.

Have a nice day!
Smurf69
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

4866. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <bpU13.7169$K25.1408@news4.mia>
Source record: 142011
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W1PEV wrote in part:

>As I see it, Mr. Hollingsworth is a very honorable individual given a very
>tough job and you should be thankful that people of his stature would serve
>the government.

Ditto ...

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

"What Hath God Wrought?"

4867. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523105020.23712.00003857@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142012

dope has ruined your mind!

4868. Re: 4 super delicious blue berry muffins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523105222.23712.00003858@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142013

Try to learn to spell.

4869. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <374811c3.2069180@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142014
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

The term 'DX' was originated by amateur radio ops.Others use it to
mean different things.The original meaning of DX is to make contact
with a station in another country.This is required to qualify for any
of the ARRL DX awards that many Hams persue.You can call a dog a cat
if you wish...it dosnt change the fact that its still a dog....:>)

On Sat, 22 May 1999 20:35:48 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:

>Steven wrote:
>>
>> DX is ,technically,making 'contact' with a station in another Country.
>>
>> On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
>> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
>>
>> >Mike Silva wrote:
>> >>
>> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
>> >> >
>> >> >
>> >> >Danny wrote:
>> >> >>
>> >> >> Mother Nature wrote:
>> >> >> >
>> >> >> > Hi from soc.penpals and let me say that all of this technical talk is
>> >> >> > making me hot......<g>
>> >> >>
>> >> >> Well then 350 KHz, AM, FM. Are you butter yet?
>> >> >>
>> >> >> Danny
>> >> >> --
>> >> >
>> >> >I'm melting as we speak.....I might just need a cold shower...oops, not
>> >> >a good idea. I might get a spark and get tingly all over!!!!!!!
>> >>
>> >> Finally something good comes from the endless Morse debate!
>> >>
>> >> ... resonance, Kirchoff, reactance, transconductance, Thevenin, bipolar ...
>> >> stay tuned while I get out the electronics dictionary...
>> >>
>> >> Mike
>> >Don't foget Spark Gap. For those of you who do not know what DX is; it

>> >means receiveing a radio/television signal from far away. From far away
>> >as in you usually do not get a signal from this place. DX can also mean
>> >how far your siganl is getting out. From everything that I read; if you
>> >can run just 10 watts, and your siganl is getting out 300 to 400 miles
>> >then that is better DX then somebody running 1000 watts and doing th
>> >same thing.
>> >--
>> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
>> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
>No, it is a long distance contant or reception. It is all in how you
>view it
>--
>REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
>ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4870. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523105407.23712.00003861@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142015

Gordons tapes will take you where you want to be, IF you do exactly as he says and study for 20 mins at a time with a breeak inbetween. They are just about the best out there. (my opinion)

4871. Re: 6 scrumptous orange danishs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523105812.23712.00003865@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 142016

Dude,

You are a waste of time. Not to mentian a racist. Im not white trash, and skin color doesent matter because if you knew anything about Biology EVERYONE is white under the first few layers of skin!!!!! Its culture that sets us apart. Unfortunately you've missed a good education and cant seem to realize that we dont care about your lifestyle. I'll bet you've gained quite alot of weight eating all those fattening pastries. They add up. Just try getting out of your chair! Oh theres the doorbell. Oh there's the phone.....

4872. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7i958u$95g$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 142017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7i7744$5ee@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> James Rosenthal wrote:
> > Jeffrey Herman (jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu) wrote:
>
> > : Back in 1932 there were only 40 kilohams in the US. The hobby did quite
> > : well with those few numbers.
>
> > Things have changed somewhat in the mean time.
> > I think that in 1999 and beyond it will take more than 40K hams to KEEP
> > the frequencies for the ARS though. Perhaps even 670K isn't enough.
>
> Today there is much less pressure upon our spectrum from outside services
> than anytime in the last 50 years. 40,000 HF-licensed active hams would
> be plenty to insure the safety of our below-30MHz frequencies. Leave
> protecting V/UHF to the no-code Techs; that was the reason for creating
> the license class in the first place.
> Jeff KH6O

Once again a procode fanatic suggests further fragmenting the
amateur community in an effort to retain an "exclusive club"
at HF, along with its entry hazing ritual, the Morse test.

Additionally, I doubt that 40k HF-licensed hams "would be
plenty to insure the safety of our below-30MHz frequencies."
(Though I'm sure that many of the procoders wish that there
were that little competition for space on "their" bands.)

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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4873. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37481719.1214@dirtball.com>
Source record: 142018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello all,
This is the way I see it. Something has got to be done! The radio was getting way out of hand. I mean when groups of people would attack other groups and one gang of frequency thugs would gang up on another then the QRM would fly. So I thing tha government needed to intrude this time. The ARRL self policing was not working. The Service was knoking its self down to in some cases lower than the garbage on the 11-meter band. A person would complain to the ARRL and the ARRL would refer one to the FCC and one would complain to the FCC and they would refer you back to the ARRL. I know this because I did this on more than one occasion to report servral so called "ham operators" that where jamming in 1996, 1997, 1998. I went through this over and over again. Other operators that I know tried the same thing and got the same resaults. So what happened the jamming go worse. It had gotton to the level of people organizing QRM. The FCC had to do something. In fact ITS ABOUT TIME they did. People have been warned and warned and even caught and let off the hook. I can think of a case here in the Atlanta area where guys got caught organizing the QRM on 2 meters and went to 75 meters to conduct the activity. Hollingsworth reliezed in that case, the FCC hasn't done anything in the past about QRM (FOR YEARS the record shows it!), so he let them off easy with a warning. Next time these people get caught it could be a big fine or even loss of station license. So it looks to me that this guy might be fare. If it were me these guys would be completly off the air. So it a good thing that Riley is doing it and not me. In all honesty I wouldn't want Riley Hollingsworth's job. I cannot beleive that one guy can handle it all. I think that he should have more help with in the FCC. Weather you people know it or not Amateur radio and the people involed play a part in national security. So we have to maintain and enforce part 97 if we are going to have a amateur radio service at all. The FCC as let this area go for far to long. So I think that Hollingsworth is doing the right thing by warning leters and inspections.
thats just my opinion I could be wrong
73 from Oris
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

4874. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Manfred Berger <demo@smartmail.de>
Message-ID: <7i987v$d5s$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3727A5A1.67A0@sir.com>,
Sir <sir@sir.com> wrote:
> BungHole wrote:
> >
> > I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going
around between
> > old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.
>
> Yes, even when morse code is not a requirement for any license, the
> attitude will still remain because of the different "classes" of
> licenses. Extra class will look down upon General class even though
> they both have privileges on the exact same bands. There is no reason
> NOW to have General, Advanced & Extra other than to promote the
cliquish
> elitist attitude you mentioned and divide Hams into different groups.
>
> If there were just ONE Ham license, you wouldn't have all this BS.
>

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Manfred

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4875. CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523110348.20828.00004371@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 142020

Will someone get this sick bitch off my tail? Carol,you ought to be making the bed and doing the dishes instead of E-mailing me about how hoaxy was the Holocaust and how evil are the Jews and all the rest of your Nazi crap. You think anyone with a brain is interested in such garbage? You're nothing but a revisionist jackal and your husband is very well known for his vile anti-Semitism. Do me a favor you pathetic excuse for womanhood-send your revisionist lies elsewhere. Go up to Canada and tend to Ernst Zundel if you're unhappy with Daddy Tommy. Persons like you are not only an affront to Jews, but to America in general. You talk about the "Holocaust" in Waco? You use that term to minimize and trivialize the plannned and augmented near-genocide formulated at the Wannsee Conference by some of your heroes such as Eichmann and Reinhard Heydrich. Koresh was an A1 screwball who murdered his followers by disallowing their exit from the compound. By holding them hostage, he thought he could go on forever thumbing his nose at the U.S, government but an unfortunate incident occurred that cost the lives of ATF men and those in the compound. No ATF or FBI agent or bigwig planned the extermination of that Waco compound as did the Nazis vis a vis European Jewry. You say that American Jews have thus far not been expelled from the U.S.A. but might be in the future. Like hell, you witch. Jews in America will flourish and contribute long after the likes of you are in hell. Here's a suggestion Carol... you and your meathead husband Tom stick your heads in your heads in an oven and inhale the gas until you're dead. Then have your neighbor toss a match to incinerate both of you and in fifty years, when mention is made of the incident, a whole group of revisionists like you will say,"What incident? They died of old age." AF2Y, Doc

4876. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: NCC-1701B@MINDSPRING.COM
Message-ID: <374c1a58.863289653@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 142021

On 22 May 1999 09:57:45 GMT, stoli126@aol.com (Stoli126) wrote:

>I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
>I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
>can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
>better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
>Thank you

Get on the air and learn.

4877. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Rico <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3748195e@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 142022

Actually, at least here in Southern California, the 2M commute component of amateur radio is one of the most literate and conversational parts of ham radio. Very few formulaic QSOS: instead, genuine conversation, generally very civil, of a wide ranging and interesting nature. Not like the CW formula QSOs.

OK I'll say it: I think that the no-code amateurs, as a group, compare very favorably with the rest of the hobby. Just look at 10M: most of the activity is in the Tech bands. Why? Because we like talking with these guys, and there are a lot of them, and they are not all over age 65. RJB.

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Roger J. Buffington

"Reasonable Doubt at a Reasonable Price"

"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote in message >
> And the morning commute show on the local
> 2m machine is much more exciting?
>

4878. Re: wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i994t$dk4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142023

My Oh My, the suck boys do protest. You noticed that smurfie boy did not deny the charges that his master brought to himself by his dishonesty.. They are all true smurfie. The warrant on you master Pork Butt is still in effect, and all the other charges are true. To bad you can not qrm the internet like you do on the hambands. heh heh, How are things going at the bus station Bobby? Keep it up smurfie, we will tell the forum about your little problems with the law.

article <QsU13.505$007.3358@c01read05.service.talkway.com>, "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
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> false statement. It damages your credibility.
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>
>

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4879. WTB:GPY Paddles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Massey <N6TT@jps.net>
Message-ID: <37488797@news1.jps.net>
Source record: 142024

Hello,
I'm looking to buy the Model 23 or 41 paddles by G4ZPY, mite consider the
Model 19...If u have a set for sale please drop me a line...Tnxs / 73,

Steve Massey N6TT / K6KEY
1510 --6th Street ,Manhattan Beach CA 90266 U.S.A
Collector of Telegraph Wireless Instruments! Call 877BuyKeys
http://www.telegraph-wireless.com "The Telegraph Wireless World"

4880. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <7i7ggi$a9o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142121
Cross-posted to: soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <7i3afnhdb1@brokaw.wa.com>,
kh2d@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Keith Bennett <trojanhorse@virgin.net> wrote:
>
> >This is all very well but it does not answer my question as to what
do
> >they talk about on rec.radio.amateur.dx?
>
> Well, Keith, we used to talk about DX. But then all these Morse code
> geeks and hot women from SOC.PENPALS started posting here and
> looks like everybody who was interested in DX left. Haven't seen
> anything DX related for quite a while.....
>
> 73, Jim KH2D

Jim, nothing wrong with hot women interested in dx. Sounds like just
what we need in amateur radio. Those topless Polish QSL cards are
getting kind of worn, you know. ;^)

73,
Brian/N0iMD

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4881. wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: plaintruth@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i7h0iajf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142122

WB2otk is wanted in Florida on a bad check charge. The warrant is still in effect. He faced a foreclosure on a home he was buying in Florida. He and members of his family were involved in a shoplifting affair in Greenville S. C. This is the stuff you will not hear on the hambands, but we can freely disclose the truth here. heh heh. Boy is he a success in his chosen profession constant lying. say no more. All of this can be proven. Also one of his buddies claimed to have received the Medal Of Honor. This bird was WB9BCC. It was pure egotist BS and against the law This is the kind of people who are posting all this stuff on the news group. They are a legend in their own minds. Of course the suck boys just look over these small defects in their heros.

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4882. FA: PicoPacket TNC - Great for APRS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: wpeloqui@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7i7ig2blk1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 142123

FA: PicoPacket TNC - Great for APRS !!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=107665336

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Willie Peloquin
Senior Software Engineer - Contract
http://www.ismi.net/~wpeloqui

"It is unwise to stray from the simple and the obvious."

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4883. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-23 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37474DA5.F04499B4@IEEE.org>
Source record: 142124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> 40,000 HF-licensed active hams would
> be plenty to insure the safety of our below-30MHz frequencies.

40,000 voters are plenty enough to ensure the safety of a radio
service that is a pain in the ass to the FCC? Dream on!
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4884. FS: Complete Kenwood Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: klog@gold.mv.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11b32761a7047b0d989683@nntp.mv.net>
Source record: 141676

I have the following Kenwood ham equipment available for sale. This equipment is in like new condition and has never been installed as a mobile rig. This equipment was purchased new from HRO a couple of years ago.

Priced as a complete package for $1100 plus shipping (suggest UPS COD/Cashier's Check)

TS-50S (Serial Number 61200420)
AT-50 Automatic Antenna Tuner (Serial Number 70100159
PS-33 Power Supply (Serial Number 3020021) w/cables
MR-50 Mobile Microphone
TS-50S User Manual
TS-50S service Manual
IF-232C Interface (Serial Number 70400088, original box)
IF-10D Interface Unit (Original Box)
YK-107C Crystal Filter (Original Box)
MR-13 Mounting Bracket

Bill Kellogg
W1ZIW
118 Morrill Road
Canterbury, NH 03224

Voice Mail: (603)224-7334
FAX: (603)226-9017
E-mail: klog@gold.mv.com

4885. need help for grandson with code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rehada@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524165842.03531.00004030@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141725

I am looking for a cw program that will run on my computer with a sound card
that I can help my grandson learn code. Any help would be appricated.

de W9ACD
rehada@aol.com

4886. Re: READ,UNDERSTAND AND ACT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2623-3749B970-65@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141726

WHAT THE F*CK DOES THIS HAVE TO DO WITH AMATEUR RADIO, DOC????!!!!

4887. Re: Kenwood Service?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank & Nancy Krizan <krizan@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <3749C4D1.81BAE758@swbell.net>
Source record: 141727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Mike,

Sorry to hear about your misfortune. I've had excellent service from AVVid
in Irving, TX (near Dallas). See http://www.avvid.com/

73, Frank KR1ZAN
Garland, TX
kr1zan@arrl.net

PopTician wrote:

> Hi, I took a very close lightening strike early this morning (thankfully
> not a direct hit). I feel asleep with my TS-850S/AT on and the result
> is predictably not good. I live an apartment, so the antenna it was
> connnected to was inside. The radio still functions, but the receiver
> is a different story. I have had a bad experience with Kenwood's
> service center in virginia beach, va and I'd like to avoid using them if
> possible. Any suggestions on where to get the radio fixed?
> Thanks
> Mike, who is also using the new modem he had to buy.
> KD4RNF

4888. Re: Doc, The Flag and Hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524172347.12904.00002075@ng-fi1.aol.com>
Source record: 141728

>Like I said before--
>when they can't discuss or rationally argue,
>they make personal attacks.
>

Doc and Porky can do this all day and it don't bother me a bit!

Doc has never answered any questions I have asked of him, just a nasty e-mail back call me WTIA or what ever that means.

Thanks for your support....

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4889. FA : Icom IC-560 Six meter rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Mooney <jmooney@voicenet.com>
Message-ID: <ZJj23.12$Ej1.1905@news2.voicenet.com>
Source record: 141729
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Check her out!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=108582394

Jim

4890. Questions On Kenwood SM-220 Scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tony Heatwole <heatwole@shell.clark.net>
Message-ID: <nRj23.337$l7.5575@iad-read.news.verio.net>
Source record: 141730

Hello. I have a few questions about the Kenwood SM-220 Scope that I'm hoping some of you might have the answers to. Please let me know if you can provide any help on any of the following questions. Thanks in advance! The questions go as follows:

-What are the dimensions of the scope, and do you know of any pictures of the scope on-line?
-What type of power does it take (AC or DC)
-How does it connect to a Kenwood radio?
-What is the BS-8 Pan Adapter and what does it do?
-And finally, what exactly does the scope measure? I've heard that on RX it acts like a Spectrum Display (like those found on IC-781, IC-746, IC-756) and on TX it shows you the waveforms of your signal. Is any/all of that true?

Thanks for reading.

Nat Heatwole
heatwole@clark.net
KB3CBW

4891. Re: 6 scrumptous orange danishs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11b393fe7a440c5a9896a1@news.vais.net>
Source record: 141731

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In article <927558132.990.39@news.remarQ.com>, jason@nospam.gulftel.com
mumbled...
--> How many ovens does this guy have??
-->
--> --
--> Spamming this account is in violation of the Federal Telephone
--> Consumer Protection Act of 1991, and Collateral Code of Federal
--> Regulations (47 CFR 64.1200). The TCPA allows a private right of
--> action against the sender of unsolicited advertising. The recipient
--> can sue for $500, or actual damages (whichever is greater).
-->
-->
--> <DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:7i6ann$hvf$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
--> > You WTIA malcontents are so jealous, a gorgous blond just fixed me 6
--> > scrumptous orange danishs piping hot oozing with hot icing strait from
--> > our $2900 self cleaning oven. WTIA = White Trash In America
--> >

I dunno but obviously he's a few cookies short of a dozen.

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http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm
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4892. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <70k23.37532$5e2.649956@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 141732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

The reason they didn't respond to YOU is that YOU are a proven insincere asshole. It had nothing to do with Cheek, but it did prove what you were.

Go back to your CB.

TR

jmackey@usa.net wrote in message <3748FF3A.C5BF46A6@usa.net>...
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>
>> if bill ever has to ask for assistance
>> for his legal defense fund, all he has
>> to do is ask. I'll be the first to get
>> him what I can. and i'll bet hundreds
>> of NGers and more will too.
>
>The facts of the NG "rec.radio.scanner" prove you wrong!!! I
>suggesteda legal defense be started for him & VERY FEW people
>responded. Then
>another person started a legal defense fund & AGAIN very few responded.
>BTW - If you read Bill's letters he HAS asked for contributions & has
>stated that he
>is having to resort to a public defender becasue he has no money to
>defend himself!
>
>
>> try asking people to help you with
>> money for your defense fund.
>
>I have done NOTHING that needs a defense & if I had I
>have the resources to defend myself!
>
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

4893. Re: RSGB & UK Radio Authority agree on license class with full HF access with only 5 wpm Morse test!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7icipd$hjk@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In <7iaj1h$hvc@news.Hawaii.Edu> jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
writes:
>
>Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>>A new class of licence, to be known as the A/B licence,
>>and which will use the callsign series M5xxx, is to be
>>introduced in the early autumn. This will provide
>>access to all amateur bands, on passing the Radio
>>Amateurs Examination and a 5 words per minute Morse
>>test. 100 Watts PEP output will be allowed on the bands
>>below 30MHz (the HF bands); and 400 Watts PEP output
>>above.
>
>Cool! We'll have a front-row seat in which to view the trashing of
>the UK HF bands. That will lead to even stronger support for keeping
>the current code requirements here in the US.
>Jeff KH6O
>

Give it a break Jeff this dog wouldn't hunt two years ago, he wouldn't
hunt last year, and he sure ain't gonna hunt now. This thesis of
trashing the bands due to insufficent code hazing is a load of
nonsense but you knew that didn't you. The wistling past the
graveyard by you code fanatics has become a cacaphony lately I
guess you guys believe that fast code testing has seen its day.

Take a stool softener and enjoy your life in Hawaii if things change
you could support CW on amateur radio by mentoring and running
on-air practices. Carping on the internet sure isn't going to do
any good.

>
>--
>Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
>of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
>classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4894. Re: wanted <George>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7icndn$or4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141734

I read a post that called you "Duh Duh" Rube. Now I know what they were
talking about, I am sure you do not care if your "GOD" WB2OTK has a bad
check record or is wanted on a warrant or has been involved in
shop lifting at K mart. You identify with a police record as that is
"your kind of people". You have no problem with a five finger discount
yourself when the chance arises and you think you can get by with it..
You know, you trailer trash people stick together, So take up for
your "Master". But one thing about it, even you do not deny the
charges. You know they are all true. "DUH DUH", keep on sucking!!!

article <13099-3749B0EB-83@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>,
RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd) wrote:
> STFU George. Nobody wants to hear your line of crap!! Nobody gives a
> damn, but you Barffies! Just as nobody cares that you Qrm'ed for 2
> years on 20 mtrs, identified only as "Polly"!!
>
>

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4895. SS Agents, Scanners and Cornwallis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7icnfbosg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.policy

This adminstration's activities have included subversion of the Constitution and high treason vis a vis China. You didn't think that they got the initials SS by accident, did you ?

Cornwallis had his day, and their day is coming.

Friday, April 2 issue of NY Newsday newspaper, page A31.

Man Eavesdropped on Police / Agents say he posted cops' info on Web site

An affidavit from a federal agent found that Knipschild's Web site had 93 pages of police transmissions from March 12, which included criminal histories and warrants, motor-vehicle checks, medical information about victims, and witness statements.

>But that's how the media writes its articles.

Federal investigators said three satellite dishes, ranging in size from 18 inches to 12 feet in diameter, as well as a 40-foot radio tower were discovered on Knipschild's property.

>I might be a little rusty on my rules of evidence, but what the hell >>>does this gave to do with anything ? It's like his attorney saying "and >Secret Service agents attend a 'no niggers allowed' picnic in Virginia >every summer."

Calls to federal authorities seeking comment were not returned yesterday. Details about the disposition of the case were not available.

>Yes, because they don't have one.

Federal documents indicate Knipschild's Web site includes information of interest to electronic enthusiasts, with links to Web sites about scanners, satellites and dishes, and amateur radio.

>I might be a little rusty on my rules of evidence, but what the hell >>>does this gave to do with anything ? It's like his attorney saying "and >SS agents attend a 'no niggers allowed' picnic in Virginia >every summer."

Federal (stasi) said Knipschild used an illegal electronic device to intercept police communications. In a related case, the Secret Service have arrested a San Diego couple, Bill and Cindy Cheek, on a New York warrant charging they sold such illegal devices on the Internet tointercept police communications. The Secret Service said one of its undercover agents purchased a device from the Cheeks, who shipped it to New York. Details were not readily available

yesterday.

>I guess theere were no Chinese traitors to watch.

Mobile data terminals send and receive information by radio frequencies, which are encoded into a digital or binary format, one that is not available to the public. Furthermore, these terminals are password-protected.

>Not when they're traversing the ether. Don't you love the government's mouthpiece, the media ?

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4896. AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7icnsv$p7i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.policy

Two simple rules to save your ass

1.If you're questioned by Riley, declare yourself a card carrying Jew on the internet . This way, you can defend your license by declaring yourself a victim, while circumventing the fact you called African Americans niggers.

2. Take your lawyer's advice and begin posting an endless stream of blind praise for the feederal government and Riley in particular. That way, Riley will read it or your lawyer can send a printout via certified mail to prove you've repented.

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4897. RILEY IS NOT WRONG!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524184804.11365.00003183@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141737

3.950 mhz Amateur Radio Political Discussion Group "Liberty Net"

KEEP IN MIND THAT IT'S LISTED AS A HATE GROUP IN RAYMOND FRANKLIN 'S HATE DIRECTORY WHICH IS SUPPLIED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES NATIONWIDE. NOW DO YOU UNDERSTAND WHY RILEY HOLLINGSWORTH QUESTIONS WHETHER OR NOT THIS GROUP IS COMPATIBLE WITH GOOD AMATEUR PRACTICES? GET THE DRIFT? HOW IS THIS GROUP HELPING THE AMERICAN IMAGE OF RESPECTABLE AMATEUR RADIO? HOW WOULD TAPE RECORDINGS OF THESE MANIACS, WHITE EXTREMISTS, ANTI-SEMITES AND HOLOCAUST DENIARS HELP THE U.S.A. RETAIN HER AMATEUR FREQUENCIES BEFORE THE I.T.U? HAVE YOU EVER LISTENED TO THESE FAILURES AND MISFITS WHO BLAME EVERYONE ELSE FOR THEIR OWN MISERABLE EXISTENCES? SUPPORT RILEY HOLLINGSWORTH! IF YOU WANT TO SEE THESE CREEPS EITHER LIMITED OR CLOSED DOWN,DON'T SIT THERE LIKE BUMPS ON A LOG. EXPRESS YOURSELVES! REMEMBER, WE ALL HAVE A STAKE IN PROTECTING OUR FREQUENCIES FROM FOREIGN ENCROACHMENT AND ONE WAY OF DOING IT IS BY NOT KOWTOWING TO BRAIN-DEAD COCKROACHES WHO ARE AN INSULT TO OUR GREAT NATION AND HOBBY/SERVICE.
AF2Y,Doc

4898. ICOM 970 Accessories (Modules)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: grahamsuckling@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ico8uphm1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141738

Looking for accessory modules for the ICOM 970.

Example : 23cm or 13cm modules (UX-97A, UX98 ???)

Will accept new or used (working) modules.

Regards,
Graham
G3WZM

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4899. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Goodwin <tmgoodwin1@mediaone.net>
Message-ID: <3749DA34.282FDFFB@mediaone.net>
Source record: 141739
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

Oris wrote:

> . HMMMM My kid can't say a prayer in a public school because of
> this separation of church and state so there goes her freedom of
> religon.

Your kid CAN say a prayer in public school. Pat Robertson has ranted otherwise,
but he is wrong. The school or the teacher just cannot lead it.

Tom (card carrying ACLU member ;-)

4900. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: csmolinski@erols.com
Message-ID: <csmolinski-ya02408000R2405991854010001@news.erols.com>
Source record: 141740
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yes, it exists. But it's not for windows, just the Mac.
http://www.blackcatsystems.com/software/multimode.html

73's
Chris
N3JLY

> Here's my dream. Does this even exist?
>
> A program that works through Windows (*not* just one in a DOS box) that
> uses *any* sound card in Windows (*not* just one that uses SPECIFIC
> hardware calls to a CERTAIN type of sound card only) that will receive
> *and* transmit CW, and various digital modes (RTTY, ASCII, TOR, PSK,
> etc) *without* relying on external hardware.
>
> Am I dreaming? Does ANYONE have such a thing?

--
Check out Black Cat Systems for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac
software. http://www.blackcatsystems.com

The Numbers Racket - a CD-ROM of Spy Numbers stations, info available at
http://www.blackcatsystems.com/numbers

4901. FS: Update MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OFGmEgjp#GA.150@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 141741
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation
Comes with 4 AA Batteries, Lanyard Wrist Strap, Leather Storage Protective Case & Manuals
$200.00 + Shipping (New In Box)

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

4902. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Louis Sica, Jr. (AC0X)" <ac0x@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <oVk23.576$j65.84629@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 141742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I know it exists for the Mac. I've already seen that link.

I just wish SOMEONE would do it for Windows...

Chris Smolinski wrote in message ...
>
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>http://www.blackcatsystems.com/software/multimode.html
>
>73's
>Chris
>N3JLY
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>> hardware calls to a CERTAIN type of sound card only) that will receive
>> *and* transmit CW, and various digital modes (RTTY, ASCII, TOR, PSK,
>> etc) *without* relying on external hardware.
>>
>> Am I dreaming? Does ANYONE have such a thing?
>
>--
>Check out Black Cat Systems for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac
>software. http://www.blackcatsystems.com
>
>The Numbers Racket - a CD-ROM of Spy Numbers stations, info available at
>http://www.blackcatsystems.com/numbers

4903. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: CW <cmagers@sprynet.com>
Message-ID: <01bea63b$a07d4c80$e82079a5@spry941360spry08.sprynet.com>
Source record: 141743
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Think again. The code requirement is on it's way out. That is undeniable
fact.

--
CW
KC7NOD

You're going to grow old,
Before we let you on without the code.

4904. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3749DFAA.F2E@sir.com>
Source record: 141744
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote:
>
> No way dude!
> Drop the code because it is obsolete, but not the classes!

How silly would it be if other hobbies like Painting or woodworking
would have certain special classes or groups in which some people could
only use limited paints or types of wood then other people in the hobby?

ONE CLASS of HAM LICENSE is enough!

4905. A way to end all this petty BullS*%@%

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4jzh@amsat.org
Message-ID: <3749dbe5.425595649@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141745

Gentlemen,
I have a suggestion. lets quit all this petty bickering and name calling, threating a asswippin,and general embarrassment to Ham Radio.
I say all the cowards who hide behind the microphone and keyboard show up to the next ''BIG '' Hamfest let's say Shelby,N.C. meet out in the area where they show off livestock, a perfect place for some of you.
well rope off an area and let you all fight it out once and for all. that is the perfect way to settle most disagreements just have to make sure everyone is unarmed i.e. canes, walkers, dentures,guns,e.t.c.once all the dust clears we shake hands a act like gentlemen instead of an Embarrassment to Ham Radio.
I bet the folks in Shelby would be glad to supply the area for such an event.
Oh!!!! I almost forgot probally wouldnt work because there would be 2 class off people. THE ONES THAT ARE SCARED!!!
AND THE ONES WHO ARE GLAD THEY ARE SCARED!!!
not afraid to post my call. got my asbestos drawers on.....
73 to those who respect our great hobby.
n4jzh

4906. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3749E03B.48F6@sir.com>
Source record: 141746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> It's the second-most used mode.

What a silly argument!
Using a washboard is the second-most used method of washing clothes
after a washing machine, so lets require people to use washboards before
they are allowed to use a washing machine.

4907. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <3749E222.5165@sir.com>
Source record: 141747
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

OBI-WAN PEROGI wrote:
>
> MSteven wrote:
> >
> > On Sat, 22 May 1999 20:35:48 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> >
> > >Steven wrote:
> > >>
> > >> On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > >> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> > >>
> > >> >Mike Silva wrote:
> > >> >>
> > >> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> > >> >> >
> > >> >> >Danny wrote:
> > >> >> >>
> > >> >> >> Mother Nature wrote:
> > >> >> >> >
> > >> >> >> >>
> > >> >> >--
> > >> >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > >> >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > >> >--
> > >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > MEOW MEOW ROOF ROOF
> > --
> > REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

Why do people not delete all this crap before posting a reply? Why do
people have to use gay signature files?

4908. Re: BLAKE BOWERS LIES AGAIN!!!!! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA? Or is it really John Mackey selling licenses?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kurtullman@sprintmail.com
Message-ID: <7ibi3r$2uo$5@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141748
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters

In article <37492672.D4BC1B0F@gw-tech.com>, Carey Gregory
<cgregory@gw-tech.com> wrote:
>Who the hell is John Mackey? Who gives a shit?
>
If I remember right, he was a lineman for the Balitmore Colts in the
late 60s, early 70s.

>Now, you boys run along and play and quit cross-posting your little pissing
>match to misc.emerg-services.
>

Mr. M, is retired and I don't know what he did to po the boys in the
other NGs.

"People everywhere confuse what they read in the newspapers with news."
-A.J. Liebling

4909. WANTED: 8877 XMITTING TUBE (MRI PULLS OK)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Dubec <frankdubec@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3749741F.2826@earthlink.net>
Source record: 141749

If you have a 8877 for sale or know of someone that has, please email me.

Tnx

Frank WB6KDY

4910. Amateur Radio Discussion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: k1hk@k1hk.org
Message-ID: <3749740d.15649297@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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http://www.k1hk.org/bb.html

4911. Dallas/Fort Worth Hamcomm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: brad@mail.escapees.com
Message-ID: <3749a150.2272153@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141751

I understand Hamcomm's date is June11-12-13 time period. Is there a Website?

Brad K5ILW

4912. Re: The Argument for WB2OTK's Removal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank@N8FN.COM
Message-ID: <374b7b4a.7869442@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Form 610 can say what it wants but our Constitution overrides this and
if taken to court would be rulled unconstitutional. The FCC backed off
enforcement in the 80s because of a free speech case it lost.

I do agree with your message though. We do not need this type of
language.

Frank, N8FN

On Thu, 20 May 1999 15:14:58 GMT, mf_luder@my-dejanews.com wrote:

>Since Hollingsworthless is too dim witted to devise a suitable legal
>rationale for terminating this guy's license, let's use this.
>
>The signing of FCC Form 610 or equivalent indicates you have read,
>understood and intend to comply with the rules of Part 97 which include
>no guarantee to absolute freedom of speech and indeed, say there is to
>be no profanity, interference and obscene speech. Thus, as a soldier has
>signed away his right to leave his base, a ham has signed away bhis
>right to mouth off.
>
>However, if he was walking down the street,talking like that I wouldn't
>care less, that's why the First Amendment was enacted.
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4913. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank@N8FN.COM
Message-ID: <374c7e6d.8672569@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141753
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

The paper is worth nothing because the constitution overrides it. The
FCC lost a case in the 80s over profanities and stopped enforcement
for many years because of it. This is not to say that I support foul
language but rather say that laws and regulations cannot take away the
protection the constitution provides us. I do think there are ways to
use the law to stop the profanities. The answer won't be found within
form 610.

Frank, N8FN

On Sun, 23 May 1999 08:43:47 -0400, "W1PEV" <paulvanasse@tp.net>
wrote:

>I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a
>privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?
>
>I hate to tell you this Paula (or whoever is using Paulas newsreader), you
>were NOT born with the inherent natural right to use radiowaves as you see
>fit. The use of these frequencies are a governmental privilege granted to
>those who pledge themselves to act according to the rules and regulations
>that they promised to adhere to the day they signed their license
>application.
>
>What I find truly amazing is that some people confuse amateur radio with
>free speech, which is totally oxymoronic. The signing of an amateur radio
>license application constitutes a diminishment of free speech because if it
>didn't, no license application would be needed at all.
>
>Dont you think a lawyer of Riley Hollingsworth's caliber could make more
>money in the private sector as compared to earning a government paycheck?
>Get real.
>
>As I see it, Mr. Hollingsworth is a very honorable individual given a very
>tough job and you should be thankful that people of his stature would serve
>the government.
>

4914. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBT1 <ObtuseOne@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ic58t$1tc$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well said David, it's a shame a lot of people on here do not see the truth
in what you say..

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:374842D2.1AB3FB9@ix.netcom.com...
>
>
> Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
> > It's amazing how many people cannot discern the difference between a
right
> > and a privilege....
> Your argument is incorrect. Ask Howard Stern, the other
> "shock jocks" and the stations who have had their licenses threatened.
> This has all been settled in the courts before.
> Driver's Licenses are not in the Bill of Rights.
> Freedom of expression is.
>
> And besides-- this isn't really the point.
> The point is not that you can say anything at all on Ham Radio.
> There are other laws that protect the rights of other people
> that place limits on such speech and that's fine.
>
> The point is that Mr. Hollingsworth is attempting enforcement
> based -in part- on the political content of speech,
> not just in the manner it is delivered. It is a fine distinction,
> but an extremely important distinction, for our very way of
> life turns on such points. In this, he is out of line.
>
> There are perfectly good regulations against broadcasting,
> ghost talking and jamming. He is completely correct in
> enforcing those rules. But when he begins suggesting
> changes in the political content of speech,
> all the while holding the club of license revocation
> over a group's head, he goes too far.
>
> It is sadly typical of a decayed society that the majority
> are willing -without question and damning those who do question-
> to follow any authority figure,
> selling their birthrights and betraying their neighbors,
> all for the promise of some temporary relief of some problem.
> I'm sure you remember what Benjamin Franklin
> had to say about such a people.

>
> Regards,
> Dave AB5S

4915. FS: Icom external speaker/phone patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharvey@thefuture.net
Message-ID: <7icmho$sho@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I you are looking for the Icom external speaker/phone patch of your station I have one for sale. It is in excelent condition. Will work with any 8 pin mike base radio. Never use the phone patch. If somebody needs one $80 shipped and it is yours. Please email me if you are interested. Scott, KA7FVV

4916. FS: Icom IC-SM6 base mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharvey@thefuture.net
Message-ID: <7iclmh$sho@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Icom IC-SM6 mike for use on the Icom 751, 271,471 radios according to one icom is selling new right now. $40 and I ship. Please email me if you are interested.

4917. Re: need help for grandson with code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jesper Kristiansen <jkristia@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3749E142.A37DBA02@yahoo.com>
Source record: 141757

You can try my morse training program at www.qsl.net/oz1kto. I used it myself to pass 20 wpm.

Good luck.

Jesper
W6KTO (OZ1KTO)

Rehada wrote:

> I am looking for a cw program that will run on my computer with a sound card
> that I can help my grandson learn code. Any help would be appricated.
>
> de W9ACD
> rehada@aol.com

4918. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu>
Message-ID: <3749F0DB.3613F3F2@purdue.edu>
Source record: 141758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> >
> > On Wed, 12 May 1999 06:12:29 GMT, "robinson" <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
> > >I'm sure as hell glad we don't equip our troops with these so-called
> > >"assault weapons". You couldn't assault a well defended outhouse with them
> > >if faced with selective-fire equipped defenders.
> >
> > No fair confusing the liberals with facts. :-)
> >
> > However, spray and pray weapons aren't always your best bet,
> > unless you have the ammo resupply contract. We managed quite
> > well with semiauto M1s in WWII. One good hit is worth a thousand
> > misses, and puts much less strain on the logistics tail.
>
> This is the biggest problem our troops face. They are not trained to
> shoot past 200 yards. Anything beyond 300 meters is
> in atrillery range or can be "dialed in" with their sights on their
> M16A2 sights.
>
> The only troops that train to shoot are the combat arms branches
> and they don't shoot live ammo that much. Support troops may never touch
> a rifle after basic training and guess who's getting sent to the
> hotspots with their field kitchens, trucks and typewriters? The guys who
> aren't getting small arms training!
>
> I don't care what caliber they shoot, they gotta' hit their target.
> BRING BACK THE KD RANGES!
>
> Jon N0OFG

You folks are clueless. Use train with the M16A2, otherwise known as
THE assualt rifle. Our qualification targets are out to 400 metres.
No one, except the Marines (and means their cooks as well), does
extenive
firearms training. Most of us shoot once a year in order to qualify.
This
means we get 40 rounds plus 9 to zero the rifle.

The focus is to use aimed fire (one round at a time). The A2 has only a
three round burst which is to used only at night (better chance of
getting
a piece of the opposing force). The SAW (M249) is used as the only
squad
level automatic rifle. The M60 is for company level and higher.

Greg Dean
SSG MI
N9NWO/AAV5ZO

> >
> > Besides, single shot weapons are often the infantryman's best tool
> > against a defended outhouse. A M79 or a LAW takes care of the
> > problem without a bunch of fuss and bother. Unless, of course, you
> > are assaulting the outhouse so you can use it. Then a pipsqueak
> > caliber select fire weapon might be handy.
> >
> > Gary
> > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net

Gary, we don't use the M79 anymore. It was replaced by the M204
which mounts under the M16. We also have the Mk 19 which is an
automatic gernade launcher. It shoots 800 rounds per minute out
to 1200 metres. That is firepower! Used at squad level and with
the three man MP teams (one Mk 19, one M249 SAW, one M16/M204 and
one M16A2 plus each man has M9 pistol).

4919. Re: need help for grandson with code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W5IDX <W5IDX@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ict64$306$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141759

This Is The Best I Have Ever Seen..... (My Opinion)
Morse Code Made Easy Here's The URL
http://ourworld.compuserve.com/homepages/brads_s/

Also Morse Academy Is Good But I Don't Have That URL......

-----Original Message-----
From: Rehada <rehada@aol.com>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: Monday, May 24, 1999 3:58 PM
Subject: need help for grandson with code

I am looking for a cw program that will run on my computer with a sound card
that I can help my grandson learn code. Any help would be appricated.

de W9ACD
rehada@aol.com

Rehada wrote in message <19990524165842.03531.00004030@ng-fb1.aol.com>...
>I am looking for a cw program that will run on my computer with a sound
card
>that I can help my grandson learn code. Any help would be appricated.
>
>de W9ACD
>rehada@aol.com
>

4920. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <3749FBBE.2A1D@ameritech.net>
Source record: 141760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Sir wrote:
>
> OBI-WAN PEROGI wrote:
> >
> > MSteven wrote:
> > >
> > > On Sat, 22 May 1999 20:35:48 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > > <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> > >
> > > >Steven wrote:
> > > >>
> > > >> On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > > >> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> > > >>
> > > >> >Mike Silva wrote:
> > > >> >>
> > > >> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> > > >> >> >
> > > >> >> >Danny wrote:
> > > >> >> >>
> > > >> >> >> Mother Nature wrote:
> > > >> >> >> >
> > > >> >> >>
> > > >> >> >--
> > > >> >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > >> >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > >> >>
> > > >> >>--
> > > >> >>REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > >> >>ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > >>
> > > >> MEOW MEOW ROOF ROOF
> > > >
> > > > --
> > > > REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> >
> > Why do people not delete all this crap before posting a reply? Why do
> > people have to use gay signature files?
> What are you telling me buddy that your sig files are straight?
> Hey Einstien.
> --
> REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4921. John Mackey - A definition, and a vision.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7icuf8oi1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141761
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters

Kurt Ullman wrote in message <7ibi3r$2uo$5@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>In article <37492672.D4BC1B0F@gw-tech.com>, Carey Gregory
><cgregory@gw-tech.com> wrote:
>>Who the hell is John Mackey? Who gives a shit?
>>
> If I remember right, he was a lineman for the Balitmore Colts in
the
>late 60s, early 70s.
You had to ask..... Oh well. I'd hate for someone to think that a former football star is behind this crap, so here it is:

The Definition:
That's the wrong John Mackey. This one's only claim to fame is being the top off-topic poster on usenet with thousands of off-topic messages across several different newsgroups in his short but moronic career on the internet. A dejanews search reveals all about this clown, with such famous threads as "The PERFECT defense for Bill Cheek!!!!" and "Blake Bowers CAUGHT forging & flaming AGAIN!". It is his self proclaimed mission in life, if you can imagine it, to single-handedly rid usenet of anyone who opposes his warped and twisted point of view. He will do anything to support his cause and has been caught lying, forging, cancelling messages, and creating aliases to show a false front of support. He is a living breathing self propaganda machine, and a bad one at that.

Now, our pal John will deny all or most of this, but don't be fooled. Do a dejanews search for yourself, and see the sheer number of messages this person has posted over the years. Dejanews reported back 1562 messages in rec.radio.scanner alone. By my count, John has posted about 6 or 7 on topic messages (very loosely on topic) out of that amount. The rest of them were simply insults, name calling, or sniveling denials and "prove it" posts. He thrives on replies, no matter how insulting. I think it is a subconscious need for attention that he apparently cannot receive anywhere else.

Prior to usenet, he was on a Fido echo related to scanners, but was subsequently kicked off of the echo for the same kind of behavior, which he still denies to this day. Just ask him anything, he denies all. The consummate liar's liar. To hear him tell it, he is a victim of a ruthless bunch of cyberthugs who harrass and torment him daily, but in reality he brings it all upon himself willingly. He enjoys it, of this I am convinced. The only thing more certain than his desire to disrupt is his predictable replies to any posting mentioning either himself or Bill Cheek, the subject of his apparent obsession.

John is the proverbial pot calling the kettle black. He is the person depicted in Aesops' fables, the one who only sees the small bag representing the faults of others tied in front of him and not the mammoth bag of his own faults on his back. He will take in an insult today only to use it on someone else tomorrow. He is a mirror, a virtual parrot who uses the same tactics that others use against him. He is lacking in better judgement, discretion, logic and common sense.

Sorry to post it to the non-scanner related groups, but I think it only fair that you all know the real deal about Laughing John's Flying Circus.

The Vision:

The only reason that John exists is because of the actions of others. I have in the past and still today propose a simple solution: ignore him. Once he is no longer able to disrupt the group, he will finally move on. Do not reply to him directly, and he will have no basis for his attacks. He will appear foolish and meaningless to any and all who happen to read his ramblings. Much like a small child who finds that a temper tantrum won't deliver the goods, he'll find better ways to fill his free time. No doubt he'll reply to this posting in an attempt to provoke me into a flame war, but it won't work - I would much rather discuss things related to scanning than things relating to immaturity. It is my belief that if others shared my feelings on this (and many do) that John would someday soon find that the only one listening to John Mackey is John Mackey.

And that, fellow citizens, would be music to my ears.

-Phil

-=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

4922. Re: Riley Hollingsworth, Undeniable Truths

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Richard K. Leopold" <leo8@rensolin.org>
Message-ID: <Qsn23.1019$pa7.31@news3.mia>
Source record: 141762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

With great interest we have followed the adventures or misadventures - take your choice- of Riley Hollingsworth. Last week an obscure lackluster bureaucrat on his way to an uneventful retirement and this week the poster boy of amateur radio and the ARRL. Indeed, he seems to be superboy, found everywhere at once.

His purpose, which is being well orchestrated by higher bureaucratic authority, will not be addressed by us due to the attendant emotionalism of nonprofessionals. Suffice to say, Hollingsworth's handlers pretend to know what they are doing, but do they?

Before long, we believe Hollingsworth et al will run headlong into a constitutional minefield, and if navigated improperly, it will be their downfall. It could be the bureau's Waterloo and conceivably the commission could be sucked into the vortex of constitutional law as well.

The commission has dam few friends, if any, left on The Hill, after the debacle over implementing the 1996 Telecommunications Act. Plainly, Congress is fed up with the FCC and is in no mood for more incompetence.

So, pull up a chair, get a drink, and light your cigar as we watch ole Riley meander on. Hey Riley, have you and your buds drafted strategy for taking on Glen yet? You might win, maybe, but you, your handlers, and the ARRL will not come out of that fight unscathed. We know Glen and respect him. Misunderstood and disliked by some, he still is one tough little S.O.B.

Richard, M.B.A., Ph. D. and those degrees aren't worth shit in a good street fight!

4923. Re: FS: Icom IC-SM6 base mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve <68amx@fast.net>
Message-ID: <374A04B9.5E19@fast.net>
Source record: 141763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello
If you still have the mic I'll take it
please send your phone so we can set up shipping
STEVE

4924. Re: Icom external speaker/phone patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <fln23.2229$733.97539@typ11.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

What model is it? I wasn't aware ICOM made one.

73,
Ed

Scott Harvey wrote in message <7icmho$sho@enews3.newsguy.com>...
>I you are looking for the Icom external speaker/phone patch of your
>station I have one for sale. It is in excelent condition. Will work
>with any 8 pin mike base radio. Never use the phone patch. If
>somebody needs one $80 shipped and it is yours. Please email me if
>you are interested. Scott, KA7FVV
>

4925. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jerry G." <jerryg50@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3Nn23.7032$X5.13720@news.total.net>
Source record: 141765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Monochrome TV is refered to as a black and white broadcast. Black
is the absence of light, and the white is a high intensity of light
given off from the CRT.

The true defination of a monochrome CRT, is one with a single gun or
channel. You can have a single gun CRT with green or orange phosphor
as in the older computer monochrome screens.

--

Jerry Greenberg

Greetings...

From the land of the " Great Ice Storm Of 1998 ! "
Floods, And Who Knows What ???
See Y'a Soon... Jerry Greenberg
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jerryg@total.net
http://www.total.net/~jerryg
http://www.zoom-one.com
http://www.zoom-one.com/electron.htm

Just Looking At You Kid...

If It's Not Broke, Don't Fix It...!
If It Don't Make Noise, Shake It !
If It Don't Move, Smack It !
If It's Broke, Then Fix It ...!
If You Don't Know How To Fix It, Give It Out !
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Three Things To Not Take A Crash Course:
1) Flying
2) Driving
3) Computers
4) Marriage???
Your Computer May Be 2000 Ready... But Are You???

========== Message Separator ==========

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7i9hkk$nm4@news.Hawaii.Edu...
In article <3745E425.1FDF@ameritech.net>, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<URL:mailto:theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name

> Monochrome would imply. Heck, even Black and White is two
colo(u)rs.

"Monochrome" refers to the CRT having a single electron-beam gun and
a single-color phosphor on the CRT's screen.

Mono = single.

Depending upon the CRT's grid voltage, the beam+phosphor can create
dozens
and dozens shades of grey.

Jeff KH6O
--
Fingerprint Classification Services, Inc.: Your own personal copy
of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4926. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <374A08FB.7F92@sir.com>
Source record: 141766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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> > > > >> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
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> > > > >> >> >Danny wrote:
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> > > > >> >> >> >--
> > > > >> >> >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > >> >> >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > > >> >> >> >--
> > > > >> >> >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > >> >> >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > > >> >> MEOW MEOW ROOF ROOF
> > > > >> >> --
> > > > >> >> REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > >> >> ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > > >> >
> > > > >> --
> > > > >> REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > >> ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
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4927. Doc Hate Caught In Big Lie.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374A151C.67E6F6BB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Braggarts, blowhards and racists bigots are inevitably
hoist by their own petard:

In message
Date: 25 May 1999 00:39:44 GMT
Author: Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com>
Message-ID: <19990524203944.28131.00004344@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Doc Hate posted:
>I HAVE NO LAWYER. I NEED NONE. I WILL NOT NEED ONE...

In message
Date: 1999/05/24
Author: Radiosigs <radiosigs@aol.com>
<< Subject: KJI taking AF2Y down with him!!
Doc Hate posted:
<<<<ATTENTION...ATTENTION...I WANT TO ALERT YOU TO THE FACT
>THAT THE GUY WHO POSTED THE LIBEL ABOUT ME IS LIBELOUS! I
>WILL BE CALLING ATTORNEY LAUREN COLBY TOMORROW TO BEGIN LITIGATION....

This isn't twenty meters, Doc.
There is no "plausible deniability" here.
When you tell lies here,
you GET CAUGHT.

Dave AB5S

4928. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fc9gml0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 141768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 24 May 1999 16:36:58 GMT, Spock wrote:

> The paper is worth nothing because the constitution overrides it. The
> FCC lost a case in the 80s over profanities and stopped enforcement
> for many years because of it.

Pray tell what case was that?

It certainly wasn't the case involving David Hildebrand, N6BHU,
of Hollywood, CA who was a user of the "Hollywood repeater",
146.61 MHz which is the only high profile case to go to hearing
up to now.

The case had to examine (a) was the content "indecency" and
(b) did the Commission have the authority to make amateur
communications subject to the same reasonable time, place, and
manner restrictions as were set forth by the U S Supreme Court
in _Pacifica_ for broadcasting.

At the hearing level the Administrative Law Judge ruled
in the Commission's favor on both points. Appeal to the Review
Board (the first level of appeal) reversed the ALJ on the
question of authority, holding that _Pacifica_ on its face only
involved broadcast content.

The higher level appeal to the full Commission reversed the
Review Board and upheld the Commission's authority.

The penalty requested by the Private Radio Bureau was that
Hildebrand's license be revoked. The Commission found that a
monetary forfeiture penalty was more approriate on first
offense where there was no established case law, but
because such monetary forfeiture was not proposed as an
alternative in the original Order to Show Cause it could not
impose same _post hoc_. Thus, Hidebrand was put on notice that
further offenses would result in certain license revocation.

That doesn't soundlike the "FCC lost a case". The Hildebrand
case remains the applicable legal precedent because it was never
overturned by a subsequent case at the Commission or in the courts.

This case was not about obscenity, which has always been
unprotected speech under any circumstances.

In his pleadings, Hildebrand raised the same "free and common
speech" arguments as folks have been raising here to justify

such language, and it just doesn't wash, folks. Not at the FCC, and not at the Supreme Court (the restrictions in +Pacifica_ have been upheld by the courts including the US Supreme Court in several cases).

The FCC curtailed (never really stopped) enforcement because The Congress cut field enforcement money to the bone and a string of Chairmen didn't have the spine (I'm being polite) to request the proper funding and to pound the table and demand that it be put back in the budget. At the same time certain folks in the licensing bureaus (I'm not pointig fingers - every organization has these types) who would have had to do some work had the field bureau come up with the cases found the situation just to their liking. The rest of us found ways around both obstacles but the going was very narrow and the limited resources had to be pointed toward other things.

"Them days are over" now because the total amateur radio enforcement function (and Riley) were transferred to the field bureau which always wanted to do the work, and we see what is happening.

"I VAS dere, Sharlie....."

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

4929. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <374A162B.68BC@ameritech.net>
Source record: 141769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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Sir wrote:
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> OBI-WAN PEROGI wrote:
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> > Sir wrote:
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> > > OBI-WAN PEROGI wrote:
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> > > > MSteven wrote:
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> > > > > On Sat, 22 May 1999 20:35:48 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > > > > <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> > > > >
> > > > > >Steven wrote:
> > > > > >>
> > > > > >> On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:45:00 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > > > > >> <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> > > > > >>
> > > > > >> >Mike Silva wrote:
> > > > > >> >>
> > > > > >> >> Mother Nature wrote in message <37438215.1DB5FBEE@hotmail.com>...
> > > > > >> >> >
> > > > > >> >> >Danny wrote:
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> > > > > >> >> >> Mother Nature wrote:
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> > > > > >> >> >> >--
> > > > > >> >> >> >REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > > >> >> >> >ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > > > >> >> >>
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> > > > > >> >> >>REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > > >> >> >>ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
> > > > > >> >>
> > > > > >> >> MEOW MEOW ROOF ROOF
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> > > > > >> >> REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
> > > > > >> >> ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP
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REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

4930. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <9D95C112D82C5128.05D2AAA8B087648D.B80F33C07AE9AA82@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141770

JPNOLL wrote:
> Please take your bickering to another newsgroup,
> as it is not wanted here!

You could not be more wrong, JACKASS!!!

You have illegitamately defined the basis and purpose
of the Amateur Radio Service as bickering. Please
read Part 97.1 (a) which defines the service for
emergency communications.

Carol Valentine is squarely on point with her information
about the illegal destruction of the amateur station at
Waco. Keep in mind that the Holocaust of the Davidians
took place inside an FCC licensed station operating under
provisions of Part 97.405 (Station in distress).

The FASCISTS bastards a FCC had their part in the
slaughter of Christians there, making this issue
even more important to the discussion within
rec.radio.amateur.misc. How can ops in the ARS
take orders from the FCC which knowingly violated
the Communications Act.

For the supporting evidence,
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

FCC JAMS HAMS,
the FCC is a criminal faction of a criminal executive branch,
engaged in a criminal coverup which is further protected by
a criminal Justice Department, also a party to the crime.

The FCC knowingly, intentional, deliberately, willfully and
purposefully supplied radio jamming equipment to the FBI and,
with reasonable assumption, to the US Air Force for the
purpose of jamming AM and FM radio broadcasters, TV
broadcasters and the Amateur Radio Service. The amateur
station jammed was defined as a Title 47, Code of Federal
Regulations, Part 97.405 Station in Distress, relaying
emergency communications critical to safety of human life.
As a result, appoximately 100 people died.

FCC is also a deliberate violator of the Freedom of
Information Act, using an exemption of documents not
allowed under the list of exempted documents types.
Whereas, I have not posted details on this to the
website yet, you can read the 36 descriptions of

FOIA requested documents in the FOIA Administrative
Appeal letter. All of these are denied on the basis
that I have figured out what the nature and content
of the documents are, and the FCC does not want to
verify my logical, analytical and deductive work
that has narrowed down the documents almost to the
point of writting them myself.

Neither last nor least, but in closing on FCC criminality,
FCC is a criminal co-conspirator with FBI to classify
documents pertaining to the criminal operations of the
FCC and FBI. Such classification of documents for the
purpose of avoiding criminal prosecution is specifically
described as a criminal violation in any Executive Order
pertaining to such classification at the time of
classification.

Get the FCC out of the control business, contact your
Congressman, ask that he support Henry Hyde of the House
Judiciary Committee to convene a hearing into the
criminal coverup by FCC Chairman Kennard of the
criminal operations of the FCC and FBI and US Air
Force engaged in Communications Act violations.

Get the American Radio Relay League out of its
tyrannical misrepresentation of the amateur community.
Publish the fact that the ARRL board voted not to
reveal the criminal operations of the FCC and FBI.
What decent person would be a member of such
a criminal organization. If you are in the ARRL,
moral integrity demands you quit.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

4931. FA: MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation No Reserve

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ubcHjxmp#GA.76@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation
Starts At $175.00

Ebay http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=108833271

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

4932. Re: Mackey STILL causing trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mr. WireHead" <wirehead@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <374A3AE1.2833E0F9@pacbell.net>
Source record: 141772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

> Because I have more respect for this NG & usenet as a whole to waste theprecious
> bandwidth with ALL your sniveling & lies.
>

R E A L I T Y C H E C K ! ! ! ! ! ! ! !

Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey). Edited for the more salient point(s). Compelling nonetheless. This is data from last year, we can only speculate just how much more bandwidth the friggin loon has wasted since.

SNIP --- Data From Smally ----

I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed, folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.

I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.

SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------

Date	Mackey	Cheek	Kendrick	Bowers	Vetterle	allsafe	K4CC
JUL 98	413	386*	6	32	28	75	234
JUN 98	413	502*	0	64	45	97	95
MAY 98	22	208	0	11	8	12	12
APR 98	194	128	27	41	25	12	0
MAR 98	254	240	49	24	50	18	0
FEB 98	200	274	51	27	46	18	0
JAN 98	173	178	35	1	33	33	0
DEC 97	149	227	32	0	16	1	0
NOV 97	63	65	1	0	10	0	0
OCT 97	48	60	0	0	8	0	0
SEP 97	181	78	0	2	4	0	0
AUG 97	29	2	0	1	2	0	0
TOTALS	2139	2348	201	203	275	266	341

Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts

made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back
and look at the numbers again. You do the math.

There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....

While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:

admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
$USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

4933. mailto:abuse@home.net To Report an Acceptable Use Policy Violations from John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Anderson <Tom_Anderson@newpro.net>
Message-ID: <374A21DA.CCDF1670@newpro.net>
Source record: 141773
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.athome.discussion

John Mackey is a subscriber of the @home Internet Service (Cable Modem)

@Home Networkï¿½ is located in Redwood City, California.

@Home Network
425 Broadway Street
Redwood City, CA 94063

Phone Numbers
Main Number 650.569.5000
Main Fax 650.569.5100
News Bureau 650.569.5195

To Report an Acceptable Use Policy Violation

To report an incident, please send email to mailto:abuse@home.com
including any documentation such as Usenet post or email with
complete headers, excerpt of log files, or complete URL.

The Acceptable Use Policy Management department can be reached at
650.569.5399 (voice), 650.482.4607 (fax).

http://www.home.net/about/contact.html

Let's go!

Official name: c37904-a.potlnd1.or.home.com

Addresses: 24.0.49.240

Whois for c37904-a.potlnd1.or.home.com
Registrant:
Home Network (HOME-DOM)
425 Broadway
Redwood City, CA 94063
US

Domain Name: HOME.COM

Administrative Contact, Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
Varsanyi, Ami (AV1662) mailto:abuse@HOME.NET
650-569-5333 (FAX) 650-482-4062
Billing Contact:
Du, Trung (TD2157) trung@CORP.HOME.NET

650-569-5437 (FAX) 650-569-5100

Record last updated on 28-Jul-98.
Record created on 16-Dec-93.
Database last updated on 24-May-99 08:14:43 EDT.

Domain servers in listed order:

NS1.HOME.NET 24.0.0.27
NS2.HOME.NET 24.2.0.27

Traceroute 24.0.49.240

This end is where samspade.org lives

1 206.117.161.1 (206.117.161.1) 1.372 ms 1.674 ms
2 isi-acg.ln.net (130.152.136.1) 4.033 ms 2.179 ms
3 s4-1-1.lsajca1-cr3.bbnplanet.net (4.24.40.13) 3.853 ms 2.910 ms
4 p4-1.lsajca1-nbr1.bbnplanet.net (4.24.4.17) 3.256 ms 3.542 ms
5 p2-0.lsajca1-nbr2.bbnplanet.net (4.24.4.22) 3.207 ms 3.481 ms
6 p2-1.sanjose1-nbr1.bbnplanet.net (4.0.1.17) 11.495 ms 11.947 ms
7 p1-0-0.sanjose1-br2.bbnplanet.net (4.0.1.82) 12.308 ms 10.952 ms
8 bb1.mae-w-sj.home.net (198.32.136.142) 12.260 ms 13.901 ms
9 172.16.2.130 (172.16.2.130) 199.614 ms 237.402 ms
10 r1-fe0-0-100bt.rdc1.wa.home.net (24.0.2.2) 236.488 ms 211.513 ms
11 10.0.220.62 (10.0.220.62) 226.830 ms 216.565 ms
12 c37904-a.potlnd1.or.home.com (24.0.49.240) 289.936 ms 242.195 ms

This end is where the John Mackey is.

go to http://www.samspade.org enter John's NNTP number "24.0.49.240"

and http://www.deja.com enter the same NNTP Number "24.0.49.240"

Does John Mackey fit the profile of a "suspicious person"?

4934. mailto:abuse@home.net To Report an Acceptable Use Policy Violations from John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Anderson <Tom_Anderson@newpro.net>
Message-ID: <374A2971.D6F5383B@newpro.net>
Source record: 141774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,rec.radio.swap,alt.athome.security

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http://www.home.net/about/contact.html

mailto:abuse@home.com

Re: John Mackey c37904-a.potlnd1.or.home.com 24.0.49.240

4935. Re: YOU FAGGOTS NEED TO GO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524095043.23716.00004210@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141775

PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE....lets keep the slanderous accusations to a minimum. This is not the way hams should be treating each other. Read the Amateurs Creed again!!!!

4936. Re: 4 super delicious blue berry muffins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524095539.23716.00004211@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141776

money is futile when your racing toward hell

4937. Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Sica <lsica@visi.com>
Message-ID: <374961C1.E3B7DAB6@visi.com>
Source record: 141777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Here's my dream. Does this even exist?

A program that works through Windows (*not* just one in a DOS box) that uses *any* sound card in Windows (*not* just one that uses SPECIFIC hardware calls to a CERTAIN type of sound card only) that will receive *and* transmit CW, and various digital modes (RTTY, ASCII, TOR, PSK, etc) *without* relying on external hardware.

Am I dreaming? Does ANYONE have such a thing?

4938. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <3749639A.891F3E1E@home.com>
Source record: 141778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Then don't become a HAM. The stupid code requirement will be the death
of HAM
radio. It is very unfortunate.

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Junky The Waffle Iron wrote:
> >Drop the code
>
> It's the second-most used mode.
> You're going to grow old,
> Before we let you on without the code.
>
> Jeff "If the code doesn't fit, then you must acquit" KH6pOet =:o
>
> --
> Fingerprint Classification Services: Your own personal copy of
> your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
> classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4939. Re: UPPA URS,LLOYD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: soxist@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524105323.03531.00003940@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141779

Yeah, right Lloyd, we're supposed to worry about the damned telephone companies when they're illegally "slamming" telephone consumers back and forth between each other. And how can they be losing money and going to the poor house when I've received three checks totalling $200 if I would agree to switch to AT&Ts' long distance service? Do your homework Lloyd and stop posting like a goof.

4940. Re: 6 scrumptous orange danishs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason <jason@nospam.gulftel.com>
Message-ID: <927558132.990.39@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141780

How many ovens does this guy have??

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Spamming this account is in violation of the Federal Telephone
Consumer Protection Act of 1991, and Collateral Code of Federal
Regulations (47 CFR 64.1200). The TCPA allows a private right of
action against the sender of unsolicited advertising. The recipient
can sue for $500, or actual damages (whichever is greater).

<DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:7i6annhvf1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> You WTIA malcontents are so jealous, a gorgous blond just fixed me 6
> scrumptous orange danishs piping hot oozing with hot icing strait from
> our $2900 self cleaning oven. WTIA = White Trash In America
>
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4941. Re: How to find HF nets and frequencies ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: john1952@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ibtoo$5pr$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141781

In article <7i9tiu$r1d$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
john1952@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> In article <37475F11.4C57@imt.net>,
> tglenn@imt.net wrote:
> > Lynton@iname.com wrote:
> > >
> > > Anyone know of HF net frequencies and what time they are active,
or
> is
> > > there a website with a listing?
> > >
> > > --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> > > ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
> >
> > The ARRL publishes a net directory.Tracy
> >
> I posted this before, but apparently it didn't take, so here it goes
> again:
>
> The ARRL's 1997-1998 net directory is on the web at:
> http://www2.arrl.org/files/infoserv/fsd/netdir97.txt
>
> The 1999-2000 net directory should be coming out shortly (but as a
> print publication; don't expect this to be posted on the web until
> 2001).
>
And I see that the ARRL's 1999-2000 Net Directory is now available,
catalog number 7393, $4.00 plus $3.00 s&h; see products section at
http://www.arrl.org

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

4942. Kenwood Service?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: PopTician <zootv@erols.com>
Message-ID: <374973DC.F53FA02A@erols.com>
Source record: 141782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi, I took a very close lightening strike early this morning (thankfully not a direct hit). I feel asleep with my TS-850S/AT on and the result is predictably not good. I live an apartment, so the antenna it was connnected to was inside. The radio still functions, but the receiver is a different story. I have had a bad experience with Kenwood's service center in virginia beach, va and I'd like to avoid using them if possible. Any suggestions on where to get the radio fixed?
Thanks
Mike, who is also using the new modem he had to buy.
KD4RNF

4943. Is DoNkBoY a wrestler?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason <jason@work.com>
Message-ID: <7ibs02$2uq$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141783

Reading though the postings I've come to conclusion that DoNkBoY has to be a wrestler with his flamboyant behavior and lack of proper grammar. I doubt if anyone believes or really even cares what he is eating, buying, or how much money he has. I think he's actually a single slob living in a travel trailer in Arkansas eating beans out of a can and talking on his BIG CB whenever he's not wrestling down at the local armory. What even worse he has the nerve to call the rest of us white trash. Someone get this boy a Grammar for dummies book!

Jason

DISCLAIMER: I have no problems with people that live in trailers and eat beans out of the can. Used to be one of em!

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4944. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon & Kim Holder <Jon.Holder@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3749763D.53179E48@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

COOL, fellow shooters on the ham side of the 'net.

Hope I'm not intruding, but I gotta say something here. I've owned 2
mini 14's and 1 AR15 I use for competition highpower.

Out of the box, an AR will outshoot the mini 14 any day of the
week. Reliability, accuracy, ease in finding parts.

I'll agree with you a lot of the kit AR's are no good, but a lot
of that rests on the shadetree gunsmiths ruining parts. THe design is
good and it doesn't need tampering with.

Okay, my rant over, on to defending my radios!

Jon N0OFG

robinson wrote:
>
> Actually, IMHO the Mini-14 is more reliable than most AR-15s. A genuine Colt
> or a really good custom AR-15 are okay, but most of the socalled "kit guns"
> are pretty shoddy. Earlier examples of this general design had atrocious
> reputations for feeding failures.
>
> Therefore, while cosmetically the Mini-14 is not a "black gun", and is
> widely used for hunting, pest control, etc, it would actually be slightly
> "deadlier" than the AR-15.
>
> Funny thing is, a 223 doesn't sound like a cannon at all, or is it just me?
>
> A trained and armed security guard would have had a fair chance of dropping
> those two snot-nosed brats before they had offed so many innocent kids. What
> kind of security is a fat bald guy with a uniform? I know... it is illegal
> (that can be fixed) to posess a gun in a school, and guns are barbaric, and
> two wrongs don't make a right, but given a choice between two dead kids who
> were the attackers and a whole bunch of them who were victims, the
> arithmetic isn't hard to figure out. Flame away. I can take it.
>
> ---------------------------------
> Robinson in San Benito TX
> A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
> By the Border By the Sea
>
> Meet a Redneck!
> See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
> Build your own Web Page!

> Get your Ham License!
>
> For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying
> in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
> http://crusoe.org
> ----------
>
> Arnie Macy wrote in message ...
> >Mark,
> >
> >It did involve semi-automatic pistols, but by far, the most damage was
> >inflicted by "Maddox" who was armed with a mini-14. It took a shotgun
> blast
> >at close range to finally stop him. Officers at the scene said it sounded
> >like a cannon every time he fired it (mini-14) at them. Anyone who has
> been
> >in war, or involved in a shooting knows what that sounds like.
> >
> >I guess my point here is the same as yours. If an AR-15 and a Mini-14 use
> >the same round, what sense does it make to "ban" one and not the other.
> >They both kill equally effectively. Unless we ban ALL weapons, banning
> just
> >the ones that "look" bad won't do any good at all. And we all know that
> >banning all weapons is never going to happen. The Congress should stop
> >playing political games with this issue and deal with the real problem.
> The
> >people behind the guns.
> >
> >Regards,
> >
> >Arnie -
> >KT4ST
> >
> >Mark A. Fuller wrote in message <372896a5.97731591@news.primenet.com>...
> >>On Sun, 25 Apr 1999 04:14:33 GMT, "Arnie Macy" <kt4st@csam.net> (in
> >><JEwU2.12497$oH.3338026@news3.mia>) wrote:
> >>
> >>>Not to carry this thread on forever, but there was a weapon banned that
> >used
> >>>the same caliber round as the mini-14. It was cosmetically different and
> >I
> >>>suspect that's why it received the attention. Do you recall what weapon
> >it
> >>>was? It was mentioned in the law enforcement critique of the Florida FBI
> >>>shooting, but I can't recall the name - brand - etc.
> >>
> >>No, I don't know what guns were used in that shooting and it's not too
> >>clear what was banned since most of them have reappeared with cosmetic
> >>changes. :) The mini-14 uses the .223. The only gun that comes to
> >>mind that was banned (until cosmetics were altered) is the AR-15 (M-16

> >>look-alike). It might have been that one but I didn't realize the
> >>Florida shooting involved rifles. I thought it was machine-pistols
> >>(Uzis and Mac-10s), but I don't know.
> >>
> >>It's all senseless since the Mini-14 without bayonete, flash
> >>supressor, pistol grip and folding stock, would have killed just as
> >>effectively as the AR-15.
> >>
> >>Mark
> >>
> >>Second Amendment Law Library, recent legal scholarship at:
> >>http://www.2ndlawlib.org/
> >
> >

4945. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon & Kim Holder <Jon.Holder@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3749778A.AB504033@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gary Coffman wrote:
>
> On Wed, 12 May 1999 06:12:29 GMT, "robinson" <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
> >I'm sure as hell glad we don't equip our troops with these so-called
> >"assault weapons". You couldn't assault a well defended outhouse with them
> >if faced with selective-fire equipped defenders.
>
> No fair confusing the liberals with facts. :-)
>
> However, spray and pray weapons aren't always your best bet,
> unless you have the ammo resupply contract. We managed quite
> well with semiauto M1s in WWII. One good hit is worth a thousand
> misses, and puts much less strain on the logistics tail.

This is the biggest problem our troops face. They are not trained to
shoot past 200 yards. Anything beyond 300 meters is
in atrillery range or can be "dialed in" with their sights on their
M16A2 sights.

The only troops that train to shoot are the combat arms branches
and they don't shoot live ammo that much. Support troops may never touch
a rifle after basic training and guess who's getting sent to the
hotspots with their field kitchens, trucks and typewriters? The guys who
aren't getting small arms training!

I don't care what caliber they shoot, they gotta' hit their target.
BRING BACK THE KD RANGES!

Jon N0OFG
>
> Besides, single shot weapons are often the infantryman's best tool
> against a defended outhouse. A M79 or a LAW takes care of the
> problem without a bunch of fuss and bother. Unless, of course, you
> are assaulting the outhouse so you can use it. Then a pipsqueak
> caliber select fire weapon might be handy.
>
> Gary
> Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> 534 Shannon Way | We break it |
> Lawrenceville, GA | Guaranteed |

4946. Re: KJI taking AF2Y down with him!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524120328.11354.00002904@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141786

<< Subject: KJI taking AF2Y down with him!!
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net (Tenth District)
Date: Mon, May 24, 1999 8:58 AM
Message-id: <2114-37494CFA-10@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
<<<<ATTENTION...ATTENTION...I WANT TO ALERT YOU TO THE FACT THAT THE GUY WHO POSTED THE LIBEL ABOUT ME IS LIBELOUS! I WILL BE CALLING ATTORNEY LAUREN COLBY TOMORROW TO BEGIN LITIGATION. MORE THAN ONCE I TOLD DAVE CASTLE TO LAY OFF THE OVERZEALOUS REACTION TO THE ENORMITY OF LIES PROMULGATED BY THE KVETCHES ON 3.950. IN A LETTER SENT MONTHS AGO, I TOLD HIM OUTRIGHT THAT MR.HOLLINGSWORTH WAS NO ONE WITH WHOM TO TRIFLE. I TOLD HIM TO OBEY THE 3.950 CURFEW IMPOSED BY THE MAN. IN MY ESTIMATION, HIS LATEST TROUBLE WAS DO TO A CLEVER SETUP BY THE BEASTS WHICH DAVE FELL INTO. HOWEVER IF DAVE WRITES A SINCERE LETTER TO MR. H. AND SWEARS TO CEASE AND DESIST ANNOYING THE MORONS, MAYBE HIS PUNISHMENT WILL BE REDUCED? I CAN'T PUT WORDS INTO RILEY'S MOUTH AND WILL NOT,SO LET THE CHIPS FALL WHERE THEY MAY. THIS BUSINESS ABOUT DAVID "SINGING" IS AS PHONY AS THE BIRDBRAINS NESTED ON THAT FREQUENCY; DAVE IS MAN WHO WILL ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY FOR HIS OWN ACTIONS WHICH IS MORE THAN I CAN SAY ABOUT A LOT OF YOU. I HAVE CONFIDENCE IN MR.CASTLE WHO HAS CONSTANTLY OVERREACTED TO THE THUGS BECAUSE OF HIS INNATE LOVE OF COUNTRY AND ABHORRENCE OF BIGOTRY. GOOD LUCK TO YOU DAVID AND GOD SPEED. DOC, AF2Y>>>>>>>>
WA9KJI, David Castle of Evansville, IN, who was suspended from HF for two years for jamming 3950 KHz, vows to "take others down with me". Mr. Castle surprised amateurs on 14.313 this past Sunday, as he stated that he was provoked into jamming 3950 by AF2Y and others, who assured him immunity from prosecution. It seems AF2Y assured Mr. Castle that it was OK to jam "Nazi's", and that he would help take care of any backlash. (Remember, Republicans are "Nazi's" according to AF2Y) Mr. Castle is very upset that he is being made "the fall guy".

Several Liberty Net members are discussing the possibility of a deal with Mr. Hollingsworth to get Mr. Castle's suspension reduced or rescinded, if it is proven that their was a conspiracy to jam 3950, and that Mr. Castle was coerced into jamming, and given state-of-the-art radio equipment in order to do the jamming.

State tuned!

Jack.....Of All Trades >>

4947. Re: YOU FAGGOTS NEED TO GO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524120710.11354.00002906@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141787

<< Subject: Re: YOU FAGGOTS NEED TO GO!
From: claude@netwoman.rz.unibw-muenchen.de (Claude Frantz)
Date: Mon, May 24, 1999 7:43 AM
Message-id: <3749327b.19139290@news.unibw-muenchen.de>
LIEBER FRANZ...FORGIVE HIM, HE KNOWS WHAT HE WRITES. AF2Y. DOC UND ICH WUENSCHE
IHNEN EINE GUTE WOCHE>>>>>>>>>>>>
On Mon, 24 May 1999 00:53:07 -0400, Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:

>Cyba Nonymous wrote:
>>
>> All of you 3950 and 3894.5 faggots need to hit the road. That also
>> goes for all the 14.300 and 314 assholes. You people are nothing but white
>> trash. Get lost.
>Well you forgot
> 3.901 27.355 27.185 28.440 14.268? 3.868 3.945 3.915 daytime lets see
>here 14.310 7.248 7.251 3.885 7.290 did I forget anyone?

Thanks for all the Ham Spirit.

Claude Frantz >>

4948. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ibtdg$jpp@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3749639A.891F3E1E@home.com>, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:

>Then don't become a HAM.

Too late! I've been licensed 23 years.

>The stupid code requirement will be the death of HAM radio. It is very
>unfortunate.

Connect an antenna to your radio -- you'll hear that the HF bands are as
crowded as any time in our past. Those complaining about the code gather
here on Usenet; they really are a minority. Everyone else is operating on
the air.
73, Jeff KH6O

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Fingerprint Classification Services: Your own personal copy of
your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4949. HATE:BE AWARE OF IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524121921.10783.00002929@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141789

Gentlemen,
Due to my expertise with my MAC computer, I now offer you something
to peruse which will shed more light on the flotsam and jetsam loose on 3.950.
I will endeavor to bring you even more conclusive proof of their involvement in
HATE IN AMERICA. But in the meantime,read the following as a primer. More to
come. Doc,AF2Y

The Police Officer's Internet Directory ï¿½ ï¿½ - ï¿½ï¿½ www.Officer.com
Home Page | Agency Listings | Police Employment | Police Supplies | Contact Us
Hate Groups, Terrorists, & Radicals
ï¿½ ï¿½ ï¿½ï¿½ This page has two sections, the first links web sites of the watch dog
organizations that monitor hate groups and such, and the second is links to the
actual web sites of the hate groups themselves.
Watch-Dog Groups
The following links are to sites that attempt to keep up to date on the
internet activities of subversive people and organizations.
Anti-Defamation League
Hate Directory Compiled by Raymond A. Franklin
HateWatch
ICT Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism
Ira Wilsker's listing of Terrorism, Anarchy, Hate Groups
J. Harmon's "Lame Links"
Jewish Youth Information League
Klanwatch and The Militia Task Force
National Security Institute's Counter Terrorism page
Terrorism Research Center
United States Information Service (USIS) Terrorism page
Yahoo's Militia Listings
Yahoo's Terrorism Listings
Yahoo's White Power Listings

Hate Groups
WARNING:The following links lead to web pages that are extremeley offensive.
Unless you have a legitimate, professional need to learn more about hate
groups, you should return to the main directory and not give the authors of
these sites the validation of your attention.
Please DO NOT contact the servers that host these pages, in an attempt to have
them removed. They are indeed offensive, but there are several reasons why
attempting to get these sites deleted is a bad idea:
ï¿½ ï¿½ ï¿½ï¿½1.) These type of people love that kind of attention, they think getting
censored off of a server gives them status amongst their fellow hate-types.
ï¿½ ï¿½ ï¿½ï¿½2.) These web sites are an excellent source of intelligence for law
enforcement.
ï¿½ ï¿½ ï¿½ï¿½3.) These people are protected by the United States Constitution. As law
enforcement officers, we have sworn to uphold the Constitution. Even people

with offensive, small minded views have the right to voice them.

14 Word Press (Racist)
American Renaissance (Racist)
Aryan Nations
Aryan Re-Education Links
Be Wise As Serpents (Anti-Semitic)
The David Duke Report
Nation of Islam
The National Alliance (Racist)
National Socialist White Peoples Party
Race Traitor (Racist)
Stormfront (Racist)
S.T.R.A.I.G.H.T. (Anti-Gay)
The Watchman (Racist)
White Aryan Restance
The White Power Central
The Zï¿½ndelsite (Nazi)

Radicals
NOTICE: We make no judgements of the following groups. Our decision to place them here does not mean that we think that they are evil or "wrong", only that they are contrary to established authority.
Billings Assault Militia
Communist Party U.S.A.
Fuerza Nacionalista Azteca
Open Directory Project, Militia listings
Utopian Anarchist Party

Agenciesï¿½ ï¿½ Officersï¿½ ï¿½ Jobsï¿½ ï¿½ Home

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4950. John Mackey falsifying VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <xUe23.11$b27.4788@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 141790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:37490545.E2F32B86@usa.net...
>
>
> Glenn wrote:
>
> > Found this on the net today......
>
> > Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> > John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> > against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
>
> SNIP

Why snip out the issue at hand John-bowl? You snipped;

"VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants".

Are you guilty? You don't deny it. You just snip it and it goes away?

How much money did you take? What were you asking for? How many people did
you pass through that should not have?

>
> > Anybody know about this?
> >
> > I know John has made many false claims about many things but do you
believe
>
> SNIP

Why did you snip out "he would really take money to pass people?"
John-bowl???
No denial just a snip.

You did it?

> > John has lied on the net about his license status and other things but
>
> SNIP

and then you snip out "but would he stoop this low?" don't you? Afraid
somebody might answer it again?
Did you stoop that low. You are know by most all on these NGs as a fraud
after you 5 Fcc license thing. Gee, you sure got quiet over that one.

> So Glenn WHEN have I lied ???

Last lie was saying you have 5 FCC licenses. want more.
You lied that you would quit posting when Bill did.
You lied that you didn't smoke a repeater.
You lied that you didn't smoke a power supply
You lied saying you weren't kicked off Fido by both Cheek and you BBS operator.
You lied saying you didn't spew obcenitites on the Puget Sound 523 repeater.
You lied about your bedpan changing job.
You lied about your degrees.
You lied about your changing your name constanttly to get through mail/news filters.
You are a living lie John-bowl, it is all you have.
You just lie about most everything.

>
>
> A search of yahoo & dejanews shows NO such internet reports as you claim.
>

It was posted on this NG and many others the day I posted my original message. Just because you are too dense to use the net tools availble don't blame me. I'll repost it again for you if you like John-Bowl.

> That's pretty funny!!!! My mother died 6 years ago!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Prove it John. Hard to imagine anyone admitting to being even related to you John-Bowl.

> Once again you have proven your self to be a liar!!!!!

Because I post a question regarding another post? You haven't denied anything so it must be true.

>
> Did you ever find the young gay amateurs you were looking for to practice
> you homo acts on???
>

This last statement shows how desperate you are John-Bowl. Go troll you gay stuff elsewhere. Do you think bring up your old forged posts take the attention off your alleged VE payoff scam?

4951. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <37498513.C8A91DB5@jump.net>
Source record: 141791
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

Oris wrote:

> snip
> HMMMM
> I would say that is unreasable search.Piss tests and hair samples are
> unreasonable search.

Not when they're a condition of employment, you don't have to work there.My complaint when I was subjected to such indignities was that alcohol was not tested, but it's one of the most powerful and debilitating drugs.

> I just love how the war on drugs has destroyed the
> bill of rights and the constitution. Lets see we have road blocks now so
> that says we are all gulity till we stop and prove were innocent. Thank
> you war on drugs. Lets see here if four or five of us are grouped
> together and we have on the same cloths we can be arrested under the
> Rico act, HMMMMM right to assembly down the tubes. Thank you war on
> drugs.

Quite right, I'm afraid. You know, they really do know what's best for us. (gag, vomit)

> All this gun control because the states say we can't spank are kids so
> they really don't know right from wrong and they do something stupid
> because they don't know anybetter because the state said we can't spank
> our kids. They blame this on the aviablity of guns. In 1969 you could
> have a gun mailed to you. When I did something wrong my dad spanked my
> butt. Since all the gun control crime has gotton worse. They are working
> no more guns. The right to bare arms GONE? Lets see here on ham radio
> we aren't suppose to even talk about this, so there goes freedom of
> speech. HMMMM My kid can't say a prayer in a public school because of
> this separation of church and state so there goes her freedom of
> religon.

No, the school can't make her pray.

> I would say that the so called war on drugs and the so called
> bite out of crime has allowed the drug dealers and criminals to win!

snip-

> Ben Frankin has been quoted in
> saying that "They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little
> temporary safety, deserve neither liberty nor safety."
> Think about it.
>

> Thats just my opinion I could be wrong!
> Oris
> --
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

Yes, it is a service, not a hobby.
May you live in interesting times
H.
WA5IGW
QCWA lifer

4952. FS: CVM-1 Output Transformers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: William B <wmollard@dowco.com>
Message-ID: <37498611@news.vphos.net>
Source record: 141792

Hello,
I have a pair of UTC CVM-1 output transformers taken from some RCA
broadcast amplifiers using 6550 tubes. Offers welcome

best
bill

4953. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <374985F0.EB8CA9AE@jump.net>
Source record: 141793

JPNOLL wrote:

> I dont need anything to "alter" my consciousness. beside I've tried it and all
> it did was make me paranoid. Some things should not be done. as far as the 20's
> are concerned. reefer madness was just that "madness" Marijuana is highly
> addictive

please describe your withdrawal symptomsIn my experience nothing comes close to
nicotine for addiction

> and I can testify to that, having been there. What this world needs
> is a good dose of reality not drugs!

Piss the Russians off enough and that may happen.psst, hey buddy, got any reality?
H.
WA5IGW

4954. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3749862B.822A2C69@jump.net>
Source record: 141794

JPNOLL wrote:

> I dont need anything to "alter" my consciousness. beside I've tried it and all
> it did was make me paranoid. Some things should not be done. as far as the 20's
> are concerned. reefer madness was just that "madness" Marijuana is highly
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> is a good dose of reality not drugs!

Piss the Russians off enough and that may happen.psst, hey buddy, got any reality?
H.
WA5IGW

4955. Re: SO LONG,SUBVERSIVES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <3749896E.C2C15A86@jump.net>
Source record: 141795

I read along, guy's bringing up a good point, then this.
No, we have prevented our schools from enforcing one religion over another.
God's anywhere it pleases God to be.
H.
WA5IGW

William Lee wrote:

>

snip-

> We have taken GOD out of our schools and we are now reaping the
> rewards of that bit of wisdom.
> It bothers me that the FCC seems to be acting just on the bases of their
> subject matter.

They're out of line there, but a net doesn't own a frequency either.

> So herein lies the problem.... How can a nation give it's citizens the
> freedom of free speech but keep subversive groups from spreading hate and
> misinformation with it.

You can't.

> I dont know the answer.... but I do know that we are losing our freedoms
> little by little because of these groups that use them for the wrong
> reasons.
>
> William Lee N5WRX

No, we're losing our freedoms because of knee-jerk politicians who pass "feel
good" legislation. examples--
1 Columbine, CO
2 TWA 800 (no "terrorists", crap maintenance on an old bird) yet we immediately
came under even more insulting scrutiny at the hands of idiots when we must take
the flying bus.

H.
WA5IGW

4956. Re: HATE:BE AWARE OF IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2624-3749832F-21@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141796

Thanks, Doc! I don't belong to ANY of those groups. I don't even belong to the Republican Party. But after reading your drivel for the past month, I can see why people join these groups!!

I think I'll check out a couple of them....

Thanks again, Doc.

Jack.....Of All Trades

4957. Re: KJI taking AF2Y down with him!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2625-37498588-20@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141797

Colby??? What kind of a Jewish name is that, Doc??? You need a Goldstein, or a Lipshitz or a Shapiro, or some other Jewish shyster!

However, I think ANY lawyer will tell you, you don't have one little frog hair of a libel suite. Especially since we all know you said what you said to Dave, and we have it on recording.

Shalom,

Jack....Of All Trades

4958. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37498DF7.E53C91EE@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> It's the second-most used mode.

That depends. It's the most used mode on 30m. It is the third
mose used mode in ham radio.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4959. Re: Acceptance. (The CW mystique)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: frussle@erols.com
Message-ID: <374e8e1b.5517988@news.erols.com>
Source record: 141799

On 22 May 1999 02:58:42 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

>Jake Brodsky <frussle@erols.com> wrote:
>> Many of the really vehement advocates of CW haven't touched a key in
>> years.
>
>Jake, could you quantify your "many"? Did you conduct a poll to arrive
>at that conclusion?

No. That's why I used a vague term. After all, 87.3% of all
statistics are made up on the spot ;-)

However, if you'd like a qualitative experience, try talking to some
of the many folks on the phone bands of HF. They all had to pass a
code test. Ask them how much CW work they do. Ask them if they still
know the code. I'll bet you'll be surprised at the answers you get
back. While you're at it, ask them if they'd like to see CW kept as
an entrance requirement.

I've done just that at various times over the last 20 years. And I do
get answers just as I stated. I admit it's not a proper statistical
sample. That's why I used the term "many", not "most." Fair enough?

Jake Brodsky, AB3A mailto:frussle@erols.com
"Beware of the massive impossible!"

4960. Re: Carribbean pirates ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524134551.13059.00004118@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141800

> Can anyone stateside tell me if there
>is a widespread, uncontrolled, abuse of the
>amateur radio bands in Region 2 by unlicensed
>yachtsmen?
>Best 72/73

Ask N4LMC, she runs the "Intercon Traffic Net" She specailizes in these type of goons to do her dirty work on 20 meters!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

4961. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <E9756D16771CFCE1.392204BCA6E101B3.42E918FF2576D9E8@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141801

Radiosigs wrote:
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4962. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <3749BB80.3470@sgi.net>
Source record: 141802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Guys, I have held my ticket (tech +) since 1974, I am now 60 yrs old and have attempted to upgrade to general four time in the past 10 yrs. Not being able to master the code, and with the influx of new hams into 2 mtrs and 440 I have all but lost interest in ham radio. The thoery has never been a problem but that darn code......

Last week I received an invitation to join the AARL with notice that they are promoting the Tech + to General via grandfathering them. Today, I joined the AARL only because they have opted to support this concept. I know that there numerous advanced and extra class people that do not support this but times must change. Just because I did something in my past, should I expect my juniors to follow my foot steps? NO. Open your eyes and make positive changes for your/our future. My concept of code is that it is and has been a declining art, if it's your choice to use code so be it. It just wasn't made for me. In that, so should I be restricted from using the HF bands? Why, when I know the thoery of radio electronics and the rules of the road.

Have a wonderful day.............

Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote:
>
> No way dude!
> Drop the code because it is obsolete, but not the classes!
> I do think that the classes need to be redone though.
> Tech classes are fine, Novice should be dropped, General
> is fine but the Advances and Extra classes need more incentive (as if I were
> to ever become and Advanced or Extra).
> As a general class, I have no reason to me (other than the honor) to go through the
> hell to become an advanced or Extra for the little freq's and extra rights offered.

4963. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jwkelley@e4e.oac.uci.edu
Message-ID: <7ic38k$iki@news.service.uci.edu>
Source record: 141803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37461810.92E4DE54@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:

>You cannot
>miss all the questions on the third most popular mode and pass the code
>test.

Are you sure about that Cecil? The code tests are the ones in which you
CAN miss all of the questions and still pass.

73, Jim AC6XG

4964. Re: FS: Kenwood UHF Repeater/Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: knollco@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ic8ee$dv3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141804
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Just wanted to know what your were asking for
both the entire package and just the repeater
itself? Thanks
In article <7ibf42$5a4$1@remarQ.com>,
"Anthony Mikulastik" <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
wrote:
> Kenwood TKR-820 Desktop Repeater with Internal
Cel-Wave Duplexer.
> Therepeater is a 2-20 watt commercial unit.
The power supply is built in
> and also has a 12VDC input for emergency
automatic backup power. The
> repeater has a CW ID installed. There is also
a Full Duplex CS-800
> Interconnect/Repeater Controller which is wired
to plug into the accessory
> plug on the rear of the repeater. Currently
the repeater is programmed for
> 444.500 / 449.500. The repeater can be setup
to operate from 8 different
> CTCSS or DCS codes (can be mixed). The TKR-
820 is type approved for
> GMRS, Commercial, and Ham. The repeater is the
same size as a Kenwood
> TS-850S HF rig. It is about a year and a half
old and is currently in
> service. I also have 1 new and slightly used (
2 months) TK-860 UHF - 32
> Channel radios with CTCSS and DCS for sale. I
also have a DTMF mic for one
> of the TKR-860s. Also have 2 UHF Kenwood TK-
350 (With DTMF PAD) and 1 VHF
> TK-250 Hand-Helds (160 channel) with new NiMH
batteries. All of the
> equipment is in good working order and
looksnew. I can program the TKR-860
> radios to any channel setup required. I will
discount for a package sale!
> Email NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com for prices on
selected or package items. DROP
> NO-SPAM from email address!
>
> 73, De Anthony, WB5TTY

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4965. king of hate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ic8mh$e81$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141805

Who is in here talking about HATE web sites? You got it, Dr HATE, AF2Y
who is making a life of HATE!! This failed screwball hates everyone.
Little Charlie is a failure at his dental practice, and is taking it
out on the world. He uses Hitler as an excuse to HATE. In my opinion he
needs no one to help him hate. He was working his hate at the moment
of
his conception, he hated his mother and his father for creating him..
That casual hay loft frolic should have been terminated. But
whatever, we have him on
the forum to whine, rant and rave and what else "HATE". He is "THE KING
OF HATE". Keep posting "KOH" we will keep laughing.

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4966. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524142508.02121.00005540@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141806

To Carol Valentine...look you stupid broad. Instead of worrying about a "Jewish conspiracy." clean your filthy house, scoop up the dog poop from the backyard and go make Tommy something to eat but DON"T FIRST WASH YOUR HANDS. Doc, AF2Y

4967. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524142721.02121.00005541@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141807

I.m surprised by Oris's turnabout. He always was a friend but turned on me because I'm friendly with Rich Whiten. I still happen to like Oris but if he doesn't stop throwing darts at me, I'm going to sink his ship.

Doc

4968. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524143231.02121.00005546@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141808

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Date: Mon, May 24, 1999 2:51 PM
Message-id:
<E9756D16771CFCE1.392204BCA6E101B3.42E918FF2576D9E8@library-proxy.airnews.net>
<<<WHY DON'T YOU TAKE YOUR ULTRA-RIGHT WING ANTI-SEMITIC ANTI-GOVERNMENT
GARBAGE AND STUFF IT? THERE ARE TOO MANY OF US WHO LOVE THIS COUNTRY TO STAND
IDLY BY AND WATCH YOU BESMIRCH OUR DEMOCRACY. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>
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4969. What Hath mf_luder Wrought ? Rich Asks are there Jewish Racists ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ic9qb$et2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Good Lord, that Rich Asks... thread I started is a persona;l best at 156 messages.

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4970. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524142945.02121.00005542@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141810

As long as there are people like Carol Valentine, a subversive ultra-right wing menace to eveything we stand for, good people like I will stand up and spit in her eye.You tell her to take her Nazi crap elsewhere, her Jew baiting elsewhere and things will calm down. If not, then she's going to have her clock cleaned!
AF2Y, Doc

4971. W1WEF's Peeing Interfaces

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7icaavfbb1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Well, I made the mistake of visiting the YCCC site from down here in PVRC country, and good golly, lookit at what these Yankees are writin', ayup...

"Dayton 1999 Recollections Jack Schuster - W1WEF"

"Doors opened at ten AM for inside exhibits... I immediately started plastering my 706 ads in all the men's rooms figured everyone would eventually be there (well almost everyone!).The cleaning people tore them down as soon as they saw them, but got a lot of comments from those who went early!"

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4972. Re: HATE:BE AWARE OF IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524144518.05559.00000542@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141812

>14 Word Press (Racist)
>American Renaissance (Racist)
>Aryan Nations
>Aryan Re-Education Links
>Be Wise As Serpents (Anti-Semitic)
>The David Duke Report
>Nation of Islam
>The National Alliance (Racist)
>National Socialist White Peoples Party
>Race Traitor (Racist)
>Stormfront (Racist)
>S.T.R.A.I.G.H.T. (Anti-Gay)
>The Watchman (Racist)
>White Aryan Restance
>The White Power Central
>The Z�ndelsite (Nazi)
>

Thanks for this valuable information Doc.

If the likes of YOU consider these groups
to be your "enemy", then these groups must
actually be GOOD.

It's about time we have sources of information
and ideas that aren't "kosher"! Who knows,
maybe I will send these groups financial
support if I think they're on target.

4973. ALL YOU EVER WANT TO KNOW ABOUT HATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524144725.05559.00000544@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141813

..... can be found in the Jewish TALMUD.

4974. Re: THE GENIUS OF A PEOPLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524145444.05559.00000551@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141814

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>
>This moron made a list of expulsion of Jews. Please read.
>Date/Location Date/Location
>---
> 250: Carthage 1559: Austria
> 415: Alexandria 1561: Prague
> 554: Diocese of Clement (France) 1567: Wurzburg
> 561: Diocese of Uzzes (France) 1569: Papal States
> 612: Visigoth Spain 1571: Brandenburg
> 642: Visigoth Empire 1582: Netherlands
> 855: Italy 1593: Brandenburg, Austria
> 876: Sens 1597: Cremona, Pavia & Lodi
> 1012: Mayence 1614: Frankfort
> 1181: France 1615: Worms
> 1290: England 1619: Kiev
> 1306: France 1649: Ukraine
> 1348: Switzerland 1654: Little Russia
> 1349: Heilbronn (Germany) 1656: Lithuania
> 1349: Hungary 1669: Oran (North Africa)
> 1388: Strasbourg 1670: Vienna
> 1394: Germany 1712: Sandomir
>1394: France 1727: Russia
>1422: Austria 1738: Wurtemburg
>1424: Fribourg & Zurich 1740: Little Russia
>1426: Cologne 1744: Bohemia
>1432: Savory 1744: Livonia
>1438: Mainz 1745: Moravia
>1439: Augsburg 1753: Kovad (Lithuania)
>1446: Bavaria 1761: Bordeaux
>1453: Franconis 1772: Deported west of Dnieper
>1453: Breslau 1775: Warsaw
>1454: Wurzburg 1789: Alace
>1485: Vincenza (Italy) 1804: Villages in Russia
>1492: Spain 1808: Villages & Countrysides
>1495: Lithuania (Russia)
> 1815: Lubeck & Bremen
>1497: Portugal 1815: Franconia, Swabia &
> Bavaria
>1499: Germany 1820: Bremen
>1514: Strasbourg 1843: Russian Border Austria &
>Prussia
>1519: Regensburg 1862: Area in the U.S. under
> Grant's Jurisdiction

>1540: Naples 1866: Galatz, Romania
>1542: Bohemia 1919: Bavaria (foreign born
> Jews)
>1550: Genoa 1938-45: Nazi Controlled Areas
>1551: Bavaria 1948: Arab Countries
>

If AF2Y is an example of the Jewish race,
then I'm surprised that this lying, obnoxious,
greedy, power-hungry, egotistical,
hate-filled, bunch of parasites haven't been
booted out of more countries many more times than listed above!!

Maybe we need to add the U.S.A. to that list?

4975. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <37499EAB.68AF29A5@innocent.com>
Source record: 141815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dan K Nelson wrote:
>
[...]

Mr. Nelson, I agree with what you said _here_:

[...]
> I would love to see some aggressive prosecution of outlaw ham operators in
> court. I think they will be rudely surprised by the verdicts, and the
> precedents set in these trials will be totally different than past rulings
> regarding commercial broadcast stations.
[...]

... but what you say _below_ mystifies me:

> Amateur regulations also frown on
> discussing topics of politics or religion.

Can you please cite the regulations that prohibit amateurs from discussing these, or for that matter, any specific topics? I don't believe they exist. These topics, much to my delight, have often been discussed by amateurs, many of them quite brilliant men from whom I have learned a great deal, ever since I began listening to the amateur bands about 31 years ago.

In my view, while it's all right occasionally to discuss tame, trivial matters like the weather or signal reports or what the XYL's fixing for dinner, no conversation is more interesting than one involving the important fundamental issues of our lives. Among those important issues are politics and religion.

Of course, it takes a certain kind of maturity of mind and spirit to talk -- and disagree on -- such weighty matters without becoming offended or disturbed. But those possessing such maturity are just about the only people worth talking to anyway.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

4976. mf_luder is Here to Stay with More TOUGH TALK !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7icb62$g4f$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141816

Seemed like the fashionable thing to say these days...

"Where's that big 'ol mf_luder ?"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH !"

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4977. THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524150728.02111.00006018@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141817

Hams seem to think that the Republican Party is the one to belong to if one leans toward anti-Americanism. Now hear this you morons. I've been voting since 1960 and have cast more votes for Republicans then for Democrats. In '64 I voted for Goldwater because his was the right way to go to extricate oursleves from Viet Nam. If we had to nuke the bums, then so be it. In '68 and '72 I voted for Nixon because, although he was domestically doggy droppings, internationally, in tandem with Kissinger,top flight. In '80 and '84 I voted for Reagan because he was so good looking, he should have been in the movies. In '88 I voted for Geo.Bush even though Quayle was a definite minus. But then something rotten happened in America. The wonderful Republican party was undermined by the religious right-the image of the illustrious elephant became tarnished. That proud significant party, without its realization, somehow became the Jesus Party. Huh? Encroachment by the Christian Coaltion zealots ruined the image of that G.O.P. being mainstream-being for ALL the people. The association of Republicanism and Christianity was fostered by the nut cases and militia movement and the dangerous right wing to make people believe that Jesus and the G.O.P. couldn't get along without one another. Dangerous anit-government movements grew as a result of religious manipulation-thought control etc. And by listening to the ham bands, as Lloyd Davies does since he's too damn stupid to get a decent ticket, the malignancy was spreading. In 1802 Thomas Jefferson talked about how there should never be a state religion in America in order to avoid the religious wars that had engulfed Europe for centuries. In case you're interested, the real reason why England fought France and England fought Spain ad infinitum, was RELIGION. Catholics versus Protestants with the Jews caught in the middle of all the mayhem. Hams radio ops...stop being deluded into believing that Democrats are all liberal and are communists as preached by these screwballs. And don't believe that the Republicans will continue to be the pawns of the religious right. Once the G.O.P. waves goodbye to the zany religious groups trying to control it,and sets itself firmy in the middle, we will have a great Pres. race come Nov.2000. The only reason why the Dems.come across as the party that cares about us is because the Republicans have allowed themselves to be subverted. In those halls of Congress stand as many fine Republicans as Democrats and it's not myth.What is myth is that the Republicans are the party of Jesus and that if one is a Christian, one MUST be a Republican. Religion and politics don't mix in America although separation of church and state was only strongly implied but never written. Get with it, Democrat and Republican hams--see the light and stop squabbling. We have a nation to save. Religion belongs in places of worship while schools are places of learning.Doc,AF2Y

4978. Doc, The Flag and Hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3749A564.153AC123@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

It's pretty sad.
Doc and Porkbutt wrap themselves in The Flag
and talk about loving their country
while posting "we're the supreme people" racist propaganda.

The nazi-wannabes do exactly the same thing.
Only the names have been changed.

Doc, you and the people against which you spew your Hate
are so much alike you might as well be brothers.
Swap "nazi" for "jew" and "jew" for "nazi"
and you could use each other's scripts.

It would be funny if it weren't so pathetic.

Regards,
Dave Stinson AB5S

4979. Re: Doc, The Flag and Hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524154630.02101.00005664@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141819

<< HEY COWBOY STINSON...DID YOU FALL OFF A HORSE ON YOUR HEAD OR WHAT? YOU'RE NOTHING BUT A TEXASS MEATHEAD AND THAT'S A COMPLIMENT.FURTHERMORE YOUR POSTS REFLECT THOSE OF THAT PHONY HAM FROM ATHENS ALABAMA-THE CODE FREE TECH PLUS MINUS,N0VFP. THE WAY YOU GUYS WRITE MAKES IT APPARENT YOU GRADUATED FROM THE SAME NURSERY SCHOOL TOGETHER.DOC,AF2Y>>>>>>>
It's pretty sad.
Doc and Porkbutt wrap themselves in The Flag
and talk about loving their country
while posting "we're the supreme people" racist propaganda.

The nazi-wannabes do exactly the same thing.
Only the names have been changed.

Doc, you and the people against which you spew your Hate
are so much alike you might as well be brothers.
Swap "nazi" for "jew" and "jew" for "nazi"
and you could use each other's scripts.

It would be funny if it weren't so pathetic.

Regards,
Dave Stinson AB5S

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4980. Re: Doc, The Flag and Hatred

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3749AF21.FB909771@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141820

Like I said before--
when they can't discuss or rationally argue,
they make personal attacks.

I really love it when a democrat proves me right again and again and...

Dave AB5S

4981. READ,UNDERSTAND AND ACT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524160626.11363.00002963@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141821

<<<AN EDUCATED PUBLIC IS OUR BEST ANSWER TO THE HATEMONGERS ON THE INTERNET.
Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>>
Outline
New Possibilities for Extremists in the Internet Age
A Web of Hate
White Supremacists
Holocaust Deniers
Anti-Government Groups
Email and Newsgroup Hate
Freedom of Speech Issues
Mechanisms of Opposition

Hate on the Net

The Nuremberg Files website serves as a prime case study of online extremism but does not reveal the tremendous scope of extremist usage of the Internet. Today, in addition to radical anti-abortionists, a wide range of other extremist groups, including hate groups of all kinds and anti-government groups, have taken to cyberspace. Though it is difficult to gauge precisely the extent of the extremist presence online, hundreds of extremist websites currently exist, and their numbers seem to be growing at an explosive rate.1

New Possibilities for Extremists in the Internet Age

Historically, extremist groups have used print media of all kinds, including pamphlets, magazines, newspapers, books, and posters as vehicles of propaganda. And extremists have never failed to exploit new forms of electronic communication. So, in the past, extremists have used broad-band and short-wave radio, audiotape, videotape, and cable television to push their views. The advent of online extremism in the Internet age was, then, a matter of course. Extremists use websites, email, and online forums to communicate with one another and disseminate propaganda.2
Through the use of such online facilities, some of the limitations of traditional media and real life encounters may be overcome. Through the World Wide Web, material can be published to a global audience quickly, easily, and inexpensively. In addition to text, sound, images, and video may be included to enhance the visual appeal and communicative capabilities of extremist websites. Facilities such as email lists, newsgroups, and other online forums allow extremists of similar persuasions to meet in cyberspace, thus defying the restrictions of geographic isolation. And online forums not dedicated to extremism provide the opportunity for extremists to unleash messages upon unsuspecting and largely captive audiences around the world. Due to the highly anonymous character of the Web and most online forums, online extremists can cast off the inhibitions which come with being personally linked to oneï¿½s words. Material which one would hesitate to seek out, order, or posses in the

real world for fear of public exposure can be anonymously accessed in cyberspace. Through email, extremists who meet in online forums may continue their correspondences in private, using cryptography to ensure security if so desired. And extremists can use email to anonymously threaten specific individuals.3

A Web of Hate

Today on the Internet, an astounding array of extremist positions find expression. In 1996, the Anti-Defamation League (ADL) published ï¿½The Major Vehicles and Voices on Americaï¿½s Far-Right Fringeï¿½ an extensive catalog of real world extremist groups and individuals.4 By 1997, almost half of the individuals and groups listed in the report had established themselves on the Internet.5 Considering the extent of online extremism led the ADL in 1997 to identify the presence of a ï¿½Web of Hateï¿½:

Well-known bigots and hate groups and publications the Ku Klux Klan, The Spotlight (house organ of Willis Cartoï¿½s Liberty Lobby, the largest anti-Semitic propaganda organization in the United States), incendiary neo-Nazi William Pierce and his National Alliance, as well as David Duke, probably Americaï¿½s best-known and most politically active racist are active on the Web. Holocaust deniers, peddling anti-Semitism through pseudo-history ... have been particularly eager to embrace this new technology. ... Militias, ï¿½common law courtï¿½ activists, modern-day secessionists ... are also using the Internet. Add to that a number of neo-Nazi skinhead and white-power music sites, Web pages operated by Identity ï¿½churches,ï¿½ those hate groups masquerading as religions, as well as a number of independent haters located in the U.S. and countries around the world, and what emerges is a Web of Hate, a nexus of extremist propaganda that pollutes the social and political environment.6
The summary of the extremist presence on the Internet given here is extensive but by no means complete. Types of extremism the ADL fails to touch on include the hatred of gays and various religious groups. As exploring all parts of the Web of Hate in any detail would be infeasible, three particular areas (which overlap to varying degrees) will be considered in what follows: those occupied by white supremacists, Holocaust deniers, and anti-government groups.

White Supremacists

White supremacists have established a very substantial presence on the Internet. In 1995 Don Black, a former leader of the KKK, created Stormfront, the first major white supremacist website.7 Today, many other racist sites not too dissimilar from Stormfront exist. Hence, Stormfront may be examined to reveal the nature of the large class of sites to which it belongs.
Stormfront includes a library of articles espousing social, political, and historical views consistent with the siteï¿½s general themes of hate and bigotry. The library includes such titles as: ï¿½White Power: Weï¿½ve Got It,ï¿½ ï¿½Equality: Manï¿½s Most Dangerous Myth,ï¿½ ï¿½Destructive Immigration,ï¿½ and ï¿½What World Famous Men Said About the Jews.ï¿½ In addition to this extensive collection of racist propaganda, Stormfront contains discussion forums with titles such as ï¿½Strategies and Tacticsï¿½ and ï¿½White Activists,ï¿½ facilities for joining Stormfrontï¿½s mailing lists, a calendar of upcoming events for ï¿½white patriots,ï¿½ a collection of white supremacist graphics, and an archive of audio and video

clips of public addresses made by well known racists. Additionally, the site includes an extensive list of links to hate-related sites and pointers to hate-related Usenet newsgroups such as alt.politics.nationalism.white and alt.skinheads. Stormfront also links to the websites of organizations from ï¿½The Other Side.ï¿½ Among these is a link to the Anti-Defamation League, which is characterized as ï¿½the oldest organization fighting to suppress facts harmful to ï¿½Jewish Interests.ï¿½ï¿½ In sum, the Stormfront site is suggestive of the incredible depth and breadth of white supremacy online.

Holocaust Deniers

One current extremist movement closely linked to white supremacism is Holocaust denial. Holocaust deniers claim that the accepted historical account of the Holocaust is false or inaccurate, a myth propagated by the Jews; they claim, in particular, that millions of Jews were not systematically exterminated by the Nazis. Today on the Web, numerous sites can be found containing propaganda pieces posing as historical analyses which invoke falsehoods, distortions, and fallacious logic in arguing for the Holocaust denierï¿½s story. The response to the questions ï¿½What about Auschwitz? Is there any proof that gas chambers were used to kill people there?ï¿½ found in ï¿½66 Questions and Answers on the Holocaustï¿½ from the Institute for Historical Reviewï¿½s website typifies the language of Holocaust denial:

No. Auschwitz, captured by the Soviets, was modified after the war, and a room was reconstructed to look like a large ï¿½gas chamber.ï¿½ After Americaï¿½s leading expert on gas chamber construction and design, Fred Leuchter, examined this and other alleged Auschwitz gassing facilities, he stated that it was an ï¿½absurdityï¿½ to claim that they were, or could have been, used for mass executions.8

The most overt danger of Holocaust denial on the Internet is the possibility that people might be deceived by the air of historical authority conveyed by revisionist propaganda found online and led to wholly or partially accept its claims. And, of course, Holocaust denial has anti-Semitic overtones offensive regardless of the extent to which the story of denial is believed. As the ADL writes, ï¿½...the Holocaust deniersï¿½ propaganda insinuates subtle but hateful anti-Semitic beliefs about Jews as exploiters of non-Jewish guilt, and as controllers of academia or the media.ï¿½9

In response to the emergence of Holocaust denial on the Internet, a number of sites have been created which give genuine historical accounts of the Holocaust and explicitly refute claims of the deniers. The Nizkor Project, for example, contains extensive documentation and analysis of the real facts of the Holocaust, direct refutation of holocaust denial, including the correct answers to the Institute for Historical Reviewï¿½s ï¿½66 Questions,ï¿½ and an exposition of the methods and tactics of denial.10 Another site dedicated to telling the real story of the Holocaust is the Holocaust History Project.11 In addition to numerous essays about the Holocaust, the site contains pictures and translations of primary documents from the Holocaust.

Anti-Government Groups

Anti-government ï¿½militiaï¿½ groups represent another form of extremism common to the Internet. Such groups often espouse elaborate theories of governmental

corruption, conspiracy, and crimes against the people, and anticipate the need for armed conflict with the forces of a government bent on depriving the American citizenry of freedom and constitutional rights. A passage from the ï¿½Militia Declarationï¿½ of the Minuteman Pressï¿½ website exemplifies anti-government rhetoric found online:

Should any Citizen be injured, or suffer loss of life, now or in the future, by unlawful authority, and/or without due process, or if any action is taken against any signer, their families, or any supporter of this Declaration, it will be considered an act of war against the Citizens of all States. We will then no longer restrain our brethren form the use of whatever force is necessary to eliminate the threat of unlawful federal enforcement authority.12
Not surprisingly, anti-government websites commonly reveal a particular interest in guns, explosives, and military tactics. The website of the Montana Unorganized Militias is a case in point.13 The site contains recommendations for the acquisition of firearms and munitions, instructions for fortifying the defenses of oneï¿½s house, links to suppliers of military equipment, and information about tactical warfare strategy. And, perhaps most disturbingly, the site has a list of ï¿½Lethal Linksï¿½ to pages which give detailed bomb-making instructions.

Email and Newsgroup Hate

Thus far we have primarily considered expressions of extremism conveyed through websites. One notable feature of extremism on the Web is that, by and large, one must do something special, whether that is typing in a known URL, clicking on a series of links, or using a search engine, to come into contact with it. Unsolicited extremist email, on the other hand, can be thrust upon an unsuspecting recipient who did nothing to seek it out.14
In one incident reported by the ADL, ï¿½58 students at the University of California at Irvine, mostly Asian-Americans, received an E-mail demanding that they leave the campus or, the writer warned, ï¿½I personally will make it my life career to find and kill everyone (sic) of you personally.ï¿½ï¿½15 Other email attacks have targeted far more recipients. For example, in the ï¿½Crusader Spamï¿½ attack of 1995, thousands of mailing list subscribers received anti-Semitic email messages just prior to Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.16
It is sometimes possible to track down the perpetrators of email hate. For example, one Richard Machado was implicated in the incident at Irvine and charged with the commission of a hate crime.17 Technically savvy hatemailers, however, can escape detection through such techniques as forging email headers and using anonymous remailers. Despite efforts to find an electronic trail to the source of the Crusader Spam, the culprit in that case was never identified.18
Extremist propaganda attacks are also commonly directed at Usenet newsgroups and other online forums. By posting messages to newsgroups, messages of hate can be inflicted on a worldwide audience. Even if users refuse to read the body of such posts, the subject headers, often filled with racist slurs and typed in capital letters, cannot be ignored. As in the case of email, the extremist spammer can employ technical tricks to avoid being tracked down.

Freedom of Speech Issues

Much of the material distributed on the Internet by haters and other extremists would no doubt strike most people as utterly offensive, abhorrent, and despicable. Material admitting to the application of such descriptors, however, has nevertheless enjoyed the protection of the First Amendment. According to legal precedent, the First Amendment prohibits, with certain important exceptions, the suppression of speech based on its content. The absolute repugnance of the content of the speech in question has not been found to constitute an exception. As quoted in the ruling of a federal appellate court in the case of Robert v. Collins, ï¿½ï¿½Under the First Amendment there is no such thing as a false idea. However pernicious an opinion may seem, we depend for its correction not on the conscience of judges and juries but on the competition of other ideas.ï¿½ï¿½19
One notable feature of much extremist speech online is the advocacy of violence or other illegal activity. The question of the protection afforded such speech by the First Amendment was considered by the Supreme Court in Brandenburg v. Ohio. In this case the Court overturned a statute outlawing the advocacy of ï¿½ï¿½the duty, necessity, or propriety of crime, sabotage, violence, or unlawful methods of terrorism as a means of accomplishing industrial or political reform.ï¿½ï¿½20 The statute had been used to prosecute members of the KKK for advocating violence against Blacks and Jews. It was ruled that ï¿½Freedoms of speech and press do not permit a State to forbid advocacy of the use of force or of law violation except where such advocacy is directed to inciting or producing imminent lawless action and is likely to incite or produce such action.ï¿½21 Given this decision, most of the advocacy of unlawful acts propagated by extremists on the Internet receives First Amendment protection. Of course, the fact that certain types of extremist speech are not protected by the First Amendment should not be neglected. Speech which meets the ï¿½imminent lawless actionï¿½ criteria of Brandenburg v. Ohio, though relatively rare, may be silenced by the courts. And, as in the case of the Nuremberg Files and the sending of death threats through email at the University of California at Irvine, threatening speech may be unlawful as well. See our legal analysis of the Nuremberg Files for a further discussion of ï¿½true threats.ï¿½

Mechanisms of Opposition

Given that the law imposes relatively few restrictions on extremist speech in cyberspace, the question arises of what non-legal mechanisms of opposition exist. One such mechanism is the regulation of content by Internet Service Providers, discussed in the next section. Additionally, parentsï¿½ may regulate their childrenï¿½s exposure to online extremism through the use of filtering software. A number of products are currently on the market which may be used to block access to sites and newsgroups with offensive or inappropriate content. Among these is the ADLï¿½s HateFilter which forbids access to sites which preach hate and directs users who attempt to access such sites to educational material on the nature of hate. Perhaps the most powerful means of opposing the influence of extremism online is the proliferation of information over the Internet which raises awareness about the tactics of online extremists and refutes their fallacious claims. The sites mentioned above dedicated to setting the record straight about the Holocaust epitomize this tactic. Whatever the case may be, it is clear that extremist groups have discovered and taken advantage of the opportunities provided by online media, and for the time being at least, are here to stay.

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4982. Re: THE GENIUS OF A PEOPLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13099-3749A995-76@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141822

I think that if your not a Native American, ie American Indian...you should return to the land of your Ancestors!!

4983. Re: UPPA URS,LLOYD!<donk>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13101-3749AC74-38@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141823

What you mean "we" <Irish/German> you got a Mouse in your pocket?

4984. Re: wanted <George>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13099-3749B0EB-83@newsd-123.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141824

STFU George. Nobody wants to hear your line of crap!! Nobody gives a damn, but you Barffies! Just as nobody cares that you Qrm'ed for 2 years on 20 mtrs, identified only as "Polly"!!

4985. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3748C3BA.4109EB0E@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> Make up your mind, Cecil. We'll gladly delete the skill test for
> V/UHF, if that's the region you're referring to in your earlier post.

To refresh your memory, Jeff, I said CW is the third most popular
mode in ham radio. You said, no, it's the second most popular mode
on HF. That's true but I said nothing about HF. Both of our statements
are true. There is no argument.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4986. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523231528.23174.00004614@ng-cm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141826

>As a general class, I have no reason to me (other than the honor) to go =
>through the
>hell to become an advanced or Extra for the little freq's and extra =
>rights offered.

Yeah, dude, like why try fer the Advanced Class, man. You have to learn all
that grotty electronics stuff! Whew, and formulas, it really sucks!

4987. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3748C445.B7852DDB@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim Wayda wrote:
> Sorry to tell ya but the majority of Hams are no code techs.

Nope, techs plus tech+'s plus novices are a majority.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

4988. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iah7f$gaj@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

BungHole wrote:
> I'm not a HAM yet but with this cliquish, elitist attitude going
>around between old HAM's I'm losing interest very quickly.

Your choice of screen-name leads me to believe you won't be missed...

Jeff KH6O

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of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4989. Re: LLOYD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523235658.20836.00004902@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141829

N0VFP writes:
>As always you age old Jew, always skirting the issues....

I don't quite understand what THIS is about, but Lloyd, someone's "faith" or "race" shouldn't come to play in any issue - should it?
Your better than that aren't you?

>You know that INTERCON has no right to exist. The net has been taking money
>from AT&T and the other global wireless comapnies for years

I doubt AT&T will miss a few bucks. Intercon, whatever that is, doesn't have a right to exist but AT&T does? I don't get it, and won't get involved in this issue anymore. It just seemed outa character for you Lloyd to be using racial slurs.

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

4990. Re: RSGB & UK Radio Authority agree on license class with full HF access with only 5 wpm Morse test!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iaj1h$hvc@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Carl R. Stevenson <wa6vse@fast.net> wrote:
>A new class of licence, to be known as the A/B licence,
>and which will use the callsign series M5xxx, is to be
>introduced in the early autumn. This will provide
>access to all amateur bands, on passing the Radio
>Amateurs Examination and a 5 words per minute Morse
>test. 100 Watts PEP output will be allowed on the bands
>below 30MHz (the HF bands); and 400 Watts PEP output
>above.

Cool! We'll have a front-row seat in which to view the trashing of
the UK HF bands. That will lead to even stronger support for keeping
the current code requirements here in the US.
Jeff KH6O

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classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4991. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iaj4c$i1q@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <3748BCD1.3E13F5E9@home.com>, Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com> wrote:
>Sorry to tell ya but the majority of Hams are no code techs.

Not on HF.
Jeff KH6O

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of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

4992. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748CFB5.79FA@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W1PEV wrote:
>
> >
> > blah, blah, blah, drivel --snipped--
> >
>
> Let me attempt to set you straight. About 2 months ago a firefighter came to
> me and said that he thought that there was a CBer running an illegal linear
> near a local fire-station. The harmonic interference was causing a major
> disruption with both the rescue and the fire departments two way
> communications. After some investigation I found that there were no local
> ordinances or state laws prohibiting radio interference and the enforcement
> of which is solely placed on the FCC (AKA guys like Riley Hollingsworth).
>
> Now you tell me, if your kid is lying in the middle of the street after
> being hit by a car, wouldn't you want the rescue to be able to freely
> communicate with the dispatcher at the fire dept without being interfered
> with by some radio operator whether it be a Ham or a CBer? This is just one
> of the countless reasons why we need people like Riley Hollingsworth and his
> dedicated and undermanned staff.
>
> It is for reasons like this that a Riley Hollingsworth or any other FCC
> enforcement officer is worth their weight in gold. A
> bureaucrat.....I DONT THINK SO!

Hello
Well what you have stated above is the hole reason there is a FCC in the
first place. That is why we have RULES! That is why we have frequency
allocations and that is why we have frequency standards, tolorances and
so on and so on. That is also why they need to be enforced. See what the
root of the whole problem is the FCC hasn't been enforcing the rules up
until just recently. This practice has been going on for five or six
years now. I think that is why the amateur radio problem has gotton to
be this big. CB radio has gotton even worse. It also is why when certain
people have gotton caught they where let go with a warning, and a
reminder that the feds are back. I assume that things on amateur radio
will get better and some heads will roll! As far as content of QSO's
well I beleive in freedom of expression to a point. We all have to be
reminded to have respect for women and children, and I think that WE all
have for gotton this. With equal rights and other things as good reason
why. We all have free speech and we all need to keep that right but we
also must remember the resonsablity that that right carries. So no we
can't yell fire in a full movie theater, No we can't stand on the street

corner and yell nasty words. But we should have the right to exchange ideals via ham radio. Where do we draw the line? Paul Segal W9EEA wrote a interesting Amateur code in 1928. When I first got involed with the internet in 1995 I noticed that there where allot of Amateur radio related web sights but non of them had posted the Amateur Radio code. To me that seemed to be a problem with the moral fabrick of the service. I have heard guys tell guys with weak signals to get a amp and "if they could not afford the hobbie then stay off the radio". What kind of crap is that? That could be some 12 yr old kid that just built his first transmitter and he is only putting out a couple of watts or worst yet some guy calling for help on a broken car antenna, wrecked in a ditch some where. So this is why we need to enforcment of part97 as well as the rest of the communications act. I also think in the exame, what ever level, there should be some questions on the amateurs' code. This is why we need to have guys like Riley Hollingsworth that will in force the rules! I just hope he enforces the rules with a open mind. Content should only be a subject for enforcing the rules when the subject matter or language is offensive. Community stantards would be the judge of that. Politics shouldn't be discussed BUT I think that should be left alone as far as the FCC is concerned. That goes double for religon. I also found it interesting to be able to ask ones opinion on a topic. I have to remeber my responsablity in asking such questions is that he might not agree with me so I still have to remember to respect that. Not easy is it? This free speech stuff is not as easy as youguys make it out to be, now is it? There are a whole lot of responsabilties tha come with free speech and I think we all forget that at times. So I think that we all need to give this thing more time. Time takes time! Don't quit before the mirical happens. Who knows we might had a good service after all or we all might end up off the air.
Thats just my opinion I could be wrong!
73 from
Oris
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4993. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748D668.67FC@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141833
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

David Walker wrote:
>
> Yeah but the problem is it stays in your urine for quite a while. And
> all Armed Forces are now doing hairtests, It stays in your hair 4 your
> whole life. Providing you have done enough!
>
> Kjole wrote:
> >
> > In article <3740B4E5.5FC050FC@prvnet.com>, mao2 <mao2@prvnet.com> wrote:
> >
> > > I sincerely believe that is bullshit. I have a friend who
> > > has smoked A LOT of it for a very long time and he
> > > has an incredible head of hair. Come to thing of it
> > > I have another friend who smokes quite a bit of it
> > > and he has all of his hair. Hey.... I seem to know a lot
> > > of people who smoke pot.
> >
> > everyone that i know who smokes pot, has alot of hair...
> > All the guys that i see walking out of the healthfood store jogging with
> > their vitamins and beansprouts seem to be bald and sickly looking...
> > I think Bob Dylan said it best : Everybody must get stoned...
> >
> > Tinky winky
HMMMM
I would say that is unreasable search.Piss tests and hair samples are
unreasonable search. I just love how the war on drugs has destroyed the
bill of rights and the constitution. Lets see we have road blocks now so
that says we are all gulity till we stop and prove were innocent. Thank
you war on drugs. Lets see here if four or five of us are grouped
together and we have on the same cloths we can be arrested under the
Rico act, HMMMMM right to assembly down the tubes. Thank you war on
drugs.
All this gun control because the states say we can't spank are kids so
they really don't know right from wrong and they do something stupid
because they don't know anybetter because the state said we can't spank
our kids. They blame this on the aviablity of guns. In 1969 you could
have a gun mailed to you. When I did something wrong my dad spanked my
butt. Since all the gun control crime has gotton worse. They are working
no more guns. The right to bare arms GONE? Lets see here on ham radio
we aren't suppose to even talk about this, so there goes freedom of
speech. HMMMM My kid can't say a prayer in a public school because of
this separation of church and state so there goes her freedom of
religon. I would say that the so called war on drugs and the so called

bite out of crime has allowed the drug dealers and criminals to win! I mean we have no more freedoms because of all the new laws. It has changed this sociaty. So they win! Well I beleive that it will not be long before they start attacking freedom of the press. I mean the press appears to want a change to the bill of rights they say that its old and doesn't work anymore. The politcians want to go after these bomb web sights. First they tried to get porn and the supreme court said no so now they are going after the bomb web sights for the same purpose. So they can control the web. I love this one all to save lives. I read a post from a guy in here and I have never heard or seen it before and I'm thinking about adding it to my web sight. Ben Frankin has been quoted in saying that "They that can give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety, deserve neither liberty nor safety."
Think about it.

Thats just my opinion I could be wrong!
Oris
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4994. Re: INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748D73B.4126@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141834

KK7HO wrote:
>
> >From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
>
> >If the Liberty Net has to justify it
> >existance on 3950, then
>
> Are you taking up for them??
>
> >seeing that phone pacthes can be done by AT&T wireless.
>
> I have never heard the "intercon net" but I have also never heard AT&T on ham
> radio offer up a phone patch either. Now I have heard the "So Called" liberty
> Nit - what do they have to offer???
> >humm?
> >
>
> CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
> http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2
Its funny people always remember the bad but they never remember the
good.
73 from Oris
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4995. Re: UPPA URS,LLOYD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748D8EC.703@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141835

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> LADIES AND GENTS...HERE'S A REPLY FROM SOMEONE TRYING TO PASS HIMSELF OFF AS A
> NON-BIASED PERSON. THIS PROVES HE'S NOTHING BUT WHITE TRASH AND A LOWLIFE. I
> GIVE YOU THE ONE AND ONLY CODE-FREE TECH MEATHEAD, THE ATHENS ALABAMA
> ABOMINATION, LLOYD DAVIES,N0VFP.....><<<AND THE
> BEST THING YOU CAN DO, YOU IGNORAMUS, IS TO LEARN HOW TO SPELL
> >EXISTENCE. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>
>
> As always you age old Jew, always skirting the issues....
>
> You know that INTERCON has no right to exist. The net has been taking money
> from AT&T and the other global wireless comapnies for years, It's only when
> KV4FZ tried to put a stop to it that you cried "Anti-Semite" and so forth, Doc
> , you are a big zero!!
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
Doc
In all your posts you seem to allways call people names. Nothing very
nice names I might add. Why is that? I call people names but not
everyone. Whats the deal there? Do you allways have to attack people on
such a personnel level. Ever since you have come into this group you
call everybody some kind of not to nice name. Doc I think you need help
I truly do. What is going to happen when you have no more crosses to
bare? Heck your Jewish you not supposed to have any crosses to bare. I
would think by not having a savior for lack of better terms I would be a
little more nice. Wouldn't you think so?
Just a thought
73 from Oris
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4996. Re: THE GENIUS OF A PEOPLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748DA58.508D@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141836

Radiosigs
Just be glad that the Unites States of America isn't on that list. I would hate to lived in those times and places. I think instead of going after this junk you should be greatful that you live in time of grace. Now look at what contry you live in I have to ask you Doc are you jewish first or a American first. Then I want you to truly look at the Genius of a people. Look at American sociaty then talk about Genius people. This in all its mistakes is still the best place in the world to live. Doc I do beleive you are living in the promised land. So why don't you show a little tolerance.
73 from Oris
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4997. Re: This NG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748DA77.34FA@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141837

Marv Luse wrote:
>
> I think this NG needs to be fumigated. Somebody call Orkin.
>
> 73,
>
> Marv
> AB0IO
Don't like it leave!
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4998. Re: YOU FAGGOTS NEED TO GO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748DB33.4D45@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141838

Cyba Nonymous wrote:
>
> All of you 3950 and 3894.5 faggots need to hit the road. That also
> goes for all the 14.300 and 314 assholes. You people are nothing but white
> trash. Get lost.
Well you forgot
3.901 27.355 27.185 28.440 14.268? 3.868 3.945 3.915 daytime lets see
here 14.310 7.248 7.251 3.885 7.290 did I forget anyone?
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4999. Re: Think that gun owners have it bad, Federal agents arrest Scanner Hobbyist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3748DD55.59A0@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.law-enforcement,alt.politics.clinton

Greg Dean wrote:
>
> Bill Cheek and Keith Knipschild Arrested
>
> April 2, 1999
>
> John T. Ward posted an article on USENET about the following article
> which appeared in
> the Friday, April 2 issue of NY Newsday newspaper, page A31.
>
> Feds: Man Eavesdropped on Police / Agents say he posted cops' info
> on Web site
>
> By Hugo Kugiya. STAFF WRITER
>
> The U.S. Secret Service and Nassau County police arrested an
> unemployed electronics
> enthusiast from Kings Park after he intentionally intercepted
> communication sent and
> received by the mobile data terminals installed in police cruisers,
> federal agents said.
>
> Keith Knipschild, a former NYNEX employee, was arrested
> Wednesday in his home at 29
> Amapola Lane for intercepting information and posting some of it on
> his Web site, http://www.knip.com, agents said. Police use
> mobile data terminals to check for outstanding warrants, review
> driving records and to send emergency information they might not want to
> broadcast across police scanners, such as details of an ongoing
> surveillance or a planned
> search.
>
> An affidavit from a federal agent found that Knipschild's Web
> site had 93 pages of
> police transmissions from March 12, which included criminal
> histories and warrants,
> motor-vehicle checks, medical information about victims, and
> witness statements. Nassau
> police confirmed the information was transmitted by police on that
> day. Investigators say
> a confidential source led them to Knipschild, who could not be

> reached for comment yesterday.
>
> Federal investigators said three satellite dishes, ranging in
> size from 18 inches to
> 12 feet in diameter, as well as a 40-foot radio tower were
> discovered on Knipschild's property. Calls to federal authorities
> seeking comment were not returned yesterday. Details about the
> disposition of the case were not available.
>
> Federal documents indicate Knipschild's Web site includes
> information of interest to
> electronic enthusiasts, with links to Web sites about scanners,
> satellites and dishes, and
> amateur radio.
>
> Federal investigators said Knipschild used an illegal
> electronic device to intercept police
> communications. In a related case, the Secret Service have arrested
> a San Diego couple, Bill and
> Cindy Cheek, on a New York warrant charging they sold such illegal
> devices on the Internet to
> intercept police communications. The Secret Service said one of its
> undercover agents purchased
> a device from the Cheeks, who shipped it to New York. Details were
> not readily available
> yesterday.
>
> Mobile data terminals send and receive information by radio
> frequencies, which are
> encoded into a digital or binary format, one that is not available
> to the public. Furthermore,
> these terminals are password-protected.
>
> http://www.strongsignals.net/htm/newsflsh.htm
If he is all this trouble why is his web site still up? How come the
feds ain't shut it down? So the guy is in trouble for posting all this
informantion on his web sight but yet the sight is still up. WHAT DOES
THAT SAY ABOUT OUR GOVERNMENT?
I don't know
73 from Oris
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5000. Re: yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <3748E258.4F4E57B2@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 141840

The FT-50, Works well on 2 Meter, 220MHz, 443Mhz, and will TX in Aircraft AM if need be.....Mine is fine, Just like ALL the YAESU equipment here, Wish I could say the same about the "Others".....73
Spamfree wrote:

> Shaun <amr@radiolink.net> wrote in message
> news:3743A337.CEC07EF5@radiolink.net...
> > Can the yeasu FT-50R still be modified for Free band.
> > I have done the hardware mods but the radio wont change to free band.
> > can any one help.. Thanks
>
> From what I understand, Yaesu complied with a federal mandate to make the
> radios not to easy to modify: the most recent batch had no quick and easy
> way (if any mod existed at all) to be modified for illegal transmissions.

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***

5001. Wanted: VHF repeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jarrod Boehme <jboehme@pdq.net>
Message-ID: <4E523.550$733.20521@typ11.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Small town Volunteer Fire and EMS looking for a VHF repeater. Old communications tower moved further away forcing us to look for solutions. As our budget is small to none, any donations of equipment would be appreciated and subject to tax write off. All other offers are welcome. Thanks.

5002. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3748E4E0.DEAA4A8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dungboy/Rich/OTK/-

The people that know me, know what kind of man I am.

And the people here know what kind of man you are, too.

Dave AB5S

5003. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: removals1@iname.com
Message-ID: <3748e4d0.42522914@news>
Source record: 141843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Sun, 23 May 1999 03:25:34 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Bill Conduit-
>
>Why is it that you are unable to present any FACTS to support your
>cause & have to resort to school yard type ridicule?

Pot. Kettle. Black.

5004. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: JJ <jj@no.net>
Message-ID: <3748E187.2986@no.net>
Source record: 141844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Henry Knouse wrote:
>
> >
> >Another ditto, I hope he prosecutes all of them and sticks them so far
> >back you have to pipe sunshine to them.
>
> Another conservative. Conservatives use profanity and nasty mean
> speech whenever they are out of ideas (people such as yourself).

Uh? Who are your responding to? Where did I use profanity and nasty mean
speech.

> A question on the General Class exam in 1961 was what was the penalty
> for violating Amateur radio laws, the answer was 5 years in the
> federal clink and $10,000 fine.
> I hope that a million Hollingsworths come about to rid the ham bands
> of trash, such as yourself.

I agree, I hope he puts them all away, now why am I trash?

5005. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <3748FF3A.C5BF46A6@usa.net>
Source record: 141845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> if bill ever has to ask for assistance
> for his legal defense fund, all he has
> to do is ask. I'll be the first to get
> him what I can. and i'll bet hundreds
> of NGers and more will too.

The facts of the NG "rec.radio.scanner" prove you wrong!!! I
suggesteda legal defense be started for him & VERY FEW people
responded. Then
another person started a legal defense fund & AGAIN very few responded.
BTW - If you read Bill's letters he HAS asked for contributions & has
stated that he
is having to resort to a public defender becasue he has no money to
defend himself!

> try asking people to help you with
> money for your defense fund.

I have done NOTHING that needs a defense & if I had I
have the resources to defend myself!

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5006. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <3748FFE9.363FD8ED@usa.net>
Source record: 141846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

How correct youare Shiva, Bill Conduit often does the pot-kettle-black routine.

How pathetic he is.

Shiva Nataraja wrote:

> On Sun, 23 May 1999 03:25:34 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:
>
> >Bill Conduit-
> SNIP
>
> Pot. Kettle. Black.

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5007. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <37490257.A52D6802@usa.net>
Source record: 141847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Bud (the original) wrote:

>MAckey LOVES to lie, in fact it's a complusion with him. He KNOWs, from

Bud, please present your proof that I have lied or be considered a liar YOURSELF!

>reading the newsgroups, that all the equipment that was seized, except for
>one computer, was returned shortly after the arrest. He also knows that

I NEVER said equipment wasn't returned!!! I simply the fact that much equipment
had been seized. I clearly stated the facts! Are you trying to "color" the facts?

>there are NO State charges filed, and no evidence that there ever will be,

I NEVER said that state charges were filed, only that state charges MAY be filed.
Now you have stated (regarding the filing of state charges) "no evidence that there

ever will be", please present your proof of this statement or are you just
SPECULATING
with NO SUPPORTING facts???

>as the Federal charges will probably be dropped before any trial, due to the
>law saying you CAN listen to any Law Enforcement or Government freqs that
>aren't scrambled, and digital encoding is NOT encryption.

He wasn't arrested for "listening". He was arrested for selling equipment
specifically for monitoring law enforcement communications.

Please Bud, in the future be factual & accurate with your statements rather than
procuding your own version of the truth.

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5008. BLAKE BOWERS LIES AGAIN!!!!! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA? Or is it really John Mackey selling licenses?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <37490421.3EDE1FF0@usa.net>
Source record: 141848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters,misc.emerg-services

Blake Bowers wrote:

> Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying

SNIP

A search of yahoo & dejanews shows NO such internet reports as you claim.

That's pretty funny Blake!!!! My mother died 6 years ago!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Once again, BLAKE BOWERS, you have proven your self to be a liar!!!!!

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5009. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: davidq@NOSPAMpost.almac.co.uk
Message-ID: <374eff20.226942412@news.almac.co.uk>
Source record: 141849
Cross-posted to: alt.baldspot,alt.baldspot,alt.wedding,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.telecom

On Sun, 23 May 1999 22:46:30 +0100, David Walker
<dwalker@interalpha.co.uk> wrote:

>Yeah but the problem is it stays in your urine for quite a while. And
>all Armed Forces are now doing hairtests, It stays in your hair 4 your
>whole life. Providing you have done enough!
Which is apparently the reason why so many prisoners:-
a) Shave their heads
b) Take harder drugs as their first choice....
--
I'm currently reading:
<http://www.amazon.co.uk/exec/obidos/ASIN/0002191199/bizorginternetse>
FREE Personal Numbers: 0709 119 1500
<http://www.ThisBritain.com/personalnos.htm>

5010. Glenn Hansen lies again!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <37490545.E2F32B86@usa.net>
Source record: 141850
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,rec.radio.swap

Glenn wrote:

> Found this on the net today......

> Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying

SNIP

> Anybody know about this?
>
> I know John has made many false claims about many things but do you believe

SNIP

> John has lied on the net about his license status and other things but

SNIP

So Glenn WHEN have I lied about ANY of the issues you mention & what proof do
you have that I lied???

A search of yahoo & dejanews shows NO such internet reports as you claim.

That's pretty funny!!!! My mother died 6 years ago!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Once again you have proven your self to be a liar!!!!!

Did you ever find the young gay amateurs you were looking for to practice
you homo acts on???

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5011. Tesla Earthquakes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Sergeant <a.sergeant@student.murdoch.edu.au>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.3.94.990524155852.1056A-100000@student.murdoch.edu.au>
Source record: 141851

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======================================================================
"There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than
are dreamt of in your philosophy."
Shakespeare's Hamlet
======================================================================

Once i read a biography on Tesla and his work and stumbled upon an acount
of strange earthquakes that were connected (anocdotally) to some
experiment that he was working on. After reading about this i locked it
away in the laberinth of my mind. Years passed by and then more
information trickled in about teslas "earthquake machine". I worked hard
on my physics degree and a simple question about gravity became a
trigger. I recalled what little i knew about tesla and his work on
gravity. Now i seek more information on what went on here.
Any information will help!!

Please send replies directly to me at:
a.sergeant@student.murdoch.edu.au
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5012. Carribbean pirates ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Mike Perry <pa3asc@xs4all.nl>
Message-ID: <37498E7D.3F78@xs4all.nl>
Source record: 141852

Gang,
A few days ago I received a phone call
from a stranger in the locality (i.e. PA-land)
who asked my advice about how to install an
amateur hf transciever in his yacht, anchored
in the Carribean. He told me that he wanted to
use the radio to keep in touch with friends.
He also told me he had no amateur radio
licence, but went on to say that it did not
matter, because 'it was allowed in America'.
I was very surprised to say the least.
Can anyone stateside tell me if there
is a widespread, uncontrolled, abuse of the
amateur radio bands in Region 2 by unlicensed
yachtsmen?
Best 72/73
--
Mike Perry, PA7XG
<pa3asc@xs4all.nl>

5013. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ib1f0$84c@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <3748FF3A.C5BF46A6@usa.net> jmackey@usa.net writes:
>

>I have done NOTHING that needs a defense & if I had I
>have the resources to defend myself!
>
you were born and somehow
survived. that is the crime.

bill conduit
etc

and that bullshit you just
spewed out about defense fund
with bill is pure rewritten
lies...you have really a talent
for obfuscating truth.

people, really read this
fecal-lunacy's reply to
the Cheek issue: how he
was so great and now he
is the answer to the
problem with the Cheek
thing

bill conduit
etc.

>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>
it
etc.

5014. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ib3ht$22m@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Junky The Waffle Iron wrote:
>Drop the code

It's the second-most used mode.
You're going to grow old,
Before we let you on without the code.

Jeff "If the code doesn't fit, then you must acquit" KH6pOet =:o

--
Fingerprint Classification Services: Your own personal copy of
your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

5015. Re: yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <7ib8vu$93k$8@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 141855

Jeffrey M. Swiger (N8NOE@Ameritech.Net) wrote:

: The FT-50, Works well on 2 Meter, 220MHz, 443Mhz, and will TX in Aircraft AM
: if need be.....Mine is fine, Just like ALL the YAESU equipment here, Wish
: I could say the same about the "Others".....73
: Spamfree wrote:

: > Shaun <amr@radiolink.net> wrote in message
: > news:3743A337.CEC07EF5@radiolink.net...
: > > Can the yeasu FT-50R still be modified for Free band.
: > > I have done the hardware mods but the radio wont change to free band.
: > > can any one help.. Thanks
: >
: > From what I understand, Yaesu complied with a federal mandate to make the
: > radios not to easy to modify: the most recent batch had no quick and easy
: > way (if any mod existed at all) to be modified for illegal transmissions.

: --
: " What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
: Jeffrey M. Swiger
: *** N8NOE ***

I don't know about YOUR FT-50 but I've never seen one that will TX in AM
in the air band(or anywhere else, for that matter).
It will RX in AM though.

5016. Re: BLAKE BOWERS LIES AGAIN!!!!! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA? Or is it really John Mackey selling licenses?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Carey Gregory <cgregory@gw-tech.com>
Message-ID: <37492672.D4BC1B0F@gw-tech.com>
Source record: 141856
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters

Who the hell is John Mackey? Who gives a shit?

Now, you boys run along and play and quit cross-posting your little pissing
match to misc.emerg-services.

--

jmackey@usa.net wrote:
>
> Blake Bowers wrote:
>
> > Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> > John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> > against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
>
> SNIP
>
> A search of yahoo & dejanews shows NO such internet reports as you claim.
>
> That's pretty funny Blake!!!! My mother died 6 years ago!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
> Once again, BLAKE BOWERS, you have proven your self to be a liar!!!!!
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5017. Pointer to Ham Radio FAQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: wd1v@amsat.org
Message-ID: <wd1v-2405990627020001@wdonev.ne.mediaone.net>
Source record: 141857

The Amateur Radio Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) List, formerly maintained by Diana Carlson, KC1SP and Ian Kluft, KO6YQ, has recently been resurrected by John Seney, WD1V. The majority of the original content of the FAQ remains the same, but now it's a hypertext document with thousands of links to radio-related sites and is a significant resource to all students of amateur radio - regardless of their license status. It may be accessed as a WWW Page:

http://people.ne.mediaone.net/wd1v

Please direct any submissions, feedback, or administrivia regarding the FAQ to wd1v@amsat.org

5018. SO LONG,SUBVERSIVES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524072519.11361.00002640@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141858

For those of you not ARRL Members, here's the latest off the pages on their WEB EXTRA. This one marks the beginning of the end for Victor the Miser and his band of crazed anti-American animals.
Happy reading.....Doc,AF2Y
HUDSON, NH: The FCC has asked a net control station of the Liberty Net on 3950 kHz to justify the net's use of Amateur Radio frequencies. Via Certified Mail May 7 to Extra class licensee Victor A. Misek, W1WCR, FCC Legal Adviser for Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth said monitoring on May 1 indicated that Misek's station and members of the group for which he was acting as net control "began transmitting on top of existing Amateur communications that were already in progress." Hollingsworth said that such operation "is considered deliberate interference and cannot be tolerated on the Amateur frequencies." Hollingsworth pointed out that Congress has authorized the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the qualifications of a licensee or applicant. "We are so far unable to determine how the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service," Hollingsworth wrote. He suggested The Liberty Net explore operation on the Internet or seek a low-power FM broadcast grant if that service is authorized. Hollingsworth reminded Misek that Part 97 "prohibits communications on the Amateur frequencies that, on a regular basis, 'could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services.'" He also pointed out that Part 97 prohibits broadcasting. Hollingsworth invited Misek to contact him to discuss the matter.

5019. Re: YOU FAGGOTS NEED TO GO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: claude@netwoman.rz.unibw-muenchen.de
Message-ID: <3749327b.19139290@news.unibw-muenchen.de>
Source record: 141859

On Mon, 24 May 1999 00:53:07 -0400, Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:

>Cyba Nonymous wrote:
>>
>> All of you 3950 and 3894.5 faggots need to hit the road. That also
>> goes for all the 14.300 and 314 assholes. You people are nothing but white
>> trash. Get lost.
>Well you forgot
> 3.901 27.355 27.185 28.440 14.268? 3.868 3.945 3.915 daytime lets see
>here 14.310 7.248 7.251 3.885 7.290 did I forget anyone?

Thanks for all the Ham Spirit.

Claude Frantz

5020. FS: Kenwood UHF Repeater/Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7ibf42$5a4$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141860
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

Kenwood TKR-820 Desktop Repeater with Internal Cel-Wave Duplexer.
Therepeater is a 2-20 watt commercial unit. The power supply is built in
and also has a 12VDC input for emergency automatic backup power. The
repeater has a CW ID installed. There is also a Full Duplex CS-800
Interconnect/Repeater Controller which is wired to plug into the accessory
plug on the rear of the repeater. Currently the repeater is programmed for
444.500 / 449.500. The repeater can be setup to operate from 8 different
CTCSS or DCS codes (can be mixed). The TKR-820 is type approved for
GMRS, Commercial, and Ham. The repeater is the same size as a Kenwood
TS-850S HF rig. It is about a year and a half old and is currently in
service. I also have 1 new and slightly used (2 months) TK-860 UHF - 32
Channel radios with CTCSS and DCS for sale. I also have a DTMF mic for one
of the TKR-860s. Also have 2 UHF Kenwood TK-350 (With DTMF PAD) and 1 VHF
TK-250 Hand-Helds (160 channel) with new NiMH batteries. All of the
equipment is in good working order and looksnew. I can program the TKR-860
radios to any channel setup required. I will discount for a package sale!
Email NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com for prices on selected or package items. DROP
NO-SPAM from email address!

73, De Anthony, WB5TTY

5021. Re: SO LONG,SUBVERSIVES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7ibfktms1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141861

Normally I do not take the time to read things posted by RADIOSIGS and some of the other "rebels" on this news group. Most of it is "drivel" and unworthy of my time.

This posting is an exception to that. It points out a very threatening ruling made by the FCC and affecting our use Amateur Radio. We all should take close notice of this.

To this point in time, we as Amateurs have had the freedom to chat among one another on just about any subject we wanted. I do not agree with what those on the Liberty Net talk about and because of that I do not tune in that frequency and listen. I can not understand anyone who thinks the way some of them profess to think. I often wonder if it is nothing more than a put on for the attention they lack in their lives. If the FCC has the right to require them to justify their subject matter and use of the frequency then they have the same right to question everyone eleses right also. Can we no longer disagree with what our government is doing and express our opinions on the radio? Can the FCC find no other rule infraction that they have committed?

It might be different if I had to listen to them, but I dont. I can tune somewhere else or turn it off.
I have the same freedom with my TV, Telephone, and short wave receiver.

I am talking about the FCC controlling what we talk about on our radios. Not interference, foul language, bad manners, excessive power, broadcasting, or any other of the many rules that the FCC can enforce if they would. Is the day coming that we will get a OO notice for discussing religion on the radio? We have taken GOD out of our schools and we are now reaping the rewards of that bit of wisdom.
It bothers me that the FCC seems to be acting just on the bases of their subject matter.

So herein lies the problem.... How can a nation give it's citizens the freedom of free speech but keep subversive groups from spreading hate and misinformation with it.

I dont know the answer.... but I do know that we are losing our freedoms little by little because of these groups that use them for the wrong reasons.

William Lee N5WRX

5022. Re: Think that gun owners have it bad, Federal agents arrest Scanner Hobbyist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7ibful$1io$1@nntp9.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141862
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.law-enforcement,alt.politics.clinton

I think the key issue here is that they posted the information on a public
web site.
That is the issue.

William Lee N5WRX

5023. the march, as far as ham radio is concerned

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ibkpr$v1p$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141863

For Pork Butt

Dum Dum di Dum

Dum Dum Dum Dum Dum Di Dum

Adios

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5024. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@stupid.FOOL
Message-ID: <375242c7.241220814@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Sun, 23 May 1999 03:25:34 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Bill Conduit-
>
>Why is it that you are unable to present any FACTS to support your
>cause & have to resort to school yard type ridicule?
>

Look who's talking?!!

The only habitual off-topic poster who skirts life every time HE'S asked to
produce facts!

jonnie - you need help. FOOL!!

5025. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@stupid.FOOL
Message-ID: <37534336.241331600@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Mon, 24 May 1999 07:34:59 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

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>
>Bud (the original) wrote:
>
>>MAckey LOVES to lie, in fact it's a complusion with him. He KNOWs, from
>
>Bud, please present your proof that I have lied or be considered a liar YOURSELF!

You're the one who owes's countless people in the group proof. It goes back
years, you retarded FOOL!!!!

5026. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7ibi8j$q5$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141866
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:37490257.A52D6802@usa.net...
>
>
> Bud (the original) wrote:
>
> >MAckey LOVES to lie, in fact it's a complusion with him. He KNOWs, from
>
> Bud, please present your proof that I have lied or be considered a liar
YOURSELF!
>
>
Looney - Tune, please post the proof that I am Bill Cheek, or be considered
a liar.

POST THE PROOF, Wacky Mackey !

5027. Re: SO LONG,SUBVERSIVES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524091153.18131.00002738@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 141867

<<

Normally I do not take the time to read things posted by RADIOSIGS and some
of the other "rebels" on this news group. Most of it is "drivel" and
unworthy of my time. >>
<<<SIR,THIS IS TO TELL YOU THAT I AM VERY OFFENDED AND HURT BY YOUR CRUDE
STATEMENTS ABOUT MY POSTINGS AND IF THERE'S ANY WAY AT ALL TO GET INTO YOUR
GOOD GRACES,PLEASE LET ME KNOW. THANK YOU AND HAVE A GREAT DAY. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>

5028. KJI taking AF2Y down with him!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <2114-37494CFA-10@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141868

WA9KJI, David Castle of Evansville, IN, who was suspended from HF for two years for jamming 3950 KHz, vows to "take others down with me". Mr. Castle surprised amateurs on 14.313 this past Sunday, as he stated that he was provoked into jamming 3950 by AF2Y and others, who assured him immunity from prosecution. It seems AF2Y assured Mr. Castle that it was OK to jam "Nazi's", and that he would help take care of any backlash. (Remember, Republicans are "Nazi's" according to AF2Y) Mr. Castle is very upset that he is being made "the fall guy".

Several Liberty Net members are discussing the possibility of a deal with Mr. Hollingsworth to get Mr. Castle's suspension reduced or rescinded, if it is proven that their was a conspiracy to jam 3950, and that Mr. Castle was coerced into jamming, and given state-of-the-art radio equipment in order to do the jamming.

State tuned!

Jack.....Of All Trades

5029. Re: SO LONG,SUBVERSIVES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37495462.EC1FFBFD@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141869

I see there are still a few real patriots around
who are willing to risk the "baah"-ings of the common herd.

Bravo, Mr. Lee.
Thank you for your thoughtful post.
73 Dave AB5S

5030. Re: Death of Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524094209.23716.00004206@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141870

International Morse Code was developed to bridge the language barrier not create an exclusive club. If you think that you are misaligned in your thinking. The reason it is a requirement is because every other country in the world has the same requirement and it is needed to comply with this issue. look it up.

5031. Re: Glenn Hansen lies again!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jason Trumpold <jtrunospammp@paulbunyan.net>
Message-ID: <7iavug$mg2$1@news.mr.net>
Source record: 141871
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,rec.radio.swap

This is no place tp post this garbage. Take it to e-mail or in person.
Enough said!

-Jason

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:37490545.E2F32B86@usa.net...
>
>
> Glenn wrote:
>
> > Found this on the net today......
>
> > Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> > John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness
> > against him in the recent accusations about John Mackey falsifying
>
> SNIP
>
> > Anybody know about this?
> >
> > I know John has made many false claims about many things but do you
believe
>
> SNIP
>
> > John has lied on the net about his license status and other things but
>
> SNIP
>
> So Glenn WHEN have I lied about ANY of the issues you mention & what proof
do
> you have that I lied???
>
>
> A search of yahoo & dejanews shows NO such internet reports as you claim.
>
> That's pretty funny!!!! My mother died 6 years ago!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
>
>
> Once again you have proven your self to be a liar!!!!!
>
> Did you ever find the young gay amateurs you were looking for to practice
> you homo acts on???

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>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

5032. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524094445.23716.00004207@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141872

Can we please keep this newsgroup clean and talking about "HAM RADIO"!!!!!!!
Please take your bickering to another newsgroup, as it is not wanted here!
After all the name of the Newsgroup is "rec.radio.amateur.misc"

5033. Re: Marijuana

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jpnoll@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524094928.23716.00004209@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141873

I dont need anything to "alter" my consciousness. beside I've tried it and all it did was make me paranoid. Some things should not be done. as far as the 20's are concerned. reefer madness was just that "madness" Marijuana is highly addictive and I can testify to that, having been there. What this world needs is a good dose of reality not drugs!

5034. Re: TH6DXX Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Lauri D. Lundgren" <llndgren@snet.net>
Message-ID: <3748DE13.35F2F4F3@snet.net>
Source record: 141874

Just E-mail them, they sent me a manual no-charge!!!!!

"John J. Burke" wrote:

> I need a manual for readjusting my beam when I pull it down on the first
> Anyone can help??? Maybe even FAX it to me at (360)225-6413 ??
>
> Thanks
>
> John W7BO

5035. Re: FIGHT BIGOTRY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: chetlyle@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <7ia77f$15a$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141959

In article <19990522110618.23507.00003374@ng62.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<This moron lists all of the countries which expelled Jews.

It has been my experience that idiots frequently resort to name-calling in desperation, and think this gives them an advantage in long-range debate. It doesn't. It doesn't make them look brave or intelligent, and it does make it clear they have no arguments to oppose the viewpoints they don't like.

>Is it
>coincidental
> that their empires and influence crumbled? Has the United States ever
expelled
> her Jews? No, which explains why we are the greatest and most
progressive and
> democratic nation in the history of the world. Why? Because God
blesses those
> who bless His Chosen and curses those who curse them. And why is it
that
> between all the expulsions,persecutions and mass murders, the Jews
have
> survived and enriched the world with their influence?

Enriched the world, you say? Using as a guide their holy book, the Talmud, no doubt? The Talmud is an evil document, it has an evil history, it carries an evil doctrine, and it has shaped an evil culture. Do try to explain to us how, and in what ways, according to you, this evil culture has enriched the world.

>Because they are
God's
> chosen people.

Oh, right. I guess this _must_ be true, because the Chosenites themselves tell us so. And they wouldn't lie to us about a thing like that, would they?

>And so people like Carol Valentine and her followers
>can rant
> and rave and accuse 'til the cows come home-you will only be able to
defy God,
> never defeat Him. You will always be able to persecute Jews but never
be able
> to eliminate them. As long as man seeks remedy for pain,brilliance in
> science,creativity in the arts and the inspiration for hope among the

hopeless,
> you'll find the Jew. Long after abominations like Valentine and
company are
> wormfood, the Jew will be in tact and always prepared to enrich this
world with
> great things to come. We are quite a remarkable people if you stop to
think of
> it

Ah-, so it's "we", now, is it? So you, sir, are yourself of the Chosenite tribe? Now the cat comes out of the bag. And you have come here to do us a favor, by telling us just how superior you are to us goys?

Well, now, Mr. Chosenite, you must certainly know a thing or two about the Talmud. Supposing you start by explaining to us the Kol Nidre? To refresh everyone's memory, a few posts ago Ms. Valentine wrote as follows:

<begin citation>
And what does the Talmud say about the obligation to tell the truth? Why, the Talmud sanctifies and institutionalizes false swearing, or lying.

"And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall be valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. " (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of Atonement. (Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)
<end citation>

With an abomination like the Kol Nidre an integral part of your culture as a Chosenite, authorizing you to bear false witness especially to goys, please tell us: why should anyone believe a single word you say? How can anyone ever know, whether or not you're lying?

>-if you use your head instead of biased hearts-if you understand
>some history
> and philosophy. I really feel sorry for anyone who keeps a chart of
the
> expulsion of Jews. All you're proving is how ignorant and biased
historical
> illiterates can be.

Historians, including Jews, keep such "charts". So now you think that proves historians are "ignorant and biased historical illiterates"? They should just ignore any data you don't approve of? Mister, you sure live in a bizarre world. I suggest you go see a doctor.

>Doc,AF2Y and a P.S. Chetley you are all bigfoot
>and no

> brain.>>>>>>>>>

Well, that is one way to deal with facts you do not like.

[text deleted]

--Chet Lyle

What is terrifying about seeking Truth
is that, one day, you actually find it. (Pierre Guillaume)

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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5036. AF2Y has a right to exist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523202444.15593.00004578@ng29.aol.com>
Source record: 141960

But so do cockroaches, rats, and flies.

5037. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ia926$a7s@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>> W6RCecilA wrote:

>> > Nope, I'm opposed to any kind of skill test at all. Skill can be
>> > learned as needed. IMO, knowledge tests are all that are necessary.

Let's see -- there is no skill test for V/UHF, so you must be referring
to HF, yet, in further along in this thread, you say:

>Seems you consider it proper to twist my words into trying to
>convince others that I said "HF" when all I said was "ham radio".
>Why is it OK for you to twist my words to suit your agenda and
>not OK for me to correct the error that I was even talking about
>HF? Are you saying vhf/uhf is NOT part of ham radio?

Make up your mind, Cecil. We'll gladly delete the skill test for
V/UHF, if that's the region you're referring to in your earlier post.

73, Jeff KH6O

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of your fingers' inked impressions, classified utilizing the Henry
classification formula (with FBI extensions), $15 + postage.

5038. Re: INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523212420.05553.00000330@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141962

<< Subject: INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Sun, May 23, 1999 5:33 PM
Message-id: <19990523173310.22561.00003757@ng-cj1.aol.com>
<<<AND THE BEST THING YOU CAN DO, YOU IGNORAMUS, IS TO LEARN HOW TO SPELL EXISTENCE. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>
I just heard KD0LA make a valid point. If the Liberty Net has to justify it existance on 3950, then N4LMC should maybe think about justifcation of her Intercon Net, seeing that phone pacthes can be done by AT&T wireless.

humm?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
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http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm >>

5039. Re: Mr. Boyhill loves us

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523213115.05553.00000334@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141963

<< Subject: Re: Mr. Boyhill loves us
From: "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
Date: Sun, May 23, 1999 12:02 PM
Message-id: <mEV13.3105$ql.311119@typ12.nn.bcandid.com>

Learn to read and distinguish between "Broyhill" and "Boyhill." <<<WASN'T IT BROYHILL FURNITURE THE SCHOENBOHM BOYS STOLE? THE HEIST THAT LANDED THREE OF THEM IN JAIL? DOC,AF2Y>>>>>>> Unless, of course, the furniture that you have is a cheap knock-off of the real Broyhill.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote in message <7i80htkcb1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>Looking the price tags on the furniture in my family room, I know Mr.
>Boyhill must love us. This well appointed furniture is worth more than
>the houses you WTIA say you own, my my my is this over stuffed chair
>valued at nearly $4000 really comfy, heh heh.
>
>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Lear >>

5040. Re: 6 Mtr Military Radios- Calling Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: demer@accessnv.com
Message-ID: <7iaa4q$o7k$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3745B8B3.846C49DA@ix.netcom.com>, David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>The Military Collector's Group mailing list,
>a major group of internet-connected military radio collectors,
>has settled on 6-meter calling frequencies for our
>green VHF military radios like the BC-620, BC-659,
>PRC-6, PRC-10, RT-70, RT-68 and others.
>
>51.0 MC FM General local use, in the tradition of 3885 KC.
> Re-enactment groups, field days, special events etc.
>
>51.6 MC FM DX calling frequency for military rigs.
> For the stout-hearted who want to work
> across the pond with their PRC-10.
>
>50.6 MC AM VHF mil rigs (there are a few) calling and secondary use.
>
>With the sunspots on the rise, I will be dedicating
>a scanner and antenna to guarding these frequencies in
>central Texas beginning this summer.
>
>Please relay this information as you see fit.
>
>73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
>arc5@ix.netcom.com
Sounds good Dave, I'll plug tjhe DX freq in and monitor it here in Las Vegas.

Dudley Emer
KK7IF

5041. Re: Morse code/Trying to reach Hawaii

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iaa6m$b0f@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3750e247.4091347@news.lineone.net>, Walt Davidson
>On Sat, 22 May 1999 08:43:34 +0100, Keith Bennett

>>Hey Jeff, what are the chances of you sending me a Hawaii'an beach
>>shirt?

>Probably about the same as the chances of him sending you a QSL card!

Hey, Walt -- I QSL 100% *after* I receive the other station's card.
I have two styles of cards: The R-rated card shows a topless Hawaiian
beach girl, and the G-rated cards are a Hawaiian sunset, or a picture
of Diamond Head or Waikiki Beach. (They're really just post cards, with
my call sign scrawled across the top with a felt-tip pen.)

My wire beam points due West; maybe one of these days we'll work each
other *long* path.

73, Jeff KH6O

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5042. Re: HRO, This common-practice?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: dlr18sh@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523213902.20829.00004961@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141966

I have seen it all with HRO. Sometimes they are good but I heard many horror stories. One favorite of mine is a Ham named Fred who purchased a MFJ TNC. He hooked it up and 1/2 of the functions did not work. He returned it and they stuck him with a 15 % return fee even though he claimed the unit didn't work. Then one week later Fred gets a call from a
guy named JOE who also purchased the same exact unit from HRO. It appears Fred left his business card in the Operator manual as a bookmark and HRO simply repackaged the radio and sold it as new. The new owner also couldn't get the TNC to work either and when he returned the TNC HRO denied ever doing it and it is their policy not to sell used or opened equipment as NEW. I think the real HRO policy is NOT TO GET CAUGHT is they can. They did.
73's TIM

5043. Re: WA9KJI starting to spill his guts!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523214153.19941.00003968@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 141967

Another twist of the truth >From: ycthulhu@aol.com

>It's no different than KK7HO's claims that
>the Liberty Net is a conspiratorial group of
>Nazis out to overthrow the U.S. government
>and kill all the minorities.

I never said Nazis, more like white supremacists, hell a real nazi wouldn't have that bunch, they're wanna be's!

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

5044. Re: wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <wc223.686$007.3325@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141968

On Sun, 23 May 1999 16:07:56 GMT rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> My Oh My, the suck boys do protest. You noticed that smurfie boy
> did not deny the charges that his master brought to himself by his
> dishonesty.. They are all true smurfie. The warrant on you master Pork
> Butt is still in effect, and all the other charges are true. To bad you
> can not qrm the internet like you do on the hambands. heh heh, How are
> things going at the bus station Bobby? Keep it up smurfie, we will tell
> the forum about your little problems with the law.
>
My master? George, aren't you the one who, on 20 meters, would frequently say "Herbie's Number one" without giving your callsign? You are awful quick to pin the "suck boy" label on others, considering your worship of KV4FZ.

QRMing? How ironic to be accused of that by the guy who, until the arrival of Mr. Hollingsworth, would QRM on 20 until the band died, then move to 75 and jam until 10 pm or so! Gotta hand it to ya, George, you do blow a mean harp. Too bad doing it on the ham bands doesn't make you any money. Such a waste of talent.

Who cares what WB2OTK or his family members might have done. Who cares what's on his credit report? So what if, as you say, it's all true? If it is, one has to wonder why he has managed to escape prosecution on this felony warrant for the past 16 year in spite of the best efforts of your band of misfits.

As for your "threat", we both know if you had anything you'd have already posted it, instead of repeatedly making these implications. Again, I'll make a suggestion: Due to your credibility problem, be prepared to back up your accusations with something tangible. Recall that I told you that everything you post here becomes written to history, and that it leaves a trail. It would be in your best interest to make sure that you cross your "Ts" and dot your "Is".

Have a nice day!
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5045. Re: A B.A.R.F. BUM EXPOSED!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523215124.05553.00000343@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141969

<< Subject: Re: A B.A.R.F. BUM EXPOSED!!!!!
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Date: Sun, May 23, 1999 12:20 PM
Message-id: <7i99sv$e1l$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<<<FIRST OFF, I WOULD NOT BE SURPRISED IF N0VFP POSTED THIS THANKS TO HIS MASTERY OF DISGUISES. FURTHERMORE I'M VERY INSULTED BY THOSE REMARKS, THOSE SNIDE ONES,ABOUT MY CLOUDWARMER AND MY SMALL BOOK ENTITLED,"VERTICAL USERS:NOVICE TO EXTRA" THAT SOLD IN 40 STORES ACROSS THIS COUNTRY. I AM AN EXTRA WITH THE CALL AF2Y WHICH STANDS FOR "ALWAYS FRIENDLY 2 YOU". THE FCC ISSUED THAT CALL BECAUSE THEY APPRECIATED MY BENEVOLENT AND PUSSYCAT NATURE TOWARD MY FELLOW HAMS. THAT EXTRA DENOTES SUPER PROWESS IN THE FIELD OF AMATEUR RADIO WITH MY ONLY WEAKNESS BEING IN THE AREA OF ELECTRONICS. I ALSO MIGHT SAY THAT I HOMEBREWED(DREW,SKETCHED) MY QSL CARD WHICH WAS AWARDED IN 73 MAGAZINE,IN THE '80S, THE CARD OF THE MONTH. I WAS GIVEN TWO BOOKS AS MY PRIZE,ONE OF WHICH DEALT WITH THE FIELD OF ELECTRONICS SINCE WAYNE GREEN ALL TOO QUICKLY REALIZED THAT MY MAIN AREA OF WEAKNESS IN AMATEUR RADIO WAS IN ELECTONICS. I AM A MASTER OF CW, BEING ABLE TO SEND 100 W.P.M. WHILE ABLE TO COPY 7. AND THE CLOUDWARMER, TO THE UNWASHED UNINFORMED MULTITIUDE, IS THE BEST WIRE ANTENNA POSSIBLE AND I THEREFORE URGE YOU TO SEND ME AN S.A.S.E. FOR A FREE INSTRUCTION SHEET. IF I COULD BUILD ONE, YOU CAN TOO, SINCE EVEN WITH MY GREAT WEAKNESS IN ELECTRONICS,I HOMEBREWED ONE AND GOT THE SVRW, I MEAN THE VZWR...OH CRAP..I THINK IT'S SOMETHING LIKE AN SWEAR, DOWN TO A 1 TO 0 WHICH REFLECTED THE FINAL SCORE OF THE YANKEE GAME YESTERDAY. AND LASTLY I EMPHASIZE THIS POINT:THE CLOUDWARMER IDEA WAS FURNISHED BY ONE OF THE FINEST HAMS TO EVER HOLD A TICKET, THE ONE AND ONLY WB2OTK, RICH WHITEN, WHO HAS MORE ELECTRONIC EXPERTISE IN HIS LITTLE FINGER THAN YOU BIRDS HAVE IN YOUR NUMB SKULLS. THANKS FOR YOUR KIND ATTENTION. AF2Y,DOC.....
All this coming from Dr Hate, AF2Y a man who told the whole world that Duane Jacobson WB9BCC received the medal of honor. (with out checking the list, mind you, and Duane was the bravest man on amateur radio. All of this was pure BS. Just the product of these sickos demented minds. All the time trying to aggrandizing theirselves, inventing antennas, putting out little jack rigged books on vertical antennas. bragging on and on. phewy!!! the stench from these skuz balls is unbearable.

article <19990523095801.20828.00004343@ng-cf1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> An agent just reported to me the following.....
>
> The dude who pukes out words of hate under the following:
> cbrambo@aol.com (and)
> dx302man@aol.com
>
> is none other than that mentally defective Code-Free Tech leech,

> Lloyd Davies, N0VFP
>

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5046. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523220028.05553.00000345@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141970

<< Subject: Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!
From: "W1PEV" <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Date: Sun, May 23, 1999 8:43 AM
Message-id: <8QS13.19$p3.18218@news21.ispnews.com>
<<<<<<BEAUTIFULLY STATED. AN HONEST ASSESSMENT OF THE MOST IMPORTANT MAN IN HAM RADIO IN A LONG LONG TIME. CONGRATULATIONS FOR HELPING TO SET THE MORONS STRAIGHT. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>
I see. Someone is hired to restore order to what is supposed to be a privilege (the use of the radio bands) and he is labeled a bureaucrat?

I hate to tell you this Paula (or whoever is using Paulas newsreader), you were NOT born with the inherent natural right to use radiowaves as you see fit. The use of these frequencies are a governmental privilege granted to those who pledge themselves to act according to the rules and regulations that they promised to adhere to the day they signed their license application.

What I find truly amazing is that some people confuse amateur radio with free speech, which is totally oxymoronic. The signing of an amateur radio license application constitutes a diminishment of free speech because if it didn't, no license application would be needed at all.

Dont you think a lawyer of Riley Hollingsworth's caliber could make more money in the private sector as compared to earning a government paycheck? Get real.

As I see it, Mr. Hollingsworth is a very honorable individual given a very tough job and >>

5047. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Message-ID: <7iaf9a$6k1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141971

In article <374877E0.77B4@dirtball.com>,
Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> Doc
> This is a ham radio Newsgroup not a Jews vs Nazi. Get it!

The Mt. Carmel Center had a ham radio station. It was apparently taken out before the February 28, 1993 ATF raid by an undercover agent on the inside.

http://www.public action.com/SkyWriter/WacoMuseum/war/page/w_d.html

Read the section toward the end about the ham radio tower.

BTW, notice the radiosig's beloved ADL (and other "Never Again" type Jewish groups) have not demanded that the killers of the Branch Davidians be brought to justice and prosecuted . . . Only Jews matter to these folks. The rest of us are dirt, just like it says in the Talmud.

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* If a Jew murders a Gentile, the Jew suffers no death penalty.
(Sanhedrin 57a., pg. 388)

* if a Gentile strikes a Jew in the jaw, the Gentile, having stricken the "Divine Presence" (that is, a Jew) suffers the death penalty.
(Babylonian Talmud, Soncino Edition, London, 1935.Sanhedrin 58b, pg.388).

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Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.
Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--
http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

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5048. THE GENIUS OF A PEOPLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523221127.05553.00000350@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141972

This moron made a list of expulsion of Jews. Please read.

Date/Location Date/Location

250: Carthage 1559: Austria
415: Alexandria 1561: Prague
554: Diocese of Clement (France) 1567: Wurzburg
561: Diocese of Uzzes (France) 1569: Papal States
612: Visigoth Spain 1571: Brandenburg
642: Visigoth Empire 1582: Netherlands
855: Italy 1593: Brandenburg, Austria
876: Sens 1597: Cremona, Pavia & Lodi
1012: Mayence 1614: Frankfort
1181: France 1615: Worms
1290: England 1619: Kiev
1306: France 1649: Ukraine
1348: Switzerland 1654: Little Russia
1349: Heilbronn (Germany) 1656: Lithuania
1349: Hungary 1669: Oran (North Africa)
1388: Strasbourg 1670: Vienna
1394: Germany 1712: Sandomir
1394: France 1727: Russia
1422: Austria 1738: Wurtemburg
1424: Fribourg & Zurich 1740: Little Russia
1426: Cologne 1744: Bohemia
1432: Savory 1744: Livonia
1438: Mainz 1745: Moravia
1439: Augsburg 1753: Kovad (Lithuania)
1446: Bavaria 1761: Bordeaux
1453: Franconis 1772: Deported west of Dnieper
1453: Breslau 1775: Warsaw
1454: Wurzburg 1789: Alace
1485: Vincenza (Italy) 1804: Villages in Russia
1492: Spain 1808: Villages & Countrysides
1495: Lithuania (Russia)
1815: Lubeck & Bremen
1497: Portugal 1815: Franconia, Swabia &
Bavaria
1499: Germany 1820: Bremen
1514: Strasbourg 1843: Russian Border Austria &
Prussia
1519: Regensburg 1862: Area in the U.S. under
Grant's Jurisdiction
1540: Naples 1866: Galatz, Romania
1542: Bohemia 1919: Bavaria (foreign born

Jews)
1550: Genoa 1938-45: Nazi Controlled Areas
1551: Bavaria 1948: Arab Countries
ISN'T IT AMAZING THAT DESPITE ALL THIS PERSECUTION AND TORTURE AND MURDER,THESE PEOPLE OF GOD ARE ALIVE AND WELL IN ALMOST EVERY NATION OF THE EARTH AND ALTHOUGH BEING ONE-TENTH OF ONE PERCENT OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION, HAVE BEEN AWARDED 18% OF ALL THE NOBEL PRIZES? DOC,AF2Y

5049. UPPA URS,LLOYD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990523223424.05573.00000440@ng-cn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141973

LADIES AND GENTS...HERE'S A REPLY FROM SOMEONE TRYING TO PASS HIMSELF OFF AS A NON-BIASED PERSON. THIS PROVES HE'S NOTHING BUT WHITE TRASH AND A LOWLIFE. I GIVE YOU THE ONE AND ONLY CODE-FREE TECH MEATHEAD, THE ATHENS ALABAMA ABOMINATION, LLOYD DAVIES,N0VFP.....><<<AND THE BEST THING YOU CAN DO, YOU IGNORAMUS, IS TO LEARN HOW TO SPELL >EXISTENCE. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>

As always you age old Jew, always skirting the issues....

You know that INTERCON has no right to exist. The net has been taking money from AT&T and the other global wireless comapnies for years, It's only when KV4FZ tried to put a stop to it that you cried "Anti-Semite" and so forth, Doc , you are a big zero!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama

5050. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Wayda <jwayda@home.com>
Message-ID: <3748BCD1.3E13F5E9@home.com>
Source record: 141974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sorry to tell ya but the majority of Hams are no code techs.

Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote:
>
> Funny that you mention people looking down on General class as this is what the majority
> of HAM's are.
> I never want to be anything more than General Class.
> My friend is an Extra Class and he has not used Morse code in over 15 years and he thinks
> coders are a bunch of idiots in this modern day and age.
> He doesn't look down on anyone except people who want to be HAM's but never make an
effort
> at all.

5051. Re: THE EASY WAY TO MAKE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525170536.22553.00004912@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 141526

Keep it up,

I'm laughing all the way to Bank! , You'll see!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5052. Re: THE TYPICAL Doc-Hate-ler Reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525170750.22553.00004914@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 141527

A typical reply from you.

Never answears questions, always gotta resort to name calling and such, and
this calling people "White Trash"

I'm sure we could make up a few:

Let's start with this:

JTIA = Jewish Trash in America

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5053. Re: Mackey STILL causing trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: gho <ru@ghnet.com>
Message-ID: <374B167A.34766CEC@ghnet.com>
Source record: 141528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Look who talking about wasting bandwidth.

Mr. WireHead wrote:

> jmackey@usa.net wrote:
>
> > Because I have more respect for this NG & usenet as a whole to waste theprecious
> > bandwidth with ALL your sniveling & lies.
> >
>
> R E A L I T Y C H E C K ! ! ! ! ! ! ! !
>
> Definitive data on the posting history of Toilet Boy (aka Mackey). Edited for the
> more salient point(s). Compelling nonetheless. This is data from last year, we can
> only speculate just how much more bandwidth the friggin loon has wasted since.
>
> SNIP --- Data From Smally ----
>
> I have nothing else to say except that, out of curiousity, I searched
> the archives at Dejanews to see how much John "contributes" to the
> group. I found some 13000 posts in all in the scanner newsgroups since
> he arrived. THIRTEEN THOUSAND!!!!!!!!!!! Yet the on topic posts he has
> made can be counted on one hand, with room left over. Case closed,
> folks. John Mackey is the problem. Guilty as charged.
>
> I have done it folks. I have accomplished what I set out to do. I have
> proven what the Clown Prince of Scanning is really all about: A
> personal, neverending vendetta against Bill Cheek.
>
> SNIP ------ Data From Kindricks ------
>
> Date | Mackey | Cheek | Kendrick | Bowers | Vetterle | allsafe | K4CC
> ---
> JUL 98 | 413 | 386* | 6 | 32 | 28 | 75 | 234
> JUN 98 | 413 | 502* | 0 | 64 | 45 | 97 | 95
> MAY 98 | 22 | 208 | 0 | 11 | 8 | 12 | 12
> APR 98 | 194 | 128 | 27 | 41 | 25 | 12 | 0
> MAR 98 | 254 | 240 | 49 | 24 | 50 | 18 | 0
> FEB 98 | 200 | 274 | 51 | 27 | 46 | 18 | 0
> JAN 98 | 173 | 178 | 35 | 1 | 33 | 33 | 0
> DEC 97 | 149 | 227 | 32 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 0
> NOV 97 | 63 | 65 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0
> OCT 97 | 48 | 60 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0
> SEP 97 | 181 | 78 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0

> AUG 97 | 29 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0
> ---
> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 | 201 | 203 | 275 | 266 | 341
>
> Consider this point. Less than two dozen of the total posts by Mackey
> pertained to scanners or scanning. Approximately half of the posts
> made by Bill Cheek were devoted to scanners and scanning. Now go back
> and look at the numbers again. You do the math.
> ____
> There are two major products that came out of Berkeley: LSD & UNIX.
> We do not believe this to be a coincidence ....
> ____
> While you're spamming me, don't forget to include these folks:
>
> admin@loopback, $LOGIN@localhost, $LOGNAME@localhost,
> $USER@localhost, $USER@$HOST, -h1024@localhost, root@mailloop.com
> root@localhost, postmaster@localhost, admin@localhost, abuse@localhost
> Chairman Reed Hundt: rhundt@fcc.gov
> Commissioner James Quello: jquello@fcc.gov
> Commissioner Susan Ness: sness@fcc.gov
> Commissioner Rachelle Chong: rchong@fcc.gov
> US Postal Service: customer@email.usps.gov
> Fraud Watch: fraudinfo@psinet.com
> Pyramid Schemes: pyramid@ftc.gov
> Federal Trade Commission: consumerline@ftc.gov
> net-abuse@nocs.insp.irs.gov

5054. A Moderated Amateur Radio Newsgroup...Please?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rfenforcer@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525174318.17929.00003587@ngol07.aol.com>
Source record: 141529

In a previous thread, Jeff in Hawaii mentioned the possibility of creating a moderated newsgroup. Is this possible?

I'm certainly not the only one here who dislikes having to wade through about 90% "trash postings" (personal vendettas, libelous statements, Internet text versions of 75-meter phone arguments, etc.) in order to read the 10% (or less) of useful information related to amateur radio which is contained in this newsgroup.

Note: this address does not accept unsolicited e-mail. Please contain all discussion regarding USENET posts to the appropriate newsgroup thread.

5055. REQUESTS FROM AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525180055.22562.00004981@ng-cj1.aol.com>
Source record: 141530

Can someone assist with the following. Firstly, I need a copy today's post by the ex-wife of WB4AIO who does an excellent expose of him as well as his right wing crazed buddies. Secondly will someone tell me how to keep this loony, Lloyd Davies,N0VFP, out of my mailbox. I told the turd to stop corresponding since I could get just as much out of it as if I corresponded with a second grader. He is constantly leaving threatening notes. Can I E-mail AOL or would it be better to somehow automatically and electronically stop him from getting through? I never thought I'd see the day when I might have to electronically prevent harassment but this guy is a psycho. He and that Stinson boob from Texass are like two peas in a pod. Both wackos of the highest magnitude.Incidentally I have been informed that the Southern Poverty Law Center headed by the magnificent Morris Dees has been apprised of the ungodly situation involving hate on amateur radio and my best guess is that the S.P.L.C. will get involved in the 3.950 situation as well as other areas of orchestrated hate, anti-Semitism,white extremism and Holocaust denial. Thanks for your attention and hopefully I'll get positive replies to both of my queries. Any wise guy replies will be ignored, so save your effort, nitwits. AF2Y, Doc. Please reply preferably by E-mail to radiosigs@aol.com or via this fantastic messasge board.

5056. Help - Mobile Phone modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alf <perez.alfonso.am@bhp.com.au>
Message-ID: <7if83v$12t2@atbhp.corpmel.bhp.com.au>
Source record: 141531
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

I would greatly appreciate if anyone has information on mobile phone
modifications/programing. Particularly Nokia 101 and Motorola 7500.
We are working on a project that requires mobile transmitters used for fault
alarms on remote industrial equipment and would like to be able to set up
various mobile phones as transmitters with the receiving mobile set up on
scan mode to monitor each of the transmitted alarm signals. The analog data
then will be fed into a computer for alarm trending.

Any help tips or references would be appreciated.

Regards,

Alf

5057. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Ryan T. Faricy" <online@faricy.net>
Message-ID: <7ifae9$lt9$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141532

I hope you have something better to do. Please keep this stuff to email.

Radiosigs wrote in message <19990523110348.20828.00004371@ng-cf1.aol.com>...
>Will someone get this sick bitch off my tail?

5058. Re: REQUESTS FROM AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525191128.15022.00000237@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141533

When the Libel about me stops, I'll stop too

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5059. WHEN THE LIBEL ABOUT N0VFP STOPS I"LL LEAVE YOU ALONE DOC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525191246.15022.00000240@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141534

READ IT

WHEN YOU STOP LIBEL ABOUT ME, HERB and the BARF stop. I'll stop sending you e-mails

GOT IT??

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
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WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5060. Re: WHEN THE LIBEL ABOUT N0VFP STOPS I"LL LEAVE YOU ALONE DOC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525192138.20832.00005620@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141535

<< Subject: WHEN THE LIBEL ABOUT N0VFP STOPS I"LL LEAVE YOU ALONE DOC!
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Tue, May 25, 1999 11:12 PM
Message-id: <19990525191246.15022.00000240@ng-fn1.aol.com>

READ IT

WHEN YOU STOP LIBEL ABOUT ME, HERB and the BARF stop. I'll stop sending you
e-mails

GOT IT??
<<<<HELLO FOLKS...YOU'RE READING IT YOURSELF. A MAJOR PESTY BIGOT AT LARGE. I
DON'T MIND IF THE MORON POSTS ANTI-AF2Y STUFF HERE- HELL ISN'T THIS AN OPEN
FORUM? BUT TO KEEP INVADING MY PRIVATE MAILBOX IS CRIMINAL. AT LEAST IF THIS
HUNK OF WHITE TRASH HAD SOMETHING TO SAY INTELLIGENTLY,BUT WHY SHOULD I HAVE TO
BE BOMBARDED WITH "JEW THIS and JEW THIS?" DOES ANYONE HAVE AN IDEA OF HOW I
CAN STOP THIS LOONY BIRD FROM ANNOYING ME? Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

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5061. FS: Kenwood TK-250 VHF Talkie

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7ifcd4$8rr$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141536
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

Kenwood Commercial TK-250 Hand-Held 160 Channel radio with new NiMH High Capacity Battery. This radio is low use and very clean. I will program the radio to buyers frequency. The TK-250 with NiMH Battery is selling for $429.00 plus shipping. Contact me by email at NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com (remove NO-SPAM).

5062. FS: IC-735 HF rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: KenB <kenb5229@my-dela.com>
Message-ID: <7ifbsm$g03$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For sale: Icom ic-735 160-10 all-mode HF transceiver. Includes manuals, condenser hand mike, power cable. Fair condition cosmetically but works great. $375 includes shipping.

kenbNOSPAM@tyler.net (remove NOSPAM)

5063. FS: CS-800 Phone Patch/Repeater Controler

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7ifcjs$t5$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141538
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

CS-800 Repeater Controller / Phone Patch. Unit is very clean and comes with box and book. The unit is selling for $259.00 plus shipping. Contact me by email at NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com (remove NO-SPAM).

5064. FS: Kenwood TK-350 UHF Talkies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7ifc3m$h5u$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141539
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

Two Commercial Kenwood TK-350 UHF 160 Channel Hand-Held radio for sale. Both radios have DTMF pads installed. These are low use radios in very clean condition. I will program the radios to buyer frequencies. Selling price is $359.00 plus shipping. Contact me by email at NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com (remove the NO-SPAM).

5065. AF2Y WILL NOT ANSWER THE QUESTION!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525193613.01640.00006122@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 141540

All I asked is if the Libel about me stops.....

Will it?

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WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5066. CAN AF2Y STOP DEFAMAING MY CHARACTER????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525193815.01640.00006124@ng-cg1.aol.com>
Source record: 141541

Subject: THE EASY WAY TO MAKE IT!
From: radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs)
Date: 5/25/99 5:25 AM Pacific Daylight Time
Message-id: <19990525082522.19946.00004743@ng-ft1.aol.com>

You know fellows, I've been doing some serious contemplating. Although I'm an Extra and did it the old fashioned way by EARNING it. I still felt that perhaps the reduction of code requirements to get in, at least to some degree, had some merit. But after reading the garbage, the bigoted garbage and lies coming from the Code Free Tech blivot, Lloyed Davies, N0VFP,I chaned my mind. Better this oaf be OFF the General, Advanced and Extra portions since he'd disgrace all three. I say let him bask in the glory of a wussie ticket whole keeping his miserable mouth off the bands where REAL HAMS GO! Doc,AF2Y

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5067. FS Lafayette 6/mtr am

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525195406.14551.00005038@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 141542

Model HE-45A with manual and power cord, no mic. $60 plus shipping.

5068. FS GE desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525195509.14541.00004894@ng-co1.aol.com>
Source record: 141543

Looks like Shure 444 except is beige in color. $30 shipped.

5069. Re: organization fighting hate!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374B4D14.851F25C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141544

Yeah, sure...
The SPLC is just another bunch of left-wing racist bigots
using their state-supported propaganda to advantage.

They support "tolerance".....
They "tolerate" anyone who agrees with *them*
and denounce/sue anyone who doesn't.
Disagree on any point whatsoever and they will
burn you at the stake faster then a Salem witch.

Janet Reno will supply the fire-- she's had practice.

Pathetic...
Dave AB5S

5070. Re: READ,UNDERSTAND AND ACT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374B4E49.659F7971@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141545

Oh great....
First we've got a far left-wing racist hatemonger,

and now we've got a far right-wing racist hatemonger!

My father was right;
There's an unlimited supply of "DUMBASS" in the world.

Dave AB5S

5071. From One "Wack-O" to Another...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374B4FE0.971AF02C@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141546

Gee, Doc....
It's been a long time since someone called me "Wack-O."
And I don't even know Lloyd or Oris. I'd hate to think
I was sharing a "pod" with strangers. People might talk.

Just for the sake of reference... could you please quote
the passages that convinced you I was "wack-o?"
I mean.. maybe I could learn something.
I'm not too proud to try and improve.

Thanks,
Dave Stinson AB5S

5072. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cal25skipper <Skipper3@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <M_K23.215$112.40052@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 141547

You will have to learn the code and some electrical theory
You can get a US license in any town.
Go to Radio shack and buy the general Class manual and code tapes.
Practice the code EVERY day for 15 minutes 20 if you like, and after about
2-3 weeks, you will be able to pass the test. Don't let anyone tell you
that the code is difficult, because it really isn't. Anyone can learn it if
they have a desire, and I mean anyone.

Steady winds and smooth sailing to you!

justin@streetmail.com wrote in message <7ie9v2$rl2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>I'm heading back to my yacht in the Caribbean next month to then sail
>to Australia (home). I'd like to have e-mail to stay in touch with
>friends and family along the way. I have a SSB with ham frequencies as
>well as a laptop I can use. I have no call sign. What do I need to do
>so that I can do e-mail via the ham? I'm in the USA until the end of
>June, can I get a call sign in that time? Do I need to learn morse? Is
>there any way I can get a call sign quickly so I can get up and running
>straight away and then learn morse when I have time (once I'm sailing
>again)? I'd be willing to pay. Is this possible? Do I need my own
>call sign?
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>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5073. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7ifu2h$bk4$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141548

<Pappy@sgi.net> wrote in message news:374AB42C.25D1@sgi.net...
> If the older hams want to lock us other
> older hams with tech + tickets out so be it, it's there loss.

In my view, it's not the older ham, or any other ham, locking you out.

> Frankly I havn't been on 2 or 440
> for over four or five years, I just lost interest. Being frequency
> locked is like being out of gas on a desert highway.

I won't support a rule change, but also doubt I would actively oppose it beyond simply voicing my opinion. I would be glad to help in any other way, though.

> If God wanted me to studder he would have made me that way.

I'm sure my earliest vocalizations were anything but formless. This didn't

> No disrespect intended. I was so bored with 2 mtrs 15 yrs ago I put
up
> a pair of 19 element beams, purchassed a kenwood tr-9000, 160 watt
amp.
> and went on sideband for some excitment. Worked well until the 9000
> quit and kenwood doesn't support that model today. The beams are for
> sale or trade now.

I think I hear you saying that fun can be had above 50 MHz, but the pickings are too slim to justify maintaining the equipment. If that is the case, I can easily agree with your lament. For what it's worth, I worked hard to escape the shackles of the Novice/Tech+ HF bands as quickly as I could.

In QSO with a Fiji ham, he let on that they have no Novice class. The lowest class license they have requires 15 wpm and a General level theory exam. I mean no sarcasm when I ask this: is it better to have VHF frequencies and above only, or none at all? I realize there are many differences between the Fijian environment, and our local airwaves.

Michael.

5074. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: cal25skipper <Skipper3@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <Y7L23.217$112.40783@typhoon01.swbell.net>
Source record: 141549

And how long have you been a ham?
It didn't take me very long to realize 23 years ago, when I was a ten year old novice, that the name ham really came from the sqeeling noise that most hams make when gossiping about one another. I just learned that that was the way some guys are, and that I could enjoy the hobby by just filtering out the riff-raff. That's one reason I am a code only operator, but it exsists there too to some degree. Sometimes I get a chuckle from some of the ignorance out there!

73
Brent
N5CLK

W1PEV wrote in message <32x23.2397$733.114782@typ11.nn.bcandid.com>...
>
>
>After having read most of the postings submitted to this NG it appears that
>about 2/3 of the postings are either about politics, slander, or pure
>personal conjecture. I was under the impression that submissions to this NG
>were to be for the betterment and proliferation of amateur radio.
>
>It also seems that the ratio of off topic discussions on this NG almost
>perfectly matches the ratio of identical off topic discussions that can be
>heard on just about any amateur frequency on any given night. This fact
>demonstrates to me that either the same individuals are consistently vocal
>on both the radio and this NG, or that these NG postings reflect a perfect
>sampling of the attitude that's currently present in the amateur radio
>hobby.
>
>This is my suggestion. Please take it for what its worth to you:
>
>When you are sitting in front of your computer screen wearing your two
>horned Viking helmet, and after having read something that makes your blood
>boil which forces your blood pressure to cause your fingertips to explode
>with energy, please have the MATURE discipline to sit back and make an
adult
>decision of whether or not you should reply and whether your reply is truly
>appropriate. The difference between and adult and a child is an adult CAN
>control his/her emotions.....supposedly.
>
>What will be interesting to see is the individuals who decide to flame this
>post.
>
>73's to all and long live the hobby!
>

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5075. Re: Help - Mobile Phone modifications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patricia Gibbons <wa6ube@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374B916E.53B6@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141550
Cross-posted to:
aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

Alf wrote:
>
> I would greatly appreciate if anyone has information on mobile phone
> modifications/programing. Particularly Nokia 101 and Motorola 7500.
> We are working on a project that requires mobile transmitters used for fault
> alarms on remote industrial equipment and would like to be able to set up
> various mobile phones as transmitters with the receiving mobile set up on
> scan mode to monitor each of the transmitted alarm signals. The analog data
> then will be fed into a computer for alarm trending.
>
> Any help tips or references would be appreciated.
>
> Regards,
>
> Alf

What advantage would a "mobile phone" have for your application ??

It would seem to me that if you are scanning in order to pick up
the transmission, that a mobile phone is not needed. Do you
want the mobile phone to actually dial a phone number when
a fault is detected ??

When you say mobile phone, do you in fact mean "Cellular Phone" ??

If not, then perhaps a Motorola R-Net data radio unit, or a
Varda alarm would better suit your purpose..

Kantronics also makes telemetery equipment based around their
packet radio controllers.

Just my $.02 :-)

Trish
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Patricia E. Gibbons
Acting Chief Communications Technician
City of San Jose - ITD/communications
.....
My Public Key is available at:
<http://pgp5.ai.mit.edu/pks-commands.html>
Key ID: 0xEDECB44F
This key is RSA, NOT Diffie-Hellman !!

5076. Getting a HAM licence for e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: justin_and_deb@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ie9dl$r7g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141626

I have a yacht in the Caribbean that I'm about to
sail to Australia on. I have a SSB with Ham
frequencies & a PC. All I want to use the Ham
for is sending personal e-mail to friends &
family to stay in touch. Currently I'm in the
USA (I'm actually an Aussie) and I'll be here for
another month before getting back on my yacht.
What type of Ham licence do I need? Can I get it
in a month? Is it possible to get the call sign
I need without learning morse even if I'm willing
to pay for it, then learn morse once I have the
time (once I'm cruising again)?
I'm really pushed for time right now but would
like to get the e-mail system going as soon as I
get back on the boat.

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5077. Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: justin@streetmail.com
Message-ID: <7ie9v2$rl2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141627

I'm heading back to my yacht in the Caribbean next month to then sail to Australia (home). I'd like to have e-mail to stay in touch with friends and family along the way. I have a SSB with ham frequencies as well as a laptop I can use. I have no call sign. What do I need to do so that I can do e-mail via the ham? I'm in the USA until the end of June, can I get a call sign in that time? Do I need to learn morse? Is there any way I can get a call sign quickly so I can get up and running straight away and then learn morse when I have time (once I'm sailing again)? I'd be willing to pay. Is this possible? Do I need my own call sign?

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5078. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <4rx23.332$1v.4719@typ31b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141628
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Everyone says it exists however Ive been trying for about a year to get someone to email me back with the details.....all to no avail.

5079. Re: telling lies THE EASY WAY TO MAKE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ieb6dsii1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141629

LIE, LIE. you caught your pants on fire!!! Why did you tell that whopper about never using a lawyer. You are not to be trusted, If any one wants to know that you are telling a lie about this, just call Walter W2YEE, he is in any data base. The truth is out on you DR Hate , you are a first class story teller.

article <19990525082522.19946.00004743@ng-ft1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> You know fellows, I've been doing some serious contemplating. Although I'm an
> Extra and did it the old fashioned way by EARNING it. I still felt that perhaps
> the reduction of code requirements to get in, at least to some degree, had some
> merit. But after reading the garbage, the bigoted garbage and lies coming from
> the Code Free Tech blivot, Lloyed Davies, N0VFP,I chaned my mind. Better this
> oaf be OFF the General, Advanced and Extra portions since he'd disgrace all
> three. I say let him bask in the glory of a wussie ticket whole keeping his
> miserable mouth off the bands where REAL HAMS GO! Doc,AF2Y
>

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5080. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ieb7esis1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141630

geozim@atlcom.net wrote:

> If not Jews and Zionist behind this action, then
> for certain the New-World-Order, anti-religious,
> anti-Christian, anti-American types of CIA's
> MKULTRA and psycho-chemical weapons research
> background working within Cult Awareness Network.
> This is all very well documented for anyone wanting
> to know who was behind the Waco (WACMUR) case. To say
> that ATF-FBI had no intention of genocide at Waco is
> to deny the clear evidence. Cult Awareness Network
> operatives were the only real advisors prior to
> the raid and during the siege.

HOLA, HOLA, OM Zimmerlee!

You are correct. All you sicko conspiracy goons are under observation
by CUNT - (Cults Unwanted Near Texas). HOLA! Din't you know we
Latino's are really all Moorish Jews bent on Zionizing the whole world?
AF2Y is our friend. WB2OTK is our friend. ex-KV4FZ will head the FCC
in our brave new world, and Billary Clinton will be elected head of
SKUNK (Southern Klan of United Non Kristians). George Zimmerlee will be
the poster-boy of the anti-SKUNK movement, sniffing out phsycho weapons
in every portable rest-room at the SKUNK rallies!

Hola, hola, hola!

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5081. Re: wanted a trip to the bus station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ieblvsvf1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141631

Sammy SeaGull. Go down to the bus station and may be you will ge lucky
this time and the fuzz will not catch you like they did the last time. A
little indulgence in your fetish might settle your nerves "CHICKEN HAWK'

heh heh

article <W7p23.1054$007.3449@c01read05.service.talkway.com>,
"smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
> On Mon, 24 May 1999 23:30:02 GMT rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > I read a post that called you "Duh Duh" Rube. Now I know what they
were
> > talking about, I am sure you do not care if your "GOD" WB2OTK has a
bad
> > check record or is wanted on a warrant or has been involved in
> > shop lifting at K mart. You identify with a police record as that is
> > "your kind of people". You have no problem with a five finger
discount
> > yourself when the chance arises and you think you can get by with
it..
> > You know, you trailer trash people stick together, So take up for
> > your "Master". But one thing about it, even you do not deny the
> > charges. You know they are all true. "DUH DUH", keep on sucking!!!
> >
> >
> >
> >
> >
> >
> My oh my, how George doth protest! Something must have struck a
nerve,
> George. Look at all the grammatical errors in your message. Why, you
> were so angry that you could hardly piece together a coherent
sentence,
> could you?
>
> I guess it really causes you pain to realize that it is you who truly
> is the "suck boy". It occurs to me that not only are your lips glued
> to the hind quarters of KV4FZ, but that you're actually WB2OTK's
little
> puppet as well! I'll bet that not a minute goes by without you
> thinking of 'OTK, does it. You wake in the morning, and the first
> thing on your mind is Richard Whiten, and these thoughts follow you
> throughout your day, until the moment you finally fall into an alcohol
> induced slumber. George, are you listening? Pay careful attention:
> This is not normal behavior. Seek help immediately!

>
> Doesn't it bother you that WB2OTK has such power and influence over
> you? Don't you ever wonder what you're missing in life while you
spend
> every waking moment consumed by your obsession with WB2OTK? Hasn't it
> harmed your relationships with friends and family? Surely they can
not
> share your preoccupation with this man.
>
> George, do you ever find yourself absorbed by homo-erotic fantasies
> involving WB2OTK? In these dreams, does he make mad, passionate love
> to you for hours on end, then write you bad checks? Does he make you
> scream "Daddy, make me pay!!"?
>
> I don't know, George, I really worry that you're spending your golden
> years foolishly. I'm sure that you must have someone out there who
> cares for you, who wishes that you'd give up your fantasies and return
> to reality. But, if you really do care for WB2OTK more than you do
> your friends and family, maybe there are more appropriate means of
> expressing your feelings. Instead of QRMing him, send him flowers.
> Instead of posting all this nonsense over the internet, invite him to
a
> romantic dinner. Dancing might be a nice touch. Talk to him about
> your feelings, Rent a room in a nice hotel... I don't know. Think
> about how you'd want to be treated by a lover, George. If you want to
> win his heart, treat him the same way. The manner in which you're
> going about it is all wrong!
>
> Have a nice day!
> Smurf69
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>
>

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5082. Re: Form Letter for Intercon Investigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374AA48D.3FC621AB@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I don't know the INTERCON story, so can't come down
one way or the other on that specific point, but the
illustration of the flaws in the FCC position make this
an outstanding letter, casting the pure light of reason
on the irrational duplicity of the federal government.

Sadly, since it doesn't fit the currently fashionable
political climate of cursing logic and blessing lunatics,
it will likely go nowhere.

Should be preserved for us in
the upcoming fights in the courts, though.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

5083. Re: THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7iec28$t3v$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141633

AF2Y wrote:

> Republicans will continue to be the pawns of the religious right.
> Once the G.O.P. waves goodbye to the zany religious groups trying
> to control it,and sets itself firmy in the middle, we will have a
> great Pres. race come Nov.2000.

HOLA OM Doc, you Anti-Kristian bigot --

Ross Perot will be president, David Duke of Louisiana will be Vice President, and Jesse Ventura will be Secretary of State.

Hola, hola, hola!

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5084. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374AA86C.66DB03EA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Phil, I actually enjoy reading your posts because they're
informed and reasonable. I'm not a lawyer, so don't
always have complete information. Do you know the
circumstances that let Stern and his ilk off the hook with the FCC
several years ago? Was it that they reached a compromise
that he would limit his nasty talk and they wouldn't push further?

My personal beef with the commission is the appearance of
enforcement based in part on the political content of speech,
rather then actual violation of the regulations.
So the issue of obscenity isn't my hot-button.
But I'd like to hear how that issue actually went
from someone who knows what he's talking about.

73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

5085. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <374AABAD.D5EEB9BF@dimensional.com>
Source record: 141635

No flame here... I couldn't agree more.

73,

Marv
AB0IO

W1PEV wrote:

> After having read most of the postings submitted to this NG it appears that
> about 2/3 of the postings are either about politics, slander, or pure
> personal conjecture. I was under the impression that submissions to this NG
> were to be for the betterment and proliferation of amateur radio.
>
> It also seems that the ratio of off topic discussions on this NG almost
> perfectly matches the ratio of identical off topic discussions that can be
> heard on just about any amateur frequency on any given night. This fact
> demonstrates to me that either the same individuals are consistently vocal
> on both the radio and this NG, or that these NG postings reflect a perfect
> sampling of the attitude that's currently present in the amateur radio
> hobby.
>
> This is my suggestion. Please take it for what its worth to you:
>
> When you are sitting in front of your computer screen wearing your two
> horned Viking helmet, and after having read something that makes your blood
> boil which forces your blood pressure to cause your fingertips to explode
> with energy, please have the MATURE discipline to sit back and make an adult
> decision of whether or not you should reply and whether your reply is truly
> appropriate. The difference between and adult and a child is an adult CAN
> control his/her emotions.....supposedly.
>
> What will be interesting to see is the individuals who decide to flame this
> post.
>
> 73's to all and long live the hobby!

5086. Oregon Callsign License Plates

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bob Williams <n7int@integrityonline.com>
Message-ID: <374ab06a@205.238.18.7>
Source record: 141636

Greetings,
To fellow Oregon hams out there, I have a question. Has anyone managed to get callsign plates on the Tree background plate, rather than the basic yellow plate? DMV says all I can get is yellow, while people have told me they've seen call signs on Oregon Trail and tree plates. How can I get the good ones?
Replies direct, please, not to the newsgroup. Thanks in advance.

73,
Bob Williams, N7INT
Hillsboro, OR U.S.A.

5087. Re: What GOD intended???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7iec55hqi1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141637

Pappy@sgi.net wrote in message <374AB42C.25D1@sgi.net>...
If God wanted me to studder he would have made me that way.

Pappy.... If GOD had intended for us to run around naked we would have been
born that way.
So much for what you think GOD intended.

AS for the Morse Code requirement keeping you out of Amateur Radio.......
It just aint so.
If you want it bad enough you will do what it takes to get it.

It aint easy to study something that you have no interest in.
In fact it is down right boring. I know because it was that way for me.
And I am not talking about those required college classes to get a diploma.
It takes time,determination, and discipline to learn the Morse Code.
If you lack any of these you will fail. Period.

When you really want it..... you will earn it.

William Lee N5WRX

5088. Re: Form Letter for Intercon Investigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7iecm2$9so$1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Nice letter.... But....

Your letter just might be taken more seriously if you would have signed it
with your real name and call sign.

People with something to hide ....usually hide it.

William Lee N5WRX

5089. Re: What GOD intended???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Cason <ga.dawg@home.com>
Message-ID: <374AB68A.BFCA0815@home.com>
Source record: 141639

William Lee wrote:
>
> Pappy@sgi.net wrote in message <374AB42C.25D1@sgi.net>...
> If God wanted me to studder he would have made me that way.
>
> Pappy.... If GOD had intended for us to run around naked we would have been
> born that way.
> So much for what you think GOD intended.

Um, I hate to tell you this Bill, but we are born naked. You need to
brush up on the Old Testament before you open your mouth about God.

--
Reds,
Scott in Louisville
-=KD4YHH=-

Remember:
Traffic signals timed for 35 MPH are also timed for 70 MPH!

5090. Re: need help for grandson with code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7iecv6$s7i$1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141640

You are better off using tapes to learn CW at 5wpm.

William Lee N5WRX

Rehada wrote in message <19990524165842.03531.00004030@ng-fb1.aol.com>...
>I am looking for a cw program that will run on my computer with a sound
card
>that I can help my grandson learn code. Any help would be appricated.
>
>de W9ACD
>rehada@aol.com
>

5091. Dungboy/Rich: Hear from Deja.com?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374ABE8F.45F993DA@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141641

Did you hear from Deja.com about your racist
and foul-mouthed Dungboy logon yet, OTK?
That why we're not hearing your lunatic ranting today?

Go ahead... get another phoney logon.

It will get flushed the same way.

Lucent doesn't like you using their public server, either.

Log on here and debate like a decent human being
and you won't have so much trouble.

Regards,
Dave AB5S

5092. FS: Hands-Free, VOX, Noise Reduction Communicators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: larmortek@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525111913.04495.00005064@ng-fa1.aol.com>
Source record: 141642

FS: Hands-Free Communicators, VOX, Noise Reduction

These two-way communicators are often used in noisey environments.
They are built by Remic, U'nIcom. 50MHz operation with 1/4 mile range.
Equipped with padded earpieces that reduces environmental acoustic noise.
Each unit comes with hard case. In Brand new shape, never used except for a
test to
see they work. Best offer will take them. A total of four units are available.

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5093. Re: THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374ABFC7.6C7B@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141643

big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> AF2Y wrote:
>
> > Republicans will continue to be the pawns of the religious right.
> > Once the G.O.P. waves goodbye to the zany religious groups trying
> > to control it,and sets itself firmy in the middle, we will have a
> > great Pres. race come Nov.2000.
>
> HOLA OM Doc, you Anti-Kristian bigot --
>
> Ross Perot will be president, David Duke of Louisiana will be Vice
> President, and Jesse Ventura will be Secretary of State.
>
> Hola, hola, hola!
>
> BGO
>
> -=== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==-
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Yea Yea Yea
And the Democrats will be the pawns of the Communists. Think about it.
Who gave Clinton all that money for relection, CHINA! Who are they
investagating for stealing nucler secrects China! The Democarts are no
more than Communists in idiots clothing.
Of course thats just my opinion I could be wrong!
Save the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian!
Save the Constitution vote Libertarian!

73 from Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5094. Re: Dungboy/Rich: Hear from Deja.com?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374AC071.3735@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141644

David Stinson wrote:
>
> Did you hear from Deja.com about your racist
> and foul-mouthed Dungboy logon yet, OTK?
> That why we're not hearing your lunatic ranting today?
>
> Go ahead... get another phoney logon.
>
> It will get flushed the same way.
>
> Lucent doesn't like you using their public server, either.
>
> Log on here and debate like a decent human being
> and you won't have so much trouble.
>
> Regards,
> Dave AB5S
He is a loser thats why he has to hide bihind $41,000 self cleaning
oven! What more can I say
Oris
--

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5095. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <B7B944D0370E8457.8CE93C7FBD2B98A5.9C819B66DBAC7538@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

OOoh, guess you two guys won't be palling around on HAM anytime soon!

> I've an idea
> fire the government
> it's your vote
> use it
> otherwise, shut up
> H.
> WA5IGW

> > Yep, we can implement that right after we institute a requirement for
> > licensing washing machine operators. How does your Kenmore get out on
> > 20m?
> > Dave 5H3US, K8MN

5096. Re: Getting a HAM licence for e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7iehspogd1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141646

justin_and_deb@my-dejanews.com wrote in message
<7ie9dl$r7g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...

>What type of Ham licence do I need?

At least a General Class for HF operation

>Can I get it in a month?

Yes, but you need to be a very quick study, you'll need 13 wpm code.

>Is it possible to get the call sign
>I need without learning morse even if I'm willing
>to pay for it, then learn morse once I have the
>time (once I'm cruising again)?

Now your beginning to sound like a troll, "even if I'm willing to pay for
it?" what does that mean?
There are no shortcuts, one month is a pretty agressive study schedule for a
General Class license
but if your really interested check out www.arrl.org for study material.

DDZ

5097. Re: Frequency!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ieinb$rn4$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141647

Neomorpheous wrote in message <#9pGzPlp#GA.370@cpmsnbbsa02>...

What type of frequency is HAM? FM, AM? Also, what kind of voice
privileges do I have withing the 10 band, and how far can I get with a 10
meter and a 200 watt amp? How about the 2M radio, what kind of priviledges
will I have in the 10 and 2 meters with a technician license?

-- All these questions can be answered at www.arrl.org

5098. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7iemck$5bg$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <oVk23.576$j65.84629@ptah.visi.com>,
"Louis Sica, Jr. (AC0X)" <ac0x@qsl.net> wrote:
> I know it exists for the Mac. I've already seen that link.
>
> I just wish SOMEONE would do it for Windows...

So start writing. Just as homebrew hardware is always
rewarding, so is homebrew software.
--
Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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5099. Re: Dungboy/Rich: Hear from Deja.com?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ienjv$6ak$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141649

Where is donkey boy? Did he use the N word too many times and someone
blew the whistle on him. If so, good.We don't need racist,
foul mouth bigots here in this forum. Take your bigotry donkey boy to
another venue. You were on the ham bands for ten years with your
racist,profane remarks. We don't need it here. And by the way take the
collection of sycophant skumbags that followed you here with you too.

article <374AC071.3735@dirtball.com>,
Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
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5100. Re: Getting a HAM licence for e-mail

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Con Daly <radioman27@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <FIA23.352$Ia.9330@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141650

Hello there,

I sailed as a Merchant Navy radio officer up till 2 years ago.
There are a number of leads you could possibly follow but you are right when you say you are pushed for time, however a month might just be enough time to get something sorted out. I will list these below, with explanations where neccesary. Part 1. below might not be relevant but my former maritime background makes me feel obliged to mention it.

1). If I am correct, you only have Ham frequencies. Really you should also have the 2182 KHZ R/T Emergency frequency, I am not too sure about the laws governing this as regards small pleasure craft/yachts but most people undertaking an international voyage will at least have a setup with MF/HF (Mediumwave/Shortwave) frequencies in the maritime bands, probably with something called DSC (Digital selective calling) under the GMDSS system and also this facility on the VHF band, but maybe you know this already. There are various companies running coast stations around the world that operate ship/shore E-mail servies now operating on maritime frequencies. (Note, the actual transmissions are in different format and translated and forwarded or vice versa). These are at very reasonable rates and I will give a list of these below. The thing is that you need a radiotelephone operators certificate or GMDSS operators certificate to do this legally. The good news is that I have heard of places offering week long GMDSS courses. More on this later.
However if you already have this facility then Thats OK.

2). You cannot get a ham licence without passing an exam. This involves knowledge of radio and electronics and it's application in radio circuitry. I am not too familiar with the American system but I know there are about 5 or 6 different classes of Licence. I have never heard of exemptions regarding the morse test to gain access to the HF bands. That may be changing soon with a slower morse test but it will also mean reduced power and that will be too late for you anyway. I am listing a number of places below that you should look up. They provide a wealth of information that will be up to date and relevant. The 1st and 2nd links below should be of particular interest to you.

http://www.w5yi.org/

http://www.chaos-x.org/mmsn/mmsn.htm

http://world.std.com/~msgctr/

http://www.wloradio.com/

http://www.fcc.gov/

http://www.arrl.org/

http://www.iaru.org/

I hope it all works out for you. Out of interest, which way are you
going, Horn, Hope or the Canal?

All the best and Bon Voyage.

Conor Daly

Dublin
Ireland

On Tue, 25 May 1999 13:43:17 GMT justin_and_deb@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I have a yacht in the Caribbean that I'm about to
> sail to Australia on. I have a SSB with Ham
> frequencies & a PC. All I want to use the Ham
> for is sending personal e-mail to friends &
> family to stay in touch. Currently I'm in the
> USA (I'm actually an Aussie) and I'll be here for
> another month before getting back on my yacht.
> What type of Ham licence do I need? Can I get it
> in a month? Is it possible to get the call sign
> I need without learning morse even if I'm willing
> to pay for it, then learn morse once I have the
> time (once I'm cruising again)?
> I'm really pushed for time right now but would
> like to get the e-mail system going as soon as I
> get back on the boat.
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> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5101. WB4AIO's XYL speaks! (Long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905251703.TAA27612@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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http://www.splcenter.org/intelligenceproject/ip-4i4.html

Here is the article:

Q&A: Inside the Alliance

A former insider speaks

For four years, Kirsten Kaiser, 36, lived with her husband on or near the West Virginia compound of William Pierce, the leader of the neo-Nazi National Alliance and author of the racist fantasy novel The Turner Diaries. Kaiser was married to Kevin Alfred Strom, who co-hosts Pierce's racist and anti-Semitic radio show and is one of Pierce's closest associates. In that role, she got to know Pierce's inner circle and some of its members' thinking. Over the nine years of her marriage, Kaiser came to question the violently racist views of the Alliance -- especially after the deaths of 19 children in the Oklahoma City bombing, which was patterned on an attack portrayed in The Turner Diaries. Today, she is living in Minnesota and going through a divorce from Strom. The Intelligence Report interviewed Kaiser about her life and acquaintances inside the Alliance, and how she came to leave.

INTELLIGENCE REPORT: How did you first hear of the National Alliance?

KAISER: I first heard about it in 1986 through reading magazines which my second husband, Joseph McLaughlin, had. I remember initially I was really shocked. I had noticed that Joseph didn't seem to like Democrats or Republicans, and I asked him, "What are you anyway?" He said he was a [white] nationalist, that when he was 17 years old he had run away from home and gone to Iceland so he could be around other nationalists.

IR: What was your first contact with William Pierce?

KAISER: Joseph had me call Dr. Pierce one day in the summer of 1987. It was the day that [former Nazi leader] Rudolph Hess died. Joseph was all excited about this and they were all saying that it was a plot, a murder conspiracy.

IR: What did you say to Pierce?

KAISER: I said that I�d been reading his magazines. And he said, "You know, I'm really going to have to have you meet Kevin Strom. I know you'll just love him." I didn't meet Kevin until about four months later, on Nov. 7, 1987, when he came to our house in Arlington [Va.], but I really did like him a lot. I fell in love with him, but I didn't see him again until January 1988.

I was still married to Joseph at that time, but Kevin was starting to introduce me to people. I really wanted to meet people. I was very alone, very isolated.

They were all in this radical movement and they talked about radical things and it was very mysterious and fun and interesting. I had never met anybody like this. In the meantime, the situation with Joseph was getting worse. On March 15, 1988, I left. Kevin helped me move, and he moved into the apartment that I got.

IR: How had Kevin gotten into the movement?

KAISER: It turns out that Kevin's high school government teacher in Fairfax, Va., was a fascist who kind of recruited him into all this. He pointed him to the John Birch Society. Kevin was never involved in the Klan. He is the big intellectual -- we continuously made fun of the Klan. But he did read literature like Instauration [a relatively highbrow racist publication] and corresponded with people like Jared Taylor [who runs a magazine called American Renaissance and has argued that blacks are less intelligent than whites].

IR: When did you first meet Pierce in person?

KAISER: A little before that, at the very end of 1987. Joseph and Kevin and I all met Dr. Pierce at a restaurant in Arlington. I had just finished reading The Turner Diaries, which I thought was very poorly written, and I think I told him so, which may be part of the reason why he dislikes me so much. He said that he had written it very fast and that he was very surprised at how popular it had become. He said that he had always intended to rewrite it and make it better, but that he liked it real well.

IR: Do you think Pierce was serious about the message of the book [which depicts a race war set off by the protagonist's bombing of the FBI headquarters building]?

KAISER: Yes. That first night we met, I remember that he said that if they didn't blow up the FBI soon, it would become impossible because technology was getting better and better.

I used to drive past the Pentagon and other government buildings every day, and I never gave them a second thought until he started pointing out that there was this big sinister thing going on, that they were ultimately out to get me and Joseph personally, particularly because now we knew the truth that no one was supposed to know.

IR: How was Pierce treated that night?

KAISER: Everybody has always treated Dr. Pierce with tremendous reverence. Nobody calls Dr. Pierce "Bill." Even his wife calls him Dr. Pierce.

IR: And how did Pierce act toward you?

KAISER: Dr. Pierce said, "You're just a housewife," and I was so shocked and hurt. I had just got done reading his whole magazine, the National Vanguard magazine, which had a picture of Venus de Milo on the cover and went on and on about how women should be at home having children. I thought, "If that's what they think, why did he just say that to me?" It really hurt and confused me. It never made any sense.

Dr. Pierce doesn't like women. He told me later that he likes them in a James Bond sense. Those were his favorite movies, James Bond movies. In those movies, women are just sort of fun toys, and that is really how he sees them.

Once, Dr. Pierce showed me some mail-order bride catalogs after his third wife, Olga, left him for three or four months. They were just unbelievable. You pick up a catalog that's full of these women and almost every last one of them is named Eva. It was always eastern European women, from Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Russia.

IR: After this initial meeting, I understand you stayed in touch with Pierce while you lived in Virginia and, later, in Maryland. When did you and Kevin finally move to Pierce's compound [on 346 acres outside Hillsboro, W. Va.]?

KAISER: We moved on to his land on Oct. 1, 1991, and stayed there in a little trailer until Sept. 3 of 1992. After that, we moved to an apartment above a truck garage in Hillsboro, and Kevin continued working for Dr. Pierce until 1995.

IR: What was it like living on Pierce's land?

KAISER: By the time we moved off the land, I had pretty much had it with the whole bunch of them. I listened to all these speeches about how this was a community and we were going to work together, and it wasn't that way at all. These people never even bothered to say hello and good-bye. They didn't have dinner together, hardly ever, and they didn't have any celebrations together.

There was no discussion between people about what they were doing and how it connected to what other people were doing. The only one who really knew what was going on was Dr. Pierce, and he wasn't telling anybody anything they didn't need to know.

Nobody drinks there. Drinking is absolutely forbidden. And watching television was not allowed -- even though Dr. Pierce watched the news every night, which I remember ended up getting some people

angry.

It was a station you could hardly see. It was more like listening to the news. You know, Dr. Pierce has extremely poor eyesight because he once kept his contact lenses in for two solid weeks and that damaged his eyes. He is supposed to be such a smart man, but he doesn't have any common sense at all.

They never did really like me there, and I think another one of the reasons was because I said, "If I'm going to work, you're going to have to pay me something because my time is valuable." They just thought that was unheard of. Everyone works for Dr. Pierce, if not for nothing, then virtually nothing. The people who were paid basically got about $300 a month. Dr. Pierce is very, very stingy in many ways.

IR: How seriously do you think Pierce took his own propaganda?

KAISER: Well, he told me that he had done his dissertation on how to build a nuclear bomb. And he made it very clear that when the time came, he would know what to do. He was really very serious about his desire to destroy Israel. It's not so much that they want to destroy the American government; Israel is what they really hated.

They are waiting for when the economic system collapses because this will help instigate a race war. During this time of unrest, they would take over the armories, take control of the government and bomb Israel. I mean, this is what he plans to do. I guess he's going to rule the world once this happens.

I really do think it's a version of The Turner Diaries.

IR: What about Hunter [the novel that Pierce wrote in 1989, after The Turner Diaries, that describes a campaign of assassinations of interracial couples]?

KAISER: Whatever book he was working would be his enthusiasm of the moment. When Hunter came out, that was the way it was going to happen. If enough mixed-race couples were assassinated in a big flurry, that would be enough to wake people up to action.

That book disturbed me. How can you judge somebody else in matters of the heart? If you really did fall in love with somebody of another race, I don't know if I could judge you. This is something I had a real problem with.

IR: How did events in the outside world affect Pierce's people?

KAISER: They were just delighted that Saddam Hussein was attacking Israel. Another thing that delighted them was when they had those riots in Los Angeles. They want the white man to hate the black. They hoped that when social unrest got so bad that a race war started, that would give us the chance to blow up all these buildings

and to get hold of an armory.

You know, wherever you went, you always knew where the armories were. Whenever we were traveling, it was like, "Well, where is the armory?"

IR: What kind of work did you do while you lived on Pierce's land?

KAISER: I did many mailings. I stuffed hundreds and hundreds of envelopes and inventoried books and did a number of other things. But I only did that for Kevin's benefit -- not Dr. Pierce's. As I said, I'd told him that he had to pay me something.

Dr. Pierce also had us making burial tubes [to be used for caching weapons underground]. They were made out of big PVC [plastic] tubes and we would seal the ends with these caps and special tape so that they would be waterproof. As many as we'd make, they'd sell. We'd make 10 to 20 at a time, and they were already sold.

IR: So it was a moneymaking operation for the Alliance?

KAISER: Yes, it was almost pure profit.

IR: What was the reaction when the Southern Poverty Law Center sued Pierce? [Editor's note: After a black sailor was murdered in 1991 by a member of the neo-Nazi Church of the Creator (COTC), Center attorneys sued on behalf of the victim's family and won a $1 million judgment against the COTC. In 1995, after the COTC fraudulently transferred ownership of its North Carolina headquarters to Pierce to keep it from the murdered man's family, the Center sued Pierce personally and won an $85,000 judgment. That judgment was upheld in July by a federal appeals court. The Supreme Court refused to reconsider it.]

KAISER: I remember very well Dr. Pierce making many trips to North Carolina and originally it was a very mysterious thing. After a while, he said that it was very hush-hush, but that it had to do with Ben Klassen [the long-time COTC leader who committed suicide on Aug. 6, 1993].

This all started when [former COTC activist] Will Williams started getting involved. He was like a liaison. After some time, Kevin came to me and said, "Oh no, it is finally happening. [Center co-founder] Morris Dees is suing us." It was like the end of the world. He was terrified of Morris Dees. Kevin just hated him. He said, "Once Morris Dees has set his sights on you, that's it, it's over." They were really upset.

IR: What was Williams' role over the years he was in West Virginia?

KAISER: His title was recruiting coordinator. He came in late 1991 or early 1992, and I thought he was very friendly, really a nice guy, initially. He traveled a lot, and Dr. Pierce paid for his travel. He took

over the farm house [on Pierce's land], and put a new roof on it and built a fence around it. He started raising German shepherds there. He had an obsession with German shepherds. By the time he left, he had 17 of them.

Six or eight months after Will arrived, he went to Russia and married a woman he'd been corresponding with and brought her back. She lasted just a few weeks and then she disappeared. Will was very upset. He just changed completely. This was at the same time that Harold Covington [leader of the National Socialist White People's Party] started attacking Will Williams, saying he was an FBI agent and a homosexual.

All these people are really, really paranoid. They all watch each other, and they're all convinced that everybody else is an FBI agent. For a while, there was even talk that Dr. Pierce was an FBI agent. He just laughed about that.

Anyway, Will Williams left in 1993, or possibly 1994.

IR: How did the standoffs at Ruby Ridge and Waco [in 1992 and 1993] affect the National Alliance?

KAISER: We heard about Randy Weaver [the white supremacist whose wife and son were killed by federal agents at Ruby Ridge, Idaho] long before anybody else did. Kevin was telling me every day it is just a matter of time before they come to get us. We have to be ready. We're stockpiling food and I'm keeping distilled water hidden around the house, and I'm getting more and more afraid.

After Waco, Kevin was always forcing me to watch this [antigovernment] video called Waco: The Big Lie [by Indianapolis attorney and militia advocate Linda Thompson, who once threatened an armed march on Washington, D.C.]. I am so full of fear that I don't know what is going to happen, and I don't trust Dr. Pierce. I am beginning to realize that there is something wrong with everybody I know in the movement. Nobody has a regular job, nobody has a regular [non-mail-order] wife. They don't have girlfriends, they don't have cars that work, they don't have any health insurance. They don't have a real life.

I am beginning to say to Kevin, "We have just got to leave, we have got to have a normal life." And he says, "What's a normal life?"

IR: What about the Oklahoma City bombing?

KAISER: The day after the [April 19, 1995] bombing, Kevin got really nervous. He went through the house and found all his old Voice of Tomorrow stuff. [VOT was a mobile, far-right pirate radio station that Strom ran out of a specially equipped van before meeting Kaiser.] I had never seen him so scared. We put a box of the stuff in the back of the car and we drove to the back of a Wal-Mart in

Virginia, I think, and dumped it.

Later, Kevin told me that Timothy McVeigh had called the Alliance five minutes before the bomb went off and that somehow the FBI knew. But he said McVeigh must have called a lot of other right-wing groups, too. He also said, "You know, the reason why they were all upset is because the bomb was just like the one talked about in the book." Everyone knew what book he was talking about [The Turner Diaries].

I had befriended a lot of local people in West Virginia, and after Oklahoma, a good friend came to me and said, "You know, Kirsten, you better watch your kids. If they get a chance the local people are going to kill your kids, because a lot of kids were killed in Oklahoma." I look outside my window and there are all these reporters. My heart is racing and I am just petrified. This is real. These are all real reporters, people dressed up in suits with cameras and microphones. I'm not making this up.

IR: How were you affected by all this personally?

KAISER: By this time, I had realized that the idea of a revolution was ridiculous. If these people can't hold down a regular job, what makes you think they can run a country?

Kevin told me that the bombing was a good thing, because it was a government building and that government employees had been killed. It was a part of the revolution. I called my brother and my brother said, "Yeah, well what about all those kids that were killed?" Kevin said to me, "Well, if there were children killed, they must have been the children of government employees and it will teach them all a lesson." This was retribution for what happened in Waco.

After I got through with this conversation with my brother, something began to grow in me. It was like this little seed. My brother works for the Coast Guard, which means the government, so Kevin was saying that he deserved to be killed. It took a little while for that to sink in on me.

I became so depressed after the bombing. The whole idea that they really think it's okay for children to be killed was starting to bother me.

IR: So you began to think about leaving West Virginia?

KAISER: At about this time, Kevin and Dr. Pierce were having a disagreement. I was happy because I was thinking Kevin was finally going to say we could leave. I wanted to go to Minnesota. One day, he came home with a magazine saying Rochester [Minn.] was supposed to be the best place in America to live. It was either 96 percent or 97 percent white, so it was acceptable for that reason. We moved there in November of 1995.

I don't know if anyone can relate to this except maybe a prisoner of war, but when we left I was able to listen to regular radio broadcasts. I hadn't heard Paul Harvey in years. I didn't know that O.J. Simpson had apparently killed his wife. Kevin hadn't allowed us to watch television or read the newspapers because they promote multiculturalism. Driving across country, we were stopping at gas stations and I could see newspapers with today's date on them. There were TVs in the hotel rooms. It was really weird.

IR: How was Rochester once you got there?

KAISER: I got a job as a real estate salesperson. I had a lot of fun, but I felt a sense of shame for the first time because when people asked, I couldn't say what my husband did. At the same time, I couldn't go to office parties, various social things, because Kevin didn't like being around people. And I couldn't go alone because that would mean getting a baby-sitter, and we couldn't have a baby-sitter because they'd be in the house and then they would know who we were.

The fact that I had to name my baby daughter Klara -- Klara was Hitler's mother's name -- was also starting to bother me. This whole deal with Hitler was really starting to bother me.

IR: When did it all come to a head for you?

KAISER: On Nov. 13, 1996, we were listening to the radio to hear the weather report. They were talking about some young couple in New Jersey that had hidden the fact that the girl was pregnant. They killed their baby after she gave birth in a hotel room.

I just started crying, and Kevin got mad at me. He said, "Why are you crying?" And I said, "They killed a baby. They killed a baby." I'm looking at my own baby, who is three or four weeks old, and I am just freaking out. And then Kevin said that it was a good thing that it happened, because the woman was a Jew and the man was a Gentile.

I was thinking several thoughts at the same time. How could he know the woman was a Jew? And it occurred to me, for the first time, that it actually didn't matter what race the child was. It was a little baby. I just kept envisioning that happening to my baby, and I couldn't stop crying. I curled up into a ball in the corner and held on to the baby. I wouldn't let her go, and I couldn't stop crying.

Eventually, I went to see a counselor. He told me that it was a good thing that I was upset, that everyone should be upset when they hear things like that. He said that all children were all part of our family. That is what he said.

In his office, I picked up an old magazine with pictures of the Oklahoma bombing. I screwed up my courage and I read the articles and I looked at the pictures. I was thinking that this child being held

by a fireman doesn't look any different than my son, Oskar, and it's covered with blood. And that whole idea, that there really isn't any difference, that children are children, all came to me. It all came together on that date.

5102. WB4AIO's XYL speaks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905251705.TAA27759@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141652
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Don't forget to select a remailer !

5103. Re: Dallas/Fort Worth Hamcomm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank & Nancy Krizan <krizan@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <374AD897.9E132675@swbell.net>
Source record: 141653

Hi Brad,

Yep ... try http://www.hamcom.org/

73, Frank KR1ZAN
Garland, TX
kr1zan@arrl.net

Brad wrote:

> I understand Hamcomm's date is June11-12-13 time period. Is there a
> Website?
>
> Brad K5ILW

5104. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sdem4393 <sdem4393@euronet.be>
Message-ID: <7ielqi$g27@news3.euro.net>
Source record: 141654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hy,

It's a dream until now but ...

take a look at CWGET and CWTYPE (CW of course)
IZ8BLY Hellschreiber.exe (Hellschreiber mode)
PSK31.exe (psk31 mode)

They are Windows programs using the sound card with receive and transmit
possibilities.

And IT WORKS.

So it must be possible to do it for other mode.

sdem4393@euronet.be
best 73

5105. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iem7e$n27@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141655

W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net> wrote:
>After having read most of the postings submitted to this NG it appears that
>about 2/3 of the postings are either about politics, slander, or pure
>personal conjecture. I was under the impression that submissions to this NG
>were to be for the betterment and proliferation of amateur radio.

Hello OM,
Please check out our specialized NGs; here's the list of 'em:

rec.radio.broadcasting (devoted to the broadcast industry; moderated)
rec.radio.cb
rec.radio.info (periodic informational bulletins; moderated)
rec.radio.scanner
rec.radio.shortwave
rec.radio.swap (for buying, selling, and trading; not a discussion group)

rec.radio.amateur.antenna
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors (tube-type communications equipment)
rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc (packet, pactor and other digital modes)
rec.radio.amateur.dx (long-distance amateur communications)
rec.radio.amateur.equipment (questions, comments regarding commercially-
built amateur gear; not for buying/selling)
rec.radio.amateur.homebrew (devoted to home-building ham gear)
rec.radio.amateur.policy (issues include code, restructuring, local
restrictions in conflict with FCC R&R)
rec.radio.amateur.space (satellites, meteor scatter, EME)
rec.radio.amateur.misc (any topic not covered in the above groups)

73,
Jeff KH6O

5106. Re: Unsubscribing from info-hams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iemtt$ngt@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141656

John Lyons <lyonsjdl@cfw.COM> wrote:
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>Please Please!
>How do I Unsubscribe from this list.Have no info Unsubscribe Don't
>Work.PLease Email me Direct to mailto:lyonsjdl@cfw.com
>Don't Post it in the list Hay Stack.
>ARS KA4PNV

John, let this be a lesson to you! When you subscribe to an email list,
SAVE THE WELCOME MESSAGE THAT IS SENT TO YOU!! It will always contain
the instructions on how to unsub. Now, you unsub from info-hams (the
r.r.a.misc email digest) exactly the same way you sub'd in the first
place: Send an email to listserv@ucsd.edu but this time write:
unsubscribe info-hams
and we'll then let you off the hook. Make sure you send that from the
same email account you used when you initially subscribed.

Jeff KH6O

5107. Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boo-Boo-Bare@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4466-374ADC37-32@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141657

We all know the Southern Perversion Law Center concocted this story to counter the charges against Morris "Sleaze" Dees and how he tried to sexually assault his own daughter!

To be quite honest, I have to question the credibility of this article since Mrs. Strom doesn't choose to have custody of her children at this time.

5108. THE TYPICAL BARF-STUMPIE REPLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525134825.11361.00003303@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141658

Here is an example of the kind of stuff that sits in the mind of a BARFie and StumpJumper. I believe that Lloyd Davies, the ignorant Code-Free Tech is Rambo. The guy's dementedm arrogant and the epitome of a piece of WHITE TRASH who hails from Athens Alabama. And even if Rambo isn't Davies he smells like him. In the meantime N0VFP, instead of writing anti-Semitic garbage,why aren't you studying to become a REAL HAM? Too lazy? Too stupid? Or are you preparing to become recording secretary of Herbie Schoenbohm's SWL Club once his lawyer's anal...oops..oral arguments are turned down by the D.C. Appellate Court?

Loud mouth jew.....SHUT UP!!!

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From: Rig Rambo <radio_rambo1@yahoo.com>
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5109. Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525135424.11361.00003306@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141659

<< Subject: WB4AIO's XYL speaks!
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Date: Tue, May 25, 1999 5:05 PM
Message-id: <199905251705.TAA27759@mail.replay.com>

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http://www.splcenter.org/intelligenceproject/ip-4i4.html
<<<ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THIS URL? I JUST TRIED ACCESSING IT AND FAILED.IS WB4AIO
THE SAME NITWIT AS WB4EIEIO, WHO'S ONE OF THE CHIEF WHITE SUPREMACISTS. I'VE
SEEN HIS CALL LISTED SOMEWHERE AMONG "AMERICAN POND SCUM." Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

Don't forget to select a remail >>

5110. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <374AD943.BC7843C8@ibm.net>
Source record: 141660

You just need the correct motivation. I had my Tech license about as long as you have. Got it around 1972 and about 2 years ago decided to do some serious work on the code and upgraded to Advanced.. For me, I just did not really have much use for the low bands. Did get interested in them for a while looking at the RTTY pix on 20 meters, but when the computers took over, I lost interest in that. Still have a model 19 teletype machine set up .Still don't have much use for the low bands. I have been an advanced for over a year and have made maybe 10 random contacts below 30 mhz. One of my purposes to get on the low bands was to get on some of the VHF nets and also the 28 mhz frequency that is above the area I could operate with the tech license.I have been keeping up a 2 meter repeater and active on 6 meters, 2 meters and 432 ssb. Also the satellites. Just having too much fun on the VHF and above to study the code.

Guess my real motivation is that my son had developed some interest in ham radio and got his no code tech license and was working on the code. Just could not let him out do me.

Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
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> Well Mike, I'm old, tired but limited lazy. I have had my tech + ticket
> since 1974. I have attempted the code but to no avail on several
> occassions over the years. Theory hasn't been a problem, especially
> when I took the general theory. If the older hams want to lock us other
> older hams with tech + tickets out so be it, it's there loss. There are
> over 100K of us across the US. I was so confident eorn's ago about
> passing the general code test I bought a ts-430s and now it just sits
> there collecting dust. In fact it hasn't been on for over 8 yrs.
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5111. Re: John Mackey - A definition, and a vision.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ieoh1$n1$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141661
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters

Sponge-Coated Edible Steering Column Chrome Fender Dents and Factory
Air-Conditioned Air from our Fully-Equipped Air-Conditioned Factory wrote in
message ...
>In article <7icuf8oi1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>,
>ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com mumbled...
>PKB. Keeps this OT crap outta rec.radio.amateur. There's enough petty
>bickering here already. If you'd like a reservation we may have room for
>you in 2002 or so.
No problem, I was just answering a question that someone had asked. 2002,
huh? ;-)

>--> The only reason that John exists is because of the actions of others.
I
>--> have in the past and still today propose a simple solution: ignore him.

>WOW! Excellent idea. Why don't you follow your own advice.
I am. It has been months since I replied directly to Laughing John.
Unfortunately, it isn't enough. Everyone has to do it for it to work.

-Phil

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-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

5112. Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks! (Long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Boo-Boo-Bare@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4467-374AE01E-18@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141662

Anyone have the link that shows the court documents alleging Morris "Sleaze" Dees of the Southern Perversion Law Center with child sexual abuse??

I know I've run into them before here on the net, but tried to do a quick search, but to no avail.

5113. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374AEA73.FEE73FC1@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141663

And maybe it is time to put "moderated" after rec.radio.amateur.misc.
73
Mark
AB0HJ

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Hello OM,
> Please check out our specialized NGs; here's the list of 'em:
>
> rec.radio.broadcasting (devoted to the broadcast industry; moderated)
> rec.radio.cb
> rec.radio.info (periodic informational bulletins; moderated)
> rec.radio.scanner
> rec.radio.shortwave
> rec.radio.swap (for buying, selling, and trading; not a discussion group)
>
> rec.radio.amateur.antenna
> rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors (tube-type communications equipment)
> rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc (packet, pactor and other digital modes)
> rec.radio.amateur.dx (long-distance amateur communications)
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment (questions, comments regarding commercially-
> built amateur gear; not for buying/selling)
> rec.radio.amateur.homebrew (devoted to home-building ham gear)
> rec.radio.amateur.policy (issues include code, restructuring, local
> restrictions in conflict with FCC R&R)
> rec.radio.amateur.space (satellites, meteor scatter, EME)
> rec.radio.amateur.misc (any topic not covered in the above groups)
>
> 73,
> Jeff KH6O

5114. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ieq2r$4db@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

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>On Tue, 25 May 1999 03:39:20 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:
>
>>Wow Bill, the last time I heard that was in 2nd grade. No wait it was
>>first grade!!!
>>
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>>
>>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>>
>>> you were born and somehow
>>> survived. that is the crime.
>>
Width-of one hair
brain within
Mackeral's thickness
brittle and dim

that is absolutely correct:
you never got out of first
grade and you still reside
there.
thanks for the update. From
2nd grade up to 1st grade...
what a concept at work here
for this brine-swill sewer
dropping go plunk-plunk in
full sized sighted.

bill conduit
etc.
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5115. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fcaode4.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 141665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 25 May 1999 08:41:00 -0500, David Stinson wrote:

>Phil, I actually enjoy reading your posts because they're
>informed and reasonable. I'm not a lawyer, so don't
>always have complete information. Do you know the
>circumstances that let Stern and his ilk off the hook with the FCC
>several years ago? Was it that they reached a compromise
>that he would limit his nasty talk and they wouldn't push further?

Not quite "off the hook".

The Evergreen stations paid a large six figure "settlement" to
the U S Treasury in lieu of a formal proceeding followed by a
fine. They also realized that this was their one-and-only
"first bite".

>My personal beef with the commission is the appearance of
>enforcement based in part on the political content of speech,
>rather then actual violation of the regulations.
>So the issue of obscenity isn't my hot-button.
>But I'd like to hear how that issue actually went
>from someone who knows what he's talking about.

The Commission's enforcement process - especially in amateur
radio matters - isn't so sophisticated that "political content"
has any factor. The only time that such "content" was even
paid attention to was where the licensee issues a clear "I'll
do what I want and I dare you do something about it" challenge
to the FCC for unacceptable behavior and then I had no qualms
about finding the violation in the action and going the full
bore with it.

We tend to lose sight of the fact that the Amateur Radio
Service is the only service regulated by the Commission that
has strict content control regulation by international
agreement, i.e. amateur communications are "limited to messages
of a technical nature relating to tests, and, to remarks of a
personal character for which, by reason of their unimportance,
recourse to the public telecommunications service is not
justified" to quote the (International) Radio Regulations.

As a ham of 49 years' experience, I have no problem at all in
determining what is acceptable and unacceptable conduct on the
air, and "hate and dissention" (to borrow a phrase from our CB
brothers) falls into the latter category and if it falls into

"prohibited communications" it should be dealt with as such.

Then again, the first ham transmission that I ever heard, on a one-tube regenerative receiver that I built for a Boy Scout project in 1950 was (and I remember it clearly to this day) "Hey, you lop-eared jackass, get off of 20 meters".

There's nothing new under the sun.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

5116. Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7if020cvn1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141666

radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

> <<<ARE YOU SURE ABOUT THIS URL? I JUST TRIED ACCESSING IT AND
> FAILED.IS WB4AIO THE SAME NITWIT AS WB4EIEIO, WHO'S ONE OF THE
> CHIEF WHITE SUPREMACISTS. I'VE SEEN HIS CALL LISTED SOMEWHERE
> AMONG "AMERICAN POND SCUM." Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

Hola OM AF2Y

Don't worry about it. The URL contains a lot of off-the-wall stuff similar to yours and that of Zimmerlee and others. Basically falls in the category of "if you point at something/somebody that people don't understand, and invoke demons, a certain number of stupid or gullible people will believe your story" and stone them.

Get your own facts -- make up your own mind.

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5117. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <4930-374AF1C4-23@newsd-132.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141667

In other words, what Phil is basically saying, is that the FCC can make up the rules as they go along. If someone says something nasty about Bill Clinton, and an FCC official worships the ground Bill walks on, he'll have no trouble "finding" a violation of some sort.

It's similar to cops pulling over African-American motorists at random. If they protest and ask what's the reason, they'll find anything wrong on the car, from a dim license plate light, to an air freshner handing from the rear view.

Jack....Of All Trades

5118. Re: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7if19n$e0n$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141668

In article <19990524203944.28131.00004344@ng-fu1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Two simple rules to save your ass
>
> 1.If you're questioned by Riley, declare yourself a card carrying Jew on
> the internet . This way, you can defend your license by declaring
> yourself a victim, while circumventing the fact you called African
> Americans niggers.<<<THIS IS THE KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT INFLAMES. THIS IS THE
> KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT DEGRADES OUR HOBBY. DON'T EVER MENTION ME IN
> ASSOCIATION WITH ANY SLUR AGAINST A MAN OF COLOR. IT'S NOT HAPPENED NOR WILL
> IT>>>>

The Supreme Court ruled passengers in cars can be searched along with
the driver. Think of WB2OTK as YOUR driver.

Another uneducated knee-jerk leftist who thinks saying nigger is
reference to what someone else (WB2OTK) said, is racist.
It isn't. Calling someone one is.

>
> 2. Take your lawyer's advice and begin posting an endless stream of
> blind praise for the feederal government and Riley in particular. That
> way, Riley will read it or your lawyer can send a printout via certified
> mail to prove you've repented.
> <<<<.... MY POSTINGS ABOUT HIM ARE BASED ON THE FACT THAT I,
> AF2Y, UNDERSTAND WHAT THE MAN IS ABOUT-WHAT HE'S DOING AND HOW IMPORTANT HE IS
> TO THIS HOBBY/SERVICE. WHAT I'M TRYING TO DO IS TO IMPART KNOWLEDGE TO THOSE
> WHO DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR WILL NOT UNDERSTAND.

You just did it again.

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5119. Replacement License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <374af5e5.1324360@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141669

A friend of mine can not find her copy of her license. How would she go about getting another copy or would she need to file a form for a replacement?

W4SCO

5120. Re: Replacement License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sco@sco-inc.com
Message-ID: <374bf9e4.2347912@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141670

On Tue, 25 May 1999 19:13:09 GMT, sco@sco-inc.com wrote:

>A friend of mine can not find her copy of her license. How would she
>go about getting another copy or would she need to file a form for a
>replacement?
>
>W4SCO

Please email info to: sco@sco-inc.com

5121. FS: Radio Shack Digital Signal Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharvey@thefuture.net
Message-ID: <7iervd$37b@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.digital

I have 1 Radio Shack DSP 40 digital noise reduction system. Works great but my IC-720 already has passband tuning. $40 will deliver to you via USPS. Please email me if you are interested. Scott, KA7FVV

5122. organization fighting hate!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525154532.28132.00005798@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 141672

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Click on here for some refreshing news........<A
HREF="http://www.splcenter.org/">SPLCENTER.ORG</A>

AF2Y, Doc
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5123. Re: READ,UNDERSTAND AND ACT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jude101 <jsjk@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <7if2vr$fd0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141673

In article <19990524160626.11363.00002963@ng-fv1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> <<<AN EDUCATED PUBLIC IS OUR BEST ANSWER TO THE HATEMONGERS ON THE INTERNET.

Thank God for exptremists who stand up to multicultural racists like you, which are the worst racist of all since you preach the blending of all races, therebye the destruction of all the races.

All the examples you claim are HATERS are actually the LOVERS. You are the true HATERS of the human race.

It takes ALOT of love and courage to do what Tim McVeigh did in order to help start a race war, in the name of the GREAT white man.

The reason people LIKE YOU, and most in authority are so apparently concerned about terrorism, is because you know the terrorists are after YOU and that they show you for what you are: self-centered creatures that have not been labeled officially yet in the animal kingdom.

People LIKE YOU, and Klinton, think NOTHING of saying that civilians can be expected to die, such as those in Kosova, those in Japan in WWII, and those that die at the hands of terrorist, in oder to preserve "their brand of freedom".

The silent majority, which IS the decent people who watch and question ALL that they see and hear, realize that creatures like you don't care whether terrorism or war destroys all of society, because your wealth will protect you in the mountains or caticombs under the earth.

Federal buildings, large corporations, and certain public events are protected to the max, not in order to protect the average person who seldom uses or visits these areas, but they protect the police, the authorities, politicians, the wealthy (those who can afford protection) and the real criminals (eg.those with their hand on "the buttons") that roam our world via the others.

I am NOW calling for the termination of you and your kind.

It is a GOOD thing that creatures LIKE YOU are trying to scare or force EXTREMIST into an undercover world, where they can more methodically plan and wait to destroy creatures LIKE YOU & Klinton, instead of randomly killing innocent people who may share our beliefs.

And people like me will continue to show you for what you are from up here in the light, therebye FORCING you into making the mistake of your miserable lives.

John :)

Please visit our web site!
http://members.aol.com/halvy101/index.htm

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5124. FS: Radio Shack Digital Signal Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharvey@thefuture.net
Message-ID: <7ies9t$37b@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141674

I have a Radio Shack DSP 40 Digital Signal Processor. It works great
just did not need it with my Icom 720. $40 delivered to the cont. US.
Email if you are interested. Scott.

5125. Re: Frequency!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas C. Sefranek" <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <374AFCE1.82D2981D@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 141675

Neomorpheous wrote:

> What type of frequency is HAM? FM, AM? Also, what kind of voice
> privileges do I have withing the 10 band, and how far can I get with a
> 10 meter and a 200 watt amp? How about the 2M radio, what kind of
> priviledges will I have in the 10 and 2 meters with a technician
> license?

These and many more questions are answered in the exam material
necessary to get a license.
"Now your talking" is one such book.

Ham Radio is not a "frequency", frequency is NOT FM or AM.
Modulation is FM or AM.
A technician has NO privileges on 10 meters.
The power level of 200 watts vs 100 watts is insignificant in aiding how
"far" you can get.
A technician license allows full privileges on the 2 meter band.
--
Thomas C. Sefranek WA1RHP
ARRL Instructor, Technical Specialist, VE Contact.
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/41_Repeater/repeater.html
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html

5126. freedom of speech?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524202913.28131.00004337@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 141677

Every day I read about how Riley is taking away our freedom of speech. What the hell is the matter with you? To carry on on ham radio; to make the hobby look bad by using foul language;overdo sexual connotations;preach white extremism, anti-Semitism, Holocaust denial and hatred for this government by way of insulting our leaders, IS DETRIMENTAL TO THIS HOBBY/SERVICE. Don't you understand this? Still stubborn? Sue Riley. See how far it'll get you. You'll go bankrupt or claim to go bankrupt like KV4FZ. Go scream FREEDOM OF SPEECH. The point is that we have it but on ham radio, we ABUSE it and that's what Riley's steamed about.For a decade we screamed, "Where's the FCC/ They have abandoned us. They are allowing ham radio to go to hell as did CB." We wrote letters to the Feds. When ignorant Mike Galego,KA4MUJ, was preaching anti-Semitism, I contacted my Senators who contacted the FCC. The answer back in 1989-1994? Freedom of speech!!!!! It was FREEDOM OF SPEECH then because it never occured to them that our spectra was threatened by foreign interests. Now speech is limited somewhat in ORDER TO PROTECT WHAT WE HAVE and you whiners and bitchers and moaners can't understand it. Look men, the sign oif maturity is FLEXIBILITY i.e. to be able to roll with the punches instead of panicking and allowing them to knock you out. Whether you like it or not, Riley is proving every day that he is an equal opportunity enforcer. He's pro and con no one and no group. He is insistent on a change for the better in this hobby/service and by God, he's going to get what he wants because of one main thing-he has the AUTHORITY to realize it! And so my recommendation is to change your ways and stop grousing.Carrying on indecently in ham radio is equivalent to screaming fire in a crowded theatre when there isn't any. Then tell the judge all about your freedom of speech and see how far it'll get you. Doc,AF2Y

5127. Re: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524203944.28131.00004344@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 141678

<< Subject: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization
From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
Date: Mon, May 24, 1999 7:38 PM
Message-id: <7icnsv$p7i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

Two simple rules to save your ass

1.If you're questioned by Riley, declare yourself a card carrying Jew on the internet . This way, you can defend your license by declaring yourself a victim, while circumventing the fact you called African Americans niggers.<<<THIS IS THE KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT INFLAMES. THIS IS THE KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT DEGRADES OUR HOBBY. DON'T EVER MENTION ME IN ASSOCIATION WITH ANY SLUR AGAINST A MAN OF COLOR. IT'S NOT HAPPENED NOR WILL IT>>>>

2. Take your lawyer's advice and begin posting an endless stream of blind praise for the feederal government and Riley in particular. That way, Riley will read it or your lawyer can send a printout via certified mail to prove you've repented.
<<<<ANOTHER BLATANTLY IGNORANT BUT INTENTIONAL FALSEHOOD. I HAVE NO LAWYER. I NEED NONE. I WILL NOT NEED ONE. NEVER HAVE
I RECEIVED ANY TYPE OF VERBAL OR WRITTEN WARNING FROM RILEY HOLLINGSWORTH AND DOUBT IF IT'LL HAPPEN. MY POSTINGS ABOUT HIM ARE BASED ON THE FACT THAT I, AF2Y, UNDERSTAND WHAT THE MAN IS ABOUT-WHAT HE'S DOING AND HOW IMPORTANT HE IS TO THIS HOBBY/SERVICE. WHAT I'M TRYING TO DO IS TO IMPART KNOWLEDGE TO THOSE WHO DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR WILL NOT UNDERSTAND.
IF ANYONE THINKS I'M IN ANY KIND OF TROUBLE WITH R.H., CALL OR E-MAIL AND ASK BUT THEN AGAIN, HE'S MUCH TOO BUSY TO FOOL WITH IDIOTS. TAKE MY WORD FOR IT AND IF NOT, THEN PUT YOUR COMMENTS WHERE THE SUN DON'T SHINE>>>>>>
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5128. Re: THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524204042.18121.00003048@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 141679

Of course, AF2Y doesn't seem the least bit
upset that the Clinton Administration has
far and away the greatest number of Jews,
homosexuals, lesbians, and communists than
any administration in the history of the U.S.

Jewish newspapers ... newspapers that the
much-hated goyim gentiles are not supposed
to see ... openly boast of the fact that the Jews
have the Clinton Administration and the
Democratic party "in their pocket".

Hey Doc, when are you going to complain
about that, you ffffing hypocrite?

Come on Doc, admit it. You HATE Christians,
don't you? Why else would you spend your
every waking hour fighting them?

But that's OK, Doc. Keep spreading your
anti-Christian, anti-White hate. These folks
need to see who their enemies are!

Could it be that George Washington and
Ben Franklin were absolutely correct when
they said that Jews should NEVER be allowed into the U.S.A.?

5129. JAPAN RADIO COMPANY "JRC" JHM-402S25 mobile UHF radio HELP NEEDED .!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox@MailAndNews.com
Message-ID: <374bf26b.15497468@news.tel.hr>
Source record: 141680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I would highly appreciate your help regarding the following problem:

I do owe one of JRC's mobile radios under name >> JHM-402S25<< It is UHF

150 Channels radio .!!

and the DEALER code of this UNIT was 22222222 so in order to change

frequencies etc. one should

press arrow UP and simultaniously power on radio .!! after that number

22222222 should be entered

from keypad, from then on it is possible to reprogramm the radio .!!

Unfortunately i have reset radio

and it has cleared its RAM Memory DATA, so now radio has drawn initial

settings from its EPROM

and the DEALER code is not 22222222 anymore, so i cannot access to radios

frequencies anymore and

thus cannot reprogramm it .!!! Can you possibly tell me what is the FACTORY

DEALER code of this

radio so i could reprogramm it or is there any other way to enter into DEALER

mode without

entering PASSWORD thru keypad ????

I find it neccessary to tell you what is shown on the display of the radio when it

powers up .!!

i suppose it is software revision number or something like that ... ??

A-1.02 is shown ??

Please if you can help me in any way i would be eternally thankfull to you cause

i find it REMARKABLE RADIO .!!!

Any kind of Service Manual or Service information would be highly appreciated

regards

Fox

fox@MailAndNews.com

5130. DETAILED SERVICE MANUAL for SPECTRA MOTOROLA NEEDED .!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: fox@MailAndNews.com
Message-ID: <374af1c8.15333989@news.tel.hr>
Source record: 141681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Please if anyone got one spare or would like to sell it for reasonable
price contact me ASAP .. ---->> fox@MailAndNews.com

P.S

I need DETAILED SERVICE MANUAL FOR SPECTRA MOTOROLA RADIOS not
ordinary service manual .!!!

regards

Fox

5131. DON'T UNDERESTIMATE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524215231.02112.00005477@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141682

HUDSON, NH: The FCC has asked a net control station of the Liberty Net on 3950 kHz to justify the net's use of Amateur Radio frequencies.<<<IT'S A WONDER WHY NOTHING HAD BEEN DONE BEFORE THIS, BUT THEN AGAIN, HAD OUR SPECTRA BEEN THREATENED YEARS AGO?>>>> Via Certified Mail May 7 to Extra class licensee Victor A. Misek, W1WCR, FCC Legal Adviser for Enforcement Riley Hollingsworth said monitoring on May 1 indicated that Misek's station and members of the group for which he was acting as net control "began transmitting on top of existing Amateur communications that were already in progress." <<<WHY SHOULD IT HAVE MADE ANY DIFFERENCE WHO WAS ON? AFTER ALL,EVERYONE KNOWS THAT BEGINNING AT TEN O'CLOCK P.M EASTERN,IT ALWAYS IS THE APPOINTED TIME TO RUN DOWN OUR GOVERNMENT,RUN DOWN MINORITIES AND CREATE ENOUGH MAYHEM TO EVOKE INCORRECT RESPONSES BY THE MANY TAKING OFFENSE>>>> Hollingsworth said that such operation "is considered deliberate interference and cannot be tolerated on the Amateur frequencies." <<< HOW ELSE CAN IT BE CLASSIFIED OTHER THAN DELIBERATE? COME TO THINK OF IT, ADD MALICIOUS,SINISTER, MALEVOLENT AND SUBVERSIVE.>>>>Hollingsworth pointed out that Congress has authorized the FCC<<<THIS IS IMPORTANT. REALIZE THAT IT'S CONGRESS WHICH DRIVES THE FCC TO ACTION. CONGRESS IS THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT OR AT LEAST ONE PART OF IT-THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH. I WONDER IF THE JUDICIAL IS NEXT?>>>>to seek information to enable it to determine the qualifications of a licensee or applicant. "We are so far unable to determine<<<<MOST OF US AGREE>>> how the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service," Hollingsworth wrote.<<THEY DON'T! IT'S THAT SIMPLE. IN FACT,THEIR TRANSMISSIONS ARE ABHORRENT TO THE AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE. ABOMINABLE. DISGUSTING AND FILTHY TOO.>>>> He suggested The Liberty Net explore operation on the Internet or seek a low-power FM broadcast grant if that service is authorized. <<<HE FORGOT TO MENTION A LANDFILL OR A SWAMP OR AN OUTHOUSE OR A PIGSTY.>>>>Hollingsworth reminded Misek that Part 97 "prohibits communications on the Amateur frequencies that, on a regular basis, 'could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services.'"<<THAT'S A POLITE WAY OF SAYING..."HIT THE ROAD, YOU BUMS.>>> He also pointed out that Part 97 prohibits broadcasting. Hollingsworth invited Misek to contact him to discuss the matter.<<"MISER," YOU'VE GOT A LOT OF EXPLAINING TO DO. YOU HAD BETTER GET YOUR LIES IN ORDER. OH ONE OTHER THING VICTOR....YOU TRAMPS HAVE BEEN RUNNING DOWN THE GOVERNMENT WHICH EMPLOYS THE MAN AND YOU'RE FORGETTING THAT RILEY IS A DEDICATED AMERICAN WHO DOESN'T BUY YOUR EXTREMIST CRAP AND NO TRUE AMERCAN, ESPECIALLY ONE IN THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, WILL PUT UP WITH YOUR KIND FOREVER. GOODBYE MISER ,GOODBYE "MISERSCUM" AND GOOD RIDDANCE>>>>AF2Y, DOC

5132. Re: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7id2s6$p5$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141683

Here is Dr Hate AF2Y , Charles Swartzbarg, telling lies again. He said "I have no lawyer I need none. I will never need one. Never have"

This is in fact a lie. But what else is new? He lies all the time. The truth is, he had a lawyer write Walter Miller of Edison N. J. W2YEE. This was a letter warning Walter to stop talking about him or some such nonsence. So don't believe anything "DR Hate" tells you. He will lie in a New York minute if it suits his purpose or if he thinks it will win a argument. You decent amateurs who don't know this screwball will find out he one mixed up idiot. He pulled this stuff for years on the hambands. We are glad he is here raving and foaming at the mouth. At least you can dump him and can not hear that whiney voice.

article <19990524203944.28131.00004344@ng-fu1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization
> From: mf_luder@my-dejanews.com
> Date: Mon, May 24, 1999 7:38 PM
> Message-id: <7icnsv$p7i$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
>
> Two simple rules to save your ass
>
> 1.If you're questioned by Riley, declare yourself a card carrying Jew
on
> the internet . This way, you can defend your license by declaring
> yourself a victim, while circumventing the fact you called African
> Americans niggers.<<<THIS IS THE KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT INFLAMES.
THIS IS THE
> KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT DEGRADES OUR HOBBY. DON'T EVER MENTION ME IN
> ASSOCIATION WITH ANY SLUR AGAINST A MAN OF COLOR. IT'S NOT HAPPENED
NOR WILL
> IT>>>>
>
> 2. Take your lawyer's advice and begin posting an endless stream of
> blind praise for the feederal government and Riley in particular. That
> way, Riley will read it or your lawyer can send a printout via
certified
> mail to prove you've repented.
> <<<<ANOTHER BLATANTLY IGNORANT BUT INTENTIONAL FALSEHOOD. I HAVE NO
LAWYER. I
> NEED NONE. I WILL NOT NEED ONE. NEVER HAVE
> I RECEIVED ANY TYPE OF VERBAL OR WRITTEN WARNING FROM RILEY
HOLLINGSWORTH AND
> DOUBT IF IT'LL HAPPEN. MY POSTINGS ABOUT HIM ARE BASED ON THE FACT
THAT I,

> AF2Y, UNDERSTAND WHAT THE MAN IS ABOUT-WHAT HE'S DOING AND HOW
IMPORTANT HE IS
> TO THIS HOBBY/SERVICE. WHAT I'M TRYING TO DO IS TO IMPART KNOWLEDGE
TO THOSE
> WHO DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR WILL NOT UNDERSTAND.
> IF ANYONE THINKS I'M IN ANY KIND OF TROUBLE WITH R.H., CALL OR E-MAIL
AND ASK
> BUT THEN AGAIN, HE'S MUCH TOO BUSY TO FOOL WITH IDIOTS. TAKE MY WORD
FOR IT AND
> IF NOT, THEN PUT YOUR COMMENTS WHERE THE SUN DON'T SHINE>>>>>>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what yo >>
>
>

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---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5133. Re: THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524215619.02112.00005481@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141684

<< Could it be that George Washington and
Ben Franklin were absolutely correct when
they said that Jews should NEVER be allowed into the U.S.A.? >>

<<<<AF2Y writes....if that had been the case,as one example, a lot of your
bigots' kids would have died from polio.>>>>>

5134. Re: THE REPUBLICAN PARTY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990524222937.10953.00004308@ng31.aol.com>
Source record: 141685

>
><<<<AF2Y writes....if that had been the case,as one example, a lot of your
>bigots' kids would have died from polio.>>>>>
>

Perhaps, but at least we wouldn't have AF2Y.

HAW HAW HAW

But seriously folks, did you note how AF2Y
completely sidestepped my comments about
the Clinton Administration and the Democrats
being under Jewish control?

Come on now, herr Doktor, if it is bad for
the Republicans to be under Christian control
as you claim, then certainly it is just as bad
(if not worse) for the Democrats and Clinton
to be under Jewish control. I say "worse"
because at least Christians consist of a
substantial majority of the nations populace,
while Jews are a very small minority ....
a minority with a history of pro-communist
activity and anti-American espionage. Such
a minority should not have such power in
our government, news media, publishing,
and other places, should they?

If you say "they should be allowed to have
such disproportionate power", then I don't
want to hear another word from you about
the supposed influence of Christians on the
Republican party.

5135. ACS Newsletter for 24 May 1999

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7id1eo$gf8@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141686
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.info

Welcome to the Auxiliary Communications Service Newsletter, developed by the ACS Training Unit of the State of California Governor's Office of Emergency Services. Please visit our ACS Home Page at http://acs.oes.ca.gov

The purpose of this weekly newsletter is to bring those of us in emergency communications closer together by sharing common ideas, and by introducing new technology into the emergency services community. All individuals with an interest in emergency communications, disaster preparedness or helping the community at large are encouraged to participate here in an open forum.

You will find a virtual community here, with representatives from many different organizations with the same common goal: emergency response. We encourage everyone, from whatever organization you represent (or just yourself!) to bring us your ideas, suggestions, concerns, manuals, handbooks, or opinions so that we may share them with the group. To those of you who have just joined us, welcome aboard!

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Please Welcome:

Rich Sampson / KD6FYE <kd6fye@pacbell.net>
Half Moon Bay, CA

jonathatnloh/kf6wdh <jloh@futon.sfsu.edu>
San Francisco, CA
I'm interested in learning about how amateur radio operators get used in emergent situations. I'm a volunteer with the American Red Cross's Disaster Action team here in San Fran. And I'm wondering how this new tech license can benefit the SF DAT.

Mike Smith N5YWA <n5ywa@webtv.net>
Schertz,Texas
I mainly help the National Weather Service during skywarn events by providing a link from the Amauter radio to NWS.

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Current Events:

We are holding a 2 day No code technician license class & exam in San Mateo on Satursay & Sunday June 5 & 6. The class runs

from 8:30AM to 4PM each day followed by the exam from 4PM to 5PM. The fee is $15 for the study materials and the test processing fee. If any one is interested please contact me, Ross Peterson WB6ZBU, Email WB6ZBU@pacbell.net for reservations. It is recommended that the prospective ham NOT study before the class as they will lower their probability of passing. The course teaches how to pass the test, not understanding of the material. We have about a 75% to 80% pass ratio. If anyone is interested to attend to be able to take the system back to their local area they are welcome.

Thanks
Ross Peterson WB6ZBU
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PENNSYLVANIA
Ice Storm/Y2K Consequences Exercise
by Keith A. Spangler, PEMA

Harrisburg, PA For two days a winter storm battered southeastern Pennsylvania with 30-mph winds and record-breaking temperatures below zero. Twenty-one counties were covered by three inches of ice. Ten storm-related deaths were reported. All major roadways were impassable in the affected area, and more than 400,000 people were without power.

This was the scenario facing federal, state and private sector emergency management officials participating in an "Ice Storm/Y2K Consequences" exercise sponsored by the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency (PEMA). Held at the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) in Harrisburg, the exercise was designed to test the Commonwealth's plans for responding to a widespread ice storm and the potential for computer problems posed by the transition into the new millennium.

According to John Bahnweg, PEMA's Director of Operations and Training, this scenario was one of the most realistic and challenging exercises presented by PEMA. "The success of the exercise is credited to a joint effort between PEMA and representatives from the various agencies which helped plan and develop the scenario. We asked the participating agencies to help us build the exercise," Bahnweg said.

This was the first time agencies outside PEMA were invited to provide input during the planning stages of an exercise. In the past, exercise planning and development was the responsibility of the operations staff assigned to the SEOC.

To help agency representatives become familiar with building scenarios, PEMA held a one day scenario development seminar. This eight-hour program, attended by more than 50 representatives, covered the basics of scenario development.

The seminar was well received and helped set the stage for exercise play which began at 7:00 a.m., December 3, at the SEOC, which is nearing completion of a major renovation.

The agencies in attendance included: Departments of Aging, Corrections, Environmental Protection, General Services, Health, Military and Veterans Affairs, Public Welfare and Transportation, State Police, Public Utility Commission, Turnpike Commission, Red Cross, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Office of Administration (Continuity of Government Group), Union County Emergency Management Agency, FEMA Region III, GPU Company, Pennsylvania Rural Electric Association and PP&L Company.

The day long exercise was a learning experience for everyone, according to Bill Thorpe, leader of the exercise design team. "The fact that the exercise used a fictitious date-January 1, 2000-made things interesting. Participants were required to consider whether the problems they were facing resulted from the storm or malfunctioning computer equipment.

"Participation by on-site FEMA Region III staff provided us the opportunity to interact with our federal counterparts in a near real-time scenario," said Thorpe. Ice Storm/Y2K Consequences also included several mini scenarios which involved people and locations outside Harrisburg and the 21 affected counties. One scenario involved the simulated activation of the management staff of Pennsylvania's Task Force #1/ Urban Search and Rescue Team for a roof collapse at the Lebanon Valley Veteran's Hospital where more than 30 people were trapped or injured.

Other exercise simulations involved in the Ice Storm/Y2K scenario included; a hospital evacuation caused by a heating and air conditioning failure, dam spillway releases caused by computer control malfunctions, 911 center failures, and a prison riot.

Two of Pennsylvania's major utility companies, GPU and PP&L, also activated their storm centers and practiced their storm response actions. The utilities also interacted real-time with the Public Utility Commission to gather information and coordinate response to simulated region wide power outages.

"Ice Storm/Y2K Consequences was an excellent training tool prepare the Commonwealth's emergency management officials for the 1998-1999 winter storm season and the upcoming transition into the new millennium," Thorpe said.

"Planning and exercising in preparation for emergencies is a fundamental part of our business, and we take our business seriously. Whether it's a natural disaster such as an ice storm, or a technological event such as Y2K consequences," Bahnweg said.

"Conducting a joint exercises like this one was truly
educational for everyone involved. It provided the
Commonwealth's emergency managers and the other exercise
participants, insight into the potential for the unforeseen
problems that could affect the entire state."

A copy of lessons learned from Ice Storm/Y2K Consequences
exercise is available by writing to: Pennsylvania Emergency
Management Agency (PEMA), John L. Bahnweg, Director Operations
and Training, P.O. Box 3321, Harrisburg, PA 17105, or e-mail
your request to: JBAHNWEG@PEMA.STATE.PA.US. (From Canada's
CCEP News)
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What's New on the Web:

http://home1.gte.net/rhashiro/am-ec-lessons.htm

Web page on lessons learned on amateur radio-based
emergency communications. Updated since the original
date of March 1999 with new material.

Ron Hashiro
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Thanks to OCRACES member and NetControl editor, Joe Selikov,
KB6EID, the www.ocraces.org web site now has back issues of our
award winning NetControl monthly newsletter available in Adobe
Acrobat Reader (.pdf) format for downloading and local printing.

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exactly as an original copy. This will enable many more clubs
and organizations to receive the NetControl in a more timely
manner.

Thanks again to Joe, KB6EID for making this project a reality
for OCRACES.

73, Ken, KM6YH
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This week's EMCOMM Bulletin:

EMC185 Agency Needs Shift 2/4
To: Emergency Communications Units - Information Bulletin
To: Emergency Management Agencies via Internet and Radio
By: Auxiliary Communications Service (ACS) of the
California Governor's Office of Emergency Services

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"WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?" (contined article by Rick Palm K1CE,
from May 1999 QST Reprinted with Permission; Copyright ARRL)

"Last year, the ARRL sponsored four public service conferences
around the country to identify future telecommunication needs

of served agencies and reconcile them with corresponding present and future capabilities of the ARES program. The question we wanted to try to answer is, how will Amateur Radio continue to play an important role in providing emergency telecommunications in the future, in the face of new technology and the greater capabilities of such systems as the global mobile-satellite services? And what could our served agency representatives tell us to help us adapt to their evolving needs?

The conferences were held in Seaside, Oregon; Alanta, Georgia; Wichita, Kansas; and Tampa, Florida. Conference proceedings were reported in August 1998 QST, p 86; September 1998 QST, p 84; January 1999 Q5T, p 70; and February 1999 QST, p 80 respectively. Local, state and national Red Cross, Salvation Army, county and state emergency management agencies, National Weather Service, forestry departments, public safety (state police), and the National Hurricane Center were all represented. Each conference drew roughly 50 conferees, who were handed many solid ideas by these served agency reps, steering us in a good direction for the future. Here's a look at a few of the salient points.

MORE CROSS-TRAINING IN SERVED AGENCY FUNCTIONS
WILL ADD VALUE TO OUR CONTRIBUTIONS.

This was a recurring theme in all four conferences. Especially in the case of the American Red Cross, amateurs can increase their value to the agency by taking advantage of training courses offered for several disaster relief functions: damage assessment, shelter management, mass care and feeding, for examples.

Traditionally, amateurs have declined to perform functions unrelated to their primary radio communication interest and training. Indeed, ARRL literature has cautioned amateurs against providing unrelated services, encouraging them to concentrate on their role as radio communicators only. The caution was founded on a healthy concern that amateurs performing unrelated functions for which they were not trained would become liabilities rather than assets, and cause Amateur Radio to lose credibility. However, if we do not broaden our perspective on Amateur Radio's traditionally limited role, we minimize our utility and risk finding ourselves outside looking in when it comes to serving Agencies engaged in future disaster relief. Proper training and certification in the various functions are the keys to a successful bid for greater utility and corresponding perpetuation of our public service tradition.

INTEGRATION OF AMATEUR SYSTEMS WITH NON-AMATEUR
SYSTEMS WILL INCREASE UTILITY AND VALUE.

Kandel and other who have worked on ARRL planning and advisory committees have proposed greater integration of Amateur Radio Systems with other telecommunication systems, despite concerns

that we would dilute the "purity" of the amateur service and give other interests a foot in our door. Kandel says this is happening anyway: APRS, an Amateur Radio developed technology, now incorporates computers, the lnternet, weather stations and the GPS. As another example, WiinLink developers have interfaced Internet e-mail and HF radio using PACTOR. Hybrid systems such as these may represent an opportunity to enhance our contributions to served agencies for the future. Emergency managers and NWS personnel at the conferences all appreciated the value of APRS and similar systems in gathering information, and supporting communications from locations not serviced by their own."

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Please let others in the emergency services field know of the newsletter, and encourage them to join... If you have opinions, suggestions or written material that you'd like to share with the group, let us know. We're always looking for new ideas and suggestions that will benefit everyone.

See you next week!

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please contact <listmaster at harthaven.com> and place "Manual
request" in the subject line. Be sure to include both your old

and new addresses, if applicable.

5136. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7id340$hg8@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141687
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> It's the second-most used mode.

>That depends. It's the most used mode on 30m. It is the third
>mose used mode in ham radio.

The average of 1 and 3 is 2. ;)
Jeff KH6O

5137. Hawke makes a FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A171A.88669792@usa.net>
Source record: 141688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Given YOUR history, ERIC OYEN, and the fact that you have had to change
your identity due to the rabid dislike so many have for you, plus that the
statement
below is an obvious joke BECAUSE MY MOTHER DIED SIX YEARS AGO,
the "report" & your statements lose ALL credibility!!!!

Hawke wrote:

> Given Mr. Mackey's past actions, I find it a rather credible report.
> However, this is just my opinion.
>
> On Sun, 23 May 1999 16:45:42 -0700, "Glenn" <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
> wrote:
> >Also, early internet reports, from many on the newsgroups, state that
> >John Mackey's mother may turn to give evidence & act as a witness

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5138. Re: Glenn Hansen lies again!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A179E.612710B0@usa.net>
Source record: 141689
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,rec.radio.swap

WELL SAID!!!!

I have NEVER understood WHY these "cheek-a-likes" always want
to come here to usenet & make fools of themselves in public!

Jason Trumpold wrote:

> This is no place tp post this garbage. Take it to e-mail or in person.

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5139. Re: John Mackey falsifying VE test scores in exchange for money from applicants??????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A17F7.D528954C@usa.net>
Source record: 141690
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

ZW - back off of Glenn Hansen, he isn't THAT bad!

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> Could he be low enough to walk under a snail and not disturb a hair on his
> flat head ? NO sweat ! His forehead ends right where his one continuous

> Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net> wrote in message

SNIP

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5140. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A1853.738B166C@usa.net>
Source record: 141691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

I'm not saying you're Bill Cheek.

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> Looney - Tune, please post the proof that I am Bill Cheek, or be considered
> a liar.

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5141. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A193F.ECCA44CD@usa.net>
Source record: 141692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Are you talking about Bill Cheek or Bill Conduit?

Macaroon wrote:
>The only habitual off-topic poster who skirts life every time HE'S asked to
>produce facts!

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5142. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A19E1.32010F91@usa.net>
Source record: 141693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

The FACTS of this NG prove you to be WRONG!!!!

The other person who tried to raise money received very few responses.

I NEVER tried to raise money for Cheek, I did suggest that someone should do it & received great praise for my suggestion.

tcrpe wrote:

> The reason they didn't respond to YOU is that YOU are a proven insincere
> asshole. It had nothing to do with Cheek, but it did prove what you were.

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5143. Glenn hansen causing trouble again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A1C04.466D02E0@usa.net>
Source record: 141694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Glenn wrote:

> Why snip out the issue at hand

Because I have more respect for this NG & usenet as a whole to waste theprecious bandwidth with ALL your sniveling & lies.

> Are you guilty? You don't deny it. You just

Al right, I deny it. Are you happy now?

> How much money did you take?

None.

> What were you asking for?

Nothing.

> How many people did you pass through that should not have?

None.

> You did it?

No.

> Last lie was saying you have 5 FCC licenses. want more.

I have NEVER said I "have 5 FCC licenses".

> You lied that you would quit posting when Bill did.

I did quit!

> You lied that you didn't smoke a repeater.
> You lied that you didn't smoke a power supply
> You lied saying you weren't kicked off Fido by both Cheek and you BBS
> operator.
> You lied saying you didn't spew obcenitites on the Puget Sound 523 repeater.

All your statments above NEVER happened. If you want to still say they did thenpresent your VERIFIABLE proof!!!!

> You lied about your degrees.
> You lied about your changing your name constanttly to get through mail/news
> filters.

Both your above statements are wrong & lies on your part.

Glenn Hansen, you are just mad at me because I was part of a team
who caught you trolling for young gay amateurs on the NG of rec.radio.swap.

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5144. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A1C9D.F533CDDF@usa.net>
Source record: 141695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Wow Bill, the last time I heard that was in 2nd grade. No wait it was
first grade!!!

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> you were born and somehow
> survived. that is the crime.

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5145. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A1D0F.9A5F1F4E@usa.net>
Source record: 141696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

You have NEVER posted an on-topic message on this NG, you are here only
to cause trouble!!!!

People like YOU are only mad at me because of my involvement with the Cheek bust.

Macaroon wrote:
Stupidity deleted, nothing left.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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5146. Re: wanted <George>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <W7p23.1054$007.3449@c01read05.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141697

On Mon, 24 May 1999 23:30:02 GMT rileygotcha@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> I read a post that called you "Duh Duh" Rube. Now I know what they were
> talking about, I am sure you do not care if your "GOD" WB2OTK has a bad
> check record or is wanted on a warrant or has been involved in
> shop lifting at K mart. You identify with a police record as that is
> "your kind of people". You have no problem with a five finger discount
> yourself when the chance arises and you think you can get by with it..
> You know, you trailer trash people stick together, So take up for
> your "Master". But one thing about it, even you do not deny the
> charges. You know they are all true. "DUH DUH", keep on sucking!!!
>
>
>
>
>
>
My oh my, how George doth protest! Something must have struck a nerve, George. Look at all the grammatical errors in your message. Why, you were so angry that you could hardly piece together a coherent sentence, could you?

I guess it really causes you pain to realize that it is you who truly is the "suck boy". It occurs to me that not only are your lips glued to the hind quarters of KV4FZ, but that you're actually WB2OTK's little puppet as well! I'll bet that not a minute goes by without you thinking of 'OTK, does it. You wake in the morning, and the first thing on your mind is Richard Whiten, and these thoughts follow you throughout your day, until the moment you finally fall into an alcohol induced slumber. George, are you listening? Pay careful attention: This is not normal behavior. Seek help immediately!

Doesn't it bother you that WB2OTK has such power and influence over you? Don't you ever wonder what you're missing in life while you spend every waking moment consumed by your obsession with WB2OTK? Hasn't it harmed your relationships with friends and family? Surely they can not share your preoccupation with this man.

George, do you ever find yourself absorbed by homo-erotic fantasies involving WB2OTK? In these dreams, does he make mad, passionate love to you for hours on end, then write you bad checks? Does he make you scream "Daddy, make me pay!!"?

I don't know, George, I really worry that you're spending your golden years foolishly. I'm sure that you must have someone out there who cares for you, who wishes that you'd give up your fantasies and return

to reality. But, if you really do care for WB2OTK more than you do your friends and family, maybe there are more appropriate means of expressing your feelings. Instead of QRMing him, send him flowers. Instead of posting all this nonsense over the internet, invite him to a romantic dinner. Dancing might be a nice touch. Talk to him about your feelings, Rent a room in a nice hotel... I don't know. Think about how you'd want to be treated by a lover, George. If you want to win his heart, treat him the same way. The manner in which you're going about it is all wrong!

Have a nice day!
Smurf69
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5147. Form Letter for Intercon Investigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: joe@public.com
Message-ID: <374A284A.694592E4@public.com>
Source record: 141698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dear Mr. Hollingsworth,

Based upon your recent statements concerning a long-standing amateur radio network, asserting that the FCC was "unable to determine how the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service," and based upon your recent remark that Part 97 "prohibits communications on the Amateur frequencies that, on a regular basis, 'could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services'", please consider this to be a formal request for an investigation of the activities of the Intercontinental Traffic Network.

The Intercontinental Traffic Network operates daily on the frequencies of 14.300 or 14.313 MHz. It is owned and operated by Ms. Ruth C. Hoffman, N4LMC, of Clearwater, Florida.

Based upon ten years of monitoring that network, it is apparent that the FCC will be "unable to determine how the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service." The Intercontinental Traffic Network has, on a daily basis, provided services that, "could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services." These services include the illegal solicitation of international telephone patches for the purpose of by-passing the common carriers. Furthermore, The Intercontinental Net (also know as INTERCON) has blatantly and repeatedly acted as an alternative to the High Seas Marine Operator in the Caribbean and around the world.

INTERCON has facilitated and sponsored the illegal operation of unlicensed and under-licensed operators who desire services that could reasonably be provided, at cost, by legitimate commercial operations. INTERCON has also actively encouraged and supported illegal "jamming" of stations who questioned the purpose and integrity of the net. In the past, the net has launched vigorous hate campaigns against radio amateurs who dare question their motives and tactics.

Although this net claims to be a "public service" (in the interest of safety), it has no agenda for regular training of its members in proper emergency operating techniques. The net does not schedule regular safety drills or any form of emergency simulations. The majority of its members are totally unable to provide the "public service" that the net claims to be making available.

It is clear that the Intercontinental Traffic Network is merely a sham organization. It was created to provide free services for chiselers who are unwilling to pay for legitimate commercial services. INTERCON should be

ordered to either cease its illegal activities or stand down. Their misuse of amateur radio spectrum and resources should no longer be tolerated.

Please investigate this matter and provide whatever information you are able to gather on how "the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service". Please also provide information on the services that the Intercontinental Traffic Network is providing that "could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services."

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Amateur Radio Licensee:

Since Riley Hollingsworth, as a representative Of the FCC and the US Government has now publicly announced his deep seated prejudice against the Liberty Net and certain hams that have the courage to criticize our perjurer-in-chief, I feel it is now time to investigate The Intercon Net. Using rascist, bigoted QRM'ers such as WB2OTK, AF2Y, and N3CND, the Intercon Net has maliciously interfered on HF for years. Ask your congressman to remove the Hate group known as Intercon from our airwaves. Feel free to enclose some of AF2Y's bigoted racist posts to illustrate the hate contained in this group.

5148. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Heil <K8MN@cats-net.com>
Message-ID: <374A2AD4.718F@cats-net.com>
Source record: 141699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Sir wrote:
>
> > It's the second-most used mode.
>
> What a silly argument!
> Using a washboard is the second-most used method of washing clothes
> after a washing machine, so lets require people to use washboards before
> they are allowed to use a washing machine.

Yep, we can implement that right after we institute a requirement for
licensing washing machine operators. How does your Kenmore get out on
20m?

Dave 5H3US, K8MN
--
For 5H3US photos, go to
http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

5149. FS: Kenwood UHF Repeater/Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <7idb03oqm1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141700
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

Kenwood TKR-820 Desktop Repeater with Internal Cel-Wave Duplexer.
Therepeater is a 2-20 watt commercial unit. The power supply is built in
and also has a 12VDC input for emergency automatic backup power. The
repeater has a CW ID installed. There is also a Full Duplex CS-800
Interconnect/Repeater Controller which is wired to plug into the accessory
plug on the rear of the repeater. Currently the repeater is programmed for
444.500 / 449.500. The repeater can be setup to operate from 8 different
CTCSS or DCS codes (can be mixed). The TKR-820 is type approved for
GMRS, Commercial, and Ham. The repeater is the same size as a Kenwood
TS-850S HF rig. It is about a year and a half old and is currently in
service. I also have 1 new and slightly used (2 months) TK-860 UHF - 32
Channel radios with CTCSS and DCS for sale. I also have a DTMF mic for one
of the TKR-860s. Also have 2 UHF Kenwood TK-350 (With DTMF PAD) and 1 VHF
TK-250 Hand-Helds (160 channel) with new NiMH batteries. All of the
equipment is in good working order and looksnew. I can program the TKR-860,
TK-350, and TK-250 radios to any channel setup required. I will discount
for a package sale!
Email NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com for prices on selected or package items. DROP
NO-SPAM from email address!

73, De Anthony, WB5TTY

5150. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <374A3189.413BEBDA@jump.net>
Source record: 141701
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I've an idea
fire the government
it's your vote
use it
otherwise, shut up
H.
WA5IGW

Dave Heil wrote:

> Sir wrote:
> >
> > > It's the second-most used mode.
> >
> > What a silly argument!
> > Using a washboard is the second-most used method of washing clothes
> > after a washing machine, so lets require people to use washboards before
> > they are allowed to use a washing machine.
>
> Yep, we can implement that right after we institute a requirement for
> licensing washing machine operators. How does your Kenmore get out on
> 20m?
>
> Dave 5H3US, K8MN
> --
> For 5H3US photos, go to
> http://jjr.ne.mediaone.net/5H3US/

5151. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7iddq6$h41$1@207.18.224.237>
Source record: 141702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

On Tue, 25 May 1999 03:39:20 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Wow Bill, the last time I heard that was in 2nd grade. No wait it was
>first grade!!!

>
>> you were born and somehow
>> survived. that is the crime.
>
So the allegations have been around for quite a while about you!

5152. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7iddvs$h41$2@207.18.224.237>
Source record: 141703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Tue, 25 May 1999 03:41:14 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>People like YOU are only mad at me because of my involvement with the Cheek bust.
>
YOUR INVOLVEMENT! Did you turn Bill in, so that you could get off on
the charges against you?

Damn! I knew you had problems, but I never figured you would narc out
Bill for selling decoders!

5153. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7ide1d$h41$3@207.18.224.237>
Source record: 141704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

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>
YOUR INVOLVEMENT! Did you turn Bill in, so that you could get off on
the charges against you?

Damn! I knew you had problems, but I never figured you would narc out
Bill for selling decoders!

5154. Re: Glenn hansen causing trouble again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7iddks$h41$0@207.18.224.237>
Source record: 141705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

On Tue, 25 May 1999 03:36:47 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>> Last lie was saying you have 5 FCC licenses. want more.
>
>I have NEVER said I "have 5 FCC licenses".
>

Lies again Johnny.

>> You lied that you would quit posting when Bill did.
>
>I did quit!
>
Then why do we all see your posts?

>> You lied that you didn't smoke a repeater.
>> You lied that you didn't smoke a power supply

Lies again Johnny. Remember the message you posted on
FIDO, where you admitted to the above? I still have it, and
it is public record on Dejanews.

>> You lied about your degrees.

I can't say you lied about your degrees, but you did misrepresent.

Your masters of communication technology is merely a completion
certificiate from W5YI group. Worthless.

5155. Re: THE GENIUS OF A PEOPLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525021626.23614.00000077@ng39.aol.com>
Source record: 141706

In article <19990523221127.05553.00000350@ng-cn1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:

==========
ALTHOUGH BEING ONE-TENTH OF ONE PERCENT OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION, HAVE BEEN AWARDED 18% OF ALL THE NOBEL PRIZES?
==========

And if they were to do away with all CW requirements, that would give no-coders about ONE-SEVENTEEN THOUSANDTH of ONE PERCENT more bandwidth than what they have now.

Or, to look at it another way, if you were to take the driving distance from NYC to LA as the sum of the frequencies that hams can use without knowing any CW at all, eliminating CW would give them about an extra 1/2 mile.

Bob
KD8WU

5156. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <65929FE198FB0798.8A8D6999C725A374.11880B593105C81D@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> Guys, I have held my ticket (tech +) since 1974, I am now 60 yrs old and
> have attempted to upgrade to general four time in the past 10 yrs. Not
> being able to master the code, and with the influx of new hams into 2
> mtrs and 440 I have all but lost interest in ham radio. The thoery has
> never been a problem but that darn code......

Yes, me too.
I'm pretty brain dead and worse, I live a very busy life (well, when I'm employed that is).
I guess I don't have the time nor find it worth the time to become anything more than
a 50Mhz and up kinda guy. :)
73's pappy

5157. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: schriber@hotchip.com
Message-ID: <374a5247.2557540@news-server>
Source record: 141708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

What the HELL is wrong with you people?

I know Bill Cheek and most of you people most likely do not. Why the hell would anyone want to pretend he's Bill? I think Bill has the brains to stay off a group like this right now and even if he didn't he'd use his real name.

Damn people! Find something REAL to talk about!

Mike

"Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com> wrote:

>
><jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:37490257.A52D6802@usa.net...
>>
>>
>> Bud (the original) wrote:
>>
>> >MAckey LOVES to lie, in fact it's a complusion with him. He KNOWs, from
>>
>> Bud, please present your proof that I have lied or be considered a liar
>YOURSELF!
>>
>>
>Looney - Tune, please post the proof that I am Bill Cheek, or be considered
>a liar.
>
>POST THE PROOF, Wacky Mackey !
>
>

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Mike Schriber
schriber@hotchip.com
http://www.hotchip.com/schriber
619-597-0078

5158. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A57AC.1B03370E@usa.net>
Source record: 141709
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.fan.bill.cheek

No Blake the kids were talking about YOU when it
happened!!!

Blake Bowers wrote:

> So the allegations have been around for quite a while about you!

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5159. Re: mailto:abuse@home.net To Report an Acceptable Use Policy Violations from John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A59B0.EC410A91@usa.net>
Source record: 141710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,rec.radio.swap,alt.athome.security

To report spamming & trouble making from TOM ANDERSON
please send e-mail the the following:

abuse@newpro.net
postmaster@newpro.net
root@newpro.net

Also feel free to contact the following as the representatives of his
ISP:

NewproNet Corporation ~ 9330 Corporate Drive, Suite 501 ~ Schertz, TX
78154-1255
(210) 651-5000 ~ Fax (210) 651-6130

Tom Anderson wrote:

> To Report an Acceptable Use Policy Violation
>
> To report an incident, please send

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5160. Re: mailto:abuse@home.net To Report an Acceptable Use Policy Violations from John Mackey

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A59FC.F2024F15@usa.net>
Source record: 141711
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.athome.discussion

To report spamming & trouble making from TOM ANDERSON
please send e-mail the the following:

abuse@newpro.net
postmaster@newpro.net
root@newpro.net

Also feel free to contact the following as the representatives of his ISP:

NewproNet Corporation ~ 9330 Corporate Drive, Suite 501 ~ Schertz, TX
78154-1255
(210) 651-5000 ~ Fax (210) 651-6130

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5161. Re: Glenn hansen causing trouble again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A5AB3.EF5D6543@usa.net>
Source record: 141712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Blake Bowers wrote:

>Lies again Johnny.

Ok Blake, what EXACTLY did I say is a lie? What is your verifiable
proof
that my statement is a lie?

> Your masters of communication technology is merely a completion
> certificiate from W5YI group. Worthless.

Wrong, Blake, My Degree is from and INTERNATIONALLY known
UNIVERSITY!!!!!! (It has NOTHING to do with W5YI)

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5162. Re: John Mackey - A definition, and a vision.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A5E13.E99D4A56@usa.net>
Source record: 141713
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters

Phil Smalley wrote:

> That's the wrong John Mackey. This one's only claim to fame is being the top
> off-topic poster on usenet with thousands of off-topic messages across

Oh no, I could NEVER try to hold that title. Bill Cheek won that title
severaltimes over according to information POSTED by YOU. Remember the "reality
check"
post where YOUR OWN DATA showed that Cheek posted several hundred more posts on
usenet than me!?!?!?!?!

Below is an abbreviated qoute:

Date | Mackey | Cheek |

TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |

> rec.radio.scanner alone. By my count, John has posted about 6 or 7 on topic
> messages (very loosely on topic) out of that amount. The rest of them were
> simply insults, name calling, or sniveling denials and "prove it" posts. He

More of your LIES!! I have posted MANY valuable & on-topic posts
regardingamateur repeater frequencies, antennas, UV affects on coax, scanner
freqs in
the midwest, etc.

> Prior to usenet, he was on a Fido echo related to scanners, but was
> subsequently kicked off of the echo for the same kind of behavior, which he
> still denies to this day. Just ask him anything, he denies all. The

I have never denied this, infact I have often felt PROUD that Bill Cheek kicked
me offof the "scanradio" echo since he kicked anyone off the echo who had a
technical background
or felt was a threat to him. In fact, when Bill left the echo there was an
election for a
new moderator & I was nomonated by several, but Bill refused to allow an
election
that included me. That is how Blake was able to get the moderatorship of that
echo!

> The only reason that John exists is because of the actions of others. I
> have in the past and still today propose a simple solution: ignore him.

Then why have you chosen to respond with this lengthy post?

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5163. Re: Mackey STILL causing trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374A5EC7.353568B9@usa.net>
Source record: 141714
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Thank you for you support by proving that BILL CHEEK posted several hundred more posts than me!

Mr. WireHead wrote:

> Date | Mackey | Cheek |
> ----------
> TOTALS | 2139 | 2348 |

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5164. Simple projects ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harry Lythall SM0VPO <harryvpo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <01bea69a$4bf93430$8534d693@e0060b0eb282a>
Source record: 141715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.radio.amateur,uk.rec.radio.cb

Yes, they are all simple on my homepage.

http://sm0vpo.8m.com/
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/3569/
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Also a technical message board so that you can add technical questions. If anyone asks a question you can help with then please post a reply (it will save me a load of time).

One of the latest additions was a calculator for basic radio formulae but this is just a start. I will be adding attenuators and the like very shortly.

<<< WARNING >>> There is NO sex on the site (except for a rather nice screensaver).

best regards from Harry - SM0VPO

5165. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <374AB42C.25D1@sgi.net>
Source record: 141716

Well Mike, I'm old, tired but limited lazy. I have had my tech + ticket since 1974. I have attempted the code but to no avail on several occassions over the years. Theory hasn't been a problem, especially when I took the general theory. If the older hams want to lock us other older hams with tech + tickets out so be it, it's there loss. There are over 100K of us across the US. I was so confident eorn's ago about passing the general code test I bought a ts-430s and now it just sits there collecting dust. In fact it hasn't been on for over 8 yrs.

I'm not against the code, in some facits it may be what is needed. I don't need the code to survive life. Frankly I havn't been on 2 or 440 for over four or five years, I just lost interest. Being frequency locked is like being out of gas on a desert highway. I commend the people that have mastered the code and have an interest in such. I see the code as: If God wanted me to studder he would have made me that way. No disrespect intended. I was so bored with 2 mtrs 15 yrs ago I put up a pair of 19 element beams, purchassed a kenwood tr-9000, 160 watt amp. and went on sideband for some excitment. Worked well until the 9000 quit and kenwood doesn't support that model today. The beams are for sale or trade now.

To answer your first question: It could be a big loss to the ham community.

What ever, opinions will vary. I have enjoyed to various opinions posted on the subject.

Michael Young wrote:
>
> So they're restricted to 50 MHz and above. Is that a loss?
>
> Your thoughts and sentiments are well taken. For once, though, I believe
> a goverment agency has made the right decision, and applied the correct
> balance. On the one hand, the old salts must not have their privileges
> diminished. On the other, strong incentive must be given to extend the
> art.
>
> Everyone's desire is to work world-wide, to effortlessly cross physical
> boundaries. HF operations already allows us that. At one time, these
> same HF bands -- 200 meters and up -- were thought to be useless for
> long haul communications. We now know just how wrong they were.
>
> The new horizon is to push the limits on V-, U-, and EHF communications.
> Historically, where there was a will, there was always a way.
> (Otherwise, history just branded them fools.) I think it's grand that

> no-code techs don't have access to the easy HF bands. It is on their
> will that us old, tired, farts are riding. We leave it up to them to
> point the way to tomorrow. Myself, I copped for the easy way out, and
> took the code test.
>
> The flaw in my logic is that those capable of leading new technology
> also have no trouble passing a code test. All that are left among the
> no-coders are the whiners, those just starting, and those happy to
> bounce around on local 'peaters. If the hobby truly is dying, it's
> because no one is left to push the horizon.
>
> I find it ironic that the only real solution is to cut off the dead
> wood: close the HF bands to all amateur traffic. There will be a period
> of upheaval, and then hopefully, usable solutions found within the
> decade.
>
> Let's be careful what we wish for. I'm for maintaining the status quo.
> Just because I'm old, tired, and lazy.
>
> Michael.

5166. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <374AB69C.1755@sgi.net>
Source record: 141717

You just activated by dander MailfrmPA. Instead of cutting the
unskilled op off short why not help that op to improve there skills?
That's a good reason why people have lost interest in CW. Me in
particular.

MailfrmPA wrote:
>
> Takes two to converse. I confess, though, when I meet a bore, or an unskilled op, I will cut it short.
>
> Have we worked??

5167. Re: John Mackey - A definition, and a vision.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11b455841610a1d59896a2@news.vais.net>
Source record: 141718
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.firefighters

In article <7icuf8oi1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>,
ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com mumbled...
-->
--> Kurt Ullman wrote in message <7ibi3r$2uo$5@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
--> >In article <37492672.D4BC1B0F@gw-tech.com>, Carey Gregory
--> ><cgregory@gw-tech.com> wrote:
--> >>Who the hell is John Mackey? Who gives a shit?
--> >>
--> > If I remember right, he was a lineman for the Balitmore Colts in
--> the
--> >late 60s, early 70s.
--> You had to ask..... Oh well. I'd hate for someone to think that a former
--> football star is behind this crap, so here it is:
-->
--> The Definition:
--> That's the wrong John Mackey. This one's only claim to fame is being the top
--> off-topic poster on usenet with thousands of off-topic messages across
--> several different newsgroups in his short but moronic career on the

PKB. Keeps this OT crap outta rec.radio.amateur. There's enough petty
bickering here already. If you'd like a reservation we may have room for
you in 2002 or so.

--> internet. A dejanews search reveals all about this clown, with such famous
--> threads as "The PERFECT defense for Bill Cheek!!!!" and "Blake Bowers CAUGHT
--> forging & flaming AGAIN!". It is his self proclaimed mission in life, if you
--> can imagine it, to single-handedly rid usenet of anyone who opposes his
--> warped and twisted point of view. He will do anything to support his cause
--> and has been caught lying, forging, cancelling messages, and creating
--> aliases to show a false front of support. He is a living breathing self
--> propaganda machine, and a bad one at that.
-->
--> Now, our pal John will deny all or most of this, but don't be fooled. Do a
--> dejanews search for yourself, and see the sheer number of messages this
--> person has posted over the years. Dejanews reported back 1562 messages in
--> rec.radio.scanner alone. By my count, John has posted about 6 or 7 on topic
--> messages (very loosely on topic) out of that amount. The rest of them were
--> simply insults, name calling, or sniveling denials and "prove it" posts. He
--> thrives on replies, no matter how insulting. I think it is a subconscious
--> need for attention that he apparently cannot receive anywhere else.
-->
--> Prior to usenet, he was on a Fido echo related to scanners, but was
--> subsequently kicked off of the echo for the same kind of behavior, which he

--> still denies to this day. Just ask him anything, he denies all. The
--> consummate liar's liar. To hear him tell it, he is a victim of a ruthless
--> bunch of cyberthugs who harrass and torment him daily, but in reality he
--> brings it all upon himself willingly. He enjoys it, of this I am convinced.
--> The only thing more certain than his desire to disrupt is his predictable
--> replies to any posting mentioning either himself or Bill Cheek, the subject
--> of his apparent obsession.
-->
--> John is the proverbial pot calling the kettle black. He is the person
--> depicted in Aesops' fables, the one who only sees the small bag representing
--> the faults of others tied in front of him and not the mammoth bag of his own
--> faults on his back. He will take in an insult today only to use it on
--> someone else tomorrow. He is a mirror, a virtual parrot who uses the same
--> tactics that others use against him. He is lacking in better judgement,
--> discretion, logic and common sense.
-->
-->
--> Sorry to post it to the non-scanner related groups, but I think it only fair
--> that you all know the real deal about Laughing John's Flying Circus.
-->
--> The Vision:
-->
--> The only reason that John exists is because of the actions of others. I
--> have in the past and still today propose a simple solution: ignore him.

WOW! Excellent idea. Why don't you follow your own advice.

--> he is no longer able to disrupt the group, he will finally move on. Do not
--> reply to him directly, and he will have no basis for his attacks. He will
--> appear foolish and meaningless to any and all who happen to read his
--> ramblings. Much like a small child who finds that a temper tantrum won't
--> deliver the goods, he'll find better ways to fill his free time. No doubt
--> he'll reply to this posting in an attempt to provoke me into a flame war,
--> but it won't work - I would much rather discuss things related to scanning
--> than things relating to immaturity. It is my belief that if others shared my
--> feelings on this (and many do) that John would someday soon find that the
--> only one listening to John Mackey is John Mackey.
-->
--> And that, fellow citizens, would be music to my ears.
-->
--> -Phil
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HTH. HAND. NRN.

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http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm

5168. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <374AB820.7B1D@sgi.net>
Source record: 141719

Come on Johnny, what's wrong with us guys in our 60's? I'm 60 and I take notice to that - think ahead - you will be here some day. Do you want to be ignored?

Johnny Rico wrote:
>
> Actually, at least here in Southern California, the 2M commute
> component of amateur radio is one of the most literate and
> conversational parts of ham radio. Very few formulaic QSOS: instead,
> genuine conversation, generally very civil, of a wide ranging and
> interesting nature. Not like the CW formula QSOs.
>
> OK I'll say it: I think that the no-code amateurs, as a group, compare
> very favorably with the rest of the hobby. Just look at 10M: most of
> the activity is in the Tech bands. Why? Because we like talking with
> these guys, and there are a lot of them, and they are not all over age
> 65. RJB.

5169. Re: Think that gun owners have it bad, Federal agents arrest Scanner Hobbyist

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: nospam@null.net
Message-ID: <374a9344.4087077@news.iu.net>
Source record: 141720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.rush-limbaugh,alt.fan.rush-limbaugh,alt.law-enforcement,alt.politics.clinton

On Sun, 23 May 1999 21:31:08 -0500, Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu>
wrote:

> The U.S. Secret Service and Nassau County police arrested an
>unemployed electronics
> enthusiast from Kings Park after he intentionally intercepted
>communication sent and
> received by the mobile data terminals installed in police cruisers,
>federal agents said.

The first sign of a police-state in the making is when
everyday police activities suddenly have to be kept
a big SECRET from the public.

-j

5170. THE EASY WAY TO MAKE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525082522.19946.00004743@ng-ft1.aol.com>
Source record: 141721

You know fellows, I've been doing some serious contemplating. Although I'm an Extra and did it the old fashioned way by EARNING it. I still felt that perhaps the reduction of code requirements to get in, at least to some degree, had some merit. But after reading the garbage, the bigoted garbage and lies coming from the Code Free Tech blivot, Lloyed Davies, N0VFP,I chaned my mind. Better this oaf be OFF the General, Advanced and Extra portions since he'd disgrace all three. I say let him bask in the glory of a wussie ticket whole keeping his miserable mouth off the bands where REAL HAMS GO! Doc,AF2Y

5171. Re: Doc Hate Caught In Big Lie.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <5551-374A7FA3-12@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141722

Good one, Dave!!

Doc is a liar!!
Doc is a liar!!

Now try and sue me, Doc!!

5172. Re: Seattle to Portland on 6m?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: "larry d. clark" <buddycl@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <374A98E5.2E0B064B@onramp.net>
Source record: 141723

nero

consistent, reliable communication on 6m via a ground wave
probably a 60 mile radius when using antennas at less than
30 feet. most of the time, i can do that reliably. i
use a 1/2 wave vertical at about 25 feet, and a 5 element,
log periodic antenna at about 30 feet here is dallas, tx, &
generally run 100 watts.

larry
kd5foy
em12

5173. I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <32x23.2397$733.114782@typ11.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141724

After having read most of the postings submitted to this NG it appears that about 2/3 of the postings are either about politics, slander, or pure personal conjecture. I was under the impression that submissions to this NG were to be for the betterment and proliferation of amateur radio.

It also seems that the ratio of off topic discussions on this NG almost perfectly matches the ratio of identical off topic discussions that can be heard on just about any amateur frequency on any given night. This fact demonstrates to me that either the same individuals are consistently vocal on both the radio and this NG, or that these NG postings reflect a perfect sampling of the attitude that's currently present in the amateur radio hobby.

This is my suggestion. Please take it for what its worth to you:

When you are sitting in front of your computer screen wearing your two horned Viking helmet, and after having read something that makes your blood boil which forces your blood pressure to cause your fingertips to explode with energy, please have the MATURE discipline to sit back and make an adult decision of whether or not you should reply and whether your reply is truly appropriate. The difference between and adult and a child is an adult CAN control his/her emotions.....supposedly.

What will be interesting to see is the individuals who decide to flame this post.

73's to all and long live the hobby!

5174. Re: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526184856.13058.00005066@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141476

>><<<THIS IS THE KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT INFLAMES. THIS IS THE
>KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT DEGRADES OUR HOBBY. DON'T EVER MENTION ME IN
>ASSOCIATION WITH ANY SLUR AGAINST A MAN OF COLOR. IT'S NOT HAPPENED NOR WILL
>IT>>>>

It't called "Free Speech" Get used to it!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

5175. Re: mf_luder is Here to Stay with More TOUGH TALK !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526184937.13058.00005067@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141477

>Seemed like the fashionable thing to say these days...
>
>"Where's that big 'ol mf_luder ?"
>"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH !"

Sounds good to me....

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

5176. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ihur3$d40$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <7iht61nns1@garnet.mint.net>...
>Looney - Tud, did you really think we were going to wait until the
>"official' legal defense fund was established , before we would help a
>friend ?

ZW: While I agree wholeheartedly about this, Bill Conduit has made an
excellent suggestion: Twit-filter John and act as though he never existed.
As long as people like us try in vain to get him to see the err of his ways,
he will still be here clogging up the group with his nonsense.

I for one, am sick of trying to educate John. Now I simply ignore him. We
all should. It will work, if we all do it together....

-Phil

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5177. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ihvsq$dd0$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

The ConQueror wrote in message <37499f78@news.internext.fr>...
>Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?
>

Not very easily. You could modify a VW Bug into a Ferrari, but would you really want to? The very fact that you ask leads me to believe you don't have the technical background to build your own FM transmitter, which is what you'd have to do. (Please don't take offense, I don't have that kind of skill either! My skill level with homebrew electronics falls somewhere between dumb and dangerous. <g>)

The thing to do is go out and get yourself a *real* Amateur HT. Most if not all of them have receive-only coverage that is the same, or in some cases better, than a scanner. Plus, you won't have to deal with the expense and hassle of building your own.

-Phil

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5178. Re: An excerpt from WB4AIO's XYL's interview - HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8478-374C8350-26@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141480

Again, Mr. Nobody, who has custody of the Strom children??? I think that answer alone speaks volumes, and takes ANY credibility away from this story.

Nice try.....

Jack....Of All Trades

5179. Re: An excerpt from WB4AIO's XYL's interview - HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <8478-374C84DC-29@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141481

Twenty-five years ago, my parents went through a HORRIBLE divorce. I was already married and had a brand new bouncing baby boy. I will NEVER forget the night my mother called, and asked me to get on the witness stand for her, and FABRICATE a story about my father. They both were fighting for custody of my little sister. I just couldn't believe it! But desperate mothers do very desperate things.

Could this be the case with Mrs. Strom???? Most likely.

Jack....Of All Trades

5180. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <927766807.850.84@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141482

I suppose I should look in Part 97 for the finer points. Is citizenship required, or simply some legal resident status? I don't recall presenting proof of citizenship when I took the test.

Michael.

Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message news:374C057D.41C67EA6@my-dejanews.com...
> In your message below, you say that Australia is your home. Does
> that also mean that your citizenship is also there? Only US
> citizens are directly eligible for a US Amateur Radio License.
> If you are a citizen of another country, you must first have a
> license in that country and then you are eligible for a reciprocal
> license, in the US.

5181. Re: Icom IC-Q7a Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timmins <timmins@penn.com>
Message-ID: <Vp133.264$uO2.2679@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 141483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio,scanner

Who has the pre-made adapter?? I have software for my Q7, and also my
FT-50r, but as yet have no cord.......(need the computer/radio cord)
Bill, N3DDY
<llefczik@motown.lmco.com> wrote in message
news:7ii011$j4g$1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Sounds good but, there is free softwhere available on the web and
> pre-made adapter for about $10. I built my adapter for about $3 in
> junkbox parts from the schematic on hamradio.cz
>
> Enjoy your interface, I wonder how the software compares to the free
> program. Let us know any additional features.
>
> 73 WA2EHZ
>
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5182. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7ii8eo$1ur$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 141484

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Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote in message
news:374C057D.41C67EA6@my-dejanews.com...

[snip]
>
> In your message below, you say that Australia is your home. Does
> that also mean that your citizenship is also there? Only US
> citizens are directly eligible for a US Amateur Radio License.
> If you are a citizen of another country, you must first have a
> license in that country and then you are eligible for a reciprocal
> license, in the US.

That is incorrect. There is NO requirement for US citizenship
to hold a US amateur license. Hundreds, if not thousands of
non-resident aliens hold US callsigns ... there was a big stink
not long ago about wealthy JAs and others gobbling up lots of
"choice vanity calls."

> Further, even if you are a US citizen, a US license does not give
> you the right to operate anywhere in the world.

That is, however, true. When operating in other countries,
generally permission must be obtained from the authorities.
However, US amateurs need no prior permission to operate
in Canada (with some observation of rules) and the US has
recently signed up for CEPT reciprocal licensing whereby
US Tech+ and up licensees have full amateur priveleges in
CEPT countries (yes, full-band HF priveleges, as if they
were extras, with only having passed a 5 wpm Morse test.)

Also, the US has recently announced new rules whereby
visiting amateurs from countries with which the US has
reciprocal operating agreements need not file for a
permit and wait for paperwork ... they simply need to
observe the prescribed rules and to carry a copy of their
home-country ham license.

However, even if the inquirer gets a US ham license, it
won't be valid outside of US jurisdiction (he states that
he wants communications on a sailing vessel, heading "back
home to Australia") ... once outside the territorial
limits/waters of the US, the US license likely will be
invalid, UNLESS, the sailing vessel is a US-documented

vessel, then the US license applies on the high seas as
the vessel is a "US flag" vessel. If the vessel is NOT
a "US flag" vessel, then, presumably the country where
the vessel is documented has jursdiction (if anyone does)
while "on the high seas."

However, whatever country's ham license is held and how
the vessel is documented, once the vessel enters the
territorial waters of another country, THEIR rules and
regulations and licensing requirements apply.

(I lived aboard and cruised a Tayana 42 sailboat for
5 years, including extensive travels in Latin America.)

- --
Carl - wa6vse
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5183. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7ii99s$7cd$1@news1.fast.net>
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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7ihqga$64r@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:
> Julian M. Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu> wrote:
> >This is not the case. You are bound by the rules of the country where the
> >vessel is registered while operating in international waters.
>
> Really? Suppose a U.S. citizen is cruising on his Mexican-registered
> boat in international waters.

Actually, Jeff, unless the rules have changed, non-citizens
cannot document vessels in Mexico ...

> Suppose he decides to operate his radio
> without a license. Is he subject to FCC or Mexican radio laws?
>
> Please cite the proper US, Mexican, or ITU radio regulations with your
> reply.

Before I left California, bound for Mexico and points beyond,
I spoke with the FCC in Washington about my license renewal.
I told them that I was leaving the US for an extended period
of time on a sailing vessel and would HAVE no US address.
They told me that I had to have a US mailing address in order
to renew my license, which I arranged for, but they also stated
that they (the FCC) had NO authority outside of US
jurisdiction/territory/territorial waters.

I recognize that a documented vessel is "sort of" like "a
little piece of its country of registry," but only to a VERY
limited extent ... try to refuse boarding to an armed inspection
party off someone else's coast if you want to see just how
limited :-)

Now I realize that ship station licenses are recognized world-
wide, but ham licenses are not (though reciprocal agreements
exist) and I always made sure to obtain the proper ham permits
from the local authorities before operating in other countries'
territory/territorial waters. On the high seas, I used the
marine bands.

- --
Carl - wa6vse

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5184. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Patrick <pcassidy@blueriver.net>
Message-ID: <374CA6A1.2C29@blueriver.net>
Source record: 141486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Is it possible to modify my lunchbox to transmit on Commercial
frequencies? :)
ANYTHING is possible. Sure a scanner can be modified to transmit on any
freq. you want, you just have to add a transmitter.
Same goes for my lunchbox! (and a reciever)

All in good fun. People learn more when they are laughing.
POC
N9PRY

Jonesy wrote:
>
> In rec.radio.amateur.antenna Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote:
> : The ConQueror writes:
>
> :> Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?
>
> : Nope.
>
> Well -- the correct answer is always: "It depends."
>
> One of the regional state highway patrol freqs is at 154.905 mcs.
> So, I get to hear a lot of "tweep-tweep-tweep" QRM between
> 144.200 and 144.205 mcs.
> Granted, this is not a "modification" to xmit on amateur freqs.
> Oh No, it works that-a-way right out of the box.
>
> 73
> Jonesy W3DHJ
> __
> SK
>
> --
> Marvin L. Jones jonz<AT>rmi.net
> Gunnison, Colorado
> 219 days to go until the Year 2000 -- So what!
> 585 days to go until the 3rd Millennium of the C.E.

5185. Contest logbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fabio <cq.fabio@iol.it>
Message-ID: <7ihc9a$l88$1@hermes.iol.it>
Source record: 141487

Hi to all
If you need to publish your contest logbook, try in this site:
http://users.iol.it/cq.fabio/
Is 100% free !
Here you can see our propagation statistic too.
73

5186. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Sf333.17069$pj7.103233@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 141488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

There you go again, make that 102.

TR

jmackey@usa.net wrote in message <374CB2BA.8E7538FD@usa.net>...

<idiocy snipped>

5187. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tcrpe <tcrpe@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Og333.17074$pj7.103255@news2.giganews.com>
Source record: 141489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Make the 103.

TR

jmackey@usa.net wrote in message <374CB33B.9C280328@usa.net>...

<snipped idiocy>

5188. Re: FS: Icom IC-SM6 base mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Reginald & Freda Bell <longdist@orbitworld.net>
Message-ID: <374CBDBE.4C94957D@orbitworld.net>
Source record: 141490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you still have that mic ,I'll take it

5189. Re: Frequency!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374C2CB6.975@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141491

I would sujest that you pick up the ARRL hand book. It will help you
learn about Amateur radio and the electronics involed. I wish you lots
of luck.
AM and FM are modes of operation not frequencies.
73 and best of luck to you
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5190. Re: Oris ASKS A QUESTION.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374C2D35.731E@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141492

When are you guys going to stop? Think you call each other name because
you like it.
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5191. Re: READ,UNDERSTAND AND ACT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374C2BFF.7936@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141493

David Stinson wrote:
>
> Oh great....
> First we've got a far left-wing racist hatemonger,
>
> and now we've got a far right-wing racist hatemonger!
>
> My father was right;
> There's an unlimited supply of "DUMBASS" in the world.
>
> Dave AB5S
hello test
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5192. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <CBE28821A4F18C95.E8D99FE937695952.4B17419FE03DDDCF@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141494

Ryan T. Faricy wrote:
> I hope you have something better to do.
> Please keep this stuff to email.

Part 97.1 is the business of this NG. That the
FCC had a part in the murder of persons inside
and amateur "Station in distress" under 97.405
should be of interest to all operators.

If the business of this NG displeases you,
then please go elsewhere.

No one but no one can refute the truthfulness
of the information on FCC-FBI operations at
Waco presented at the website below.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5193. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <5C8F19FFDB871B12.BF6B6CB020C4B661.85F0669BAB629C9C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141495

big_guy_one@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> All you sicko conspiracy goons...

Now that you have disgraced yourself with
your idiotic tirade, would you care to address
the issue? Or is logic, reason, and intellect
beyond you? Please address the evidence at the
website.
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5194. Icom IC-Q7a Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharvey@thefuture.net
Message-ID: <7ihn01$1l6e@enews3.newsguync/m>
Source record: 141496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio,scanner

I ran across the best deal on cloning software and computer cable and adaptor combination. RT Systems has a great deal. Windows Software, computer cable and adapter for $39.00. The same cable will work with the R2 when they come out with the software for that little jewel. Their number is 1-800-723-6922. Look here for software information: http://www.rtsars.com/icq7_cloning_software.htm

Happy programing...Scott, KA7FVV

5195. Re: THE EASY WAY TO MAKE IT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525200012.20832.00005638@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141551

<< Subject: Re: THE EASY WAY TO MAKE IT!
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Tue, May 25, 1999 9:05 PM
Message-id: <19990525170536.22553.00004912@ng-cj1.aol.com>

Keep it up,

I'm laughing all the way to Bank! , You'll see!
<<<He's laughing all the way to the bank? What's he squawking about. All I asked was that the damn fool keep out of my mailbox and he gets bent out of shape. I want nothing to do with the guy because he has no decent ham ticket and no decent scruples and character when it comes to ham radio operators. He's just another demented BARFie/StumpJumper--a grade A Herbie suckup and an anti-Semite to boot. I wouldn't bother with such an ignorant lowlife in my private life-I wouldn't accept mail from him thru USPS and I don't want his electronic junk too. May be if he ever upgrades to a real honest-to-goodness ham as I am, then I might give him a tumble but right now, if the jerk caught fire, I wouldn't tinkle on him. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

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5196. Re: wanted a trip to the bus station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <c7H23.420$la.11006@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141552

On Tue, 25 May 1999 14:21:54 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> Sammy SeaGull. Go down to the bus station and may be you will ge lucky
> this time and the fuzz will not catch you like they did the last time. A
> little indulgence in your fetish might settle your nerves "CHICKEN HAWK'
>
> heh heh
>

So, what are you saying, George? Why are you being so cryptic? Let's hear the whole story, it all it's detail!

Oh yeah, I see that you're still having problems being coherent. Are you still angry, or did you have a few too many sips off that ol' bottle before you wrote that?

How are you doing with your infatuation with WB2OTK? I don't know if Rich likes chocolates or not, but I'm sure it wouldn't hurt his feelings if you were to send him a large heart-shaped box full. Even if he doesn't like them, he'd probably appreciate the gesture. I know that you're thinking of him, even at this very moment! I have an idea, run on down to the nearest Hallmark and pick out a nice greeting card, one which really expresses your true romantic feelings about him. Hey, while you're there, take a look at their Precious Moments collection. I'll bet that he'd really be touched if you sent him one of those cute little statues! Oh hell, George, go for the trifecta: The Chocolates, the card and the Precious Moments Statue! You'll have him eating out of the palm of your hand!

Between you and me, I'd keep quiet about your whipped cream and hot fudge fantasies involving WB2OTK... at least until you two get better acquainted. Just trying to help!

Have a nice day!
Smurf69
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5197. Re: organization fighting hate!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc3au@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ifp4tval1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141553

It is time for all of us to forgive one another. We all make mistakes in life, because we are human beings. There are enough problems abounding all around us and we should try to become part of the solution. Forgive and you shall be forgiven. God bless you.

John Occhipinti, KC3AU..... Mableton, GA

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---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5198. N0VFP ASKS A QUESTION.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525222623.26251.00004988@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 141554

The man asks if AF2Y can stop defaming his character. My reply: WHAT CHARACTER? The man's a BARF-StumpJumping abomination who likes to toss anti-Semitic remarks my way. Okay, Lloyd the Toid.. you have free speech but it works two ways and since I'm a hell of a lot smarter than you, you're going to lose. Want to play games with words, you horse's patoot? You can begin to look better to me if you pass a real ham license examination to get a real ham ticket instead of the silly piece of worthless paper you now have tacked up on the outhouse wall. You have a BIG MOUTH for being an A.H. SWL,don't you, birdbrain? For never having the intelligence to get the type of license to allow you to do some talking on 14.300 or 14.313, you seem to be so smart about everything. And then you attack my dear friend, Ruth Hoffman, N4LMC, who's a 73 year old grandmother, well respected in her community and church. and expect that a decent person like I will sit back and let you get away with defaming her? Like hell, bozo. I'll make you pay for all your mud slinging and then some. You've had it, creep, and when I get through with you, you'll pack up and move someplace else. I'll give you insult for insult and double the heat. But I won't attack your religion as you conveniently attack mine, you slimy bastard. You're in a WAR, Lloyd baby and I'm gonna clean your clock. If I were you, I'd seek out help from your lowlife buddies like Herbie, "Badblood," "Queenie the Weenie, "Polly the Redneck," Billy Jackoff Moore and others because you're going to need it. And when I get finished with you, I go after Stinson BIG TIME because he's your equal. YOU AIN'T SEEN NOTHIN' YET, you ignorant redneck white trash. Doc,AF2Y

5199. Re: AF2Y WILL NOT ANSWER THE QUESTION!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990525223005.26251.00004989@ng-fx1.aol.com>
Source record: 141555

<< Subject: AF2Y WILL NOT ANSWER THE QUESTION!
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Tue, May 25, 1999 11:36 PM
Message-id: <19990525193613.01640.00006122@ng-cg1.aol.com>

All I asked is if the Libel about me stops.....

Will it?
<<<<Libel? WHAT LIBEL? What I say about you is my opinion to which I'm entitled. Don't like to hear the truth? Then pack your bags and LEAVE. Or go to a lawyer and begin litigation against me; that is if you're so sure I'm libeling you. Libel my behind. You simply can't take the heat, so get out of the kitchen. AF2Y,Doc>>>>>

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5200. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374B5DB1.3BF260F3@usa.net>
Source record: 141556
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.fan.bill.cheek

No comment, just forget it Blake.

Blake Bowers wrote:

> YOUR INVOLVEMENT! Did you turn Bill in, so that

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5201. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374B5E99.97CCDBE6@usa.net>
Source record: 141557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Hawke wrote:

> looks like makey has made his appearance into the ham radio
> world again..

I never left, I've been in ham radio for approaching 20 years!

> Whats the matter, the rumors of your acccepting bribes for ham tickets
> getting under your skin?

NO, given my position as an OO (Official Observer) and being one of the
mostactive VE's in the US for 10 years gives me a record that speaks for
itself at the
HIGHEST level of integrity!

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5202. Re: Replacement License?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: wayne irwin <the-irwins@home.com>
Message-ID: <374B5F62.804187D1@home.com>
Source record: 141558

Have her write to the FCC in Gettysburg stating that she lost her
license and needs a duplicate.

FCC Address:

Federal Communications Commission
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, PA 17325

Allow as much as a few weeks for her duplicate license to arrive.

Wayne K. Irwin, W1KI
Assistant to the ARRL VEC Manager

(w1ki@arrl.org

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sco@sco-inc.com wrote:
>
> A friend of mine can not find her copy of her license. How would she
> go about getting another copy or would she need to file a form for a
> replacement?
>
> W4SCO

5203. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374B5F47.C133800D@usa.net>
Source record: 141559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Mike-

I agree with you. I can't think of a single reason anyone would want to pretend they are Bill.

Mike Schriber wrote:

> What the HELL is wrong with you people?
>
> I know Bill Cheek and most of you people most likely do not. Why the
> hell would anyone want to pretend he's Bill? I think Bill has

SNIP

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5204. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net>
Message-ID: <199904252152.PNR00658@scott.net>
Source record: 141560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

The ConQueror writes:

> Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?

Nope.

73 Jeff W4JEF

--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------
jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org	Reserve Patrol Captain
Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27	Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept
200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet	QTH Birmingham, AL USA
------------ Finger jeffj@scott.net for my PGP RSA key -----------

5205. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ifnho$ht6@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141561

M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>And maybe it is time to put "moderated" after rec.radio.amateur.misc.
>73
>Mark
>AB0HJ

Would you like to volunteer to be the moderator?

I believe a better approach would be to go through the group creation process to consider r.r.a.misc.moderated, and leave this one to the dorks.

Jeff

Air-raid / civil defense outdoor warning siren FA:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5206. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7ifpkq$548$0@207.18.224.145>
Source record: 141562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

On Wed, 26 May 1999 02:29:01 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>No comment, just forget it Blake.
>
>Blake Bowers wrote:
>
>> YOUR INVOLVEMENT! Did you turn Bill in, so that
>

So you admit it? John, you really should be ashamed.

I realize that you have been obsessed with Bill, but to
turn him in for selling decoders? Sheesh!

5207. Re: A Moderated Amateur Radio Newsgroup...Please?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ifqvd$k6r@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141563

RFEnforcer <rfenforcer@aol.com> wrote:
>In a previous thread, Jeff in Hawaii mentioned the possibility of creating a
>moderated newsgroup. Is this possible?

It is possible, but the group-creation process is a real headache:
First there is the Call For Discussion (CFD) whereby the proponents
give their arguments in favor of creating a new group, and post
a copy of the charter for the newly proposed group for everyone to
inspect and make comment to; then there is heated debate back and forth
as to why another new group should be added to the rec.radio.amateur
hierarchy -- the arguing can get nasty! Not only do the proponents have to
convince the rec.radio.amateur community of the need for a new group, but
they also have to convince the Newsgroup Creation Gang (those are the
folks who send out the new NG control messages to news admins worldwide
informing them that a new group has been created and to consider adding
the new group to their news files).

After the 30-day CFD then follows the Call For Votes (CFV) in which
everyone in the rec.radio.amateur community get to cast their vote via
email to a neutral third party; a second CFV is conducted. At the end of
the voting period, the vote counter reports the outcome to both the r.r.a
community and the Newsgroup Creation Gang. If the proper proportion of
Yes votes were received, then, if the Gang gives their final approval,
the above mentioned NG creation control message is sent out to the
news admins. Then you have to hope that the news admins will add the
new group to their news collection.

Whew!

So, who would like to start the ball rolling? (Not me -- it's easier
just to use a kill file to filter out all the goof-balls who have
rolled in here over the past year or two.)

Jeff KH6O

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Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5208. FS: Yaesu FT-221R 2 Meter All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5psi@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ig0ms$4gl$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141564

Hello,

I have a Yaesu FT-221R for sale on Ebay. The radio works great on all modes. Starting bid is $100. The auction ends on 06/01/99, 21:54:33 PDT. Photos are included on the Ebay link below.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=109310038

Thanks,

Mike N5PSI

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5209. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526021950.17700.00005798@ng-ba1.aol.com>
Source record: 141565

On 5/25/99 12:48 PM, paulvanasse@tp.net wrote:
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It also seems that the ratio of off topic discussions on this NG almost perfectly matches the ratio of identical off topic discussions that can be heard on just about any amateur frequency on any given night.
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Are you saying here that hams should only discuss ham radio on ham frequencies?

If this is the case, then when I call my mother (75 years young) on the telephone, we should only discuss telephones? And her telling me about her classes in *Country Line Dancing* or how her seedlings are doing in her greenhouse would be *off topic*???

Or when I e-mail my old football coach, we should only discuss computers?? And the where abouts of former teachers, or the 22 pound salmon I caught in Lake Huron would be *off topic*???

Ham radio is about people. Different people have different interests. And who really cares what we talk, so long as our conversation does not interfere with your conversation. And if it does, just say so, and most hams will move up or down 4 or 5 KHz (or in the case of CW, 500 Hz will do the trick)

Bob
KD8WU

5210. Re: yaesu FT-50R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Galanis <george.galanis@dsto.defence.gov.au>
Message-ID: <374B940C.89BF27E5@dsto.defence.gov.au>
Source record: 141566

Shaun
Have a look at Goran Vlaski's web page:

http://vlaski.virtualave.net/

He has a program that will read your radio data and allow you to mod the data and upload it back to the radio. I was able to get my 8K.... series FT50 to transmit in freeband. The only catch is that once you power down and back up again all the data in the radio is lost and you have to download it again. I emailed Goran about this and he says there is a fix, and he is still working on it.

We have a CB band in Australia at 476 MHz so it would be useful to have access to the CB repeaters for emergencies, particularly in remote regions where there is no activity on VHF and UHF amateur bands. Let me know if you have any more success with it
Cheers,
George VK3BGJ

Shaun wrote:

> Can the yeasu FT-50R still be modified for Free band.
> I have done the hardware mods but the radio wont change to free band.
> can any one help.. Thanks

5211. Re: INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4lmc@ij.net
Message-ID: <7igii1gli1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141567

In article <19990523173310.22561.00003757@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
> I just heard KD0LA make a valid point. If the Liberty Net has to
justify it
> existance on 3950, then N4LMC should maybe think about justifcation of
her
> Intercon Net, seeing that phone pacthes can be done by AT&T wireless.
>
> humm?
>
> LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
> Athens, Alabama
> ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
> ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
> WEB PAGES:
> http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
>
WOW, ARE YOU SICK OR SOMETHING??? WE DON'T HAVE TO JUSTIFY OURSELVES TO
ANYONE BUT THE FCC... WE HAVE THEIR APPROVAL FOR LO THESE MANY YEARS.
IF YOU ARE SO WORRIED ABOUT PHONE PATCHES WHY DON'T YOU CRY ABOUT
EMAIL AND ALL THE MONEY YOU ARE TAKING FROM THE POSTAL SERVICE
SHAME ON YU

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5212. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <n5wrx@mindspring.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7igha6$vv3$1@nntp2.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Only if your scanner has a plug somewhere on it for a microphone or a CW key.

William Lee N5WRX

The ConQueror wrote in message <37499f78@news.internext.fr>...
>Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?
>
>Thanks
>Dan
>
>

5213. Re: INTERCON NET SHOULD JUSTIFY IT's EXISTANCE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7igm4rtqj1@nntp1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141569

Opps.... Someone hit a nerve.....You SHOULD be upset.
The same hammer that the FCC is using on the Liberty Net could be turned and used against your net next.
Or do you think that your net has some special arangement with the FCC?
Ever hear the story about the Goose and the Gander? How bout the pot and the kettle?
To take this as something personal is the WRONG approach and it totally misses the point.

William Lee N5WRX

n4lmc@ij.net wrote in message <7igii1gli1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
>In article <19990523173310.22561.00003757@ng-cj1.aol.com>,
> n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP) wrote:
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>SHAME ON YU
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>
>--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
>---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5214. FS Last precision OCXOs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: douglas dwyer <doug@ddwyer.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1tQm9TAvU8S3Ewwv@ddwyer.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 141570

Clearing out the last of these frequency references, unused precision SC
cut oven controlled crystal oscillators at 16.384 MHz that divide down
to 1,2,4kHz etc., they approach
small rubidium in long term stability and do better in
short term stability.
This is the only frequency I have, as Im an oscillator designer I
recognised these (parts in ten to the eleven/day) oscillators when they
came on the market from a cancelled cellular phone system in the UK,
Now 5% list price ie UK pounds ï¿½25 or $equivilent + postage
Email for circuit to lock to any other freq around 10MHZ in 1kHz
steps and fuller spec.
--
douglas dwyer

5215. WTB: HF5B Butterfly Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: tinorus@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526073731.20824.00000384@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 141571

WTB HF5B butterfly beam either complete antenna or for parts.
Please respond to:

Tino NF1Y

tinorus@aol.com

5216. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackey@isan.idiot
Message-ID: <374ed371.2158719@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Wrong again, loony tune. YOU are the retard here. Either start posting on
topic or be prepared to defend yourself with your online provider as the
countless complaints will begin.

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Are you talking about Bill Cheek or Bill Conduit?
>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>>The only habitual off-topic poster who skirts life every time HE'S asked to
>>produce facts!
>
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

5217. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackey@isan.idiot
Message-ID: <374fd3c0.2237607@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

And when you graduate to the 3rd grade, you'll hear it again. Retard.

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Wow Bill, the last time I heard that was in 2nd grade. No wait it was
>first grade!!!
>
>
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:
>
>> you were born and somehow
>> survived. that is the crime.
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

5218. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackey@isan.idiot
Message-ID: <3750d3e2.2271732@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>People like YOU are only mad at me because of my involvement with the Cheek bust.

Wrong. The issue is YOU and NOT Cheek.

How are you "involved" with the Cheek bust? Are you a Federal agent (Bawhawhaw!). Did you drop a dime on him or something? Did you try and set him up?

I have a problem with YOU posing your useless and off-topic drivel here on a daily basis.

It wouldn't be bad if you posted something on topic once in a blue moon, but you can't even do that.

Prove me wrong if you don't think so by showing me a message where you posted on-topic anytime over the last 6 months. Provide a dejanews link (challenge #73 about to be failed by loony tune).

5219. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <LDR23.804$wh.23094@typ21b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141575

>Are you saying here that hams should only discuss ham radio on ham frequencies?

No, what Im saying is that the ratio of childish bickering on the NG perfect matches the ratio of immature behavior "on the air". Of course, a wide diversity of conversation is what being a Ham is all about, however, name-calling, slander, and plain hyperbole is not what I consider "diverse". Its divisive and unconstructive to everyone.

Im well content listening to two Hams talk about "Why Pine trees are green?" even though I have may no interest in the subject, nor would I want to contribute to a conversation such as that, but I still consider a subject such as that a worthy conversation for someone who may have a valid interest.

73's

Paul

5220. Re: I heard the Liberty Net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: James Moran <jmoran21@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <374BE9D8.C3ED8661@hotmail.com>
Source record: 141576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

KK7HO Spun:

> Why wouldn't I be able to "handle" it? I've put up with their escapades ever
> since I became a ham, simply because I wanted to talk on 3950.

Correction:

All you wanted to do is "JAM" 3950, and agitate others to do the same.
We've heard you in action, and in case you haven't give a listen:
http://members.xoom.com/_XOOM/kevin_strom/kk7ho_jamming_19990313.wav

> My Statements are 100% TRUE and I am sorry if don't
> know it !

The truth is that you have committed other crimes on HF,
namely, the conspiracy to commit murder, or at least
attempt to intimidate W1WCR by discussing how much it
would cost to have him killed, with K5BLB. Hear it at:
http://members.xoom.com/frg9600/500.wav

So beware when KK7HO speaks. He is trying to reverse
the roles of who the good guys are (Liberty Net) and the
Jammers, like himself. He just can't stand a patriotic discussion
on 3950, and will stop at nothing to disrupt the legal
discussions on that frequency.

73's Jim

5221. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX" <rschaffrath@acm.org>
Message-ID: <374BED2D.AAF@acm.org>
Source record: 141577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

There is also W95SSTV at
http://www.siliconpixels.com/W95SSTV/W95SSTV.HTM which uses the
soundcard to transmit and receive color SSTV through the soundcard under
windows.

sdem4393 wrote:
>
> Hy,
>
> It's a dream until now but ...
>
> take a look at CWGET and CWTYPE (CW of course)
> IZ8BLY Hellschreiber.exe (Hellschreiber mode)
> PSK31.exe (psk31 mode)
>
> They are Windows programs using the sound card with receive and transmit
> possibilities.
>
> And IT WORKS.
>
> So it must be possible to do it for other mode.
>
> sdem4393@euronet.be
> best 73

--
Robert G. Schaffrath, N2JTX
+1.516.759.4314
mailto:rschaffrath@acm.org
http://www.schaffrath.net

5222. AF2Y'S message to N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526093315.18116.00003473@ng-ce1.aol.com>
Source record: 141578

I just found out about your enlistment soliciation for help from Herbie, and Youngblood, and Queenie and Frankie Francine and other
ham radio abominations. You want me off your case? Wrie a sincere letter pf apology to my dear friend Ruth Hoffman,N4LMC and express regrets for attacking her and her excellent Intercon public service net. No need to apologize for the anti-Semitism you've flung my way since I flick it off as if it were lint. Ruth had better receive word from you today or I pull out all stops.
AF2Y, Doc

5223. Re: Denied Aircraft bording with HT - was this legal?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve La Joie <lajoie@eskimo.com>
Message-ID: <374BF435.3C0A2D8@eskimo.com>
Source record: 141579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,soc.penpals

I'm not a pilot, but I do have some knowledge of the FAA requirements.
I'm not speaking for anybody but me btw.

Any electronic item used on an airplane has to be qualified (to DO-160
requirements is one way to demonstrate to the FAA that it's qualified)
and then Certified for that model. Certification would mean ground and
possible flight testing of the equipment on that major model airplane.
Once you got your qualification test report, you can look at the
spectrum
of radio emissions and you know what systems may be susceptable and
check those for interference, but any system affected can lead to one
or the other box being uncertified.

All equipment used on board must be controlled and checked at regular
intervals by FAA certified technitions. Once in the hands of a non-
certified technition, it's become suspect - only a conformity inspection
to make sure it is of the same design and no unauthorized modifications
to the unit have been made can bring it back into certified status.

If you're not an FAA certified technition, anything you bring on board
is illegal to turn on, (and an FAA technition wouldn't turn something on
that wasn't certifed for flight, even his test equipment on board
must be flight certified) according to the FAA. But they left it up to
the pilots to enforce it.

I've seen everything from Cell phones to CD players mess up flight
deck avionics. Some things don't. A lot depends upon the equipment
being used, the airplane model, and even where you sit on the airplane.

Any equipment that is latent, that is, battery operated and running
like a cell phone waiting for a call, or a lap top with an active
clock while off, is right out.

robinson wrote:
>
> I think we are all agreed, that as per the rules, we may not transmit
> without permission of the pilot, on an aircraft. Posession of a radio does
> not imply use of it, or intent to use it. A licensed ham, by virtue of
> having a license, is by implication willing to follow the rules. My
> contention that the airline may refuse to allow an HT aboard, and that the
> passenger may refuse to fly that airline, and may tell anyone who will
> listen to do likewise, is based entirely on common sense.
>
> I think we would do better to post those carriers who have a history of
> non-cooperation with traveling hams, and avoiding, where possible, those

> airlines, and seeking to educate them to the extent possible. This argument
> appears to be a dead horse, well beaten.
>
> ---------------------------------
> Robinson in San Benito TX
> A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
> By the Border By the Sea
>
> Meet a Redneck!
> See the Crusoe Quintuplets!
> Build your own Web Page!
> Get your Ham License!
>
> For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy, Partying
> in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
> http://crusoe.org
> --
>
> RADIO MAN wrote in message <3741E4E9.2371@ameritech.net>...
> >robinson wrote:
> >>
> >> They should be able to prevent anybody they like from boarding for any
> >> reason they like. It is their plane, and their business. They can runn
> off
> >> ALL their customers if they like, and fold up, or they can let anybody at
> >> all board with anything allowed by the law, and behaving in any manner at
> >> all that is not specifically illegal. Or they can strike a middle road
> >> somewhwere in there. Thhat's called free enterprise... market economy...
> >> supply/demand... and giving the customer what he wants, or losing his
> >> business.
> >>
> >> I used to always carry my TS-50S in my briefcase. The one time they
> refused
> >> to allow it to pass, (The by-the-numbers instructions they got were to
> have
> >> me turn it on, and naturally I could not, without a source of 13.8VDC)
> they
> >> busted both the lamps for the LCD panel, and I also had to do a full
> reset.
> >> The next time, I was given the option of opening it up and I happened to
> >> have my swiss army knife in my pocket, so I did, and showed them there
> was
> >> not room inside for even a single stick of dynamite. After that, I never
> had
> >> a problem.
> >>
> >> I have never flown with an HT, and do not even own one. But I bet working
> >> your way up the chain of command, you would have eventually found someone
> >> who can count past ten without removing his shoes, showed him your
> license,

> >> informed him that you know your responsibilities and obligations under
> the
> >> CFR (quoting chapter and verse sounds impressive to some people) you
> would
> >> have been allowed to board with your HT. This would have helped the next
> >> poor ham who had to deal with those mental midgets.
> >>
> >> If you try everything and get no satisfaction, when given the choice,
> don't
> >> fly that airline, and inform them of it. Fill out one of the complaint
> >> cards that most airlines have, and some distribute, usually in the
> airline's
> >> in-flight rag. I have always got a response when I have sent one in.
> >>
> >> When you have a prob with a particular airline, and they simply won't be
> >> reasonable no matter what, other hams should be informed. A letter to QST
> >> and posts here would together inform probably half of all licensed hams,
> and
> >> would represent a substantial amount of lost revenue to the ucooperative
> >> airline.
> >>
> >> ---------------------------------
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> >> A nice little town in the Beautiful Lower Rio Grande Valley
> >> By the Border By the Sea
> >>
> >> Meet a Redneck!
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> >> Build your own Web Page!
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> >>
> >> For locksmithing, Radio, Programming, Nautical, Redneck Philosophy,
> Partying
> >> in the Valley, and other stuff go to:
> >> http://crusoe.org
> >> ---
> >>
> >> hawke wrote in message <373B9D4F.5767A2DC@uswest.net>...
> >> >Read below...
> >> >
> >> >Curtis CCR wrote:
> >> >
> >> >> radiosigs@aol.com
> >> >>
> >> >> Are you serious? "Even unfair rules" are OK?"
> >> >
> >> >Airlines have the right to refuse service for nearly any reason.
> >> >
> >> >>
> >> >>

> >> >> What else should they ban? Laptop computers? Car keys?
> >> >
> >> >Laptops, cd players, radio recievers and other rf producing electronic
> >> >devices
> >> >not pertanent to the operation of an aircraft are already on the list of
> >> >"banned devices"
> >> >via the Flight Aviation Rules and general policy of most airlines.
> >> >
> >> >>
> >> >>
> >> >> BTW - I'm a pilot and I have no knowledge of any Federal Aviation
> >> >> Regulation the prohibits passengers from carrying tranceievers on
> board
> >> >> aircraft. There are rules about *using* portable electronic devices
> >> >> (FAR 91.21).
> >> >
> >> >Look a little closer at that regulation. Part of the RCPA of 1996
> included
> >> >provisions related to the use of specified electronic equipment on board
> >> >any commercial aircraft flying within or over any territory owned
> >> >or controlled by the US Government.
> >> >
> >> >This vary same arguement was held in here and on rec.radio.scanner
> >> >some 11 months ago.
> >> >
> >> >>
> >> >>
> >> >> I usually have a pretty flexible schedule when I travel. If I was
> >> >> denied passage through security because I was , I would have gone back
> >> >> to the airline and made a stink - even if it meant missing my flight.
> >> >> Unless there was an FAA directive forbiding HTs in carry-on luggage, I
> >> >> wouldn't have made every manager involved very busy.
> >> >
> >> >Carrying them is ok, using them aboard aircraft is not.
> >> >
> >> >>
> >> >>
> >> >> Yes - this is stupid. I would have made waves.
> >> >>
> >> >> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> >> >> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
> >> >
> >Well it also has to do with electronic interference. You wouldn't want
> >the plane to go down becasue you were busy with a QSO with somebody over
> >30 miles away thanks to the elevation that you were at, huh?
> >--
> >RADIO SCANNERS, CITIZENS' BAND RADIOS, SHORTWAVE RADIOS,
> >FAMILY RADIO SERVICE RADIOS, HAM RADIOS ARE FUN!!!!

5224. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jonesy <jonz@rmi.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <7igv65$t11$1@news1.rmi.net>
Source record: 141580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In rec.radio.amateur.antenna Jeff Johns <jeffj@scott.net> wrote:
: The ConQueror writes:

:> Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?

: Nope.

Well -- the correct answer is always: "It depends."

One of the regional state highway patrol freqs is at 154.905 mcs.
So, I get to hear a lot of "tweep-tweep-tweep" QRM between
144.200 and 144.205 mcs.
Granted, this is not a "modification" to xmit on amateur freqs.
Oh No, it works that-a-way right out of the box.

73
Jonesy W3DHJ

--
SK

--
Marvin L. Jones jonz<AT>rmi.net
Gunnison, Colorado
219 days to go until the Year 2000 -- So what!
585 days to go until the 3rd Millennium of the C.E.

5225. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <374C057D.41C67EA6@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 141581

Justin,

cal25skipper wrote:
>
> You will have to learn the code and some electrical theory
> You can get a US license in any town.
> Go to Radio shack and buy the general Class manual and code tapes.
> Practice the code EVERY day for 15 minutes 20 if you like, and
> after about 2-3 weeks, you will be able to pass the test.
> Don't let anyone tell you that the code is difficult, because it
> really isn't. Anyone can learn it if they have a desire, and I
> mean anyone.
>
> Steady winds and smooth sailing to you!
>

This is all absolutly correct, "anyone can learn it if they have a desire", but there are a couple of points that I didn't see addressed in the other posts.

In your message below, you say that Australia is your home. Does that also mean that your citizenship is also there? Only US citizens are directly eligible for a US Amateur Radio License. If you are a citizen of another country, you must first have a license in that country and then you are eligible for a reciprocal license, in the US.

Further, even if you are a US citizen, a US license does not give you the right to operate anywhere in the world. A good idea might be to get ahold of a copy of the FCC Rules and Regulations, Part 97. This is the section that covers Amateur Radio Service. Section 97.17 covers reciprocal permits. You can down load a PDF copy from "http://www.fcc.gov". Section 97.501 covers Qualifying for an Amateur Radio License.

To go directly to the document section use the URL below and select the document "47cfr97.pdf":

http://www.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering_Technology/Documents/cfr/1998/index2.html

But, if you do get a license, don't limit yourself to E-Mail. We would like to talk to you as well.

Good Luck,

Martin

> justin@streetmail.com wrote in message <7ie9v2$rl2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> >I'm heading back to my yacht in the Caribbean next month to then sail
> >to Australia (home). I'd like to have e-mail to stay in touch with
> >friends and family along the way. I have a SSB with ham frequencies
> >as well as a laptop I can use. I have no call sign. What do I
> >need to do so that I can do e-mail via the ham? I'm in the USA
> >until the end of June, can I get a call sign in that time? Do
> >I need to learn morse? Is there any way I can get a call sign
> >quickly so I can get up and running straight away and then learn
> >morse when I have time (once I'm sailing again)? I'd be willing
> >to pay. Is this possible? Do I need my own call sign?
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I respond to news groups and E-Mail on my own time and therefore my
responses may not be as timely as you, or I, would like them to be. If
I seem to be ignoring you, send me another E-Mail to jog my memory.
Opinions are my own and do not reflect the opinions of my employer.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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5226. Re: Hawke makes a FOOL of himself again!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374C0A77.163A2474@usa.net>
Source record: 141582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

Hawke wrote:

> What is your fascination with Eric Oyen????
> I simply stated an opinion and out you come claiming that I am someone
> else....

Everyone knows you are Eric Oyen. You hang out in all the amateur radio &
sight imparednewsgroups just like Eric, you are both from Phoenix, & "Hawke"
was Eric's CB radio
handle. "Eric" made so much trouble & so many enemies on usenet
that you had to change your ID to "Hawke".

> I hate to say it dude, but too many people from here and
> FIDONET remember who you are and why you did what you did..

Correct, & for that reason I have won respect from many people.

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5227. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374C0AC1.39BAE73F@usa.net>
Source record: 141583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Bill, can't you think & speak coherantly?

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> Width-of one hair
> brain within

other foolishness deleted.

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5228. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: dber@tiac.net
Message-ID: <374c09e1.163125@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 141584

On Wed, 26 May 1999 07:30:21 -0700, Martin Meserve
<meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote:

>In your message below, you say that Australia is your home. Does
>that also mean that your citizenship is also there? Only US
>citizens are directly eligible for a US Amateur Radio License.
>If you are a citizen of another country, you must first have a
>license in that country and then you are eligible for a reciprocal
>license, in the US.

I though it was fairly clear that you did not need to be a citizen of
the US to be a US Amateur radio operator. Just pass the tests and
you're in. I think this topic is covered nicely on the Novice/Tech
exams. From what I remember of my theory study, the ruling states
that anyone can become a US Amateur radio operator except a
representative of a foreign government.

The reciprocal license is a different issue.

- Dave Bernazzani
dber@tiac.net

5229. Re: Mackey still makes a FOOL of himself !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Glenn <glenn.hansen@usa.net>
Message-ID: <i9U23.284$6w1.88679@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 141585
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote ...

> Correct, & for that reason I have won respect from many people.

BAWAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA!

What people? 40 people are on this NG telling you what a worthless piece of
dog dung you are and not one person steps up to your defense. WHY?

1. everyone hates John-Bowl Mackey
2. Nobody respects John-Bowl Mackey
3. All of the above

correct answer is #3

Tell again about all your FCC licenses John-Bowl.

BAWAHAHAHAHAHHAHAHAHA

5230. FS: ARRL Handbook, 1993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Lewis <bill@wrljet.com>
Message-ID: <7ih44emgt1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 141586

I am auctioning a 1993 ARRL Handbook on eBay.
Excellent condition. No reserve.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=109394145

Bill

5231. FS: Doug DeMaw W1FB Radio Amateur Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Lewis <bill@wrljet.com>
Message-ID: <7ih48o$n2f$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 141587

I am auctioning four Doug DeMaw W1FB Radio Amateur Books
on eBay. Very low reserve.

- W1FB's Design Notebook -- Practical Circuits for Experimenters
- W1FB's QRP Notebook -- All New Projects for QRPers
- W1FB's Antenna Notebook
- Solid State Design for the Radio Amateur, 1986 edition

All jam packed full of useful information, and in excellent condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=109397975

Bill

5232. Need Help with Value

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Helen Wood <woods@zianet.com>
Message-ID: <374C12F4.F73A2FC6@zianet.com>
Source record: 141588

We just came into possession of a Kaar Engineering TR246 Packset HF Portable Transmitter/Receiver Battery Operated with 6Mhz Crystals and Vacuum tubes 3A4 3V4. Does anyone know the value of this piece or any more information on it? My husband (whose the Ham in the family) doesn't know if would be worth enough to sell so he can buy a new HF rig. Please email woods@zianet.com if you have any information.
Thank you so much for any help you can give us,
Helen

5233. Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks! (Long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank@N8FN.COM
Message-ID: <374c1972.3783015@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

What does this have to do with amateur radio policy?

On Tue, 25 May 1999 19:03:49 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous
<nobody@replay.com> wrote:

>Very interesting stuff from the wife of WB4AIO.
>
>It seems he has a very low opinion of feds.
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>I hope Riley pays him a visit to discuss the article below:
>
>http://www.splcenter.org/intelligenceproject/ip-4i4.html
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>
>Here is the article:
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>Q&A: Inside the Alliance
>
> A former insider speaks
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> For four years, Kirsten Kaiser, 36, lived with her husband on or near
> the West Virginia compound of William Pierce, the leader of the
> neo-Nazi National Alliance and author of the racist fantasy novel The
> Turner Diaries. Kaiser was married to Kevin Alfred Strom, who
> co-hosts Pierceï¿½s racist and anti-Semitic radio show and is one of
> Pierceï¿½s closest associates. In that role, she got to know Pierceï¿½s
> inner circle and some of its membersï¿½ thinking. Over the nine years of
> her marriage, Kaiser came to question the violently racist views of the
> Alliance -- especially after the deaths of 19 children in the Oklahoma
> City bombing, which was patterned on an attack portrayed in The
> Turner Diaries. Today, she is living in Minnesota and going through a
> divorce from Strom. The Intelligence Report interviewed Kaiser
> about her life and acquaintances inside the Alliance, and how she
> came to leave.
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> INTELLIGENCE REPORT: How did you first hear of the
> National Alliance?
>
> KAISER: I first heard about it in 1986 through reading magazines

> which my second husband, Joseph McLaughlin, had. I remember
> initially I was really shocked. I had noticed that Joseph didnï¿½t seem to
> like Democrats or Republicans, and I asked him, ï¿½What are you
> anyway?ï¿½ He said he was a [white] nationalist, that when he was 17
> years old he had run away from home and gone to Iceland so he
> could be around other nationalists.
>
> IR: What was your first contact with William Pierce?
>
> KAISER: Joseph had me call Dr. Pierce one day in the summer of
> 1987. It was the day that [former Nazi leader] Rudolph Hess died.
> Joseph was all excited about this and they were all saying that it was a
> plot, a murder conspiracy.
>
> IR: What did you say to Pierce?
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> KAISER: I said that Iï¿½d been reading his magazines. And he said,
> ï¿½You know, Iï¿½m really going to have to have you meet Kevin Strom. I
> know youï¿½ll just love him.ï¿½ I didnï¿½t meet Kevin until about four
> months later, on Nov. 7, 1987, when he came to our house in
> Arlington [Va.], but I really did like him a lot. I fell in love with him,
> but I didnï¿½t see him again until January 1988.
>
> I was still married to Joseph at that time, but Kevin was starting to
> introduce me to people. I really wanted to meet people. I was very
> alone, very isolated.
>
> They were all in this radical movement and they talked about radical
> things and it was very mysterious and fun and interesting. I had never
> met anybody like this. In the meantime, the situation with Joseph was
> getting worse. On March 15, 1988, I left. Kevin helped me move, and
> he moved into the apartment that I got.
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> IR: How had Kevin gotten into the movement?
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> KAISER: It turns out that Kevinï¿½s high school government teacher in
> Fairfax, Va., was a fascist who kind of recruited him into all this. He
> pointed him to the John Birch Society. Kevin was never involved in
> the Klan. He is the big intellectual -- we continuously made fun of the
> Klan. But he did read literature like Instauration [a relatively
> highbrow racist publication] and corresponded with people like Jared
> Taylor [who runs a magazine called American Renaissance and has
> argued that blacks are less intelligent than whites].
>
> IR: When did you first meet Pierce in person?
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> KAISER: A little before that, at the very end of 1987. Joseph and
> Kevin and I all met Dr. Pierce at a restaurant in Arlington. I had just
> finished reading The Turner Diaries, which I thought was very
> poorly written, and I think I told him so, which may be part of the

> reason why he dislikes me so much. He said that he had written it
> very fast and that he was very surprised at how popular it had
> become. He said that he had always intended to rewrite it and make it
> better, but that he liked it real well.
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> IR: Do you think Pierce was serious about the message of the book
> [which depicts a race war set off by the protagonistï¿½s bombing of the
> FBI headquarters building]?
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> KAISER: Yes. That first night we met, I remember that he said that if
> they didnï¿½t blow up the FBI soon, it would become impossible
> because technology was getting better and better.
>
> I used to drive past the Pentagon and other government buildings
> every day, and I never gave them a second thought until he started
> pointing out that there was this big sinister thing going on, that they
> were ultimately out to get me and Joseph personally, particularly
> because now we knew the truth that no one was supposed to know.
>
> IR: How was Pierce treated that night?
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> KAISER: Everybody has always treated Dr. Pierce with tremendous
> reverence. Nobody calls Dr. Pierce "Bill." Even his wife calls him Dr.
> Pierce.
>
> IR: And how did Pierce act toward you?
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> KAISER: Dr. Pierce said, "Youï¿½re just a housewife," and I was so
> shocked and hurt. I had just got done reading his whole magazine, the
> National Vanguard magazine, which had a picture of Venus de Milo
> on the cover and went on and on about how women should be at
> home having children. I thought, "If thatï¿½s what they think, why did
> he just say that to me?" It really hurt and confused me. It never made
> any sense.
>
> Dr. Pierce doesnï¿½t like women. He told me later that he likes them in a
> James Bond sense. Those were his favorite movies, James Bond
> movies. In those movies, women are just sort of fun toys, and that is
> really how he sees them.
>
> Once, Dr. Pierce showed me some mail-order bride catalogs after his
> third wife, Olga, left him for three or four months. They were just
> unbelievable. You pick up a catalog thatï¿½s full of these women and
> almost every last one of them is named Eva. It was always eastern
> European women, from Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Russia.
>
> IR: After this initial meeting, I understand you stayed in touch with
> Pierce while you lived in Virginia and, later, in Maryland. When did
> you and Kevin finally move to Pierceï¿½s compound [on 346 acres
> outside Hillsboro, W. Va.]?

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> KAISER: We moved on to his land on Oct. 1, 1991, and stayed
> there in a little trailer until Sept. 3 of 1992. After that, we moved to an
> apartment above a truck garage in Hillsboro, and Kevin continued
> working for Dr. Pierce until 1995.
>
> IR: What was it like living on Pierceï¿½s land?
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> KAISER: By the time we moved off the land, I had pretty much had
> it with the whole bunch of them. I listened to all these speeches about
> how this was a community and we were going to work together, and
> it wasnï¿½t that way at all. These people never even bothered to say
> hello and good-bye. They didnï¿½t have dinner together, hardly ever,
> and they didnï¿½t have any celebrations together.
>
> There was no discussion between people about what they were doing
> and how it connected to what other people were doing. The only one
> who really knew what was going on was Dr. Pierce, and he wasnï¿½t
> telling anybody anything they didnï¿½t need to know.
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> Nobody drinks there. Drinking is absolutely forbidden. And watching
> television was not allowed -- even though Dr. Pierce watched the
> news every night, which I remember ended up getting some people
> angry.
>
> It was a station you could hardly see. It was more like listening to the
> news. You know, Dr. Pierce has extremely poor eyesight because he
> once kept his contact lenses in for two solid weeks and that damaged
> his eyes. He is supposed to be such a smart man, but he doesnï¿½t
> have any common sense at all.
>
> They never did really like me there, and I think another one of the
> reasons was because I said, "If Iï¿½m going to work, youï¿½re going to
> have to pay me something because my time is valuable." They just
> thought that was unheard of. Everyone works for Dr. Pierce, if not
> for nothing, then virtually nothing. The people who were paid
> basically got about $300 a month. Dr. Pierce is very, very stingy in
> many ways.
>
> IR: How seriously do you think Pierce took his own propaganda?
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> KAISER: Well, he told me that he had done his dissertation on how
> to build a nuclear bomb. And he made it very clear that when the time
> came, he would know what to do. He was really very serious about
> his desire to destroy Israel. Itï¿½s not so much that they want to
> destroy the American government; Israel is what they really hated.
>
> They are waiting for when the economic system collapses because
> this will help instigate a race war. During this time of unrest, they
> would take over the armories, take control of the government and

> bomb Israel. I mean, this is what he plans to do. I guess heï¿½s going
> to rule the world once this happens.
>
> I really do think itï¿½s a version of The Turner Diaries.
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> IR: What about Hunter [the novel that Pierce wrote in 1989, after
> The Turner Diaries, that describes a campaign of assassinations of
> interracial couples]?
>
> KAISER: Whatever book he was working would be his enthusiasm
> of the moment. When Hunter came out, that was the way it was
> going to happen. If enough mixed-race couples were assassinated in
> a big flurry, that would be enough to wake people up to action.
>
> That book disturbed me. How can you judge somebody else in
> matters of the heart? If you really did fall in love with somebody of
> another race, I donï¿½t know if I could judge you. This is something I
> had a real problem with.
>
> IR: How did events in the outside world affect Pierceï¿½s people?
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> KAISER: They were just delighted that Saddam Hussein was
> attacking Israel. Another thing that delighted them was when they had
> those riots in Los Angeles. They want the white man to hate the
> black. They hoped that when social unrest got so bad that a race war
> started, that would give us the chance to blow up all these buildings
> and to get hold of an armory.
>
> You know, wherever you went, you always knew where the armories
> were. Whenever we were traveling, it was like, "Well, where is the
> armory?"
>
> IR: What kind of work did you do while you lived on Pierceï¿½s land?
>
> KAISER: I did many mailings. I stuffed hundreds and hundreds of
> envelopes and inventoried books and did a number of other things.
> But I only did that for Kevinï¿½s benefit -- not Dr. Pierceï¿½s. As I said,
> Iï¿½d told him that he had to pay me something.
>
> Dr. Pierce also had us making burial tubes [to be used for caching
> weapons underground]. They were made out of big PVC [plastic]
> tubes and we would seal the ends with these caps and special tape so
> that they would be waterproof. As many as weï¿½d make, theyï¿½d sell.
> Weï¿½d make 10 to 20 at a time, and they were already sold.
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> IR: So it was a moneymaking operation for the Alliance?
>
> KAISER: Yes, it was almost pure profit.
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> IR: What was the reaction when the Southern Poverty Law Center

> sued Pierce? [Editorï¿½s note: After a black sailor was murdered in
> 1991 by a member of the neo-Nazi Church of the Creator (COTC),
> Center attorneys sued on behalf of the victimï¿½s family and won a $1
> million judgment against the COTC. In 1995, after the COTC
> fraudulently transferred ownership of its North Carolina headquarters
> to Pierce to keep it from the murdered manï¿½s family, the Center sued
> Pierce personally and won an $85,000 judgment. That judgment was
> upheld in July by a federal appeals court. The Supreme Court refused
> to reconsider it.]
>
> KAISER: I remember very well Dr. Pierce making many trips to
> North Carolina and originally it was a very mysterious thing. After a
> while, he said that it was very hush-hush, but that it had to do with
> Ben Klassen [the long-time COTC leader who committed suicide on
> Aug. 6, 1993].
>
> This all started when [former COTC activist] Will Williams started
> getting involved. He was like a liaison. After some time, Kevin came
> to me and said, "Oh no, it is finally happening. [Center co-founder]
> Morris Dees is suing us." It was like the end of the world. He was
> terrified of Morris Dees. Kevin just hated him. He said, "Once Morris
> Dees has set his sights on you, thatï¿½s it, itï¿½s over." They were really
> upset.
>
> IR: What was Williamsï¿½ role over the years he was in West Virginia?
>
> KAISER: His title was recruiting coordinator. He came in late 1991
> or early 1992, and I thought he was very friendly, really a nice guy,
> initially. He traveled a lot, and Dr. Pierce paid for his travel. He took
> over the farm house [on Pierceï¿½s land], and put a new roof on it and
> built a fence around it. He started raising German shepherds there. He
> had an obsession with German shepherds. By the time he left, he had
> 17 of them.
>
> Six or eight months after Will arrived, he went to Russia and married
> a woman heï¿½d been corresponding with and brought her back. She
> lasted just a few weeks and then she disappeared. Will was very
> upset. He just changed completely. This was at the same time that
> Harold Covington [leader of the National Socialist White Peopleï¿½s
> Party] started attacking Will Williams, saying he was an FBI agent
> and a homosexual.
>
> All these people are really, really paranoid. They all watch each other,
> and theyï¿½re all convinced that everybody else is an FBI agent. For a
> while, there was even talk that Dr. Pierce was an FBI agent. He just
> laughed about that.
>
> Anyway, Will Williams left in 1993, or possibly 1994.
>
> IR: How did the standoffs at Ruby Ridge and Waco [in 1992 and

> 1993] affect the National Alliance?
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> KAISER: We heard about Randy Weaver [the white supremacist
> whose wife and son were killed by federal agents at Ruby Ridge,
> Idaho] long before anybody else did. Kevin was telling me every day
> it is just a matter of time before they come to get us. We have to be
> ready. Weï¿½re stockpiling food and Iï¿½m keeping distilled water hidden
> around the house, and Iï¿½m getting more and more afraid.
>
> After Waco, Kevin was always forcing me to watch this
> [antigovernment] video called Waco: The Big Lie [by Indianapolis
> attorney and militia advocate Linda Thompson, who once threatened
> an armed march on Washington, D.C.]. I am so full of fear that I
> donï¿½t know what is going to happen, and I donï¿½t trust Dr. Pierce. I
> am beginning to realize that there is something wrong with everybody
> I know in the movement. Nobody has a regular job, nobody has a
> regular [non-mail-order] wife. They donï¿½t have girlfriends, they donï¿½t
> have cars that work, they donï¿½t have any health insurance. They
> donï¿½t have a real life.
>
> I am beginning to say to Kevin, "We have just got to leave, we have
> got to have a normal life." And he says, "Whatï¿½s a normal life?"
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> IR: What about the Oklahoma City bombing?
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> KAISER: The day after the [April 19, 1995] bombing, Kevin got
> really nervous. He went through the house and found all his old Voice
> of Tomorrow stuff. [VOT was a mobile, far-right pirate radio station
> that Strom ran out of a specially equipped van before meeting
> Kaiser.] I had never seen him so scared. We put a box of the stuff in
> the back of the car and we drove to the back of a Wal-Mart in
> Virginia, I think, and dumped it.
>
> Later, Kevin told me that Timothy McVeigh had called the Alliance
> five minutes before the bomb went off and that somehow the FBI
> knew. But he said McVeigh must have called a lot of other right-wing
> groups, too. He also said, "You know, the reason why they were all
> upset is because the bomb was just like the one talked about in the
> book." Everyone knew what book he was talking about [The Turner
> Diaries].
>
> I had befriended a lot of local people in West Virginia, and after
> Oklahoma, a good friend came to me and said, "You know, Kirsten,
> you better watch your kids. If they get a chance the local people are
> going to kill your kids, because a lot of kids were killed in
> Oklahoma." I look outside my window and there are all these
> reporters. My heart is racing and I am just petrified. This is real.
> These are all real reporters, people dressed up in suits with cameras
> and microphones. Iï¿½m not making this up.
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> IR: How were you affected by all this personally?
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> KAISER: By this time, I had realized that the idea of a revolution
> was ridiculous. If these people canï¿½t hold down a regular job, what
> makes you think they can run a country?
>
> Kevin told me that the bombing was a good thing, because it was a
> government building and that government employees had been killed.
> It was a part of the revolution. I called my brother and my brother
> said, "Yeah, well what about all those kids that were killed?" Kevin
> said to me, "Well, if there were children killed, they must have been
> the children of government employees and it will teach them all a
> lesson." This was retribution for what happened in Waco.
>
> After I got through with this conversation with my brother, something
> began to grow in me. It was like this little seed. My brother works for
> the Coast Guard, which means the government, so Kevin was saying
> that he deserved to be killed. It took a little while for that to sink in on
> me.
>
> I became so depressed after the bombing. The whole idea that they
> really think itï¿½s okay for children to be killed was starting to bother
> me.
>
> IR: So you began to think about leaving West Virginia?
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> KAISER: At about this time, Kevin and Dr. Pierce were having a
> disagreement. I was happy because I was thinking Kevin was finally
> going to say we could leave. I wanted to go to Minnesota. One day,
> he came home with a magazine saying Rochester [Minn.] was
> supposed to be the best place in America to live. It was either 96
> percent or 97 percent white, so it was acceptable for that reason. We
> moved there in November of 1995.
>
> I donï¿½t know if anyone can relate to this except maybe a prisoner of
> war, but when we left I was able to listen to regular radio broadcasts.
> I hadnï¿½t heard Paul Harvey in years. I didnï¿½t know that O.J. Simpson
> had apparently killed his wife. Kevin hadnï¿½t allowed us to watch
> television or read the newspapers because they promote
> multiculturalism. Driving across country, we were stopping at gas
> stations and I could see newspapers with todayï¿½s date on them.
> There were TVs in the hotel rooms. It was really weird.
>
> IR: How was Rochester once you got there?
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> KAISER: I got a job as a real estate salesperson. I had a lot of fun,
> but I felt a sense of shame for the first time because when people
> asked, I couldnï¿½t say what my husband did. At the same time, I
> couldnï¿½t go to office parties, various social things, because Kevin
> didnï¿½t like being around people. And I couldnï¿½t go alone because that

> would mean getting a baby-sitter, and we couldnï¿½t have a baby-sitter
> because theyï¿½d be in the house and then they would know who we
> were.
>
> The fact that I had to name my baby daughter Klara -- Klara was
> Hitlerï¿½s motherï¿½s name -- was also starting to bother me. This whole
> deal with Hitler was really starting to bother me.
>
> IR: When did it all come to a head for you?
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> KAISER: On Nov. 13, 1996, we were listening to the radio to hear
> the weather report. They were talking about some young couple in
> New Jersey that had hidden the fact that the girl was pregnant. They
> killed their baby after she gave birth in a hotel room.
>
> I just started crying, and Kevin got mad at me. He said, "Why are
> you crying?" And I said, "They killed a baby. They killed a baby."
> Iï¿½m looking at my own baby, who is three or four weeks old, and I
> am just freaking out. And then Kevin said that it was a good thing that
> it happened, because the woman was a Jew and the man was a
> Gentile.
>
> I was thinking several thoughts at the same time. How could he know
> the woman was a Jew? And it occurred to me, for the first time, that
> it actually didnï¿½t matter what race the child was. It was a little baby. I
> just kept envisioning that happening to my baby, and I couldnï¿½t stop
> crying. I curled up into a ball in the corner and held on to the baby. I
> wouldnï¿½t let her go, and I couldnï¿½t stop crying.
>
> Eventually, I went to see a counselor. He told me that it was a good
> thing that I was upset, that everyone should be upset when they hear
> things like that. He said that all children were all part of our family.
> That is what he said.
>
> In his office, I picked up an old magazine with pictures of the
> Oklahoma bombing. I screwed up my courage and I read the articles
> and I looked at the pictures. I was thinking that this child being held
> by a fireman doesnï¿½t look any different than my son, Oskar, and itï¿½s
> covered with blood. And that whole idea, that there really isnï¿½t any
> difference, that children are children, all came to me. It all came
> together on that date.
>

5234. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@area.FOOL!
Message-ID: <374d1c70.446847@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Bill, can't you think & speak coherantly?

Once again, off topic. What a surprise.

What does "coherantly" mean, retard? Is that your self-admitted 2nd grade education shining through?

Yoo speek reel gud.

5235. Satellite info, HF/VHF, Yaesu Pages: FT-847 & FT-50R, Links and more!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <374c26c3.1011242@news.hughes.net>
Source record: 141591

Hello All,

I have a web page with info on:

Satellites, Satellite Tracking, HF/VHF, Yaesu Pages: FT-847 & FT-50R,
Radio Bulletins, My HF Rig Reviews, Tons of Resource Links, and more!

Please check it out:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
DM04 Palmdale, CA USA

5236. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: William Lee <willee@interconnect.net>
Message-ID: <7ih9s2$f18$1@nntp8.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141592

Martin, Do you need a license to operate in international waters?

William Lee

5237. KC1ZQ picks on AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526132247.27771.00001612@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141593

Your at it again, Doc....saying that "cloud warmer" is
the greatest thing since sliced bread. Donny had no idea what he was
talking about yesterday when he said I QRM'ed you.

As far as OTK goes...his day will come sooner than you think. This is
a man who had a pistol in a car I was in. I have NO DOUBT that he would
have pulled it on that policeman if OTK's temper would have got out of
hand.

I'm glad that I told that gentleman you were in QSO with yesterday
just what a snake in the grass you really are. I don't believe for one
second that the reason you have been off the air for so long is that
you are busy with other things.

I think Hollingsworth has put some kind of quiet hours on you....just
like what he has done to the gentleman from South Carolina.

KC1ZQ

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Do You Yahoo!?
Get your free @yahoo.com address at http://mail.yahoo.com

David,
I just wanted to say how much you hurt my feelings yesterday by cutting
me down in front of a new QSOee. I've never done anything to you except to be
kind and courteous andf therefore do not deserve that kind of insult.
Furthermore you are leaving yourself wide open for revocation by intentionally
jamming. If you have something against me, do it like this-man to man-not on
amateur radio which MUST be cleaned up in order to save the spectrum. I am
truly surprised by your abruptness and rudeness and feel I'm worthy of an
aoplogy. My call AF2Y stands for Always Friendly 2 You and that's why the FCC
issued it to me. I have always gone out of my way for my fellow ham and you
know it. I expect an apology from you and if it isn't received, my feelings
will remain hurt.
If you think that Mr.Hollingsworth put quiet hours on me,that's your perogative
but please don't spread it around since it's very embarrassing and I know you
wouldn't want to hurt my feelings even more. 73,"Doc
---------- Headers ----------
Return-Path: <kc1zq@yahoo.com>
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air-zc01.mail.aol.com (v59.24) with SMTP; Wed, 26 May 1999 12:01:52 -0400
Received: from web1004.mail.yahoo.com (web1004.mail.yahoo.com [128.11.23.94])
by rly-zc02.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0)
with SMTP id MAA01374 for <radiosigs@aol.com>;
Wed, 26 May 1999 12:01:50 -0400 (EDT)
Message-ID: <19990526160150.17421.rocketmail@web1004.mail.yahoo.com>

Received: from [209.180.6.218] by web1004.mail.yahoo.com; Wed, 26 May 1999
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Date: Wed, 26 May 1999 09:01:50 -0700 (PDT)
From: David Tolassi <kc1zq@yahoo.com>
Subject: Dr. Hate
To: radiosigs@aol.com
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

5238. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7ihaqj$h3l$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141594

Is a license even necessary for use in international open waters? Seems
to me you can, as master of a ship at sea, issue yourself any license
you see fit. Operation in territorial waters might be different, and
possibly requires an alien license.

Michael.

cal25skipper <Skipper3@swbell.net> wrote in message
news:M_K23.215$112.40052@typhoon01.swbell.net...
> You will have to learn the code and some electrical theory
> You can get a US license in any town.
> Go to Radio shack and buy the general Class manual and code tapes.
> Practice the code EVERY day for 15 minutes 20 if you like, and after
about
> 2-3 weeks, you will be able to pass the test. Don't let anyone tell
you
> that the code is difficult, because it really isn't. Anyone can learn
it if
> they have a desire, and I mean anyone.
>
> Steady winds and smooth sailing to you!
>
> justin@streetmail.com wrote in message
<7ie9v2$rl2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
> >I'm heading back to my yacht in the Caribbean next month to then sail
> >to Australia (home). I'd like to have e-mail to stay in touch with
> >friends and family along the way. I have a SSB with ham frequencies
as
> >well as a laptop I can use. I have no call sign. What do I need to
do
> >so that I can do e-mail via the ham? I'm in the USA until the end of
> >June, can I get a call sign in that time? Do I need to learn morse?
Is
> >there any way I can get a call sign quickly so I can get up and
running
> >straight away and then learn morse when I have time (once I'm sailing
> >again)? I'd be willing to pay. Is this possible? Do I need my own
> >call sign?
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> >
> >--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> >---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
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5239. URGENT FLASH ! CW to die, Pope Reacts ! (via ARRL, RSGB, Wash Post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ihepp$5tb$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Notice ARRL pulled a Klinton and let an "ally" announce this most NWO like change, to avoid a potential PR nightmare. ARRL knew months in advance and any claims to the contrary are lies.

"It is expected that the World Radio Conference to be held in 2002 or 2003 will agree to the removal of mandatory Morse testing for access to frequencies below 30 MHz," states a joint news release issued May 21 by the RSGB and the RA. "Following that decision, the existing license structure will be replaced with an incentive-based system. In the meantime, discussions are under way to ensure that Morse and data subbands are safeguarded by incorporating them into license schedules."

Pope John Paul II said Wednesday that it is natural for humans to wonder when the world will end, and advised all to await the day with serenity and hope.

``Nowadays, everything happens with incredible speed -- because of the breakthroughs in science and technology and the expanded means of communication,'' the pontiff said at his weekly audience in St. Peter's Square.

``It is therefore natural to question what humanity's destiny is and what its final goal is,'' he said.

The pontiff, who turned 79 last week, told the hundreds of pilgrims who assembled in the square on this perfectly sunny day that the tension surrounding the ``final event'' must be faced with ``calm hope.''

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5240. Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks! (Long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526134531.27771.00001615@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141596

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<< Subject: Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks! (Long)
From: Frank@N8FN.COM (Spock)
Date: Wed, May 26, 1999 3:56 PM
Message-id: <374c1972.3783015@news.earthlink.net>

What does this have to do with amateur radio policy?
<<<WHAT A PIECE OF DAMNING AND INCRIMINATING INFORMATION. THE BEST THING I'VE
EVER SEEN ON THIS NET. NOW YOU CAN READILY UNDERSTAND WHY RILEY HOLLINGSWORTH
IS QUITE CONCERNED WHETHER OR NOT THIS LIBERTY NET WHICH PREACHES ENSLAVEMENT
TO ALL OF THOSE WHOM THEY CONSIDER NON-ARYAN, IS WORTHY OF RETAINING THEIR
HATE FREQUENCY. THE ANSWER IS SIMPLE. CHECK OUT RAY FRANKLIN'S "HATE DIRECTORY'
ON THE INTERNET. YOU'LL SEE KEVIN STROM'S NAME MENTIONED. YOU'LL SEE THE 3.950
GANG OF THUGS MENTIONED. REMEMBER..THE ONLY TIME A MAN'S LIBERTY IS TAKEN AWAY
IS WHEN HE TAKES IT FOR GRANTED-WHEN HE DOES NOTHING TO COMBAT PIRATES OF
LIBERTY. GET ON YOUR COMPUTER AND E-MAIL RILEY IF YOU BACK HIM vis a vis STROM
AND HIS GOOSESTEPPING RATS. STAND UP FOR AMERICA. STAND UP FOR FREEDOM AND
JUSTICE AND TOLERANCE AND THE DIGNITY OF ALL MEN! WE ARE ALL GOD'S CHILDREN AND
THE ALMIGHTY CHOSE TO OFFER VARIOUS COLORS. NO ONE IS BETTER THAN ANYONE ELSE.
WE SHOULD HELP ONE ANOTHER INSTEAD OF HARMING. JUDAISM IS THE PARENTS OF OUR
WESTERN CIVILIZATION AND CHRISTIANITY THE OFFSPRING. PARENTS AND OFFSPRING ARE
FAMILY, NOT ENEMIES. IF YOU'RE WHITE EXTREMIST AND YOU NEEDED BLOOD FROM A
LIVING MAN OF COLOR OR AN ORGAN FROM A NEWLY DECEASED ONE, WOULD YOU RATHER
REJECT THEM AND DIE? IF YOU'RE AN ANTI-SEMITE AND NEEDED BLOOD OR AN ORGAN TO
SURVIVE,WOULD YOU REJECT THEM FROM A JEW? GET WITH THE PROGRAM, PEOPLE. REJECT
RACISM,BIGOTRY AND INTOLERANCE AND YES, SEXUAL PREFERENCE DISCRIMINATION TOO.
LET'S KEEP AMERICA STRONG AND VITAL AND A BEACON OF HOPE TO ALL OPPRESSED!
RILEY CAN BE REACHED VIA RHOLLING@FCC.GOV AF2Y,DOC>>>>>>>
On Tue, 25 May 1999 19:03:49 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous
<nobody@replay.com> wrote:
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>Very interesting stuff from the wife of WB4AIO.
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>It seems he has a very low opinion of feds.
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>I hope Riley pays him a visit to discuss the article below:
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>http://www.splcenter.org/intelligenceproject/ip-4i4.html
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>
>Here is the article:
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>Q&A: Inside the Alliance
>

> A former insider speaks
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> For four years, Kirsten Kaiser, 36, lived with her husband on or near
> the West Virginia compound of William Pierce, the leader of the
> neo-Nazi National Alliance and author of the racist fantasy novel The
> Turner Diaries. Kaiser was married to Kevin Alfred Strom, who
> co-hosts Pierce's racist and anti-Semitic radio show and is one of
> Pierce's closest associates. In that role, she got to know Pierce's
> inner circle and some of its members' thinking. Over the nine years of
> her marriage, Kaiser came to question the violently racist views of the
> Alliance -- especially after the deaths of 19 children in the Oklahoma
> City bombing, which was patterned on an attack portrayed in The
> Turner Diaries. Today, she is living in Minnesota and going through a
> divorce from Strom. The Intelligence Report interviewed Kaiser
> about her life and acquaintances inside the Alliance, and how she
> came to leave.
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> INTELLIGENCE REPORT: How did you first hear of the
> National Alliance?
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> KAISER: I first heard about it in 1986 through reading magazines
> which my second husband, Joseph McLaughlin, had. I remember
> initially I was really shocked. I had noticed that Joseph didn't seem to
> like Democrats or Republicans, and I asked him, "What are you
> anyway?" He said he was a [white] nationalist, that when he was 17
> years old he had run away from home and gone to Iceland so he
> could be around other nationalists.
>
> IR: What was your first contact with William Pierce?
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> KAISER: Joseph had me call Dr. Pierce one day in the summer of
> 1987. It was the day that [former Nazi leader] Rudolph Hess died.
> Joseph was all excited about this and they were all saying that it was a
> plot, a murder conspiracy.
>
> IR: What did you say to Pierce?
>
> KAISER: I said that I'd been reading his magazines. And he said,
> "You know, I'm really going to have to have you meet Kevin Strom. I
> know you'll just love him." I didn't meet Kevin until about four
> months later, on Nov. 7, 1987, when he came to our house in
> Arlington [Va.], but I really did like him a lot. I fell in love with
him,
> but I didn't see him again until January 1988.
>

> I was still married to Joseph at that time, but Kevin was starting to
> introduce me to people. I really wanted to meet people. I was very
> alone, very isolated.
>
> They were all in this radical movement and they talked about radical
> things and it was very mysterious and fun and interesting. I had never
> met anybody like this. In the meantime, the situation with Joseph was
> getting worse. On March 15, 1988, I left. Kevin helped me move, and
> he moved into the apartment that I got.
>
> IR: How had Kevin gotten into the movement?
>
> KAISER: It turns out that Kevin's high school government teacher in
> Fairfax, Va., was a fascist who kind of recruited him into all this. He
> pointed him to the John Birch Society. Kevin was never involved in
> the Klan. He is the big intellectual -- we continuously made fun of the
> Klan. But he did read literature like Instauration [a relatively
> highbrow racist publication] and corresponded with people like Jared
> Taylor [who runs a magazine called American Renaissance and has
> argued that blacks are less intelligent than whites].
>
> IR: When did you first meet Pierce in person?
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> KAISER: A little before that, at the very end of 1987. Joseph and
> Kevin and I all met Dr. Pierce at a restaurant in Arlington. I had just
> finished reading The Turner Diaries, which I thought was very
> poorly written, and I think I told him so, which may be part of the
> reason why he dislikes me so much. He said that he had written it
> very fast and that he was very surprised at how popular it had
> become. He said that he had always intended to rewrite it and make it
> better, but that he liked it real well.
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> IR: Do you think Pierce was serious about the message of the book
> [which depicts a race war set off by the protagonist's bombing of the
> FBI headquarters building]?
>
> KAISER: Yes. That first night we met, I remember that he said that if
> they didn't blow up the FBI soon, it would become impossible
> because technology was getting better and better.
>
> I used to drive past the Pentagon and other government buildings
> every day, and I never gave them a second thought until he started
> pointing out that there was this big sinister thing going on, that they
> were ultimately out to get me and Joseph personally, particularly
> because now we knew the truth that no one was supposed to know.
>
> IR: How was Pierce treated that night?
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> KAISER: Everybody has always treated Dr. Pierce with tremendous

> reverence. Nobody calls Dr. Pierce "Bill." Even his wife calls him Dr.
> Pierce.
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> IR: And how did Pierce act toward you?
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> KAISER: Dr. Pierce said, "You're just a housewife," and I was so
> shocked and hurt. I had just got done reading his whole magazine, the
> National Vanguard magazine, which had a picture of Venus de Milo
> on the cover and went on and on about how women should be at
> home having children. I thought, "If that's what they think, why did
> he just say that to me?" It really hurt and confused me. It never made
> any sense.
>
> Dr. Pierce doesn't like women. He told me later that he likes them in a
> James Bond sense. Those were his favorite movies, James Bond
> movies. In those movies, women are just sort of fun toys, and that is
> really how he sees them.
>
> Once, Dr. Pierce showed me some mail-order bride catalogs after his
> third wife, Olga, left him for three or four months. They were just
> unbelievable. You pick up a catalog that's full of these women and
> almost every last one of them is named Eva. It was always eastern
> European women, from Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Russia.
>
> IR: After this initial meeting, I understand you stayed in touch with
> Pierce while you lived in Virginia and, later, in Maryland. When did
> you and Kevin finally move to Pierce's compound [on 346 acres
> outside Hillsboro, W. Va.]?
>
> KAISER: We moved on to his land on Oct. 1, 1991, and stayed
> there in a little trailer until Sept. 3 of 1992. After that, we moved to
an
> apartment above a truck garage in Hillsboro, and Kevin continued
> working for Dr. Pierce until 1995.
>
> IR: What was it like living on Pierce's land?
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> KAISER: By the time we moved off the land, I had pretty much had
> it with the whole bunch of them. I listened to all these speeches about
> how this was a community and we were going to work together, and
> it wasn't that way at all. These people never even bothered to say
> hello and good-bye. They didn't have dinner together, hardly ever,
> and they didn't have any celebrations together.
>
> There was no discussion between people about what they were doing
> and how it connected to what other people were doing. The only one
> who really knew what was going on was Dr. Pierce, and he wasn't
> telling anybody anything they didn't need to know.
>

> Nobody drinks there. Drinking is absolutely forbidden. And watching
> television was not allowed -- even though Dr. Pierce watched the
> news every night, which I remember ended up getting some people
> angry.
>
> It was a station you could hardly see. It was more like listening to the
> news. You know, Dr. Pierce has extremely poor eyesight because he
> once kept his contact lenses in for two solid weeks and that damaged
> his eyes. He is supposed to be such a smart man, but he doesn't
> have any common sense at all.
>
> They never did really like me there, and I think another one of the
> reasons was because I said, "If I'm going to work, you're going to
> have to pay me something because my time is valuable." They just
> thought that was unheard of. Everyone works for Dr. Pierce, if not
> for nothing, then virtually nothing. The people who were paid
> basically got about $300 a month. Dr. Pierce is very, very stingy in
> many ways.
>
> IR: How seriously do you think Pierce took his own propaganda?
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> KAISER: Well, he told me that he had done his dissertation on how
> to build a nuclear bomb. And he made it very clear that when the time
> came, he would know what to do. He was really very serious about
> his desire to destroy Israel. It's not so much that they want to
> destroy the American government; Israel is what they really hated.
>
> They are waiting for when the economic system collapses because
> this will help instigate a race war. During this time of unrest, they
> would take over the armories, take control of the government and
> bomb Israel. I mean, this is what he plans to do. I guess he's going
> to rule the world once this happens.
>
> I really do think it's a version of The Turner Diaries.
>
> IR: What about Hunter [the novel that Pierce wrote in 1989, after
> The Turner Diaries, that describes a campaign of assassinations of
> interracial couples]?
>
> KAISER: Whatever book he was working would be his enthusiasm
> of the moment. When Hunter came out, that was the way it was
> going to happen. If enough mixed-race couples were assassinated in
> a big flurry, that would be enough to wake people up to action.
>
> That book disturbed me. How can you judge somebody else in
> matters of the heart? If you really did fall in love with somebody of
> another race, I don't know if I could judge you. This is something I
> had a real problem with.
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> IR: How did events in the outside world affect Pierce's people?
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> KAISER: They were just delighted that Saddam Hussein was
> attacking Israel. Another thing that delighted them was when they had
> those riots in Los Angeles. They want the white man to hate the
> black. They hoped that when social unrest got so bad that a race war
> started, that would give us the chance to blow up all these buildings
> and to get hold of an armory.
>
> You know, wherever you went, you always knew where the armories
> were. Whenever we were traveling, it was like, "Well, where is the
> armory?"
>
> IR: What kind of work did you do while you lived on Pierce's land?
>
> KAISER: I did many mailings. I stuffed hundreds and hundreds of
> envelopes and inventoried books and did a number of other things.
> But I only did that for Kevin's benefit -- not Dr. Pierce's. As I said,
> I'd told him that he had to pay me something.
>
> Dr. Pierce also had us making burial tubes [to be used for caching
> weapons underground]. They were made out of big PVC [plastic]
> tubes and we would seal the ends with these caps and special tape so
> that they would be waterproof. As many as we'd make, they'd sell.
> We'd make 10 to 20 at a time, and they were already sold.
>
> IR: So it was a moneymaking operation for the Alliance?
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> KAISER: Yes, it was almost pure profit.
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> IR: What was the reaction when the Southern Poverty Law Center
> sued Pierce? [Editor's note: After a black sailor was murdered in
> 1991 by a member of the neo-Nazi Church of the Creator (COTC),
> Center attorneys sued on behalf of the victim's family and won a $1
> million judgment against the COTC. In 1995, after the COTC
> fraudulently transferred ownership of its North Carolina headquarters
> to Pierce to keep it from the murdered man's family, the Center sued
> Pierce personally and won an $85,000 judgment. That judgment was
> upheld in July by a federal appeals court. The Supreme Court refused
> to reconsider it.]
>
> KAISER: I remember very well Dr. Pierce making many trips to
> North Carolina and originally it was a very mysterious thing. After a
> while, he said that it was very hush-hush, but that it had to do with
> Ben Klassen [the long-time COTC leader who committed suicide on
> Aug. 6, 1993].
>
> This all started when [former COTC activist] Will Williams started
> getting involved. He was like a liaison. After some time, Kevin came

> to me and said, "Oh no, it is finally happening. [Center co-founder]
> Morris Dees is suing us." It was like the end of the world. He was
> terrified of Morris Dees. Kevin just hated him. He said, "Once Morris
> Dees has set his sights on you, that's it, it's over." They were really
> upset.
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> IR: What was Williams' role over the years he was in West Virginia?
>
> KAISER: His title was recruiting coordinator. He came in late 1991
> or early 1992, and I thought he was very friendly, really a nice guy,
> initially. He traveled a lot, and Dr. Pierce paid for his travel. He
took
> over the farm house [on Pierce's land], and put a new roof on it and
> built a fence around it. He started raising German shepherds there. He
> had an obsession with German shepherds. By the time he left, he had
> 17 of them.
>
> Six or eight months after Will arrived, he went to Russia and married
> a woman he'd been corresponding with and brought her back. She
> lasted just a few weeks and then she disappeared. Will was very
> upset. He just changed completely. This was at the same time that
> Harold Covington [leader of the National Socialist White People's
> Party] started attacking Will Williams, saying he was an FBI agent
> and a homosexual.
>
> All these people are really, really paranoid. They all watch each other,
> and they're all convinced that everybody else is an FBI agent. For a
> while, there was even talk that Dr. Pierce was an FBI agent. He just
> laughed about that.
>
> Anyway, Will Williams left in 1993, or possibly 1994.
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> IR: How did the standoffs at Ruby Ridge and Waco [in 1992 and
> 1993] affect the National Alliance?
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> KAISER: We heard about Randy Weaver [the white supremacist
> whose wife and son were killed by federal agents at Ruby Ridge,
> Idaho] long before anybody else did. Kevin was telling me every day
> it is just a matter of time before they come to get us. We have to be
> ready. We're stockpiling food and I'm keeping distilled water hidden
> around the house, and I'm getting more and more afraid.
>
> After Waco, Kevin was always forcing me to watch this
> [antigovernment] video called Waco: The Big Lie [by Indianapolis
> attorney and militia advocate Linda Thompson, who once threatened
> an armed march on Washington, D.C.]. I am so full of fear that I
> don't know what is going to happen, and I don't trust Dr. Pierce. I
> am beginning to realize that there is something wrong with everybody
> I know in the movement. Nobody has a regular job, nobody has a

> regular [non-mail-order] wife. They don't have girlfriends, they don't
> have cars that work, they don't have any health insurance. They
> don't have a real life.
>
> I am beginning to say to Kevin, "We have just got to leave, we have
> got to have a normal life." And he says, "What's a normal life?"
>
> IR: What about the Oklahoma City bombing?
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> KAISER: The day after the [April 19, 1995] bombing, Kevin got
> really nervous. He went through the house and found all his old Voice
> of Tomorrow stuff. [VOT was a mobile, far-right pirate radio station
> that Strom ran out of a specially equipped van before meeting
> Kaiser.] I had never seen him so scared. We put a box of the stuff in
> the back of the car and we drove to the back of a Wal-Mart in
> Virginia, I think, and dumped it.
>
> Later, Kevin told me that Timothy McVeigh had called the Alliance
> five minutes before the bomb went off and that somehow the FBI
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What does this have to do with amateur radio policy?

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> anyway?" He said he was a [white] nationalist, that when he was 17
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> could be around other nationalists.
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> IR: What was your first contact with William Pierce?
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> KAISER: Joseph had me call Dr. Pierce one day in the summer of
> 1987. It was the day that [former Nazi leader] Rudolph Hess died.
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> plot, a murder conspiracy.
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> IR: What did you say to Pierce?
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> KAISER: I said that I'd been reading his magazines. And he said,
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> know you’ll just love him.’ I didn’t meet Kevin until about four
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> Arlington [Va.], but I really did like him a lot. I fell in love with
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> but I didn’t see him again until January 1988.
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> I was still married to Joseph at that time, but Kevin was starting to
> introduce me to people. I really wanted to meet people. I was very
> alone, very isolated.
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> They were all in this radical movement and they talked about radical
> things and it was very mysterious and fun and interesting. I had never
> met anybody like this. In the meantime, the situation with Joseph was
> getting worse. On March 15, 1988, I left. Kevin helped me move, and
> he moved into the apartment that I got.
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> IR: How had Kevin gotten into the movement?
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> KAISER: It turns out that Kevin’s high school government teacher in
> Fairfax, Va., was a fascist who kind of recruited him into all this. He
> pointed him to the John Birch Society. Kevin was never involved in
> the Klan. He is the big intellectual -- we continuously made fun of the
> Klan. But he did read literature like Instauration [a relatively
> highbrow racist publication] and corresponded with people like Jared
> Taylor [who runs a magazine called American Renaissance and has
> argued that blacks are less intelligent than whites].
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> IR: When did you first meet Pierce in person?
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> KAISER: A little before that, at the very end of 1987. Joseph and
> Kevin and I all met Dr. Pierce at a restaurant in Arlington. I had just
> finished reading The Turner Diaries, which I thought was very
> poorly written, and I think I told him so, which may be part of the
> reason why he dislikes me so much. He said that he had written it
> very fast and that he was very surprised at how popular it had
> become. He said that he had always intended to rewrite it and make it
> better, but that he liked it real well.
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> IR: Do you think Pierce was serious about the message of the book
> [which depicts a race war set off by the protagonist’s bombing of the
> FBI headquarters building]?
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> KAISER: Yes. That first night we met, I remember that he said that if
> they didn’t blow up the FBI soon, it would become impossible
> because technology was getting better and better.
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> I used to drive past the Pentagon and other government buildings
> every day, and I never gave them a second thought until he started
> pointing out that there was this big sinister thing going on, that they

> were ultimately out to get me and Joseph personally, particularly
> because now we knew the truth that no one was supposed to know.
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> IR: How was Pierce treated that night?
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> KAISER: Everybody has always treated Dr. Pierce with tremendous
> reverence. Nobody calls Dr. Pierce "Bill." Even his wife calls him Dr.
> Pierce.
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> IR: And how did Pierce act toward you?
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> KAISER: Dr. Pierce said, "You re just a housewife," and I was so
> shocked and hurt. I had just got done reading his whole magazine, the
> National Vanguard magazine, which had a picture of Venus de Milo
> on the cover and went on and on about how women should be at
> home having children. I thought, "If that s what they think, why did
> he just say that to me?" It really hurt and confused me. It never made
> any sense.
>
> Dr. Pierce doesn t like women. He told me later that he likes them in a
> James Bond sense. Those were his favorite movies, James Bond
> movies. In those movies, women are just sort of fun toys, and that is
> really how he sees them.
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> Once, Dr. Pierce showed me some mail-order bride catalogs after his
> third wife, Olga, left him for three or four months. They were just
> unbelievable. You pick up a catalog that s full of these women and
> almost every last one of them is named Eva. It was always eastern
> European women, from Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Russia.
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> IR: After this initial meeting, I understand you stayed in touch with
> Pierce while you lived in Virginia and, later, in Maryland. When did
> you and Kevin finally move to Pierce s compound [on 346 acres
> outside Hillsboro, W. Va.]?
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> KAISER: We moved on to his land on Oct. 1, 1991, and stayed
> there in a little trailer until Sept. 3 of 1992. After that, we moved to
an
> apartment above a truck garage in Hillsboro, and Kevin continued
> working for Dr. Pierce until 1995.
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> IR: What was it like living on Pierce s land?
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> KAISER: By the time we moved off the land, I had pretty much had
> it with the whole bunch of them. I listened to all these speeches about
> how this was a community and we were going to work together, and
> it wasn t that way at all. These people never even bothered to say
> hello and good-bye. They didn t have dinner together, hardly ever,
> and they didn t have any celebrations together.

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> There was no discussion between people about what they were doing
> and how it connected to what other people were doing. The only one
> who really knew what was going on was Dr. Pierce, and he wasn't
> telling anybody anything they didn't need to know.
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> Nobody drinks there. Drinking is absolutely forbidden. And watching
> television was not allowed -- even though Dr. Pierce watched the
> news every night, which I remember ended up getting some people
> angry.
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> It was a station you could hardly see. It was more like listening to the
> news. You know, Dr. Pierce has extremely poor eyesight because he
> once kept his contact lenses in for two solid weeks and that damaged
> his eyes. He is supposed to be such a smart man, but he doesn't
> have any common sense at all.
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> They never did really like me there, and I think another one of the
> reasons was because I said, "If I'm going to work, you're going to
> have to pay me something because my time is valuable." They just
> thought that was unheard of. Everyone works for Dr. Pierce, if not
> for nothing, then virtually nothing. The people who were paid
> basically got about $300 a month. Dr. Pierce is very, very stingy in
> many ways.
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> IR: How seriously do you think Pierce took his own propaganda?
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> KAISER: Well, he told me that he had done his dissertation on how
> to build a nuclear bomb. And he made it very clear that when the time
> came, he would know what to do. He was really very serious about
> his desire to destroy Israel. It's not so much that they want to
> destroy the American government; Israel is what they really hated.
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> They are waiting for when the economic system collapses because
> this will help instigate a race war. During this time of unrest, they
> would take over the armories, take control of the government and
> bomb Israel. I mean, this is what he plans to do. I guess he's going
> to rule the world once this happens.
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> I really do think it's a version of The Turner Diaries.
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> IR: What about Hunter [the novel that Pierce wrote in 1989, after
> The Turner Diaries, that describes a campaign of assassinations of
> interracial couples]?
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> KAISER: Whatever book he was working would be his enthusiasm
> of the moment. When Hunter came out, that was the way it was
> going to happen. If enough mixed-race couples were assassinated in
> a big flurry, that would be enough to wake people up to action.

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> That book disturbed me. How can you judge somebody else in
> matters of the heart? If you really did fall in love with somebody of
> another race, I don't know if I could judge you. This is something I
> had a real problem with.
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> IR: How did events in the outside world affect Pierce's people?
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> KAISER: They were just delighted that Saddam Hussein was
> attacking Israel. Another thing that delighted them was when they had
> those riots in Los Angeles. They want the white man to hate the
> black. They hoped that when social unrest got so bad that a race war
> started, that would give us the chance to blow up all these buildings
> and to get hold of an armory.
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> You know, wherever you went, you always knew where the armories
> were. Whenever we were traveling, it was like, "Well, where is the
> armory?"
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> IR: What kind of work did you do while you lived on Pierce's land?
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> KAISER: I did many mailings. I stuffed hundreds and hundreds of
> envelopes and inventoried books and did a number of other things.
> But I only did that for Kevin's benefit -- not Dr. Pierce's. As I said,
> I'd told him that he had to pay me something.
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> Dr. Pierce also had us making burial tubes [to be used for caching
> weapons underground]. They were made out of big PVC [plastic]
> tubes and we would seal the ends with these caps and special tape so
> that they would be waterproof. As many as we'd make, they'd sell.
> We'd make 10 to 20 at a time, and they were already sold.
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> IR: So it was a moneymaking operation for the Alliance?
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> KAISER: Yes, it was almost pure profit.
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> IR: What was the reaction when the Southern Poverty Law Center
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> million judgment against the COTC. In 1995, after the COTC
> fraudulently transferred ownership of its North Carolina headquarters
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> while, he said that it was very hush-hush, but that it had to do with
> Ben Klassen [the long-time COTC leader who committed suicide on
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> This all started when [former COTC activist] Will Williams started
> getting involved. He was like a liaison. After some time, Kevin came
> to me and said, "Oh no, it is finally happening. [Center co-founder]
> Morris Dees is suing us." It was like the end of the world. He was
> terrified of Morris Dees. Kevin just hated him. He said, "Once Morris
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> upset.
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> Harold Covington [leader of the National Socialist White People's
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"Doc",

Wouldn't this be an opportune occasion for you to calm down some of your "hate speech" in rec.radio.amateur.misc? This forum isn't the proper venue for you to act out your nazi-paranoid dementia. Don't you know that there are newsgroups dedicated to the discussion of Anti-Semites, Neo-Nazi's, Republicans, Racists, the Religious Right and all the other ghouls and goblins that are haunting you?

Individuals who want to discuss amateur radio related topics inhabit this newsgroup. Neo-Naziï¿½s, KKK'ers, Skinheads and Star Warï¿½s Action Figure collectors have their own newsgroups. As a tenderfoot on the Internet, you need to educate yourself on the proper path for venting your spleen. Ruth Carolyn Hoffman, N4LMC, doesnï¿½t need you to run roughshod over her shopping list of ï¿½enemiesï¿½. She has adequately developed her own methods for dealing with those who dare to question the motives and tactics of The Intercontinental Traffic Net.

Have you ever considered hosting a weekly ï¿½encounter groupï¿½ in your home? Ranting in this newsgroup isn't going to enable you to find peace of mind. You can't exorcise your psychological demons by pretending that jack-booted Naziï¿½s are lurking in amateur radio, ever ready to ship you and yours off to Treblinka in a cattle car. Pretending that it is so doesnï¿½t make it a reality.

Real Naziï¿½s would have silenced anyone who threatened them. Since you have not been silenced, it is safe to assume that these ham radio Naziï¿½s either exist only in your fertile imagination or they do not feel threatened by your actions. Regardless, your frenzied blathering is a total waste of time and effort. Wouldn't it make more sense to expend your energies by helping a friend preserve his highly endangered amateur radio license?

Why are you applying your infamous "Never forgive, Never forget"
philosophy to people who have neither requested nor need your
forgiveness? These contributors have not done a thing to harm or
threaten you in any way. All they have done is disagree with you. Is
that sufficient cause for you to behave like an unbridled Philistine?
Your behavior in this newsgroup has been exceedingly unbecoming for
someone who claims to be a representative of Judaism. It's high time
for you to cease being an embarrassment to The Faith.

You have reached the point where you are even badgering and
tormenting Oris, N3CND. If ever there was a ham who has tried to
understand everyone's point of view, it has to be Oris. And now it
appears that he is about to be included on your constantly expanding
list of supposedly "Un-American" radio operators. Oris believed you
once and it nearly cost him his ISP. Considering that, don't you agree
that he deserves better treatment and consideration from you?

At the very minimum, you need to terminate your incessant name-
calling, character assassinations, and personal attacks. Is it
possible for you to discuss a topic in an objective manner without
trying to leverage your arguments with ï¿½hate speechï¿½, insults and
slander? I can remember a time when you were capable of making a
strong argument without resorting to such tactics. It is a shame to
note that you have allowed yourself to mentally deteriorate to such a
low level. Where is the AF2Y who used to love fair, open and robust
debate of an important issue? Has the ghost of Capt. Mike Galego,
KA4MUJ, forever vanquished that incarnation of AF2Y?

You will do whatever you will do. Just keep in mind that there is
always someone ï¿½a hell of a lot smarter than youï¿½ (as you put it),
waiting in the wings should you stray too far beyond reason. Jousting
with a few windmills in this newsgroup is probably of no lasting
consequence to anyone. Perhaps your vitriolic tirades, and retro-
drivel from the 1940ï¿½s, are actually entertaining to some in this
newsgroup. But you are far from prepared to debate these topics with
someone who knows you and understands your shallow, transparent
platform of hatred. Good luck in finding relief from your misery. You
won't find it in here. Here's hoping you find lots of suckers to fight
with you. I won't be one of them until you clean up your act.

martin W9XN

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5242. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ihcq8$n3c@sjx-ixn10.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <374d1c70.446847@enews.newsguy.com> you@area.FOOL! (Macaroon)
writes:
>
>jmackey@usa.net wrote:
>
>>Bill, can't you think & speak coherantly?
>
>Once again, off topic. What a surprise.
>
>What does "coherantly" mean, retard? Is that your self-admitted 2nd
grade
>education shining through?
>
>Yoo speek reel gud.

No, No. He graduated up to
first grade...he says
it in prior his story
mention when he admitted
to turning bill Cheek to the
feds...

He graduated up to 1st Grade...
what you see is what he gives
as such.

bill conduit
etc.

5243. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "H. Adam Stevens" <alien@jump.net>
Message-ID: <374C3885.A12CE7DB@jump.net>
Source record: 141599
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Turns out in the international aviation treaties somewhere (ICAO treaties) pilots are supposed to learn code. Nobody bothers, its easy to recognize the three letter VOR, NDB, or four letter ILS ID with the code printed in front of you. Just stumbled across that in another group.
H.
WA5IGW
N502TB

5244. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: geovet@thevision.net
Message-ID: <374c388c.6975553@news.thevision.net>
Source record: 141600
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Wed, 26 May 1999 02:32:53 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

<snip>

>NO, given my position as an OO (Official Observer) and being one of the
>mostactive VE's in the US for 10 years gives me a record that speaks for
>itself at the
>HIGHEST level of integrity!
>

John, are you *sure* that's an "OO" and not a "00" (Double Zero)?
You've been known to lie about your "credentials" in the past.

--

George "Hollywood" Vetterle
geovet@thevision.net

"Badges? We ain't got no badges!
We don't need no badges! I don't
have to show you any stinking badges!"-
Gold Hat (Alfonso Bedoya), THE TREASURE
OF THE SIERRA MADRE, (1948) Warner Bros.

5245. Re: wanted a trip to the bus station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ihjb1$9i2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141601

Bus station Bobby. Who in the hell is George? I think the people on this web site are sick and tired of your telling them by way of addressing someone else, your desires toward Rich Whitten WB2OTK. I have no objection if you have a perversion of loving men, boys, little girls, critters, etc, but I think it is sick,
but to write your desires under the guise of addressing someone else on the web site? Give us a break, this is your
personal life , do not share it with us. But maybe you want the world to know your oreintation. enough already, we already know. Who is this "George" you keep addressing?

article <c7H23.420$Ia.11006@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>, "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
> On Tue, 25 May 1999 14:21:54 GMT realdeal@my-dejanews.com wrote:
> > Sammy SeaGull. Go down to the bus station and may be you will ge lucky
> > this time and the fuzz will not catch you like they did the last time. A
> > little indulgence in your fetish might settle your nerves "CHICKEN HAWK'
> >
> > heh heh
> >
>
> So, what are you saying, George? Why are you being so cryptic? Let's
> hear the whole story, it all it's detail!
>
> Oh yeah, I see that you're still having problems being coherent. Are
> you still angry, or did you have a few too many sips off that ol'
> bottle before you wrote that?
>
> How are you doing with your infatuation with WB2OTK? I don't know if
> Rich likes chocolates or not, but I'm sure it wouldn't hurt his
> feelings if you were to send him a large heart-shaped box full. Even
> if he doesn't like them, he'd probably appreciate the gesture. I know
> that you're thinking of him, even at this very moment! I have an idea,
> run on down to the nearest Hallmark and pick out a nice greeting card,
> one which really expresses your true romantic feelings about him. Hey,
> while you're there, take a look at their Precious Moments collection.
> I'll bet that he'd really be touched if you sent him one of those cute
> little statues! Oh hell, George, go for the trifecta: The Chocolates,
> the card and the Precious Moments Statue! You'll have him eating out

> of the palm of your hand!
>
> Between you and me, I'd keep quiet about your whipped cream and hot
> fudge fantasies involving WB2OTK... at least until you two get better
> acquainted. Just trying to help!
>
> Have a nice day!
> Smurf69
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
>
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5246. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <811AA072B219A4B5.3ED0376BDD9B7F35.D7CD75C2BF992130@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141602

Radiosigs wrote:
> WHY DON'T YOU TAKE YOUR ULTRA-RIGHT WING ANTI-SEMITIC ANTI-GOVERNMENT
> GARBAGE AND STUFF IT? THERE ARE TOO MANY OF US WHO LOVE THIS COUNTRY TO STAND
> IDLY BY AND WATCH YOU BESMIRCH OUR DEMOCRACY. Doc,AF2Y

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In contradistinction to the idiotic blather, I present
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of the Davidians should get the interest of all
amateur operators at:
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Now, addressing the issues point by point.

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No, I support the cause of the Semitic Palestinians to
a homeland: all of Palestine, illegitimately taken by
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The people are the government. I am a populist and
support legitimate government by the people, not
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not besmirching anything. If the shit fits, you have to
wear it, shame and all.
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Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
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5247. EI9GQ Homebrew Radio Page

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eamon Skelton <dont@want.spam>
Message-ID: <7ihg0h$he8$2@scotty.tinet.ie>
Source record: 141603
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.ham-radio

The EI9GQ homebrew radio page has moved to www.qsl.net/ei9gq

Recent additions include:
A simple VHF CW transmitter.
2M to 10M receive converter.
6M to 30M receive converter.
30W mosfet PA for the 80M SSB rig.
Pre-programmed PIC now available for the iambic keyer.

73, Ed. EI9GQ

5248. BUY SELL SWAP BOARD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <374c4200.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 141604
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello All,
Come visit my Swap Board where you can buy sell or swap your Amateur radio stuff. http://www.insidetheweb.com/messageboard/mbs.cgi/mb92988

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Steven R. Baker
Amateur Radio KB9HGI
---===Quincy, IL===---
Ham Going Insane!
www.qsl.net/kb9hgi

5249. Re: FS Lafayette 6/mtr am

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: goldreged@aol.comJUNKBLOK
Message-ID: <19990526153352.03516.00005119@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141605

I'm new to 6M stuff, and the Hollow State stuff, but, just got a "Goonybird"
pair 2m & 6m...
Get me some specs on the rig & I might be interested.... I live in
Massachussets.

Don't forget the NOSPAM in my E-mail.
Thanks Alot...
Ed Grafton
KB1DQX
Ed G.
(Please Remove "JUNKBLOK" to E-mail.
Unless it's a Flame.)
Check This Site !!!
http://www.charityweb.net/Safehaven

5250. THE PORKBUTT PROJECT! Audio files of his boastings and Jamming!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526154115.02112.00006411@ng-ca1.aol.com>
Source record: 141606

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http://www.angelfire.com/al/sj61/

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5251. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526170636.27769.00001572@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141607

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Date: Wed, May 26, 1999 8:41 PM
Message-id:
<811AA072B219A4B5.3ED0376BDD9B7F35.D7CD75C2BF992130@library-proxy.airnews.net>

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FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)
<<When are the guys in black going to jump out of choppers to invade your house,nut?>>>>
AF2Y, Doc

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5252. PAY ATTENTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526170954.27769.00001573@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141608

<< Subject: Re: WB4AIO's XYL speaks! (Long)
From: Frank@N8FN.COM (Spock)
Date: Wed, May 26, 1999 3:56 PM
Message-id: <374c1972.3783015@news.earthlink.net>

What does this have to do with amateur radio policy?
<<<WHAT A PIECE OF DAMNING AND INCRIMINATING INFORMATION. THE BEST THING I'VE EVER SEEN ON THIS NET. NOW YOU CAN READILY UNDERSTAND WHY RILEY HOLLINGSWORTH IS QUITE CONCERNED WHETHER OR NOT THIS LIBERTY NET WHICH PREACHES ENSLAVEMENT TO ALL OF THOSE WHOM THEY CONSIDER NON-ARYAN, IS WORTHY OF RETAINING THEIR HATE FREQUENCY. THE ANSWER IS SIMPLE. CHECK OUT RAY FRANKLIN'S "HATE DIRECTORY' ON THE INTERNET. YOU'LL SEE KEVIN STROM'S NAME MENTIONED. YOU'LL SEE THE 3.950 GANG OF THUGS MENTIONED. REMEMBER..THE ONLY TIME A MAN'S LIBERTY IS TAKEN AWAY IS WHEN HE TAKES IT FOR GRANTED-WHEN HE DOES NOTHING TO COMBAT PIRATES OF LIBERTY. GET ON YOUR COMPUTER AND E-MAIL RILEY IF YOU BACK HIM vis a vis STROM AND HIS GOOSESTEPPING RATS. STAND UP FOR AMERICA. STAND UP FOR FREEDOM AND JUSTICE AND TOLERANCE AND THE DIGNITY OF ALL MEN! WE ARE ALL GOD'S CHILDREN AND THE ALMIGHTY CHOSE TO OFFER VARIOUS COLORS. NO ONE IS BETTER THAN ANYONE ELSE. WE SHOULD HELP ONE ANOTHER INSTEAD OF HARMING. JUDAISM IS THE PARENTS OF OUR WESTERN CIVILIZATION AND CHRISTIANITY THE OFFSPRING. PARENTS AND OFFSPRING ARE FAMILY, NOT ENEMIES. IF YOU'RE WHITE EXTREMIST AND YOU NEEDED BLOOD FROM A LIVING MAN OF COLOR OR AN ORGAN FROM A NEWLY DECEASED ONE, WOULD YOU RATHER REJECT THEM AND DIE? IF YOU'RE AN ANTI-SEMITE AND NEEDED BLOOD OR AN ORGAN TO SURVIVE,WOULD YOU REJECT THEM FROM A JEW? GET WITH THE PROGRAM, PEOPLE. REJECT RACISM,BIGOTRY AND INTOLERANCE AND YES, SEXUAL PREFERENCE DISCRIMINATION TOO. LET'S KEEP AMERICA STRONG AND VITAL AND A BEACON OF HOPE TO ALL OPPRESSED! RILEY CAN BE REACHED VIA RHOLLING@FCC.GOV AF2Y,DOC>>>>>>>
On Tue, 25 May 1999 19:03:49 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous
<nobody@replay.com> wrote:

>Very interesting stuff from the wife of WB4AIO.
>
>It seems he has a very low opinion of feds.
>
>I hope Riley pays him a visit to discuss the article below:
>
>http://www.splcenter.org/intelligenceproject/ip-4i4.html
>
>
>
>Here is the article:
>
>Q&A: Inside the Alliance
>

> A former insider speaks
>
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>
> For four years, Kirsten Kaiser, 36, lived with her husband on or near
> the West Virginia compound of William Pierce, the leader of the
> neo-Nazi National Alliance and author of the racist fantasy novel The
> Turner Diaries. Kaiser was married to Kevin Alfred Strom, who
> co-hosts Pierce's racist and anti-Semitic radio show and is one of
> Pierce's closest associates. In that role, she got to know Pierce's
> inner circle and some of its members' thinking. Over the nine years of
> her marriage, Kaiser came to question the violently racist views of the
> Alliance -- especially after the deaths of 19 children in the Oklahoma
> City bombing, which was patterned on an attack portrayed in The
> Turner Diaries. Today, she is living in Minnesota and going through a
> divorce from Strom. The Intelligence Report interviewed Kaiser
> about her life and acquaintances inside the Alliance, and how she
> came to leave.
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> INTELLIGENCE REPORT: How did you first hear of the
> National Alliance?
>
> KAISER: I first heard about it in 1986 through reading magazines
> which my second husband, Joseph McLaughlin, had. I remember
> initially I was really shocked. I had noticed that Joseph didn't seem to
> like Democrats or Republicans, and I asked him, "What are you
> anyway?" He said he was a [white] nationalist, that when he was 17
> years old he had run away from home and gone to Iceland so he
> could be around other nationalists.
>
> IR: What was your first contact with William Pierce?
>
> KAISER: Joseph had me call Dr. Pierce one day in the summer of
> 1987. It was the day that [former Nazi leader] Rudolph Hess died.
> Joseph was all excited about this and they were all saying that it was a
> plot, a murder conspiracy.
>
> IR: What did you say to Pierce?
>
> KAISER: I said that I'd been reading his magazines. And he said,
> "You know, I'm really going to have to have you meet Kevin Strom. I
> know you'll just love him." I didn't meet Kevin until about four
> months later, on Nov. 7, 1987, when he came to our house in
> Arlington [Va.], but I really did like him a lot. I fell in love with
him,
> but I didn't see him again until January 1988.
>

> I was still married to Joseph at that time, but Kevin was starting to
> introduce me to people. I really wanted to meet people. I was very
> alone, very isolated.
>
> They were all in this radical movement and they talked about radical
> things and it was very mysterious and fun and interesting. I had never
> met anybody like this. In the meantime, the situation with Joseph was
> getting worse. On March 15, 1988, I left. Kevin helped me move, and
> he moved into the apartment that I got.
>
> IR: How had Kevin gotten into the movement?
>
> KAISER: It turns out that Kevin's high school government teacher in
> Fairfax, Va., was a fascist who kind of recruited him into all this. He
> pointed him to the John Birch Society. Kevin was never involved in
> the Klan. He is the big intellectual -- we continuously made fun of the
> Klan. But he did read literature like Instauration [a relatively
> highbrow racist publication] and corresponded with people like Jared
> Taylor [who runs a magazine called American Renaissance and has
> argued that blacks are less intelligent than whites].
>
> IR: When did you first meet Pierce in person?
>
> KAISER: A little before that, at the very end of 1987. Joseph and
> Kevin and I all met Dr. Pierce at a restaurant in Arlington. I had just
> finished reading The Turner Diaries, which I thought was very
> poorly written, and I think I told him so, which may be part of the
> reason why he dislikes me so much. He said that he had written it
> very fast and that he was very surprised at how popular it had
> become. He said that he had always intended to rewrite it and make it
> better, but that he liked it real well.
>
> IR: Do you think Pierce was serious about the message of the book
> [which depicts a race war set off by the protagonist's bombing of the
> FBI headquarters building]?
>
> KAISER: Yes. That first night we met, I remember that he said that if
> they didn't blow up the FBI soon, it would become impossible
> because technology was getting better and better.
>
> I used to drive past the Pentagon and other government buildings
> every day, and I never gave them a second thought until he started
> pointing out that there was this big sinister thing going on, that they
> were ultimately out to get me and Joseph personally, particularly
> because now we knew the truth that no one was supposed to know.
>
> IR: How was Pierce treated that night?
>
> KAISER: Everybody has always treated Dr. Pierce with tremendous

> reverence. Nobody calls Dr. Pierce "Bill." Even his wife calls him Dr.
> Pierce.
>
> IR: And how did Pierce act toward you?
>
> KAISER: Dr. Pierce said, "You're just a housewife," and I was so
> shocked and hurt. I had just got done reading his whole magazine, the
> National Vanguard magazine, which had a picture of Venus de Milo
> on the cover and went on and on about how women should be at
> home having children. I thought, "If that's what they think, why did
> he just say that to me?" It really hurt and confused me. It never made
> any sense.
>
> Dr. Pierce doesn't like women. He told me later that he likes them in a
> James Bond sense. Those were his favorite movies, James Bond
> movies. In those movies, women are just sort of fun toys, and that is
> really how he sees them.
>
> Once, Dr. Pierce showed me some mail-order bride catalogs after his
> third wife, Olga, left him for three or four months. They were just
> unbelievable. You pick up a catalog that's full of these women and
> almost every last one of them is named Eva. It was always eastern
> European women, from Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Russia.
>
> IR: After this initial meeting, I understand you stayed in touch with
> Pierce while you lived in Virginia and, later, in Maryland. When did
> you and Kevin finally move to Pierce's compound [on 346 acres
> outside Hillsboro, W. Va.]?
>
> KAISER: We moved on to his land on Oct. 1, 1991, and stayed
> there in a little trailer until Sept. 3 of 1992. After that, we moved to
an
> apartment above a truck garage in Hillsboro, and Kevin continued
> working for Dr. Pierce until 1995.
>
> IR: What was it like living on Pierce's land?
>
> KAISER: By the time we moved off the land, I had pretty much had
> it with the whole bunch of them. I listened to all these speeches about
> how this was a community and we were going to work together, and
> it wasn't that way at all. These people never even bothered to say
> hello and good-bye. They didn't have dinner together, hardly ever,
> and they didn't have any celebrations together.
>
> There was no discussion between people about what they were doing
> and how it connected to what other people were doing. The only one
> who really knew what was going on was Dr. Pierce, and he wasn't
> telling anybody anything they didn't need to know.
>

> Nobody drinks there. Drinking is absolutely forbidden. And watching
> television was not allowed -- even though Dr. Pierce watched the
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> IR: What about the Oklahoma City bombing?
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> of Tomorrow stuff. [VOT was a mobile, far-right pirate radio station
> that Strom ran out of a specially equipped van before meeting
> Kaiser.] I had never seen him so scared. We put a box of the stuff in
> the back of the car and we drove to the back of a Wal-Mart in
> Virginia, I think, and dumped it.
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> Later, Kevin told me that Timothy McVeigh had called the Alliance
> five minutes before the bomb went off and that somehow the FBI
> knew. But he said McVeigh must have called a lot of other right-wing
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> upset is because the bomb was just like the one talked about in the
> book." Everyone knew what book he was talking about [The Turner
> Diaries].
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> I had befriended a lot of local people in West Virginia, and after
> Oklahoma, a good friend came to me and said, "You know, Kirsten,
> you better watch your kids. If they get a chance the local people are
> going to kill your kids, because a lot of kids were killed in
> Oklahoma." I look outside my window and there are all these
> reporters. My heart is racing and I am just petrified. This is real.
> These are all real reporters, people dressed up in suits with cameras
> and microphones. I'm not making this up.
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> IR: How were you affected by all this personally?
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> KAISER: By this time, I had realized that the idea of a revolution
> was ridiculous. If these people can't hold down a regular job, what
> makes you think they can run a country?
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> Kevin told me that the bombing was a good thing, because it was a
> government building and that government employees had been killed.
> It was a part of the revolution. I called my brother and my brother
> said, "Yeah, well what about all those kids that were killed?" Kevin
> said to me, "Well, if there were children killed, they must have been
> the children of government employees and it will teach them all a
> lesson." This was retribution for what happened in Waco.
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> After I got through with this conversation with my brother, something

> began to grow in me. It was like this little seed. My brother works for
> the Coast Guard, which means the government, so Kevin was saying
> that he deserved to be killed. It took a little while for that to sink
in on
> me.
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> I became so depressed after the bombing. The whole idea that they
> really think it's okay for children to be killed was starting to bother
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> IR: So you began to think about leaving West Virginia?
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> KAISER: At about this time, Kevin and Dr. Pierce were having a
> disagreement. I was happy because I was thinking Kevin was finally
> going to say we could leave. I wanted to go to Minnesota. One day,
> he came home with a magazine saying Rochester [Minn.] was
> supposed to be the best place in America to live. It was either 96
> percent or 97 percent white, so it was acceptable for that reason. We
> moved there in November of 1995.
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> I don't know if anyone can relate to this except maybe a prisoner of
> war, but when we left I was able to listen to regular radio broadcasts.
> I hadn't heard Paul Harvey in years. I didn't know that O.J. Simpson
> had apparently killed his wife. Kevin hadn't allowed us to watch
> television or read the newspapers because they promote
> multiculturalism. Driving across country, we were stopping at gas
> stations and I could see newspapers with today's date on them.
> There were TVs in the hotel rooms. It was really weird.
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> IR: How was Rochester once you got there?
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> KAISER: I got a job as a real estate salesperson. I had a lot of fun,
> but I felt a sense of shame for the first time because when people
> asked, I couldn't say what my husband did. At the same time, I
> couldn't go to office parties, various social things, because Kevin
> didn't like being around people. And I couldn't go alone because that
> would mean getting a baby-sitter, and we couldn't have a baby-sitter
> because they'd be in the house and then they would know who we
> were.
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> The fact that I had to name my baby daughter Klara -- Klara was
> Hitler's mother's name -- was also starting to bother me. This whole
> deal with Hitler was really starting to bother me.
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> IR: When did it all come to a head for you?
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> KAISER: On Nov. 13, 1996, we were listening to the radio to hear
> the weather report. They were talking about some young couple in
> New Jersey that had hidden the fact that the girl was pregnant. They

> killed their baby after she gave birth in a hotel room.
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> I just started crying, and Kevin got mad at me. He said, "Why are
> you crying?" And I said, "They killed a baby. They killed a baby."
> I�m looking at my own baby, who is three or four weeks old, and I
> am just freaking out. And then Kevin said that it was a good thing that
> it happened, because the woman was a Jew and the man was a
> Gentile.
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> I was thinking several thoughts at the same time. How could he know
> the woman was a Jew? And it occurred to me, for the first time, that
> it actually didn�t matter what race the child was. It was a little baby.
I
> just kept envisioning that happening to my baby, and I couldn�t stop
> crying. I curled up into a ball in the corner and held on to the baby. I
> wouldn�t let her go, and I couldn�t stop crying.
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> Eventually, I went to see a counselor. He told me that it was a good
> thing that I was upset, that everyone should be upset when they hear
> things like that. He said that all children were all part of our family.
> That is what he said.
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> In his office, I picked up an old magazine with pictures of the
> Oklahoma bombing. I screwed up my courage and I read the articles
> and I looked at the pictures. I was thinking that this child being held
> by a fireman doesn�t look any different than my son, Oskar, and it�s
> covered with blood. And that whole idea, that there really isn�t any
> difference, that children are children, all came to me. It all came
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> For four years, Kirsten Kaiser, 36, lived with her husband on or near
> the West Virginia compound of William Pierce, the leader of the
> neo-Nazi National Alliance and author of the racist fantasy novel The
> Turner Diaries. Kaiser was married to Kevin Alfred Strom, who
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> City bombing, which was patterned on an attack portrayed in The
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> about her life and acquaintances inside the Alliance, and how she
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> INTELLIGENCE REPORT: How did you first hear of the
> National Alliance?
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> KAISER: I first heard about it in 1986 through reading magazines
> which my second husband, Joseph McLaughlin, had. I remember
> initially I was really shocked. I had noticed that Joseph didn't seem to
> like Democrats or Republicans, and I asked him, 'What are you
> anyway?' He said he was a [white] nationalist, that when he was 17
> years old he had run away from home and gone to Iceland so he
> could be around other nationalists.
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> IR: What was your first contact with William Pierce?
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> KAISER: Joseph had me call Dr. Pierce one day in the summer of
> 1987. It was the day that [former Nazi leader] Rudolph Hess died.
> Joseph was all excited about this and they were all saying that it was a
> plot, a murder conspiracy.
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> IR: What did you say to Pierce?
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> KAISER: I said that I'd been reading his magazines. And he said,
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> know you’ll just love him.’ I didn’t meet Kevin until about four
> months later, on Nov. 7, 1987, when he came to our house in
> Arlington [Va.], but I really did like him a lot. I fell in love with
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> but I didn’t see him again until January 1988.
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> I was still married to Joseph at that time, but Kevin was starting to
> introduce me to people. I really wanted to meet people. I was very
> alone, very isolated.
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> They were all in this radical movement and they talked about radical
> things and it was very mysterious and fun and interesting. I had never
> met anybody like this. In the meantime, the situation with Joseph was
> getting worse. On March 15, 1988, I left. Kevin helped me move, and
> he moved into the apartment that I got.
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> IR: How had Kevin gotten into the movement?
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> KAISER: It turns out that Kevin’s high school government teacher in
> Fairfax, Va., was a fascist who kind of recruited him into all this. He
> pointed him to the John Birch Society. Kevin was never involved in
> the Klan. He is the big intellectual -- we continuously made fun of the
> Klan. But he did read literature like Instauration [a relatively
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> argued that blacks are less intelligent than whites].
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> IR: When did you first meet Pierce in person?
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> KAISER: A little before that, at the very end of 1987. Joseph and
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> reason why he dislikes me so much. He said that he had written it
> very fast and that he was very surprised at how popular it had
> become. He said that he had always intended to rewrite it and make it
> better, but that he liked it real well.
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> IR: Do you think Pierce was serious about the message of the book
> [which depicts a race war set off by the protagonist’s bombing of the
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> KAISER: Yes. That first night we met, I remember that he said that if
> they didn’t blow up the FBI soon, it would become impossible
> because technology was getting better and better.
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> I used to drive past the Pentagon and other government buildings
> every day, and I never gave them a second thought until he started
> pointing out that there was this big sinister thing going on, that they

> were ultimately out to get me and Joseph personally, particularly
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> IR: How was Pierce treated that night?
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> Dr. Pierce doesn t like women. He told me later that he likes them in a
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> got to have a normal life." And he says, "What's a normal life?"
>
> IR: What about the Oklahoma City bombing?
>
> KAISER: The day after the [April 19, 1995] bombing, Kevin got
> really nervous. He went through the house and found all his old Voice
> of Tomorrow stuff. [VOT was a mobile, far-right pirate radio station
> that Strom ran out of a specially equipped van before meeting
> Kaiser.] I had never seen him so scared. We put a box of the stuff in
> the back of the car and we drove to the back of a Wal-Mart in
> Virginia, I think, and dumped it.
>
> Later, Kevin told me that Timothy McVeigh had called the Alliance
> five minutes before the bomb went off and that somehow the FBI
> knew. But he said McVeigh must have called a lot of other right-wing
> groups, too. He also said, "You know, the reason why they were all
> upset is because the bomb was just like the one talked about in the
> book." Everyone knew what book he was talking about [The Turner
> Diaries].
>
> I had befriended a lot of local people in West Virginia, and after
> Oklahoma, a good friend came to me and said, "You know, Kirsten,
> you better watch your kids. If they get a chance the local people are
> going to kill your kids, because a lot of kids were killed in
> Oklahoma." I look outside my window and there are all these
> reporters. My heart is racing and I am just petrified. This is real.
> These are all real reporters, people dressed up in suits with cameras
> and microphones. I'm not making this up.
>
> IR: How were you affected by all this personally?
>
> KAISER: By this time, I had realized that the idea of a revolution
> was ridiculous. If these people can't hold down a regular job, what
> makes you think they can run a country?
>
> Kevin told me that the bombing was a good thing, because it was a
> government building and that government employees had been killed.
> It was a part of the revolution. I called my brother and my brother

> said, "Yeah, well what about all those kids that were killed?" Kevin
> said to me, "Well, if there were children killed, they must have been
> the children of government employees and it will teach them all a
> lesson." This was retribution for what happened in Waco.
>
> After I got through with this conversation with my brother, something
> began to grow in me. It was like this little seed. My brother works for
> the Coast Guard, which means the government, so Kevin was saying
> that he deserved to be killed. It took a little while for that to sink
in on
> me.
>
> I became so depressed after the bombing. The whole idea that they
> really think it's okay for children to be killed was starting to bother
> me.
>
> IR: So you began to think about leaving West Virginia?
>
> KAISER: At about this time, Kevin and Dr. Pierce were having a
> disagreement. I was happy because I was thinking Kevin was finally
> going to say we could leave. I wanted to go to Minnesota. One day,
> he came home with a magazine saying Rochester [Minn.] was
> supposed to be the best place in America to live. It was either 96
> percent or 97 percent white, so it was acceptable for that reason. We
> moved there in November of 1995.
>
> I don't know if anyone can relate to this except maybe a prisoner of
> war, but when we left I was able to listen to regular radio broadcasts.
> I hadn't heard Paul Harvey in years. I didn't know that O.J. Simpson
> had apparently killed his wife. Kevin hadn't allowed us to watch
> television or read the newspapers because they promote
> multiculturalism. Driving across country, we were stopping at gas
> stations and I could see newspapers with today's date on them.
> There were TVs in the hotel rooms. It was really weird.
>
> IR: How was Rochester once you got there?
>
> KAISER: I got a job as a real estate salesperson. I had a lot of fun,
> but I felt a sense of shame for the first time because when people
> asked, I couldn't say what my husband did. At the same time, I
> couldn't go to office parties, various social things, because Kevin
> didn't like being around people. And I couldn't go alone because that
> would mean getting a baby-sitter, and we couldn't have a baby-sitter
> because they'd be in the house and then they would know who we
> were.
>
> The fact that I had to name my baby daughter Klara -- Klara was
> Hitler's mother's name -- was also starting to bother me. This whole
> deal with Hitler was really starting to bother me.

>
> IR: When did it all come to a head for you?
>
> KAISER: On Nov. 13, 1996, we were listening to the radio to hear
> the weather report. They were talking about some young couple in
> New Jersey that had hidden the fact that the girl was pregnant. They
> killed their baby after she gave birth in a hotel room.
>
> I just started crying, and Kevin got mad at me. He said, "Why are
> you crying?" And I said, "They killed a baby. They killed a baby."
> I�m looking at my own baby, who is three or four weeks old, and I
> am just freaking out. And then Kevin said that it was a good thing that
> it happened, because the woman was a Jew and the man was a
> Gentile.
>
> I was thinking several thoughts at the same time. How could he know
> the woman was a Jew? And it occurred to me, for the first time, that
> it actually didn�t matter what race the child was. It was a little baby.
I
> just kept envisioning that happening to my baby, and I couldn�t stop
> crying. I curled up into a ball in the corner and held on to the baby. I
> wouldn�t let her go, and I couldn�t stop crying.
>
> Eventually, I went to see a counselor. He told me that it was a good
> thing that I was upset, that everyone should be upset when they hear
> things like that. He said that all children were all part of our family.
> That is what he said.
>
> In his office, I picked up an old magazine with pictures of the
> Oklahoma bombing. I screwed up my courage and I read the articles
> and I looked at the pictures. I was thinking that this child being held
> by a fireman doesn�t look any different than my son, Oskar, and it�s
> covered with blood. And that whole idea, that there really isn�t any
> difference, that children are children, all came to me. It all came
> together on that date.
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5253. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990526140431.21153B-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 141609

On Wed, 26 May 1999, Martin Meserve wrote:

> In your message below, you say that Australia is your home. Does
> that also mean that your citizenship is also there? Only US
> citizens are directly eligible for a US Amateur Radio License.
> If you are a citizen of another country, you must first have a
> license in that country and then you are eligible for a reciprocal
> license, in the US.

That is completely untrue.

ANYONE, except agents of foreign governments are eligible for US amateur radio licenses. That includes citizens of other countries, liek me, for example! :-)

Similarly, you don't even have to take your license exams in the US. As long as three accredited VEs oversee and process the exams, the actual exam can take place ANYWHERE in the world, including Australia. There are several VE teams conducting examination sessions in Mexico for mariners who sail down south, then decide to get their US ham license.

Julian

5254. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990526141238.21153C-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 141610

On Wed, 26 May 1999, William Lee wrote:

> Martin, Do you need a license to operate in international waters?

Yes, you do.

Your vessel is covered by the laws of the country in which it is registered. If your vessel is registered in the US, then you must abide by all of the FCC's rules.

Julian

5255. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990526141423.21153D-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 141611

On Wed, 26 May 1999, Michael Young wrote:

> Is a license even necessary for use in international open waters? Seems
> to me you can, as master of a ship at sea, issue yourself any license
> you see fit. Operation in territorial waters might be different, and
> possibly requires an alien license.
>
> Michael.

This is not the case. You are bound by the rules of the country where the vessel is registered while operating in international waters. You are not a "country to yourself" where you can do anything you like!

Julian

5256. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <7350-374C5EBC-5@newsd-131.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141612

Mr. Zimmerlee....you are a TRUE patriot in EVERY sense of the word. My hats off to you!

5257. FS: Astron RS-35 35 amp Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526172702.01106.00000674@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 141613

For Sale Astron 35 amp Power Supply
Model RS-35. $90.00 + shipping
Thanks
Fran

5258. Re: wanted a trip to the bus station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <XPZ23.701$la.14757@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141614

On Wed, 26 May 1999 19:50:58 GMT rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
> Bus station Bobby. Who in the hell is George? I think the people on this
> web site are sick and tired of your telling them by way of addressing
> someone else, your desires toward Rich Whitten WB2OTK. I have no
> objection if you have a perversion of loving men, boys, little girls,
> critters, etc, but I think it is sick,
> but to write your desires under the guise of addressing someone else on
> the web site? Give us a break, this is your
> personal life , do not share it with us. But maybe you want the world to
> know your oreintation. enough already, we already know. Who is this
> "George" you keep addressing?
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>
George, George, George, Please don't get so defensive! I'm only trying
to help you with your little problem, sorry to have apparently touched
a nerve! Gosh, you're sensitive about this, aren't you?

If you wonder why people think you have a little crush on WB2OTK, And
they do, I've heard them talking, think about your presence here on the
net; it all revolves around either WB2OTK or AF2Y. It quickly becomes
obvious to everyone that you have an abnormal preoccupation with these
two men, but that's OK, just make sure you don't run afoul of any local
anti-stalking ordinances. Here at the dawn of the new millenium,
homosexuality is not the dirty thing that it was in your youth. I
don't personally understand it, but far be it for me to condemn it,
either. You are what you are, and I suppose you can't help that. It
just seems sad to me that you are forcing yourself to live this lonely
life, unable to truly express your feelings to the men who mean the
most to you. I don't know if Doc or Rich are gay, I tend to think that
they're not, but that doesn't mean that they wouldn't be flattered if
you came clean with your TRUE feelings instead of constantly attacking
them.

So, here's another idea. Next time you get the overwhelming desire to
post more nasty stuff about them, send them a Candy-Gram instead! Now
tell me, who wouldn't like to receive a Candy-gram... or better yet,
one of those Vermont Teddy Bears that they advertise on the radio!
I'll bet they'd be touched.

Please don't be mad at me, George. I'm only trying to help. If you
don't want to take my advice, I'm sure that there are many good
therapists in the Memphis area. Make an appointment with one, I'm sure
they will be able to see you through this problem and help you live a
much happier life.

Have a nice day!
Smurf69
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Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5259. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ihp7s$55u@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141615

In article <7ihaqj$h3l$1@remarQ.com>, Michael Young <nobody@all.org> wrote:
>Is a license even necessary for use in international open waters? Seems
>to me you can, as master of a ship at sea, issue yourself any license
>you see fit.

Did you register your vessel to your own make-believe country?

I'd like to hear the callsign you invent for your make-believe radio license. And once word gets out on the bands that your call is bogus, you'll be classified as a "pirate" and no one will talk to you (that's a matter of law -- we're forbidden from communicating with such stations).

As an Australian citizen, you're subject to Aussie radio laws (and international ITU regulations, too). Just apply for a high-seas radio license from your home country, and use the HF SSB marine bands for your traffic. Please remain off the hams bands unless you go about getting the proper license.

Jeff
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Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5260. Icom IC-Q7a Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: sharvey@thefuture.net
Message-ID: <7ihn01$1l6e@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio,scanner

I ran across the best deal on cloning software and computer cable and adaptor combination. RT Systems has a great deal. Windows Software, computer cable and adapter for $39.00. The same cable will work with the R2 when they come out with the software for that little jewel. Their number is 1-800-723-6922. Look here for software information: http://www.rtsars.com/icq7_cloning_software.htm

Happy programing...Scott, KA7FVV

5261. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ihqga$64r@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141617

Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:
Julian M. Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu> wrote:
>This is not the case. You are bound by the rules of the country where the
>vessel is registered while operating in international waters.

Really? Suppose a U.S. citizen is cruising on his Mexican-registered
boat in international waters. Suppose he decides to operate his radio
without a license. Is he subject to FCC or Mexican radio laws?

Please cite the proper US, Mexican, or ITU radio regulations with your
reply.

Jeff KH6O

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Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5262. Re: Icom IC-Q7a Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: llefczik@motown.lmco.com
Message-ID: <7ii011$j4g$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio,scanner

Sounds good but, there is free softwhere available on the web and pre-made adapter for about $10. I built my adapter for about $3 in junkbox parts from the schematic on hamradio.cz

Enjoy your interface, I wonder how the software compares to the free program. Let us know any additional features.

73 WA2EHZ

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
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5263. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: stevens@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <374c744b.1251214@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Yes it is.All you need is an Amateur Transceiver and some duct
tape.Attatch the scanner to the AT with the tape.Leave the scanner
switched off and use the AT.

On Mon, 24 May 1999 12:49:50 -0400, "The ConQueror"
<joetheripper@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?
>
>Thanks
>Dan
>
>

5264. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Julian M. Frost" <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.3.96.990526153156.23386B-100000@odaiko.ss.uci.edu>
Source record: 141620

On 26 May 1999, Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote:
> Julian M. Frost <jfrost@odaiko.ss.uci.edu> wrote:
> >This is not the case. You are bound by the rules of the country where the
> >vessel is registered while operating in international waters.
>
> Really? Suppose a U.S. citizen is cruising on his Mexican-registered
> boat in international waters. Suppose he decides to operate his radio
> without a license. Is he subject to FCC or Mexican radio laws?

Excellent question! I see where my answer was incorrect, or at least
incomplete.

I'll see if I can get the references you asked for.

Julian

5265. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7iht61nns1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141621
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Looney - Tud, did you really think we were going to wait until the "official' legal defense fund was established , before we would help a friend ? I sent what I could, and quite a while back. I will send more, if I get ahead far enough to see my way clear. I am not going to wait for a nut-cake like you (or anyone else, for that matter) to say it is now "officially set up", and send my money God knows where and to whom. I MOST CERTAINLY would not send anything to any "fund" set up by YOU, and that is CERTAIN. Bill has learned the truth of the old saying, that you find out who your real friends are when you are down and out.
And here is what I have to say on the matter. Bill needs your help, and he needs it NOW, not 6 months or a year down the road, when some "official defense fund" is set up. You want to help Bill ? Then send him the help. You a friend of Bill`s ? Then do what you would want Bill to do if it was YOU that was down and out. That is what being a real friend means. And maybe your God, Whoever or Whatever he is, will smile upon YOU in YOUR time of need.

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:374A19E1.32010F91@usa.net...
> The FACTS of this NG prove you to be WRONG!!!!
>
> The other person who tried to raise money received very few responses.
>
> I NEVER tried to raise money for Cheek, I did suggest that someone should do
> it & received great praise for my suggestion.
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>
> tcrpe wrote:
>
> > The reason they didn't respond to YOU is that YOU are a proven insincere
> > asshole. It had nothing to do with Cheek, but it did prove what you were.
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
> http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>
>

5266. Re: AF2Y'S message to N0VFP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526184511.13058.00005063@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141622

>I just found out about your enlistment soliciation for help from Herbie, and
>Youngblood, and Queenie and Frankie Francine and other
>ham radio abominations. You want me off your case? Wrie a sincere letter pf
>apology to my dear friend Ruth Hoffman,N4LMC and express regrets for
>attacking
>her and her excellent Intercon public service net. No need to apologize for
>the
>anti-Semitism you've flung my way since I flick it off as if it were lint.
>Ruth
>had better receive word from you today or I pull out all stops.
>AF2Y, Doc
>

Your gonna do what? Pull out all your hair!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

5267. Re: ALL YOU EVER WANT TO KNOW ABOUT HATE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526185124.13058.00005069@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141623

>Fellow hams...I found it. The most comprehensive compliation of organized
>hate
>groups on this nation and SCROLL DOWN TO THE LAST ENTRY BEFORE VIEWING"WEB
>PAGES(WWW)URLS and sure enough, there's the 3.950 group with the name Ian
>McKinney alongside which supposedly is the pseudonym for Bill Scott, KO4FE, a
>bum who used to live on a garbage scow on Sarasota Bay. You'll be amazed at
>how many groups are out to overthrow our government but you'll also see
>WATCHDOG GROUPS outlined. If you want to access this website yourself to take
>advantage of a million links, log on to www.bcpl.net/~rfrankli/hatedir.htm
>
> Doc,AF2Y

Are you the new Spokesman for this now......

Win some, you lose some...

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

5268. Re: Is DoNkBoY a wrestler?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526185155.13058.00005070@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141624

DonkyBoy is gone.....

Ha Ha!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

5269. AF2Y "TALKS TOUGH" OH MY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-26 00:00:00 UTC
From: cbrambo1@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526184738.13058.00005064@ng-fh1.aol.com>
Source record: 141625

Subject: N0VFP ASKS A QUESTION.
From: radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs)
Date: 5/25/99 7:26 PM Pacific Daylight Time
Message-id: <19990525222623.26251.00004988@ng-fx1.aol.com>

The man asks if AF2Y can stop defaming his character. My reply: WHAT CHARACTER? The man's a BARF-StumpJumping abomination who likes to toss anti-Semitic remarks my way. Okay, Lloyd the Toid.. you have free speech but it works two ways and since I'm a hell of a lot smarter than you, you're going to lose. Want to play games with words, you horse's patoot? You can begin to look better to me if you pass a real ham license examination to get a real ham ticket instead of the silly piece of worthless paper you now have tacked up on the outhouse wall. You have a BIG MOUTH for being an A.H. SWL,don't you, birdbrain? For never having the intelligence to get the type of license to allow you to do some talking on 14.300 or 14.313, you seem to be so smart about everything. And then you attack my dear friend, Ruth Hoffman, N4LMC, who's a 73 year old grandmother, well respected in her community and church. and expect that a decent person like I will sit back and let you get away with defaming her? Like hell, bozo. I'll make you pay for all your mud slinging and then some. You've had it, creep, and when I get through with you, you'll pack up and move someplace else. I'll give you insult for insult and double the heat. But I won't attack your religion as you conveniently attack mine, you slimy bastard. You're in a WAR, Lloyd baby and I'm gonna clean your clock. If I were you, I'd seek out help from your lowlife buddies like Herbie, "Badblood," "Queenie the Weenie, "Polly the Redneck," Billy Jackoff Moore and others because you're going to need it. And when I get finished with you, I go after Stinson BIG TIME because he's your equal. YOU AIN'T SEEN NOTHIN' YET, you ignorant redneck white trash. Doc,AF2Y

CB Rambo Sez,

It'll be a uphill fight..... Lloyd will Win!

"Where's that Big Ol' CBRambo?"
"I want to hear him TALK TOUGH!"

5270. Re: Satellite info, HF/VHF, Yaesu Pages: FT-847 & FT-50R, Links and more!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Jeffrey M. Swiger" <N8NOE@Ameritech.Net>
Message-ID: <374CFD05.1F644800@Ameritech.Net>
Source record: 141376

Mike, This is a VERY NICE site.... Well Done... Thanks, Jeff N8NOE

KQ6MU wrote:

> Hello All,
>
> I have a web page with info on:
>
> Satellites, Satellite Tracking, HF/VHF, Yaesu Pages: FT-847 & FT-50R,
> Radio Bulletins, My HF Rig Reviews, Tons of Resource Links, and more!
>
> Please check it out:
>
> http://kq6mu.8m.com
>
> Thanks & 73,
>
> Mike Green KQ6MU
> DM04 Palmdale, CA USA

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" What A LONG Strange Trip It's Been! "
Jeffrey M. Swiger
*** N8NOE ***
(All YAESU, All the Time)

5271. Blake lies AGAIN! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <374D0E68.EBF6BEA2@parg.org>
Source record: 141377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Blake, you are a liar AGAIN.
I NEVER made the statement as you indicate below. Following YOUR LIE
I posted the REAL statement I made.

Blake Bowers wrote:

> You stated that you "had more FCC licenses than you could count on one
> hand." That was a lie.

Date: Mon, 19 Apr 1999
From: jmackey@usa.net
Organization: Deja News - The Leader in
Internet Discussions
Subject: Re: Who is Bill Cheek ?

Hardly true, I have passed SEVERAL FCC license tests and acquired MORE FCC

licenses that attest to my technical abilities than could be counted on
one hand!

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5272. ALINCO DJ-190TD MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: pushjeep@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ijeupivc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141378

Has anyone performed a Extended RF Transmit Mod on this new HT ??
It may be the old snip the blue wire.

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5273. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: dber@tiac.net
Message-ID: <374d3095.46147635@news.tiac.net>
Source record: 141379

On 27 May 1999 05:36:57 GMT, bcolenso@aol.com (BColenso) wrote:

>On 5/25/99 2:31 PM, Pappy@sgi.net wrote:
>
>==========
>Being frequency locked is like being out of gas on a desert highway.
>==========
>
>I have used this analogy here recently, follow me on this. If you were to take
>the driving distance from NYC to LA as the sum of frequencies that hams can use
>right now WITH OUT KNOWING ANY CW AT ALL, then learning CW (or droping it
>completely, as some people advocate) yield an extra one-half mile.

Very true... however it is a very coveted half-mile. It's the
half-mile that lets one talk from the east coast to Europe on 5 watts
via the world of sky-wave propagation. It's not the sum of the
frequencies that are in question -- it's the desired properties of the
HF frequencies vs. VHF/UHF.

However, some very nice radio work is done in the VHF/UHF region and
several of my friends have Tech tickets and are having a blast with
radio and the various modes used there. And you are quite correct -
there is a huge frequency range that is allowed without knowing CW. I
personally would like to see some HF voice portions of the bands
opened up for Tech use but keep the CW portions just as they are (I
know there are international considerations but I would still like to
see portions of the HF bands opened for Tech use).

Regards,

- Dave Bernazzani
dsb@inea.com

5274. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7ijf66tjs1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

But it didn`t keep you from claiming, over and over that i WAS Bill Cheek,
did it Wacky Mackey ?

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:374B5F47.C133800D@usa.net...
> Mike-
>
> I agree with you. I can't think of a single reason anyone would want to
> pretend they are Bill.
>
>
> Mike Schriber wrote:
>
> > What the HELL is wrong with you people?
> >
> > I know Bill Cheek and most of you people most likely do not. Why the
> > hell would anyone want to pretend he's Bill? I think Bill has
>
> SNIP
>
> ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
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5275. NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527092212.15364.00000792@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141381

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July 29, 1997

Good Morning from the Zundelsite:

This is the second part of a two-part series on Allied conduct in defeated Germany. It is part of a radio broadcast put out by Kevin Strom of the "American Dissident Voices" fame, a National Alliance production. (http://www.natvan.com/)

As I said yesterday and as I want to reiterate today, our reproducing an excerpt of this particular broadcast is not meant as an endorsement of the ADV program overall. I make this disclaimer because ". . . acting in concert" is the newest wrinkle our enemy employs in trying to stop the unstoppable - in silencing Revisionism.

However, there is no need to reinvent the wheel, and much of the information below was originally compiled by Dr. Austin App, one of the earliest Revisionist, from whose research I am now borrowing:

"Quite apart from any ethnic or ideological considerations, World War II was a war between, on the one side, the elitists who created Communism as a way-station on the road to their New World Order - and on the other, THOSE WHO OPPOSED THAT NEW WORLD ORDER.

It is a tragedy of millennial proportions that America and Britain were induced to fight on the side of Communism and Communism's masters.

Few today remember that in the 1940s, the Allies, who even then were calling their world-government-in-the-making the "United Nations," were pursuing a policy of unconditional surrender, which meant that the Germans would be obligated to accept an occupation government whose announced intentions, the infamous and genocidal Morgenthau Plan, would have reduced Germany to mediaeval conditions and cut her population by enforced starvation.

Go to a large library and check out Secretary Morgenthau's book, "Germany Is Our Problem", Harper and Brothers, 1945. You will note the use of the term "United Nations" on the front flyleaf and in the foreword by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

(Similarly), a prominent Jewish writer in America, Theodore Kaufman, had in 1941 written a book entitled "Germany Must Perish", which advocated the extermination of all Germans by sterilization.

Kaufman's book received favorable reviews in major American magazines and newspapers. Other books, such as Louis Nizer's "What To Do With Germany", also contributed to this atmosphere of strident anti-German hatred.

War propaganda and official policy combined to create an image of the German as sub-human and deserving of almost infinite punishment if not annihilation.

Churchill said to the Germans in January, 1945:

"We Allies are no monsters. This, at least, I can say, on behalf of the United Nations, to Germany. ...Peace, though based on unconditional surrender, will bring to Germany and Japan immense and immediate alleviation of suffering and agony."

Against that false claim the late Dr. Austin App proclaimed the truth:

* Those Allies who were "no monsters" literally raped more European women than had ever before been raped in the history of the world.

* They put Germany on a starvation-level diet.

* Under direct orders from Dwight Eisenhower, they killed more than a million German POWs. (Editorial note: See James Bacque, "Other Losses" describing how these soldiers died through administratively ordered neglect and starvation)

* They looted 12 million people of their homes, goods, food, and even clothes and drove them from their homelands.

* They took one-fourth of their farmland, they took their ships and their factories and their farm implements and then told them to live by farming.

* They abused and starved to death more German babies than there ever were Jews in Germany.

* They brought to their death five times as many Germans in one year of peace as died during five years of war.

* They raped and debauched hundreds of thousands of German, Austrian, and Hungarian girls and women from eight to eighty.

For the Americans and British, open rape was not as common as among the Soviet troops. The Soviets simply raped any female from eight years up and if a German man or woman killed a Russian soldier for anything, including rape, 50 Germans were killed for each incident, as reported in TIME magazine, June 11, 1945.

But for most of our boys, having that "wonderful time" depended a great deal on the "cooperation" of the German and Austrian women. From the starving and the homeless, of course, sexual "cooperation" could be bought for a few pennies or a mouthful of food. I don't think we ought to dignify this arrangement with any other than its true name of sexual slavery.

The "Christian Century" for December 5, 1945 reported "the American provost marshal, Lieutenant Colonel Gerald F. Beane, said that rape presents no problem for the military police because a bit of food, a bar of chocolate, or a bar of soap seem to make rape unnecessary. Think that over, if you want to understand the situation in Germany."

The "Weekly Review" of London, for October 25, 1945, described it thus: "Young girls, unattached, wander about and freely offer themselves for food or bed. ...very simply, they have one thing left to sell, and they sell it... ...as a way of dying it may be worse than starvation, but it will put off dying for months -- or even years."

Dr. George N. Shuster, president of Hunter College, wrote in the "Catholic Digest" of December 1945 after a visit to the American Zone of occupation, "You have said it all when you say that Europe is now a place where woman has lost her perennial fight for decency because the indecent alone live."

By official policy, the Allies created conditions in which the only German mothers who could keep their young children alive were those who themselves or whose sisters became mistresses of the occupying troops.

Our own officials admittedly brought the Germans down to a total daily food intake less than that of an American breakfast, a level which leads to slow but sure death unless relieved.

According to testimony given in the United States Senate on July 17, 1945, when the colonial French troops under Eisenhower's command, presumably mostly Africans, entered the German city of Stuttgart, they herded German women into the subways and raped some two thousand of them.

In Stuttgart alone, troops under Eisenhower's command raped more women in one week than troops under German command raped in all of France for four entire years.

In fact, of all the major belligerents in World War II, the German troops had by far the smallest record of rape and looting. In fact, the German army's incidence of rape in all of Germany's occupied territories was even lower than that of American troops stationed on American soil!

According to the International News Service in London, January 31, 1946, when American soldier's wives were brought to Germany, they were given special authorization to wear military uniforms because "the GIs did not want their wives mistaken for Fraeuleins by other occupation troops."

A writer for the "New York World Telegram" January 21, 1945 stated "Americans look on the German women as loot, just like cameras and Lugers."

Dr. G. Stewart, in a health statement submitted to General Eisenhower, reported that in the first six months of American occupation, venereal disease jumped to twenty times its former level in Germany.

I want you imagine an orgy of rape like this happening in your country, in your neighborhood, to your family, to your wife, your sister, your daughter. I want you to imagine what it would feel like to be totally powerless to stop it from happening, completely unable to bring the criminals to justice.

And I want to ask you, were there ever any "war crimes" or "hate crimes" trials of these butchers and rapists and inciters to butchery and rape?

Ladies and gentlemen, you have been lied to by those who want to submerge us into their world government. The public schools, the major media, and the

government are lying to you."

(Kevin Strom in "American Dissident Voices")

Thought for the Day:

"When it was seen that many of the wicked seemed quite untroubled by evil consciences. . . then the idea of future suffering was advanced."

(Lewis Browne)

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5276. Re: wanted a trip to the bus station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ijkbq$n2u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141382

Sammy Seagull AKA "Bus station Bobby"

I can tell by your ramblings you are a incorigible pervert. So, I will stop advising you. You should have long sessions with a shrink. You have many problems, mental and physical. I can not make any sense out of your postings. Just rantings about some "George" whoever he is. I can only wish you luck with the path you have selected to go down. Just be careful in the bus stations and public places you frequent. You know the last time you had a little problem with the officers. I will terminate these contacts with you by saying it is very sad case. I don't think you get much help from your xyl as I myself have heard some of her pornographic remarks 0n twenty meters. Good luck and good bye.

Rileygotcha

article <XPZ23.701$Ia.14757@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>, "smurf69" <smurf69@aol.com> wrote:
> On Wed, 26 May 1999 19:50:58 GMT rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
> > Bus station Bobby. Who in the hell is George? I think the people on this
> > web site are sick and tired of your telling them by way of addressing
> > someone else, your desires toward Rich Whitten WB2OTK. I have no
> > objection if you have a perversion of loving men, boys, little girls,
> > critters, etc, but I think it is sick,
> > but to write your desires under the guise of addressing someone else on
> > the web site? Give us a break, this is your
> > personal life , do not share it with us. But maybe you want the world to
> > know your oreintation. enough already, we already know. Who is this
> > "George" you keep addressing?
> >
> >
> George, George, George, Please don't get so defensive! I'm only trying
> to help you with your little problem, sorry to have apparently touched
> a nerve! Gosh, you're sensitive about this, aren't you?
>
> If you wonder why people think you have a little crush on WB2OTK, And
> they do, I've heard them talking, think about your presence here on the
> net; it all revolves around either WB2OTK or AF2Y. It quickly becomes
> obvious to everyone that you have an abnormal preoccupation with these

> two men, but that's OK, just make sure you don't run afoul of any
local
> anti-stalking ordinances. Here at the dawn of the new millenium,
> homosexuality is not the dirty thing that it was in your youth. I
> don't personally understand it, but far be it for me to condemn it,
> either. You are what you are, and I suppose you can't help that. It
> just seems sad to me that you are forcing yourself to live this lonely
> life, unable to truly express your feelings to the men who mean the
> most to you. I don't know if Doc or Rich are gay, I tend to think
that
> they're not, but that doesn't mean that they wouldn't be flattered if
> you came clean with your TRUE feelings instead of constantly attacking
> them.
>
> So, here's another idea. Next time you get the overwhelming desire to
> post more nasty stuff about them, send them a Candy-Gram instead! Now
> tell me, who wouldn't like to receive a Candy-gram... or better yet,
> one of those Vermont Teddy Bears that they advertise on the radio!
> I'll bet they'd be touched.
>
> Please don't be mad at me, George. I'm only trying to help. If you
> don't want to take my advice, I'm sure that there are many good
> therapists in the Memphis area. Make an appointment with one, I'm
sure
> they will be able to see you through this problem and help you live a
> much happier life.
>
> Have a nice day!
> Smurf69
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).
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5277. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <374D45B8.167EB0E7@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 141383

David Bernazzani wrote:
>
> On Wed, 26 May 1999 07:30:21 -0700, Martin Meserve
> <meserve@my-dejanews.com> wrote:
>
> >In your message below, you say that Australia is your home. Does
> >that also mean that your citizenship is also there? Only US
> >citizens are directly eligible for a US Amateur Radio License.
> >If you are a citizen of another country, you must first have a
> >license in that country and then you are eligible for a reciprocal
> >license, in the US.
>
> I though it was fairly clear that you did not need to be a citizen of
> the US to be a US Amateur radio operator. Just pass the tests and
> you're in. I think this topic is covered nicely on the Novice/Tech
> exams. From what I remember of my theory study, the ruling states
> that anyone can become a US Amateur radio operator except a
> representative of a foreign government.
>
> The reciprocal license is a different issue.
>
> - Dave Bernazzani
> dber@tiac.net

Well, last night I reread Part 97 and all of the questions from the test question pool, and you are correct. I didn't find it very clear from Part 97, however, there is one question in the Novice test question pool that references it. I guess when you haven't taken a Novice exam in over 30 years, you tend to forget things. I don't even know for sure if it was on the test then.

At least my post livened up the discussion.

Martin

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5278. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Zombie Wolf <zmbwf@somtel.com>
Message-ID: <7ijh1m$tq4$1@garnet.mint.net>
Source record: 141384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Oh, I don`t want to "educate" John. You cannot educate a Racoon beyond a certain point. No , I will leave that task to those who are willing to take on the labors of Hercules.
But I WILL occasionally set him straight, especially when he is contradiciting himself.
As for Conduit, I am really not all that happy with him, either. I butted heads with him a while back. And I would STILL not advise people to send off their hard - earned money to some "official legal defense fund", Which may or may not be legitimate. Like I said, if they want to help Bill, then they should not wait until Bill goes under.
Don`t get me wrong. I like you Smalley, and I have seen you hit the nail right on the head too many times to count. I see you as a man who adheres to his principles, and does everything he can from one day to the next to see that everything is right. I have yet to see any contradiction in your speaking or your character. If you lived nearby, we would undoubtedly be friends.
But ignoring Mackey is not going to get rid of him. It is not just that Mackey thrives on the attention he gets. He has been obsessed with Cheek for over three years. Mackey enjoys negative attention, and seeks after it. Your assessment would be of a NORMAL person, which he is certainly not. What sane person would carry on a tirade after three years, even after the object of that tirade has been gone from the group for over a year ? Even the mere mention of Bill Cheek sets him off. I have seen him respond to Cheek`s AUTOMATED POSTINGS, for Gods sake !
Mackey, in his delusion, sees himself as some sort of hokey "saviour" of the group, in that he is going to keep us from talking about Bill or TO Bill. In other words, he has set himself up as some sort of "censor" on the group. I really don`t understand why the USENET authorities have chosen to ignore this fact for over three years, while the Looney interferes with both Bill Cheek`s freedom of speech, and everyone else`s.
Have a look at my other posting, where I describe Looney -Tunes "pattern of behaviour". This is typical of the obsessed, and he certainly is that. He repeats this pattern over and over, ad nauseum, like some kind of crazy robot. He cannot and will not be stopped by his fellows on the group, and it is my considered opinion that he has made a "Life`s Work" out of this stupidity. Now there is a lofty goal ! You seriously misjudge his mental state, since you are about as normal as Apple Pie, Phil, and tend to think in those terms. So do most people. But after observing him for over three years, I know what he is about.

Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com> wrote in message news:7ihur3$d40$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com...
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> Zombie Wolf wrote in message <7iht61nns1@garnet.mint.net>...
> >Looney - Tud, did you really think we were going to wait until the
> >"official' legal defense fund was established , before we would help a
> >friend ?
>
> ZW: While I agree wholeheartedly about this, Bill Conduit has made an
> excellent suggestion: Twit-filter John and act as though he never existed.
> As long as people like us try in vain to get him to see the err of his
ways,
> he will still be here clogging up the group with his nonsense.
>
> I for one, am sick of trying to educate John. Now I simply ignore him. We
> all should. It will work, if we all do it together....
>
> -Phil
>
> -=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
> -=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-
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>

5279. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Martin Meserve <meserve@my-dejanews.com>
Message-ID: <374D4644.2781E494@my-dejanews.com>
Source record: 141385

William Lee wrote:
>
> Martin, Do you need a license to operate in international waters?
>
> William Lee

Looks like everyone else beat me to it. There is nothing more that
I could add, to the already posted information. I think they covered
the subject pretty good.

Martin

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5280. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: vascot@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ijma4ofq1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141386
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <374889a5.975082@news1.wolfenet.com>,
henry@wolfenet.com (Henry Knouse) wrote:
> David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> >Both services are licensed communications
services
> >administered by the same agency of the federal
government.
> >I think the courts would see it as apples to
apples.
> >But this is also irrelevant. The Bill of
Rights
> >does not contain an exclusion based on type of
service.
> >Part of the function of Amateur Radio is
communication.
> >That is self-evidently correct. Otherwise,
any exchange
> The courts have limited the bill of rights as
far as free speech is
> concerned.

See, this is the left-wing elitist oligarchist nonsense we're up against. The courts don't limit the Constitution---precisely the reverse is true: "This Constitution, and the laws of the United States which shall be made in Persuance thereof . . .shall be the supreme Law of the Land; and the Judges in every State shall be bound thereby . . ." (US Constitution, Art. VI, par. 2.)

You can't shout fire in a theater!

Oh, yes, you can, and must, when the occasion requires it; but if you do so negligently or maliciously you are responsible for the consequences. Moreover, no one may practice prior restraint on you, e.g., by taping your mouth, unless you are a child, a mental defective so adjudged, of a criminal. I wish I had a nickel for every time the above statement by a Supreme Court Justice (Holmes?) has been taken out of context in an effort to justify all kinds

of Draconian, paternalistic, freedom-stifling usurpations by government-too-big-for-its-breeches!

> Traditionally ham radio has excluded political speech and religion.

Traditionally, Baal-worshipers and Incas sacrificed their babies and children, burning them alive to pacify their pagan "gods". Saying Ham Radio has excluded religion is incredible when there are Bible Nets all up and down the bands. And how do YOU define political speech? Partisan diatribes (i.e., Democrat, Republican, Socialist) I think most would shun anyway, but true politics is simply human activity in relation to power. Who can formulate means to identify or exclude that? Not even Solomon!

> The terms of your ham license determine how you use ham radio.

The terms of my ham license, in Part 97, specify nothing about refraining from discussing current events, government, anthropology, geopolitics or foreign affairs. Indeed, an official publication of the ARRL (and that organization is recognized by the FCC as a partner in regulating ham radio) explicitly cites current events discussions as being among the many activities hams CAN and DO engage in! Additionally, the Communications Act of 1934 as amended explicitly states that NOTHING in the act shall be so construed as LIMITING FREEEDOM OF SPEECH or authorizing any Federal agency to engage in CENSORSHIP!

> Allowing crap, like the 3950, goes against every legal tradition in
> America! Prior to this decade, ham radio was off limits to junk like
> them.

If your reference is to the Liberty Net, it has been functioning since the mid-1970s---about 3 decades. And, as a teenager in the late '50s (FIVE decades ago), I can remember listening on 75 Meters to the Confederate Crab Net whose participants expressed many views akin to some expressed on the Liberty Net. Your credibility would suffer less if your facts were accurate.

> Only in the 90's do, primarilly conservatives, feel that they have the
> right to blow their shit using any/every media known to man. This is
> unique to this time and defies tradition.

I speak only for myself: as a 7-year veteran of the Liberty Net, I am NOT a CONSERVATIVE and if I thought the Net were conservative I wouldn't participate! If there were something worth conserving in the present corrupt political system here, perhaps I would be. I am a Constitutionalist/Populist like Jefferson. It was he, and thousands like him, who set the REAL tradition for America: Government stay out of my face! You mind your business and I'll mind mine! No confiscation of the fruits of honest men's labors to feed parasites! The anti-Liberty toadies wouldn't last 10 seconds in a debate with real Americans like Jefferson, Washington, Paine, Andrew Jackson, et. al. And the erudite Americans cited above were adept at expressing their thoughts, so they found it unnecessary to use the corrupt, filthy, vulgar gutter speech to which the previous writer has resorted, calling patriots "junk" as he himself emerges from his wallowing in the gutter.

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5281. Re: Icom IC-Q7a Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <374D555F.CBDE00F2@t-online.de>
Source record: 141387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio,scanner

Scott Harvey schrieb:
>
> I ran across the best deal on cloning software and computer cable and
> adaptor combination. RT Systems has a great deal. Windows Software,
> computer cable and adapter for $39.00. The same cable will work with
> the R2 when they come out with the software for that little jewel.
> Their number is 1-800-723-6922. Look here for software information:
> http://www.rtsars.com/icq7_cloning_software.htm
>
> Happy programing...Scott, KA7FVV

You can also donwnload my (free) Software for the IC-Q7
and IC-R2, you will find some things not implemented in
the competition products like adjustment mode, entering
frequences below 30MHz ...

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Goran Vlaski (Ingra-Beton@t-online.de)
http://vlaski.virtualave.net/
http://www2.crosswinds.net/frankfurt/~vlaski/

5282. Solar report in cw (May, 14)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Frank Schmitte <dl1ydl@muenster.de>
Message-ID: <7ijmfl$hf7$1@news.citykom.de>
Source record: 141388
Cross-posted to:
alabama.birmingham.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,aus.radio,nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur

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The latest solar and geomagnetic activity report as Morse code audio
files can be accessed / downloaded in MIDI-format at the DTC web site:

at 12 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/wx280599.mid
at 30 wpm: http://www.muenster.de/~dtc/swx28599.mid

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73 es agbp de Frank (DL1YDL), DL-CW-C #030
Editor of the DTC-Web-Site.

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| Email: dtc@muenster.de |
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5283. Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: MOstrowski <M_Ostrowski@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ijle3$69q$1@ink.msen.com>
Source record: 141389
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Any tips you can pass along that can get me started will be greatly
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Michael Ostrowski - KI8IK
Saline, MI

KI8IK@yahoo.com

5284. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <374D5E54.5D88CFE4@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141390
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Peter, of PSK31 fame, told me that the Microsoft mmsystem.dll
handles interfacing to the sound card. I haven't looked for
info on that DLL but I assume it is available from Microsoft.
I'm also interested so please post whatever sound card interfacing
info you gather.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5285. FS Kenwood TS 850 SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Glenn <n6teb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <Dld33.206$p9.10514@ultra>
Source record: 141391
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Kenwood TS-850 SAT I am the original owner and it has gotten very little use. Scores a 10 for looks. This is a 160 through 10 meter all mode radio. General coverage receive starts at 100 khz and goes to 30 mhz. I have installed additional filters for CW and and SSB making the total number of filters = 6. Very good front end. Built in Antenna Tuner. Worked all over the world with a wire antenna. In very good condition. I also have the RS232 serial port adapter to connect this rig to a computer for auto logging and control. I live in southern California if you are local and want to check it out.

Great for Field day, RTTY, DX or just SWL

$1000.00 cashiers check or money order only.

I will pay shipping conus only.

You can relpy to me at n6teb@usa.net

Thanks, and 73

Dave N6TEB

5286. Re: B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527113634.02744.00000788@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141392

<< Subject: Re: B.A.R.F. Mail!
From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 3:44 AM
Message-id: <19990526234440.23697.00005600@ng-ci1.aol.com>
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>at ZZN. Visit the B.A.R.F. page at:
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>http://www.angelfire.com/in/w9xn
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Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
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WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

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5287. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <5417119C35ACE747.297F3196266D03AE.8A9B850D2FF2B9FE@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141393
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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sarcastic but you C++ Windows programmers know exactly what I mean).

5288. Primo deal for RF designer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: charliejazz@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ijtprunc1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141394

Primo job opportunity for RF designers - My apologies if this message breeches the status quo of this user group. I am simply mentioning a good deal to any person who might want one. The place: either northern California or next to the Rockies in Colorado. Your choice. The company: a $220M electronics/semiconductor outfit with international sites. Salary: wide open, these folks are hungry. Skills: BSEE or equivalent years of experience in RF design engineering; 5+ years experience preferred; knowledge of process design (engineering/manufacturing); good communication skills (written and verbal); experience with Type II & III level projects; good understanding of ECO process; knowledge of broadcast in either of these two broadcast bands - 500kHz to 107MHz or 50MHz to 800MHz; knowledge of solid-state amplifier design. You can contact me, Charlie Wirt at charliejazz@yahoo.com.

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5289. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: KC8MHG <kc8mhg@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <7ijq9m$4lt$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I don't know, I think I see logic behind the FCC regulating emissions of a receiver since ANYONE can by a reveiver, no license required.

Dick Carroll wrote in message <7hd614so0@208.207.71.159>...
>K0HB wrote:
>>
>> Dick Carroll wrote:
>>
>> > This just gets curiouser and curiouser.
>>
>> Nothing curious about it. It is (as it has always been) *YOU*
>> who is responsible for the quality of the signal your station
>> radiates. This is true (as it has always been) whether you
>> built your equipment from a discarded Silvertone TV chassis, or
>> bought it from Harvey-Wells or Kenwood or Knight Kit or
>> KV4FZ-going-out-of-business-sale.
>>
>
> I beg to disagree, Sir! To me it *is* curious that FCC
>would mandate testing for receiver spurious emissions in the
>microwatt range while ignoring the much more likely, and
>higher transmitted power, transmitter variety. After all,
>the licensee is responsible for both.
> If regenerative receivers were still common it might be
>another matter-but with hams their emissions would fall
>within a ham band, at least!
> Evidently some problem happened along that caused them to
>instigate this rule. If so I missed it.
>
>W0EX
>Nature is ANALOG. Live with it.(Ceceil's digital
>'explanation' aside)

5290. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: marsgal42@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <7ijuhr$v8o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141396
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <5417119C35ACE747.297F3196266D03AE.8A9B850D2FF2B9FE@library-proxy.airnews.net>,
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> to initialise a stupid program (being
> sarcastic but you C++ Windows programmers know exactly what I mean).

One way around the problem is to wrap the speed-critical stuff in
a DLL, but use VB for the user interface.

Actually getting samples from the sound card isn't all that hard.
For initial development you may even want to avoid the soundcard
stuff entirely, use whatever program is available to you to
record samples to a file, and then process them offline. Either
use the Windows API functions, or just use fopen() and grab the
bytes yourself.

What to do with the samples once you have them is the hard part.
My usual suggestion for a first book on DSP is Ifeachor and
Jervis, _Digital Signal Processing: a practical approach_.
For comms stuff (which you will probably also need), try a
text like _Communication Systems_ by Haykin.
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Laura Halliday VA3LDH "Que les nuages soient notre pied
Grid: FN03gs a terre..." - Hospital/Shafte

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5291. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Privalov <george_privalov@msn.com>
Message-ID: <eBodQzFq#GA.213@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141397
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Actually VB 6 is not that slow. Problem is in lack of support for
Multi-threading and callbacks that are required to fully exploit the
potential of mmsystem.dll API.

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Well, It's not that bad. But there is function of complexity of
implementation vs. size of the project. For VB it grows steeper
but VB starts at 0 value. C++ starts at some positive number (since you
will need bunch of to put "Hello World" on the screen") but grows slower
with size of the project. To make story short: smaller projects are easier
to do at VB while large ones on C++.

George

5292. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374D73B3.42BD@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141398
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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> KI8IK@yahoo.com
I hope you find what your looking for. I would make a sujestion to you.
I would sujest that you try to do this under Linux (i.e. Unix) first. I
think that you would have alot better response with the linux OS versus
Windows. Good luck let me know what you find out.
Thanks Oris
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5293. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527123151.28067.00002555@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141399

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Date: Wed, May 26, 1999 9:16 PM
Message-id:
<CBE28821A4F18C95.E8D99FE937695952.4B17419FE03DDDCF@library-proxy.airnews.net>
<<<<Zimmerlee, that sounds like a militant German name. I guess that explains his strident hatred of our government. I call these putzes, "German vermin." Oh by the way, I'm German-Austrian paternally and maternally but I'm a GOOD German and there's a lot of us to be sure. We idolize America and not Germany from 1933-1945, the so-called "Thousand Year Reich" that lasted for a dozen and then became a central European parking lot until we built her up. Sieg your ass,Zimmerlee and to hell with you and the rest of your subversive goosesteppers. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>
Ryan T. Faricy wrote:
> I hope you have something better to do.
> Please keep this stuff to email.

Part 97.1 is the business of this NG. That the
FCC had a part in the murder of persons inside
and amateur "Station in distress" under 97.405
should be of interest to all operators.

If the business of this NG displeases you,
then please go elsewhere.

No one but no one can refute the truthfulness
of the information on FCC-FBI operations at
Waco presented at the website below.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

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5294. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374D73FB.7F3@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141400

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5295. Re: B.A.R.F. Mail!

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Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374D74C3.7FAE@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141401

Radiosigs wrote:
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> From: n0vfp@aol.com (N0VFP)
> Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 3:44 AM
> Message-id: <19990526234440.23697.00005600@ng-ci1.aol.com>
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> http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/
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> >>
Doc turn your caps off! You don't need to yell. Why must you continue
WWII? Its been over since 1945. Are you sure your all right? Do you
think that all the so called hate mail your getting is of your own
making? Let it go the war is over.
Oris
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5296. BARF,"STUMP" & 3.950 MEMBERSHIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527125256.28059.00002349@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141402

Here's a list of names of elite who would have made wonderful exemplary members
of the BARF,StumpJumpers and the 3.950 assembly of lice.
1. Hermann Wilhelm Goering
2.Rudolf Hess
3.Joachim von Ribbentrop
4.Wilhelm Keitel
5.Ernst Kaltenbrunner
6.Alfred Rosenberg
7.Hans Frank
8.Wilhelm Frick
9.Julius Streicher
10.Walter Funk
11.Hjalmar Schacht
12.Karl Doenitz
13.Erich Raeder
14.Baldur von Schirach
15.Fritz Sauckel
16.Alfred Jodl
17.Franz von Papen
18.Arthur Seyss-Inquart
19.Albert Speer
20.Constantin von Neurath
21.Hans Fritzche
22. Heinrich Himmler
23. Josef Paul Goebbels
24. Adolf Hitler
With the exception of numbers 22,23 & 24 who committed "Selbstmord" as they
say in German(suicide), the rest stood trial at Nuremberg for war crimes,crimes
against humanity etc.Ten died by "Tod durch den Strang" as they say in
German(death by hanging), some got up to 20 years and two got
"Lebenslaengliches Gefaengnis" as they say in German(life sentences) and two
were not guilty(nicht schuldig). However when we stop to consider what the
three rotten and bigoted ham radio groups signify,how can we not say what
wonderful members the 24 would have been? Doc,AF2Y

5297. Re: Riley Hollingsworth is worth every dime!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374D7662.89A@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

vascot@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <374889a5.975082@news1.wolfenet.com>,
> henry@wolfenet.com (Henry Knouse) wrote:
> > David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >
> > >Both services are licensed communications
> services
> > >administered by the same agency of the federal
> government.
> > >I think the courts would see it as apples to
> apples.
> > >But this is also irrelevant. The Bill of
> Rights
> > >does not contain an exclusion based on type of
> service.
> > >Part of the function of Amateur Radio is
> communication.
> > >That is self-evidently correct. Otherwise,
> any exchange
> > The courts have limited the bill of rights as
> far as free speech is
> > concerned.
>
> See, this is the left-wing elitist oligarchist
> nonsense we're up against. The courts don't
> limit the Constitution---precisely the reverse is
> true: "This Constitution, and the laws of the
> United States which shall be made in Persuance
> thereof . . .shall be the supreme Law of the
> Land; and the Judges in every State shall be
> bound thereby . . ." (US Constitution, Art. VI,
> par. 2.)
>
> You can't shout fire in a theater!
>
> Oh, yes, you can, and must, when the occasion
> requires it; but if you do so negligently or
> maliciously you are responsible for the
> consequences. Moreover, no one may practice
> prior restraint on you, e.g., by taping your
> mouth, unless you are a child, a mental defective
> so adjudged, of a criminal. I wish I had a

> nickel for every time the above statement by a
> Supreme Court Justice (Holmes?) has been taken
> out of context in an effort to justify all kinds
> of Draconian, paternalistic, freedom-stifling
> usurpations by government-too-big-for-its-
> breeches!
>
> > Traditionally ham radio has excluded political
> speech and religion.
>
> Traditionally, Baal-worshipers and Incas
> sacrificed their babies and children, burning
> them alive to pacify their pagan "gods". Saying
> Ham Radio has excluded religion is incredible
> when there are Bible Nets all up and down the
> bands. And how do YOU define political speech?
> Partisan diatribes (i.e., Democrat, Republican,
> Socialist) I think most would shun anyway, but
> true politics is simply human activity in
> relation to power. Who can formulate means to
> identify or exclude that? Not even Solomon!
>
> > The terms of your ham license determine how you
> use ham radio.
>
> The terms of my ham license, in Part 97, specify
> nothing about refraining from discussing current
> events, government, anthropology, geopolitics or
> foreign affairs. Indeed, an official publication
> of the ARRL (and that organization is recognized
> by the FCC as a partner in regulating ham radio)
> explicitly cites current events discussions as
> being among the many activities hams CAN and DO
> engage in! Additionally, the Communications Act
> of 1934 as amended explicitly states that NOTHING
> in the act shall be so construed as LIMITING
> FREEEDOM OF SPEECH or authorizing any Federal
> agency to engage in CENSORSHIP!
>
> > Allowing crap, like the 3950, goes against
> every legal tradition in
> > America! Prior to this decade, ham radio was
> off limits to junk like
> > them.
>
> If your reference is to the Liberty Net, it has
> been functioning since the mid-1970s---about 3
> decades. And, as a teenager in the late '50s
> (FIVE decades ago), I can remember listening on
> 75 Meters to the Confederate Crab Net whose

> participants expressed many views akin to some
> expressed on the Liberty Net. Your credibility
> would suffer less if your facts were accurate.
>
> > Only in the 90's do, primarilly conservatives,
> feel that they have the
> > right to blow their shit using any/every media
> known to man. This is
> > unique to this time and defies tradition.
>
> I speak only for myself: as a 7-year veteran of
> the Liberty Net, I am NOT a CONSERVATIVE and if I
> thought the Net were conservative I wouldn't
> participate! If there were something worth
> conserving in the present corrupt political
> system here, perhaps I would be. I am a
> Constitutionalist/Populist like Jefferson. It
> was he, and thousands like him, who set the REAL
> tradition for America: Government stay out of my
> face! You mind your business and I'll mind
> mine! No confiscation of the fruits of honest
> men's labors to feed parasites! The anti-Liberty
> toadies wouldn't last 10 seconds in a debate with
> real Americans like Jefferson, Washington, Paine,
> Andrew Jackson, et. al. And the erudite
> Americans cited above were adept at expressing
> their thoughts, so they found it unnecessary to
> use the corrupt, filthy, vulgar gutter speech to
> which the previous writer has resorted, calling
> patriots "junk" as he himself emerges from his
> wallowing in the gutter.
>
> >
>
> -=== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==-
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
Thank you!
Vote libertarium save the Constitution and the Bill of Rights from the
left wing Democrat Communists and the right wing Republican religous
freaks.
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5298. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <374D7A29.6F0E7A61@innocent.com>
Source record: 141404

Thanks for reposting Miss Rimland's article, in which she quoted some of my work. She is an indefatigable truth-teller, and anyone who has had any interactions with her will tell you that she is a Lady in every sense of the word.

The excerpts are from one of the articles of which I'm most proud; so thanks again.

Except for the laughable subject line, it is an excellent post overall -- and a vast improvement upon the name-calling and insults which we all too often see from you. Of course, I do note that none of your own writing is in the post, so that may in itself account for the improvement.

Your usual posts do no credit to your cause, and in fact are hardly worthy of an emotionally disturbed five-year-old. They really don't constitute an argument for or against any position. They constitute what are usually referred to as "fits" or "outbursts."

It may be too much to expect from you, but a continuation of this trend toward more gentlemanly debate would be welcomed by many.

Happy Internetting,

--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5299. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <374D7BF5.113B@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 141405

Flunky The Waffle Iron wrote:

> My friend is an Extra Class and he has not used
> Morse code in over 15 years and he thinks coders
> are a bunch of idiots in this modern day and age.

Now there's a helpful, community minded ham...

I've never used spread spectrum but I hardly think
they are a bunch of idiots.

I'v also never been to New Hampshire but...
oh never mind.

Lumpy AB0GD
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

5300. Re: Mackey lies AGAIN! was: Blake lies AGAIN! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@need.help
Message-ID: <375176d7.4740985@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Thu, 27 May 1999 09:15:16 GMT, jmackey@parg.org wrote:

>Blake, you are a liar AGAIN.

And you are a liar STILL. Always have been, always will be. Predictability
is your only strong point, FOOL!!

5301. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ik1u0$220$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141407

In article <374D7A29.6F0E7A61@innocent.com>,
Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:

> Your usual posts do no credit to your cause, and in fact are hardly
> worthy of an emotionally disturbed five-year-old. They really don't
> constitute an argument for or against any position. They constitute
> what are usually referred to as "fits" or "outbursts."

And his caps lock is apparently stuck in the "on" position.

--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5302. Deja Coup !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ik24d$24o$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141408

All you Tricyclic Antidepressant of the Month Club subscribers must be going beserk trying to reset those filters now that dejanews switched to deja and you just got a heavy dose of the real world of ham radio in the past 12 hours.

:o)

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5303. An excerpt from Re: WB4AIO's XYL's interview- HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <374D7FD4.21F76DD8@innocent.com>
Source record: 141409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Posting this nonsense says far more about the kind of person _you_ are, Mr. Anonymous, than it does about me.

It's from the website of the anti-American and anti-freedom Morris Dees, a creature of most peculiar sexual inclinations who has made a career out of abusing the legal process to defame and bankrupt patriots and freethinkers.

Virtually nothing in it is true.

In your case, you are merely a worm who, failing utterly to make your case with facts, resorts to personal attacks of the vilest kind, even descending to involving little children, none of whom is yet of elementary-school age, even _publishing their names_ in association with horrible and false accusations which may well incite the unstable to unspeakable acts.

In Dees' case, he is guilty not only of all the above, but also of abuse and exploitation of the mentally ill for his unhuman "cause."

What Dees doesn't tell you is that the poor, delusional, then-vindictive and now-exploited woman was, prior to the "interview," an inmate for two stretches in the local mental ward, in part for threatening to do things which resulted in her not only losing physical custody of the children, but in having only court-supervised visitation with them for an extended period.

I don't blame her for her psychological problems. I do blame the political vultures who quickly moved in to exploit her condition in a failed attempt to hurt my reputation (I mean, will anyone _actually believe_ that I scout out armories everywhere I go so I can "bomb Israel" and "rule the world"?).

Thank you for proving, in a far more dramatic and convincing manner than anything I could say, just exactly what kind of foul monster you are.

Vita brevis,

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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5304. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527133300.28070.00002490@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141410

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 7:11 AM
Message-id: <7iir7e$55m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
<<<And God said to the Hebrew people,"I will bless those who blesseth thee and
curse those who curseth thee." All anti-Semites will perish. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>
In article <19990526170636.27769.00001572@ng-cs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
> From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
> Date: Wed, May 26, 1999 8:41 PM
> Message-id:
> <811AA072B219A4B5.3ED0376BDD9B7F35.D7CD75C2BF992130@library
proxy.airnews.net>
>
> Radiosigs wrote:
> > WHY DON'T YOU TAKE YOUR ULTRA-RIGHT WING ANTI-SEMITIC ANTI GOVERNMENT
> > GARBAGE AND STUFF IT? THERE ARE TOO MANY OF US WHO LOVE THIS COUNTRY TO
STAND
> > IDLY BY AND WATCH YOU BESMIRCH OUR DEMOCRACY. Doc,AF2Y
>
> Why is it that no one but on one ever addresses the
> evidence that I present? Is it because they know that
> I am right, and squarely on point?
> <<The only point you have is that on top of your head.

>>>>>>>
> In contradistinction to the idiotic blather, I present
> the important information that shows how genocide<<Genocide is defined as
the
> intentional destruction of an entire race of people. You're off base,
> screwball>>>>>

<snip>

Radiosigs seems to be trying to tell us that:

1)the "Jews" are a [Semite] race, and that

2) unnamed persons [Hitler and the Third Reich?] have tried to
exterminate this "race."

I congratulate Radiosigs. He has offered us subjects that are truly fit
for discussion on amateur radio. Why? Because freedom of speech
applies to amateur radio, and the subjects raised have caused an
emergency condition throughout society. On the other hand, Radiosig has

offered us erroneous information.

1) Hitler had no program of racial extermination of the "Jews." The Germans felt that the "Jews" had taken over their country and wanted the "Jews" out of their face. That's why Hitler shipped those in German-occupied Europe to concentration camps in railway cars instead of shooting them on the spot. Numbers were tattooed onto their arms and they were used as prison-workers once they arrived at the camps.

Ever wonder why so many "Jews" survived the so-called holocaust? After all, the Germans were the most efficient people on the face of the earth. If the Germans wanted them all dead, how come so many survived?

Since World War II, a growing number of scholars and human rights activists have researched the so-called "Holocaust" of the "Jews" and have called it, among other things, "the hoax of the twentieth century."

One of the most famous of the holocaust revisionists is Ernst Zundel who lives in Toronto, Canada. The "Jews" have been going ballistic, trying to shut him (and the website that carries much of his research) down. They cooked up a charge and hauled him before the Canadian Human Rights Commission. When Zundel attempted to defend himself by saying he had uttered the truth about the so-called "holocaust," the "Jew"-controlled Canadian Human Rights Commission told him:

"TRUTH IS NO DEFENSE"

Think about it. The Jews wanted to ban truth from the courtroom when the holocaust was being discussed. Why? Kinda makes you think, yes?

In early March, 1999, the Federal court of Canada threw out this "truth is no defense" ruling. Yes, the "Jews" got whupped in court! They have been going NUTS ever since!

No wonder Mad Albright and the Zionists in the US have been going bananas with the bombing in Serbia. They gotta take out their frustrations on someone! And why not the Serbs? They're Christian, aren't they?

If you want to find out more about holocaust revisionism, go to:

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

and check out the revisionist links I have in that directory.

2) Radiosigs seems to be telling us "Jews" belong to the semitic race, because to oppose their political actions is "anti-semitic." Radiosigs is misleading us on this, too.

The vast majority of Jews we meet are NOT semites, but descendants of the Khazars, a people who spoke a Turkic language and who flourished in the Dark Ages around the area of the Caspian Sea near Russia. The Khazar Emperor was converted to Judaism in the 700s AD, and thus his subjects were converted, too. The descendants of *Khazars* (not

semites) form European Jewry. And it is these European/Khazarian "Jews" who rule Israel. For more information, see "The Thirteenth Tribe" by Arthur Koestler, Random House, 1976. You can get a copy of Koestler's book at the bookstore of:

http://www.natvan.com/

Now why would the descendants of the Khazars be telling us they are descendants of the semites? Because they are liars. Lying about their lineage enables them to corral the sheeple (Christian Zionists) who believe "God" wants the rest of mankind to be subjected to the old Biblical Hebrew master "race." They will quote you all kinds of Bible text to prove the point. Some sleight of tongue is required of course; switch "descendants of Hebrews" with "descents of Khazars" and call 'em all "Jews." The dumb goyim won't notice the difference . . .

Remember, "Jews," no matter what their ethnic background, have been brought up in Talmudic culture, and in that culture false swearing is sanctified.

"And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall be valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. " (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of Atonement. (Babylonia Talmud, Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)

None of this is meant unkindly. I just think the "Jews" should stop lying and manipulating others and become a little more laid back. They should confess and pay back the money they have stolen by running the holocaust scam. Then they should decide if they want to become Americans. If they do, they should renounce the Talmud and sign on to the Bill of Rights. If not, they should go to Israel to live among their own kind. "Live and let live" -- that seems fair, doesn't it?

[BTW, a friend reminded me last night that the Devil is called "The Prince of Lies." Sends a shiver up your back!]

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Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.

Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

"In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act." George Orwell

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5305. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ik04o$5ga$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Zombie Wolf wrote in message <7ijh1m$tq4$1@garnet.mint.net>...
>Oh, I don`t want to "educate" John. You cannot educate a Racoon beyond a
>certain point. No , I will leave that task to those who are willing to take
>on the labors of Hercules.

I think even they wouldn't be up to the task.

>But I WILL occasionally set him straight, especially when he is
>contradiciting himself.

Even if that's what he wants you to do?

>Don`t get me wrong. I like you Smalley, and I have seen you hit the nail
>right on the head too many times to count. I see you as a man who adheres
to
>his principles, and does everything he can from one day to the next to see
>that everything is right. I have yet to see any contradiction in your
>speaking or your character. If you lived nearby, we would undoubtedly be
>friends.
>But ignoring Mackey is not going to get rid of him. It is not just that
>Mackey thrives on the attention he gets. He has been obsessed with Cheek
for
>over three years. Mackey enjoys negative attention, and seeks after it.
Your
>assessment would be of a NORMAL person, which he is certainly not. What
sane
>person would carry on a tirade after three years, even after the object of
>that tirade has been gone from the group for over a year ? Even the mere
>mention of Bill Cheek sets him off. I have seen him respond to Cheek`s
>AUTOMATED POSTINGS, for Gods sake !

And I'm not saying he won't! But look at the way things are now. As it
stands now, John comes out saying something so ridiculous you *know* it's a
troll, dozens of people respond out of sheer indignation, and John takes his
time to respond to (and enrage) each and every one. The result is 350+ off
topic messages a month from him alone. I've seen his threads grow to over
100 messages within days!

Now imagine this. John puts out one of his "trolls" and not one soul
responds. John attaches himself to one of Bill Cheek's automated posts, and
no one stops to look. It'll drive him nuts! He's got an obsession allright,
and it is ATTENTION. Look what happened when Bill left, did he stop? Nope.
Now it's the "Cheek-A-Likes" like Blake, you and myself that he's after, at
least to hear him tell it. Bullcrap. He wants the attention, pure and
simple. If it weren't for us, he'd find someone else to justify his jackass

crusade. But if no matter what he did, no one fell for it, well what's left? Without the attention he craves, he WILL seek it elsewhere.

>Mackey, in his delusion, sees himself as some sort of hokey "saviour" of the
>group, in that he is going to keep us from talking about Bill or TO Bill. In
>other words, he has set himself up as some sort of "censor" on the group. I
>really don`t understand why the USENET authorities have chosen to ignore
>this fact for over three years, while the Looney interferes with both Bill
>Cheek`s freedom of speech, and everyone else`s.
>Have a look at my other posting, where I describe Looney -Tunes "pattern of
>behaviour". This is typical of the obsessed, and he certainly is that. He
>repeats this pattern over and over, ad nauseum, like some kind of crazy
>robot. He cannot and will not be stopped by his fellows on the group, and it
>is my considered opinion that he has made a "Life`s Work" out of this
>stupidity. Now there is a lofty goal ! You seriously misjudge his mental
>state, since you are about as normal as Apple Pie, Phil, and tend to think
>in those terms. So do most people. But after observing him for over three
>years, I know what he is about.

I know, but despite the best efforts of myself and others all I've noticed is the more we tried to point out Johns faults, the worse his behaviour became. Let's just try it for a while. I say he quits within 6 months.

That's enough from me about Looney, on with scanning!

-Phil

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-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

5306. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@need.help
Message-ID: <37557868.5142468@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>FINE!!!
>
>Give it your best. In the mean time myself & countless others will be
>complaining
>to your ISP & newsguy.com!

Go for it, unfortunately, they are already aware of you and will just laugh at your drivel. Nobody else will be complaining. YOU are the instigator, retard.

>(Remember what happened to your buddy Bill after I made his provider aware of
>his actions!!!)

Yea, nothing.

>
>Macaroon wrote:
>
>>Either start posting on topic or be prepared to defend yourself with your
>>online provider as the countless complaints will begin.
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

5307. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@need.help
Message-ID: <375477c1.4975407@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

The lying jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> How are you "involved" with the Cheek bust? Are you a Federal agent
>
>Those issues are really none your business.

When you clutter up this group with your off-topic delusional fantasies, it IS my business. Seek help, retard.

>> It wouldn't be bad if you posted something on topic once in a blue moon, but
>> you can't even do that.
>>
>> Prove me wrong if you don't think so by showing me a message where you posted
>> on-topic anytime over the last 6 months. Provide a dejanews link (challenge
>> #73 about to be failed by loony tune).
>
>See below for a example of a typical on-topic
>post from me.
>

Once again, you fail. You didn't read clearly. PROVIDE A DEJANEWS LINK. You have now officially failed challenge #73 as predicted. You are nothing more than a FOOL!!!

A Dejanews link is required because you are a habitual liar.

5308. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@need.help
Message-ID: <37527750.4861601@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

That's the first truth I've ever heard you spew. But it's still off-topic per usual.

Nobody could teach a mental delusional anything.

jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>YOU trying to educate ME!!! That is really FUNNY, YOU couldn't teach me
>anything!!!!
>
>
>Phil Smalley wrote:
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>> I for one, am sick of trying to educate John. Now I simply
>
>SNIP
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==---------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

5309. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@need.help
Message-ID: <375678ee.5275841@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141415
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

home.com is about to boot you. Hang on for a ride, mental case.

On Thu, 27 May 1999 03:08:36 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>Correct, we have YET to see an on-topic post from you EVER!!!
>
>Macaroon wrote:
>
>> Once again, off topic. What a surprise.
>
>----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
>http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own
>

5310. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <374D86DD.51E6@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 141416

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> Please check out our specialized NGs; here's the list of 'em:

Not really a need to post a list of the spec groups.
Just glance at the cross posted addresses in the
spew. It seems that those with the least to say
find it necessary to say it to the most groups.

Lumpy ABï¿½GD
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

5311. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374D879A.4E26DA6B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141417

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> >And maybe it is time to put "moderated" after rec.radio.amateur.misc.
> >73
> >Mark
> >AB0HJ
>
> Would you like to volunteer to be the moderator?
>
> I believe a better approach would be to go through the group creation
> process to consider r.r.a.misc.moderated, and leave this one to the
> dorks.
>
> Jeff
>

Yikes No Jeff !!!!! (hi hi)

I was involved with one group that changed to a moderated group and it was not too bad. That group did it to get away from spam and advertisers.

I really don't care if we change this one or start a new one but something has to be done.
r.r.a.misc is the only place for general discussion of ham radio issues and is one of the first place someone who is interested in finding more about amateur radio is going to come. We do not give a good representation of the service with a 90% noise content from just a relative few lids.

I would think that having several moderators and the use of a mod-bot would help keep the trash off. I have been on moderated lists with mod-bots and they do a good job.

A mod bot allows multiple moderators. It will automatically post a message from a pre approved member of a group and will filter the remaining messages that are sent to the moderators so that they have a minimal amount of messages to approve and send on.

Once a new user has posted several times within the guidelines of the charter they are moved to the pre approved list. If a pre approved poster abuses the group they are moved off of the pre approved list and their posts must be once again approved by the moderator. There is also a feature that will just flat reject posts from certain users or even domains.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

5312. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: M Johnson <silversq@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374D89A1.C95A5AA7@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141418

W1PEV wrote:

>
>
> No, what Im saying is that the ratio of childish bickering on the NG perfect
> matches the ratio of immature behavior "on the air".

This group seems to be about 90% noise from the trash ops. The "on the air"
trash is limited to only a couple of frequencies on one mode. It is much better
on the air.

I am concerned that newcomers to the hobby will be put off by what they read
here and never really get a chance to see what the hobby can offer.

73
Mark
AB0HJ

5313. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ik1jr$r82@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141419

George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>
>Part 97.1 is the business of this NG. That the

As usual, you're wrong. The NG rec.radio.amateur.policy was created to
discuss regulatory issues.

Jeff KH6O
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Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5314. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ik26k$rk4@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141420

Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote:

>Not really a need to post a list of the spec groups.
>Just glance at the cross posted addresses in the
>spew. It seems that those with the least to say
>find it necessary to say it to the most groups.

Ah, but it is necessary. Many folks are using newsreaders that don't
display the NGs in the header. Thus, they'll do a follow-up wrongly
believing that their post is only going to the NG they're currently
reading, not realizing they too have cross-posted to many groups.
73, Jeff KH6O
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Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5315. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ik2bg$mm0@dfw-ixnews6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141421
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <7ijh1m$tq4$1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
writes:

>As for Conduit, I am really not all that happy with him, either. I
butted
>heads with him a while back. And I would STILL not advise people to
send off
>their hard - earned money to some "official legal defense fund", Which
may
>or may not be legitimate. Like I said, if they want to help Bill, then
they
>should not wait until Bill goes under.

Listen up Butt-futt

It was not I who suggested what
you claim I did propose. No wonder
you butt-futted with me ago. You
cannot read well. I never advised
sending money. I suggested that we
listen to bill by not...not yet. I
would, but he asked me not to. Not
now.

IF it looks like bill will need help,
then it will happen. I am sure Bill
will keep us updated and when that
time is about to come, then we can
help him out.

get your facts right before you'
peep off implying I said when I
never said what you claim I said
when I was not saying it.

bill conduit
with an attitude

>>
>> ZW: While I agree wholeheartedly about this, Bill Conduit has made
an
>> excellent suggestion: Twit-filter John and act as though he never
existed.
>> As long as people like us try in vain to get him to see the err of
his

>ways,
>> he will still be here clogging up the group with his nonsense.
>>
>> I for one, am sick of trying to educate John. Now I simply ignore
him. We
>> all should. It will work, if we all do it together....
>>
>> -Phil
>>
>> -=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
>> -=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-
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5316. Re: Mackey lies AGAIN! was: Blake lies AGAIN! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ik2hc$c9g@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141422
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <375176d7.4740985@enews.newsguy.com> you@need.help (Macaroon)
writes:
>
>On Thu, 27 May 1999 09:15:16 GMT, jmackey@parg.org wrote:
>
>>Blake, you are a liar AGAIN.
>
>And you are a liar STILL. Always have been, always will be.
Predictability
>is your only strong point, FOOL!!
>
>
Hey YOU....

say, it would be very
nice if you would get
on with the rest of us who
have an answer to this situation.

quit answering the idiot.

bill conduit
etc.

5317. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <6C7F0D9184EB0732.118B1DBAF0684229.DB9B874A9E9EC917@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141423

Radiosigs wrote:
> And God said to the Hebrew people,"I will bless those
> who blesseth thee and curse those who curseth thee."
> All anti-Semites will perish. Doc,AF2Y

No, I am a Christian, and I can never perish. I am anti-Zionist as is God. I support the cause of the Semitic Palestinians, the rightful owners of Palestine. Since I am Israel, the blessing is to me, not the Jews.

According to you, when Jesus Christ refered to the Jews as being of their spiritual father the Devil, this earned God His own everlasting damnation?

Now, please address the issue of genocide carried out against Christians inside an amateur radio station at Mount Carmel Center, Waco, Texas, as described at the website below.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5318. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <53E751A264146A27.31A374CAC89D4BC2.455D6AC846A78399@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141424

Radiosigs wrote:
> Sieg your ass,Zimmerlee and to hell with you and the rest
> of your subversive goosesteppers. Doc,AF2Y

The subversive gooseteppers are the ones working for
the ATF and FBI, who take their orders from Fieldmarshall
Von Klinton.

Now that you have shown your contempt for anyone other
than yourself, please address the points pertaining
to the willfull murder of Christians by the FCC-FBI
within an amateur radio station at Mount Carmel Center.
That is the point of this thread. It seems to be
lost on you. Educate yourself at the website below,
then try to refute any part of it. Don't just make
idiotic comments or engage in name calling. Address
the issue or show yourself to be a fool.
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5319. Re: Mackey lies AGAIN! was: Blake lies AGAIN! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7ik3i3$76m$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141425
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote in message <7ik2hc$c9g@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>...
> Hey YOU....
>
> say, it would be very
> nice if you would get
> on with the rest of us who
> have an answer to this situation.
>
> quit answering the idiot.
>

Has anyone happened to notice the little "inconsistancies" that Blake posted about John recently? John asked for proof that he was a liar, and got it in spades. I think John won't be back for a while - too busy wiping the egg off of his face. Worth a read if you haven't already.

If nothing more, it proves that John is here strictly for the attention, and Mr. Conduit is right on the money in how to deal with him.

-Phil

-=Anti Spam Measure In Effect=-
-=Remove the word "scanner" to reply=-

5320. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: gniephaus@cityweb.de
Message-ID: <374d9258.11596094@news.cityweb.de>
Source record: 141426
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 27 May 1999 10:38:55 -0400, "MOstrowski"
<M_Ostrowski@yahoo.com> wrote:

>I'd like to hear from anyone who has written digital signal decoding
>software using sound cards.
>
>I'm currently searching for information relating to decoding digital signals
>(CW, RTTY, AMTOR,
>CLOVER, PSK31, etc) using a sound card. I've used several of such software
>packages currently
>available for download and I like to try my hand a writing something
>similar. I have many years
>experience professionally programming both DOS and Windows applications
>using C/C++/MFC,
>but have never had need to interface to a sound card until now. I'd like
>this application to be
>Windows 95/98 based but I've heard rumors that directly accessing the sound
>card interface is
>difficult, if not impossible, under that OS.
>
>Any tips you can pass along that can get me started will be greatly
>appreciated; also any info
>on books/articles/websites/source code/libs you've found helpful.
>
>Michael Ostrowski - KI8IK
>Saline, MI
>
>KI8IK@yahoo.com
>
>

Michael,
you can find at least one very usefull source code example
demonstrating sound card programming under MS Windows on creative labs
(soundblaster) ftp server:
ftp://ftp.creaf.com/pub/creative/devinfo
The file I used is
fullduplex.exe
I used this example as a starting point for my DSP programming under
Windows NT using Visual C++ 5.0.

Good luck!

Gerd Niephaus

5321. Re: wanted a trip to the bus station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: smurf69 <smurf69@aol.com>
Message-ID: <Sog33.1148$Ia.17867@c01read02-admin.service.talkway.com>
Source record: 141427

On Thu, 27 May 1999 14:20:46 GMT rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
> Sammy Seagull AKA "Bus station Bobby"
>
> I can tell by your ramblings you are a incorigible pervert. So, I will
> stop advising you. You should have long sessions with a shrink. You have
> many problems, mental and physical. I can not make any sense out of your
> postings. Just rantings about some "George" whoever he is. I can only
> wish you luck with the path you have selected to go down. Just be
> careful in the bus stations and public places you frequent. You know the
> last time you had a little problem with the officers. I will terminate
> these contacts with you by saying it is very sad case. I don't think
> you get much help from your xyl as I myself have heard some of her
> pornographic remarks 0n twenty meters. Good luck and good bye.
>
> Rileygotcha
>
>
>
Well, George, thank you for your kind wishes. I wish you well in the
future and do hope that you will strive for the happiness that is so
lacking from your life. It has been my pleasure to provide you with a
bit of guidance, and I do hope that it has been helpful to you.

I'm sorry that you choose to end this dialogue at this point. It has
been most entertaining, but I understand that you must do what you need
to do.

I'm glad that I have been able to be of some assistance. Rich assures
me that he is not interested in a relationship with you, as he and
Idene are very happy. He did say that he enjoyed the chocolates,
however. Sending them anonymously was a nice touch, though he was
aware that you sent them as he'd been following this thread.

George, I sincerely wish you the best in your future endeavors,
provided that they do not in anyway violate FCC Regulations or local
stalking ordinances.

Have a happy day!
Smurf69
--
Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5322. Re: 6 Mtr Military Radios- Calling Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Karl Beckman <csle87@email.mot.com>
Message-ID: <7ik33l$3on$1@schbbs.mot.com>
Source record: 141428

If you REALLY want to be authentic, you should be on 53.300, which was the
only frequency in the 6M band authorized for joint amateur and military use
back when those rigs were manufactured.

David Stinson wrote in message <3745B8B3.846C49DA@ix.netcom.com>...
>The Military Collector's Group mailing list,
>a major group of internet-connected military radio collectors,
>has settled on 6-meter calling frequencies for our
>green VHF military radios like the BC-620, BC-659,
>PRC-6, PRC-10, RT-70, RT-68 and others.
>
>51.0 MC FM General local use, in the tradition of 3885 KC.
> Re-enactment groups, field days, special events etc.
>
>51.6 MC FM DX calling frequency for military rigs.
> For the stout-hearted who want to work
> across the pond with their PRC-10.
>
>50.6 MC AM VHF mil rigs (there are a few) calling and secondary use.
>
>With the sunspots on the rise, I will be dedicating
>a scanner and antenna to guarding these frequencies in
>central Texas beginning this summer.
>
>Please relay this information as you see fit.
>
>73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
>arc5@ix.netcom.com

5323. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <FE58B00E94F416C3.586E3E7201AB02AB.905DE9231C67A86C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

> ONE CLASS of HAM LICENSE is enough!

Heck no it isn't.
I'm for completely dumping code but there should be at least
a division between VHF and HF classes.
BTW, did you know that if you don't know what you are doing with
ham transmitters, you can cause damage to your body?
There is a reason for the licenses, so you don't fry yourself, give yourself
brain tumors, etc.

5324. Re: An excerpt from Re: WB4AIO's XYL's interview- HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527170147.02277.00003324@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141430

<< Subject: An excerpt from Re: WB4AIO's XYL's interview- HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 5:24 PM
Message-id: <374D7FD4.21F76DD8@innocent.com>
Posting this nonsense says far more about the kind of person _you_ are, Mr. Anonymous, than it does about me.

It's from the website of the anti-American and anti-freedom Morris Dees, a creature of most peculiar sexual inclinations who has made a<<<<HEY STROM, BETTER WATCH WHAT YOU SAY ABOUT SEXUAL INCLINATIONS AND THE REST OF YOUR ROT. YOUR EX-WIFE MAY MAKE ANOTHER POSTING ABOUT WHAT A LOUSY LOVER YOU WERE. AFTER ALL SHE DID MENTION HOW YOU AND ERNST ZUNDEL AND WILLIAM PIERCE WERE IN BED TOGETHER! HEIL YOUR TUCHUS, YOU NAZI-LOVING LOWLIFE. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>> career out of abusing the legal process to defame and bankrupt patriots and freethinkers.

Virtually nothing in it is true.

In your case, you are merely a worm who, failing utterly to make your case with facts, resorts to personal attacks of the vilest kind, even descending to involving little children, none of whom is yet of elementary-school age, even _publishing their names_ in association with horrible and false accusations which may well incite the unstable to unspeakable acts.

In Dees' case, he is guilty not only of all the above, but also of abuse and exploitation of the mentally ill for his unhuman "cause."

What Dees doesn't tell you is that the poor, delusional, then-vindictive and now-exploited woman was, prior to the "interview," an inmate for two stretches in the local mental ward, in part for threatening to do things which resulted in her not only losing physical custody of the children, but in having only court-supervised visitation with them for an extended period.

I don't blame her for her psychological problems. I do blame the political vultures who quickly moved in to exploit her condition in a failed attempt to hurt my reputation (I mean, will anyone _actually believe_ that I scout out armories everywhere I go so I can "bomb Israel" and "rule the world"?).

Thank you for proving, in a far more dramatic and convincing manner than anything I could say, just exactly what kind of foul monster you are.

Vita brevis,

--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

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5325. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527170515.02277.00003332@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141431

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<< Subject: Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 4:34 PM
Message-id: <374D73FB.7F3@dirtball.com>

Doc are you a racest?
-- <<<IT'S SPELLED RACIST, YOU DOPE. BUY A DICTIONARY,>>>>>>>>

http://www.dirtball.com

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(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

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5326. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Siegfried Rambaum <siram@adore.lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.95.990527173538.17831B-100000@adore.lightlink.com>
Source record: 141432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 27 May 1999, Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote:

> ONE CLASS of HAM LICENSE is enough!

Huh ? Bacon comes in several classes, USDA A, USDA AA, etc.
So why not ham, too ?

5327. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: justin_and_deb@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ikhmi$dr0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141433

I know this is the wrong thing to say......but the idea of making up a call sign is very appealing. I'm happy talking on the SSB frequencies I just want to use the ham freq. for email. I have a pretty good understanding of the tech side (and enjoy learning more) I'm just pushed for time right now to do the CW. Would the base stations that I email to know if my call sign was bogus? I can easily deal with the CW once I'm cruising again, I'd just like to get the email going as soon as I get back to the boat.

In article <7ihp7s$55u@news.Hawaii.Edu>,
jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman) wrote:
> In article <7ihaqj$h3l$1@remarQ.com>, Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
wrote:
> >Is a license even necessary for use in international open waters?
Seems
> >to me you can, as master of a ship at sea, issue yourself any license
> >you see fit.
>
> Did you register your vessel to your own make-believe country?
>
> I'd like to hear the callsign you invent for your make-believe radio
> license. And once word gets out on the bands that your call is bogus,
> you'll be classified as a "pirate" and no one will talk to you (that's
> a matter of law -- we're forbidden from communicating with such
stations).
>
> As an Australian citizen, you're subject to Aussie radio laws (and
> international ITU regulations, too). Just apply for a high-seas
> radio license from your home country, and use the HF SSB marine
> bands for your traffic. Please remain off the hams bands unless you
> go about getting the proper license.
>
> Jeff
> --
> Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
> www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464
>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

5328. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <9D49E9DF4B178B6D.225983CECEAD0934.2CA36EA20B1B2F9C@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141434

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> As usual, you're wrong. The NG rec.radio.amateur.policy
> was created to discuss regulatory issues.

Jeff,
I see that you are still paralyzed by your inability to
make a coherent argument or accept correction. Therefore,
you very childishly cycle responses to other NGs through
the followup_to command. A mature adult would not have
this problem. Therefore, when we respond to you, we must
do so as we would to a very slow, brain-damaged, and
emotionally crippled child.

Little boy, you cannot understand that Part 97.405 is
a regulatory issue. As usual, little boy, you have never
been correct concerning anything. Since you cannot ever
grow up, you cannot perceive issues in a mature manner.
In the future, little boy, when you soil your pants in
the form of an incoherent argument, don't post it to
this NG.
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
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5329. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374DC314.49B2@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141435

Radiosigs wrote:
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> << Subject: Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE
> From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
> Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 4:34 PM
> Message-id: <374D73FB.7F3@dirtball.com>
>
> Doc are you a racest?
> -- <<<IT'S SPELLED RACIST, YOU DOPE. BUY A DICTIONARY,>>>>>>>>
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
> 97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.
>
> >>
So does this mean your are?
--

http://www.dirtball.com

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5330. TIME TO SPEAK UP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527182138.28127.00005700@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 141436

At long last, after years of game playing and political meandering, the Net Management has chosen to make a "statement". Isn't that remarkable? It was such a monumental event in mankind's development that their "statement" warranted the issuance of unsolicited e-mail notifications at the expense of Florida taxpayers. That should not surprise anyone. When "The Net" does anything at all, it is usually aimed at short-changing the public and getting something for nothing. Why wouldn't they continue their history of public chiseling by using a State of Florida public account to promote their extra-regulatory activities?

What a web they weave... when they practice to deceive! We are told that every word they say is backed up with tapes and letters testifying to the truth of the net's position. We are told that what we are receiving is not just opinion. It is "fact"! Well...where are these tapes? Where are these letters? Who generated them? Why aren't the net's sources being cited and why aren't these fictitious documents a part of the public record? Could it be that these so-called "facts" are nothing more than another sham presented by the net management in an attempt to maintain a death-grip on their membership?

We are told that "The Net" has no interest in suppressing anyone's opinion. If that is so... why does the net refuse to discuss the issues with the very people it claims it does not want to suppress? Why do net members continue to cause intentional and malicious interference at the behest of the net management? If the net does not want to suppress public opinion... why do net members appear in swarms every time the topic of net misconduct is approached? Jamming on behalf of the net.... Is that how "The Net" shows its commitment to the inclusion of everyone's point of view?

Free speech? "The Net" is not the least bit interested in free speech or the free exchange of ideas. "The Net" doesn't have time for free speech. It has to devote all of its time to more important pursuits... such as providing a pseudo-commercial telephone service for ill-equipped yachtsmen and make-believe missionaries. Now they even pretend that they had no role in the Jim Jones Guyana affair. History does not support that claim. History tells quite another story... a story of daily net involvement with illegitimate operators passing illegal traffic in and out of Jonestown. The net manager's brain washing and spin control has conveniently erased the net's memory. However, unfortunately for them, the B.A.R.F. still remembers. We remember it all.

How easy it to say, "There is no hate in my soul for anyone..." after the damage has been done. Words and biblical quotations come easy after the victim has been ground to dust. How easy it is to be benevolent after a vendetta has been waged to destroy a person... privately and publicly. "The Net" can take their cheap excuses and feigned innocence and put it back in their bottomless bag of lies and deceit. Net managers who want to be peacemakers? Just who are they? Which net managers? Where are they now? Why are they not ready and

willing to meet and work through this disagreement with the B.A.R.F.?

Why is the net management always so worried about who wants them to resign? Why is this card always being played? It is to gain sympathy... plain and simple. Of course, the B.A.R.F. feels that certain members of net management need to move on. These managers have misdirected "The Net" to the point where the net has become a detrimental influence within the Amateur Service. They have piloted "The Net" into foul waters and aground. They have made the vendetta with KV4FZ the net's prime business. They have misused the net's resources in order to wage war with our organization and our leadership.

The net management doesn't need to resign... it needs to be removed and publicly censured by its membership. But, conveniently, the net now claims it doesn't have a membership. If "The Net" doesn't have any membership... then to who is the net management responsible and accountable? Ponder that for a while, net "non" members! Has your net management become a "law unto itself"... accountable to no one but themselves?

The net czarina claims that she has hatred in her heart for no one? Then why is it necessary to slander and belittle the deceased members of our organization? Does the net really want to discuss "easy targets"? What then could be easier than to attack amateurs who have gone to their final resting-place? And what could be more cowardly? The twisted minds of the net managers are so filled with hatred and bitterness that they cannot even allow the dead to rest in peace. They want to blame their own shenanigans on these defenseless hams that are no longer around to state their case. But that is just fine. We have come to expect it. The B.A.R.F. stands by its fallen heroes... every one of them. And we stand by their deeds and their words.

Net members... will your management ever do the same for you? Or will they treat you like another N4PCK and pretend you never existed?

Why are all the crocodile tears now being shed over the net management's decision to use 14.300? No tears were shed when the B.A.R.F. was systematically, and with premeditation, deprived of a place to operate on 20 meters. The nets most conspicuous hired goon bragged, time and time again, that his sole purpose was to "deny access" to any B.A.R.F. member or activity. He and his thugs were brought upon the scene for that very purpose. These RF hooligans have stated, repeatedly, that what they do... they do on behalf of "The Net". Maybe the net membership should reconsider who they feel obligated to grace with "standing ovations" in Orlando. Or is "The Net" now prepared to disassociate itself with these radio terrorists? That will be the day! It is more likely that 1999 will see the rise of yet another hired hit-squad that is willing to carry out openly what the net witch plans in secret... in the smoke-filled back rooms of the net honchos.

Since when does a mythical "group of Mexican amateurs" have the right to hand out frequency allocations? And just who were these conveniently appearing do-gooders from "South of the Border"? Who died and left them in charge of 14.300?

Somebody had better give that reincarnation of Lucretia Borgia a clue. She and her henchmen do not have an obligation to "uphold the amateur profession." The amateur service is not a profession... not unless one is concerned, daily, with the operation and promotion of a pseudo-commercial telephone bypass cabal. The B.A.R.F. doesn't need to read the Amateur's Code to know what is right... and what is wrong... for Amateur Radio. We have the FCC rules and regulations to guide us. Those rules clearly state that it is neither permissible to regularly solicit international or high-seas telephone patches nor is it permissible to set up a net operation whose sole purpose is to bypass the international common carriers.

When was the last time you heard an emergency preparedness exercise on "The Net"?

Whether or not the FCC chooses to enforce the letter of these regulations pertaining to phone patching is a moot point. Most of these regulatory federal agencies now exist for only one purpose. They are focused on justifying their own existence by becoming a cash resource generator for the Washington bureaucracy. They are laying the groundwork for the conversion of the amateur spectrum into a revenue producing cash cow. "The Net" is playing right into their hands by demonstrating, every day, the commercial possibilities of the HF frequencies. If the nets can operate a pseudo-phone company on 14.300... why can't a real business pay to operate there and be taxed by the politicians? Now, perhaps, the amateur world can see and understand why the FCC adheres to a "hands-off" policy when it comes to the nets. It should be very clear why a dissident voice emanating from the Virgin Islands poses such a threat to both "The Net" and their stooges in Washington.

Fellow hams... where do you stand on this crucial issue? The B.A.R.F. wants to know your opinion on the continuing misuse of amateur spectrum by the pseudo-commercial "service" nets. Just click on the E-mail address provided at the bottom of this page. We are not afraid of free, open and robust discussion of these issues. We welcome healthy, constructive criticism. We are not "The Net".

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http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5331. York Metal Enclosures, know anything about them?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: old_computers@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <7ikk1u$fg8$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141437

Hi,

I trying to find if the company that made enclosures under the name York or York metal works or something similar still exists. These enclosures were commonly used in the 70's for electronic projects. I am trying to restore several pieces of equipment that uses them. They are green color, marble type texture to them, about 18x10x10 inches (although they came in many different sizes). If you could even tell me what the exact name of the company is that would be great.

thanks for any help
steve

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5332. Some Letters....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527182433.28127.00005705@ng-fu1.aol.com>
Source record: 141438

The B.A.R.F has received some very interesting E-mail during the past week. In the interest of fair play and openness, the following communications will be discussed:

From Upstate New York:ï¿½

Question: "Why isn't the B.A.R.F. Home Page dedicated strictly to Ham Radio? Why do I have to read all this political stuff on a Ham Radio Page?"

Answer: The B.A.R.F. (unlike most Amateur Radio organizations) does not focus solely upon radio issues. We are both a radio club and a political action forum. The B.A.R.F. has always promoted the free, open and robust discussion of important and controversial issues. The B.A.R.F. Web Page not only follows in that tradition, but presents personal insights from members and supporters with "first hand" information on topics of special interest.

From Floridaï¿½

Question: "I don't understand the BARF emblem. What do the symbols mean?"

Answer: That is a very good question. The B.A.R.F. emblem has adopted the traditional diamond shape that is used by almost all radio organizations worldwide. The stylized antenna (at the top) is also the symbol of human life and mankind's dependence upon a Higher Power. Think of it as a solitary human with arms raised towards heaven. It also symbolizes human potential and destiny. You might recognize this universal icon from a very popular charitable organization that tries to unite various agencies in a single yearly fund drive. The Celtic Cross (in the middle) represents the crisscrossed paths that our lives must follow. Each of us must follow this "circuit" to reach our final spiritual goal and fulfill our potential. The circle represents the infinite nature of the soul and the superior power of the intellect over the animal instinct. Many churches are adorned with the Celtic Cross including nearly all Presbyterian and Reformed Churches and many Roman Catholic Churches. However, the B.A.R.F does not endorse any particular church or faith. Members are free to interpret the cross in terms of traditional European-American culture exclusive of any religious creed or doctrine. The grounded lightning (bottom of emblem) illustrates the power of superior argument and rational thinking to effectively "ground" the lightning bolts hurled at the B.A.R.F. by our opponents. Time and time again, the enemies of the B.A.R.F. have tried their best to defeat The Truth and silence our leadership. But the B.A.R.F. just keeps growing stronger and more resolute. The B.A.R.F. membership displays our emblem with pride, demanding (and enforcing when necessary) that all who might encounter our emblem pay it due and proper respect. Hail the Barf Emblem and all those who wear and display it!

From Indianaï¿½

Question: "What does this have to do with the present sorry state of affairs on both 20 meters and 75 meters? I am tired of the foul language, character attacks and deliberate interference!"

Answer: The B.A.R.F. is tired of it, too. But, in order to understand why this is all happening, one must have an historical perspective. The same gang of thugs who were recruited in 1990, to fight the B.A.R.F., is now perpetrating most of the rude behavior and offensive language that you have heard on the air. These glory-seekers sought to intimidate the B.A.R.F. and suppress its vital message concerning the illegal operations of the so-called "service" nets on 20 meters. Their program of intimidation and bullying has never ceased. It has been carried on, back and forth between 20 meters and 75 meters, for nearly eight years. It was not the B.A.R.F who came to 75 meters to recruit these radio hooligans. It was the "service" nets. They needed hired goons to carry out their agenda and they found willing accomplices in the ready pool of social degenerates and misfits on 75 meters. However, the present turmoil on 75 meters (especially 3894.5 and 3901) is also rooted in "hurt feelings" and the rejection of former friendships. Unfortunately, there is a personal side to this controversy and that story will probably never be told in its fullness. The B.A.R.F will never take action or make statements that might further endanger the future of innocent young children.

Perhaps the most significant event in escalating the "war" on 75 meters was the decision, by a former friend, to ostensibly leave the 3894.5 group on 75 meters. This former "regular", in the fall of 1993, felt daily pressure from the "service" nets, and his mentor in New Jersey, to disassociate himself from his 75 meter friends. This shadow lord in New Jersey convinced his gregarious, but shallow minded, follower that he had better "trump up" some excuse and leave 3894.5 or else. Or else what? Or else, he would no longer be in the good graces of "the nets" and sheltered under their supposed umbrella of protection at the FCC. At the same time, this fellow was fighting a very stiff Notice of Apparent Liability (the largest N.A.L ever issued to a radio amateur for malicious interference) and he did not dare risk losing the "pull" that the nets claimed to have in Washington. Was he being duped? In all fairness, it is hard to say. One fact is clear. He was never required to pay one cent of his N.A.L. even though there is no record that the FCC ever dismissed the action.

The worst was yet to follow. This same fellow's natural inclination towards mischief did not allow him to simply walk away from 3894.5 and find a new "home frequency". Instead, he bombarded 3894.5 nightly with foul pornographic tapes, the infamous "dirty box", "wind" generators, prerecorded tapes and every other known form of deliberate and intentional interference. This is not speculation. It is fact. His signal was logged and analyzed many times by the FCC and verified to be emanating from his station. One B.A.R.F member was even shown the map of FCC "hits" on this interfering station's location. There were so many FCC markers over this station's QTH that the entire west region of South Carolina was obliterated. Yet, for some unknown reason, the FCC refused to follow up on the evidence. Was it a lack of funds or adequate staff personnel that prevented the FCC from taking action? We seriously doubt it. Now, for nearly four years, the situation has changed very little. It has degenerated, for the most part, into "trench warfare". What you are hearing today on 3894.5 and 3901 is a direct result of the FCC's inaction on over $10,000 in

uncollected N.A.L's. The B.A.R.F invites our guests here to check with the FCC and determine if the N.A.L's were ever paid and if notï¿½ why?

From Virginiaï¿½

Question: "Why don't all the parties to this disagreement just sit down at the bargaining table and hash out this mess? Isn't this whole affair giving Ham Radio a 'black eye'?"

Answer: The B.A.R.F. has offered, on many occasions, to meet with the leadership of the opposition, the FCC, and the ARRL, in an attempt to reach some measure of accord. The so-called "service" nets refuse to discuss the matter. They would rather continue their hate campaign as a method of silencing the B.A.R.F. On 75 meters, every offer of discussion with the opposing faction has been met with comments like, "We don't talk to trashï¿½ we burn it!" Ask yourselfï¿½ what does a comment like that do to the possibility of peacefully negotiating a settlement? At some point, it becomes very difficult to discuss matters with a group that finds such joy in character assassination and personal attacks. Regardless, the B.A.R.F. remains open to any and all suggestions on how best to end the conflict. The B.A.R.F. seeks a just peace and an end to the daily insanity on 14.313 and 75 meters. Can the same be said of the nets and their followers? If so, let them propose a meeting time and place, with mutually agreed upon referees (such as the ARRL might provide), where discussions may begin. The B.A.R.F. will be thereï¿½ ready to talk and present our case. But the continued attempts to destroy the personal lives of our leadership must stop. The vendetta against KV4FZ must end. The B.A.R.F. agrees that this whole situation is, indeed, giving Ham Radio a "black eye". We are willing to explore any avenue that might resolve the conflict.

And finally, another from Florida:

Question: "Won't this fight stop when KV4FZ leaves the air?"

Answer: No. Although KV4FZ is very important to the cause, and truly loved and admired by all B.A.R.F members and supporters, the B.A.R.F will not be silenced if KV4FZ should lose his battle. A war is neither won on a single battlefield nor does a single general win it. The B.A.R.F. has an ample pool of leadership from which to draw qualified and articulate spokespersons. Should the nets be successful in temporarily silencing Herb, there will be a grass roots swell of support that will surpass the current B.A.R.F presence on the bands by tenfold. Good Americans will always step forward to uphold the underdog when his cause is just and true. Amateur Radio Operators are no exception to this rule. The telephone bypassing nets, along with their hired goons, and their stooges in Washington, will not manhandle the B.A.R.F. and bully us into submission. We will continue the fight until we are given a fair hearing and an appropriate forum to air our position and grievances.

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5333. kenwoord tr-751a question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Larry D. Clark" <buddycl@onramp.net>
Message-ID: <374DC8F1.B39D4AD0@onramp.net>
Source record: 141439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi

I purchased a kenwood tr-751a without a manual. I have ordered
a replacement manual but would like to know how to do a master
reset on the radio to put it back to the state it was in when it left
the factory. Can anyone tell me how?

tnx
larry
kd5foy
em12

5334. Re: BARF,"STUMP" & 3.950 MEMBERSHIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iklkagkt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141440

nazi here nazi there
there is a nazi behind my chair!
How in the world I would know!
I am demented AF2Y- Ho HO Ho
From the basket weaving class at the local loony bin

article <19990527125256.28059.00002349@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> Here's a list of names of elite who would have made wonderful
exemplary members
> of the BARF,StumpJumpers and the 3.950 assembly of lice.
> 1. Hermann Wilhelm Goering
> 2.Rudolf Hess
> 3.Joachim von Ribbentrop
> 4.Wilhelm Keitel
> 5.Ernst Kaltenbrunner
> 6.Alfred Rosenberg
> 7.Hans Frank
> 8.Wilhelm Frick
> 9.Julius Streicher
> 10.Walter Funk
> 11.Hjalmar Schacht
> 12.Karl Doenitz
> 13.Erich Raeder
> 14.Baldur von Schirach
> 15.Fritz Sauckel
> 16.Alfred Jodl
> 17.Franz von Papen
> 18.Arthur Seyss-Inquart
> 19.Albert Speer
> 20.Constantin von Neurath
> 21.Hans Fritzche
> 22. Heinrich Himmler
> 23. Josef Paul Goebbels
> 24. Adolf Hitler
> With the exception of numbers 22,23 & 24 who committed
"Selbstmord" as they
> say in German(suicide), the rest stood trial at Nuremberg for war
crimes,crimes
> against humanity etc.Ten died by "Tod durch den Strang" as they say in
> German(death by hanging), some got up to 20 years and two got
> "Lebenslaengliches Gefaengnis" as they say in German(life sentences)
and two
> were not guilty(nicht schuldig). However when we stop to consider what

the
> three rotten and bigoted ham radio groups signify,how can we not say
what
> wonderful members the 24 would have been? Doc,AF2Y
>

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5335. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ikhra$9mo@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141441

George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>George Zimmersomthing wrote:

>>>Part 97 is the business of this NG.

>> As usual, you're wrong. The NG rec.radio.amateur.policy
>> was created to discuss regulatory issues.

> Little boy, you cannot understand that Part 97.405 is
>a regulatory issue.

And as I said above, regulatory topics belong on rec.radio.amateur.policy;
this is rec.radio.amateur.misc. You're reaching out to the wrong audience,
George. I can only deduce that you fear to post to the proper NG (.policy)
because your nutty deductions will be thrown back at you from the
regulatory experts that hang out on .policy.

>As usual, little boy, you have never
>been correct concerning anything. Since you cannot ever
>grow up, you cannot perceive issues in a mature manner.
>In the future, little boy, when you soil your pants in
>the form of an incoherent argument, don't post it to
>this NG.

You're a nut case, George. But 73 to you anyway.
Jeff KH6O
--
Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5336. Teacher resources, lesson plans, powerpoint presentations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mahar, Chris " <Z00433@apsc.com>
Message-ID: <7ikles$4c2@news.apsc.com>
Source record: 141442

I'm helping 4 homeschooled teenagers get ready for their no-code tech exam later in the summer.

I'm looking for teachers resources like lesson plans and powerpoint presentations on ham radio.

Any ideas?

5337. Re: Holiday operation in Thailand

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <374E0771.5A00@sgi.net>
Source record: 141443

Norm, why not try the State Dept. and or the ARRL.....

Norman Heggerty wrote:
>
> My wife and I are going to Thailand in July.
> Does anyone out there know the procedure
> for getting permission to operate from Thailand?
> I have tried the RSGB, but they have no information
> for reciprocal licences for Thailand.
> I would be grateful for any information.
>
> Regards,
>
> Norm, G0PTN
>
> norman@heggerty.freeserve.co.uk

5338. Compatible Mics with Mot. MT-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Pappy@sgi.net
Message-ID: <374E0802.5789@sgi.net>
Source record: 141444

Are the microphones for the MT-1000 and MT-2000 hand helds compatible?

5339. Re: diference!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gord Skiffington <skiffing@nbnet.nb.ca>
Message-ID: <374E0E0C.5D22@nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 141445
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Amateur Radio is indeed for a very different purpose than the Maritime Mobile Radio Service (correct term). "Marine" has no connection whatsoever with the military unit with a similar name by the way. Yes, stations in the maritime mobile radio service require licensing for the equipment and, depending on the country, require operator's certificates for the user for SOME classification of vessels (recommended that everyone using "Marine" radio equipment have at least a restricted radio operators certificate....even if not required). The reason behind it being a GOOD thing to have the operators certificate (which becomes mandatory and of higher grade for larger vessels) is that the training shows you HOW to best use your marine gear and HOW NOT to abuse the system - you'll come to appreciate this big time!). The only similarity between Amateur Radio and Marine radio services is that they both may use equipment sharing similar (not the same) frequencies and modes.

Make no mistake....Amateur Radio is a hobby....Marine (Maritime Mobile Radio Service) is serious business....whose intent is foremost to provide distress/urgency/safety services in a predictable and efficient manner....with the SECONDARY use to facilitate business related to maritime mobile operations (ships traffic, phone patches, messaging via many means). Marine radio is not for frivoulous pastime!

73 - Gord VE1AJF

5340. Re: Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton Lies Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <374DE8DE.A4761D7E@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Do you have any idea how silly this all is? Toy cry-baby politics, and
insulting too, to those of us who lost family members to the Nazis.

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> I don't know who makes me want to vomit on them more, the Kaiser, ARRL
> Puppetmaster K1ZZ or the FCC WTB (or the losers who keep working what
> few Yugoslobs are QRV)
>
> Klinton Ready To Consider Kosovo Land War -Paper
>
> LONDON (Reuters) - Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton is ready to BLAH BLAH BLAH <snip>

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Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5341. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Fine" <fineware@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7iksor$o5o$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 141447
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

George hit the nail on the proverbial head. The problem with signal processing in real time is that you need a real-time processor. Unless your eating all of the processing time this can't be done reliably in Win9x.

The second problem is that Win9x does not let you talk to the card at the hardware level, as well as to the DMA. You would need to do that to effectively perform near real-time capture and hold processes of any sound frames you're trying to deal with. Best bet there is to write a 16-bit dll, which will allow you to do these things.

73,

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[* Remington, Virginia 22734-2032 * USA * 3834N 07751W *]
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[* Smart Lowe Ctrl * Smart Kenwood Ctrl * Smart NRD Ctrl *]
[*SWBC Interval Signals * Smart Audio Control * TTY Reader*]

George Privalov <george_privalov@msn.com> wrote in message
news:eBodQzFq#GA.213@cpmsnbbsa05...
>
> Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote in message
> <5417119C35ACE747.297F3196266D03AE.8A9B850D2FF2B9FE@library-proxy.airnews.ne
> t>...
> :The problem with programs that use soundcards that decode radio info can't
> be built around visual basic
> :as VB is so damned slow.
>
> Actually VB 6 is not that slow. Problem is in lack of support for
> Multi-threading and callbacks that are required to fully exploit the
> potential of mmsystem.dll API.
>
>
> :Thus, soundcard decoder programs require the knowledge of real programmers
> (C++) which explains why they are so
> :damned buggy, due to Windows needing thousands of lines of C++ code just to
> initialise a stupid program (being
> :sarcastic but you C++ Windows programmers know exactly what I mean).
>
> Well, It's not that bad. But there is function of complexity of
> implementation vs. size of the project. For VB it grows steeper
> but VB starts at 0 value. C++ starts at some positive number (since you
> will need bunch of to put "Hello World" on the screen") but grows slower

> with size of the project. To make story short: smaller projects are easier
> to do at VB while large ones on C++.
>
> George
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5342. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hank <hank@ezonline.com>
Message-ID: <7il0nt$gh5$1@news3.microserve.net>
Source record: 141448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

The ConQueror wrote in message <37499f78@news.internext.fr>...
>Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?
>
>Thanks
>Dan

Uh...not to quibble but, "scanners" are...uh...scanning RECIEVERS. I suppose it would be sorta feasable to boost the local oscilator power up somewhat, and sorta use it as a transmitter that way, but I don't know why you'd wanna do that.

Don't wanna sound snippy, but I think I misunderstood your question.

Thanks, people.

CIAO!

5343. Re: Amateur Radio Discussion Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tomas Hood - NW7US <nw7us@hfradio.org>
Message-ID: <374E17B0.EEF50C89@hfradio.org>
Source record: 141449

I "QSY'd" on over... :) I love your use of the Q for linking your page... :)

Harold Kost wrote:
>
> Amateur Radio Discussion Board
> http://www.k1hk.org/bb.html

--
please visit http://www.hfradio.org - create online equidistant,
azimuth maps, check propagation, read dx news, and more.
World-Wide Communications via Amateur Radio : 122.32W : 47.61N :
10x56526 : CW/SSB - DX hunter : Seattle
==
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5344. WTB: Micor Channel Elements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "S.M.A.R.C." <N7RCM@POBOX.COM>
Message-ID: <7ilc4e$iu3@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for some Micor Base Repeater channel elements in the 460-470 range.

The mobile micor ones will not work.

Thanks, Juan

5345. Re: Sound Blaster Multimode for Windows?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kenneth Williams <gw3tmh@gb7abc.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7ilhqa$d1l$3@news7.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 141451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well you could make that dream come true...

Just write the program yourself...

Ps can I have a copy...

Ken

Louis Sica <lsica@visi.com> wrote in message
news:374961C1.E3B7DAB6@visi.com...
> Here's my dream. Does this even exist?
>
> A program that works through Windows (*not* just one in a DOS box) that
> uses *any* sound card in Windows (*not* just one that uses SPECIFIC
> hardware calls to a CERTAIN type of sound card only) that will receive
> *and* transmit CW, and various digital modes (RTTY, ASCII, TOR, PSK,
> etc) *without* relying on external hardware.
>
> Am I dreaming? Does ANYONE have such a thing?
>
>

5346. An excerpt from WB4AIO's XYL's interview - HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905262320.BAA22712@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The XYL of WB4AIO was interviewed by "The Intelligience Report."
Here is a little of what she had to say. The subject was the OKC
bombing on April 19, 1995.

Excerpt:

Kevin told me that the bombing was a good thing, because it was
a government building and that government employees had been
killed. It was a part of the revolution. I called my brother and my
brother said, "Yeah, well what about all those kids that were
killed?" Kevin said to me, "Well, if there were children killed,
they must have been the children of government employees and it
will teach them all a lesson." This was retribution for what
happened in Waco.

End excerpt.

Again, I hope Mr. Hollingsworth or some of his professional
associates contact WB4AIO to discuss the above.

The entire interview can be found at:

http://www.splcenter.org/intelligenceproject/ip-4i4.html

5347. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: agenthardlypowerful@my-dejanews.com
Message-ID: <7ii3oa$lr1$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3749F0DB.3613F3F2@purdue.edu>,
Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu> wrote:
> > >
> > > On Wed, 12 May 1999 06:12:29 GMT, "robinson"
<rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
> > > >I'm sure as hell glad we don't equip our
troops with these so-called
> > > >"assault weapons". You couldn't assault a
well defended outhouse with them
> > > >if faced with selective-fire equipped
defenders.
> > >
> > > No fair confusing the liberals with facts.
:-)
> > >
> > > However, spray and pray weapons aren't
always your best bet,
> > > unless you have the ammo resupply contract.
We managed quite
> > > well with semiauto M1s in WWII. One good hit
is worth a thousand
> > > misses, and puts much less strain on the
logistics tail.
> >
> > This is the biggest problem our troops face.
They are not trained to
> > shoot past 200 yards. Anything beyond 300
meters is
> > in atrillery range or can be "dialed in" with
their sights on their
> > M16A2 sights.
> >
> > The only troops that train to shoot are the
combat arms branches
> > and they don't shoot live ammo that much.
Support troops may never touch
> > a rifle after basic training and guess who's
getting sent to the
> > hotspots with their field kitchens, trucks and
typewriters? The guys who
> > aren't getting small arms training!
> >
> > I don't care what caliber they shoot, they

gotta' hit their target.
> > BRING BACK THE KD RANGES!
> >
> > Jon N0OFG
>
> You folks are clueless. Use train with the
M16A2, otherwise known as
> THE assualt rifle. Our qualification targets
are out to 400 metres.
> No one, except the Marines (and means their
cooks as well), does
> extenive
> firearms training. Most of us shoot once a year
in order to qualify.
> This
> means we get 40 rounds plus 9 to zero the rifle.
>
> The focus is to use aimed fire (one round at a
time). The A2 has only a
> three round burst which is to used only at night
(better chance of
> getting
> a piece of the opposing force). The SAW (M249)
is used as the only
> squad
> level automatic rifle. The M60 is for company
level and higher.
>
>
Greg Dean
>
SSG MI
>
N9NWO/AAV5ZO
>
> > >
> > > Besides, single shot weapons are often the
infantryman's best tool
> > > against a defended outhouse. A M79 or a LAW
takes care of the
> > > problem without a bunch of fuss and bother.
Unless, of course, you
> > > are assaulting the outhouse so you can use
it. Then a pipsqueak
> > > caliber select fire weapon might be handy.
> > >
> > > Gary
> > > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to
ke4zv@bellsouth.net
>

> Gary, we don't use the M79 anymore. It was
replaced by the M204
> which mounts under the M16. We also have the Mk
19 which is an
> automatic gernade launcher. It shoots 800
rounds per minute out
> to 1200 metres. That is firepower! Used at
squad level and with
> the three man MP teams (one Mk 19, one M249 SAW,
one M16/M204 and
> one M16A2 plus each man has M9 pistol).
>

Hello all I've found this thread with dejanews and I hope I am not off topic, or intruding. I have a question regarding the A2 rear sight. When viewed from the top, are the A2 sights on standard issued M16's slightly rotated left? I am talking a couple of degrees due to the spring tension the rear sight assembly is under? I am asking this because on some Ar15's I have noticed this phenomenon, and apparently most say that a slight amount of left rotation of the rear sight assembly is normal. I was wondering if this is so in the military issued M16A2's as well. I am really curious about this so those of you in the armed forces please enlighten me.

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5348. Holiday operation in Thailand

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Norman Heggerty <norman@heggerty.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <7ii0c8$ek3$2@news8.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 141499

My wife and I are going to Thailand in July.
Does anyone out there know the procedure
for getting permission to operate from Thailand?
I have tried the RSGB, but they have no information
for reciprocal licences for Thailand.
I would be grateful for any information.

Regards,

Norm, G0PTN

norman@heggerty.freeserve.co.uk

5349. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526204815.01867.00000253@ng-ck1.aol.com>
Source record: 141500

>You just activated by dander MailfrmPA. Instead of cutting the
>unskilled op off short why not help that op to improve there skills?
>That's a good reason why people have lost interest in CW. Me in
>particular.

Did you ever HAVE any morse skills?

5350. FS: New DTMF Encoder & Decoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526210638.20820.00000765@ng-cp1.aol.com>
Source record: 141501

I got these 2 items that are new, bought in Oct 98 for $152.30. Never used.

NORCOMM NC 401 - DTMF Decoder
Pipo PP-2-16 DTMF Touch Tone Encoder
Both for $80.00 shipped INCONUS.
Thanks
Fran

5351. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ii69e$505@dfw-ixnews5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141502
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <7iht61nns1@garnet.mint.net> "Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com>
writes:
>

>CERTAIN. Bill has learned the truth of the old saying, that you find
out
>who your real friends are when you are down and out.
>And here is what I have to say on the matter. Bill needs your help,
and he
>needs it NOW, not 6 months or a year down the road, when some
"official
>defense fund" is set up. You want to help Bill ? Then send him the
help. You
>a friend of Bill`s ? Then do what you would want Bill to do if it was
YOU
>that was down and out.

bill asked me not to send anything
now...it may not come to court.
The feds are to come out to calif
and question him...if he has to go
back to NYC or WAshington, then
yes, we should send him what
we can...to get him and his
wife there: first class.

it's what happens after the meeting
with the feds that will determine
if they figure it out and realize
they don't have much of a case....

if so, then at least we know
the part Mackeral of Swine=Brine
had in this illegal arrest.

bill conduit
etc.

5352. Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton Lies Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7ii9mopqt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

I don't know who makes me want to vomit on them more, the Kaiser, ARRL Puppetmaster K1ZZ or the FCC WTB (or the losers who keep working what few Yugoslobs are QRV)

Klinton Ready To Consider Kosovo Land War -Paper

LONDON (Reuters) - Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton is ready to consider a full-scale Kosovo ground war against Serb forces,
sending up to 90,000 U.S. combat troops if no peace deal emerges within three weeks, Britain's Times newspaper
reported Thursday.

The newspaper, which led its front page with the story, quoted unidentified NATO sources for its information.

Although NATO was officially planning for a peace implementation force of only 50,000-60,000 troops, there
was a growing feeling in Washington and London that it must prepare for a much bigger operation involving
150,000-160,000 troops, the Times said.

``Mr. Clinton's dramatic conversion, after weeks of apparent reluctance to send in ground troops, has emerged in
the light of detailed briefings from General Wesley Clark, the Supreme Allied Commander, last week,'' it said.

The newspaper said a new sense of urgency had been injected into NATO's contingency planning because of a
warning from the military that a decision would have to be made by mid-June if the alliance was to contemplate a
ground offensive.

``The tight timetable is being dictated by the alliance's determination to start returning ethnic Albanian refugees to
their homes in Kosovo before the winter,'' the Times said.

It quoted the sources as saying that with Clinton committed to defeating Yugoslav President Slobodan Milosevic
one way or another, the United States would be expected to contribute more than half of the force.

The sources estimated the U.S. contribution could be about 90,000 troops who would be deployed from the
United States, not Germany.

``Britain and France would also be expected to play a major part,'' the Times said.

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5353. WWI, CW, the Telegraph and the Guns of August

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iia0k$pu0$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Don't get too comfy with your lack of emergency preparedness this summer folks, Kaiser Wilhelm and Czar Nicolas were exchanging telegraph messages signed "Willy" and "Nicky" until the night before World War I started.

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5354. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB2BA.8E7538FD@usa.net>
Source record: 141505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

YOU trying to educate ME!!! That is really FUNNY, YOU couldn't teach me anything!!!!

Phil Smalley wrote:

> I for one, am sick of trying to educate John. Now I simply

SNIP

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5355. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB33B.9C280328@usa.net>
Source record: 141506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Zombie Wolf wrote:

> I MOST
> CERTAINLY would not send anything to any "fund" set up by YOU, and that is

I never offered or attempted to set up a fund, I only suggested that SOMEONshould do it, but most were not interested in donating any money to assist him!

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5356. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB4F2.ACA4E31A@usa.net>
Source record: 141507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

No.

Blake Bowers wrote:

> So you admit it?

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5357. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB64C.E9EBA8DB@usa.net>
Source record: 141508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Macaroon wrote:

> How are you "involved" with the Cheek bust? Are you a Federal agent

Those issues are really none your business.

> It wouldn't be bad if you posted something on topic once in a blue moon, but
> you can't even do that.
>
> Prove me wrong if you don't think so by showing me a message where you posted
> on-topic anytime over the last 6 months. Provide a dejanews link (challenge
> #73 about to be failed by loony tune).

I DO post on topic. YOU have NEVER posted on topic on this NG!!!

See below for a example of a typical on-topic
post from me.

****

Subject: Re: Cable Question
Date: 1999/04/01
Author: jmackey <jmackey@usa.net>

Bud (the original) wrote:
Our resident electronics expert, John Mackey, has said in the past

> that after 2-3 years of exposure, the outside covering of coax will

> be too damaged to be useable.

Bud, thanks for the plug & support, but that is not exactly what I
said/Over time of exposure to UV, coax that is NOT UV resistant
(like RG-8, 8214, 9913, RG-58, etc) will become more & more
lossy resulting in permormance decreasing. RG-214 & RG-213 are
UV resistant coax. Se a qoute below from Rich Wells stating that
UV is an issue to be of concern, as I have been said in the past.

From: "Rich Wells, N2MCA" <n2mca@strongsignals.net>
Newsgroups: rec.radio.scanner
Subject: Re: Cable Question
Date: Mon, 29 Mar 1999 06:53:02 -0500
SNIP
inside the cable can degrade performance. If all connections are
properly sealed and it can stand up to UV, then you should be all
set for a while. Strong Signals,
Rich Wells N2MCA

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5358. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB6A6.98E5F5B6@usa.net>
Source record: 141509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

I never admitted any such thing.

BAYCITVIDGRP wrote:

> mention when he admitted
> to turning bill Cheek to the feds...

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5359. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB747.25836FDE@usa.net>
Source record: 141510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

FINE!!!

Give it your best. In the mean time myself & countless others will be complaining
to your ISP & newsguy.com!

(Remember what happened to your buddy Bill after I made his provider aware of his actions!!!)

Macaroon wrote:

>Either start posting on topic or be prepared to defend yourself with your
>online provider as the countless complaints will begin.

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5360. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB879.4837D679@usa.net>
Source record: 141511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Correct, we have YET to see an on-topic post from you EVER!!!

Macaroon wrote:

> Once again, off topic. What a surprise.

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5361. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CB8EE.885E2BFF@usa.net>
Source record: 141512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

No, I have never lied about my credentials.

"OO" stands for "Official Observer" & is a service recognized by the FCC to
assist them
with thier enforcement matters.

George Vetterle wrote:

> John, are you *sure* that's an "OO" and not a "00" (Double Zero)?
> You've been known to lie about your "credentials" in the past.

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5362. Re: Cheek-a-likes STILL causing trouble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@usa.net
Message-ID: <374CBB33.F057F08B@usa.net>
Source record: 141513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.john.mackey

yea, YOU for qouting an ENTIRE message that has already
been seen & read SEVERAL times!

gho wrote:

> Look who talking about wasting bandwidth.
>
> Mr. WireHead wrote:

SNIP

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5363. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: lpdavies@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7iicqi$nu4@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 141514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

: Is it possible to modify my lunchbox to transmit on Commercial

My first Benton Harbor Lunchbox
put out a nice signal on several
bands!

GL
--
Paul W2SYF/4 Ft Lauderdale
"Heisenberg may have slept here... "
Leslie Paul Davies
lpdavies@bc.seflin.org

5364. Re: An excerpt from WB4AIO's XYL's interview - HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526233455.23704.00005302@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141515

>Again, I hope Mr. Hollingsworth or some of his professional
>associates contact WB4AIO to discuss the above.
>

What does that article have to do with Mr. Hollingsworth? And please tell me
why Mr. H should be involved?

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5365. Re: B.A.R.F. Mail!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526234440.23697.00005600@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141516

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>new and exciting B.A.R.F. e-mail service. Members, supporters and friends
>are urged to visit the B.A.R.F. home page and sign up for B.A.R.F. mail. It
>takes less than five minutes to open your B.A.R.F. e-mail account. This
>account is totally free and you can access it anytime (24 hours a day - 7
>days a week) from any terminal - at home or away. This fantastic service is
>made available by the B.A.R.F. membership around the globe and our friends
>at ZZN. Visit the B.A.R.F. page at:
>
>http://www.angelfire.com/in/w9xn
>
>You can also visit the B.A.R.F. mail domain server at:
>
>http://barf.zzn.com
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>robust discussion of amateur radio's hottest topics. The forum is open to
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>discussions that are certain to develop. The B.A.R.F. Forum is a service of
>the Better Amateur Radio Federation and our friends at Delphi. Visit the
>B.A.R.F. Forum at:
>
>http://www.delphi.com/w9xn/start/
>
>Start your summer season off in style by participating in the services
>offered by the B.A.R.F. You'll be glad that you did!
>

Good Stuff!!!

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
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ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
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http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5366. Re: PAY ATTENTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: n0vfp@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990526234710.23697.00005602@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141517

Boy Doc, could you at least calm down, I don't want your blood presure to rise!!

><<<WHAT A PIECE OF DAMNING AND INCRIMINATING INFORMATION. THE BEST THING I'VE
>EVER SEEN ON THIS NET. NOW YOU CAN READILY UNDERSTAND WHY RILEY HOLLINGSWORTH
>IS QUITE CONCERNED WHETHER OR NOT THIS LIBERTY NET WHICH PREACHES ENSLAVEMENT
>TO ALL OF THOSE WHOM THEY CONSIDER NON-ARYAN, IS WORTHY OF RETAINING THEIR
>HATE FREQUENCY. THE ANSWER IS SIMPLE. CHECK OUT RAY FRANKLIN'S "HATE
>DIRECTORY'
>ON THE INTERNET. YOU'LL SEE KEVIN STROM'S NAME MENTIONED. YOU'LL SEE THE
>3.950
>GANG OF THUGS MENTIONED. REMEMBER..THE ONLY TIME A MAN'S LIBERTY IS TAKEN
>AWAY
>IS WHEN HE TAKES IT FOR GRANTED-WHEN HE DOES NOTHING TO COMBAT PIRATES OF
>LIBERTY. GET ON YOUR COMPUTER AND E-MAIL RILEY IF YOU BACK HIM vis a vis
>STROM
>AND HIS GOOSESTEPPING RATS. STAND UP FOR AMERICA. STAND UP FOR FREEDOM AND
>JUSTICE AND TOLERANCE AND THE DIGNITY OF ALL MEN! WE ARE ALL GOD'S CHILDREN
>AND
>THE ALMIGHTY CHOSE TO OFFER VARIOUS COLORS. NO ONE IS BETTER THAN ANYONE
>ELSE.
>WE SHOULD HELP ONE ANOTHER INSTEAD OF HARMING. JUDAISM IS THE PARENTS OF OUR
>WESTERN CIVILIZATION AND CHRISTIANITY THE OFFSPRING. PARENTS AND OFFSPRING
>ARE
>FAMILY, NOT ENEMIES. IF YOU'RE WHITE EXTREMIST AND YOU NEEDED BLOOD FROM A
>LIVING MAN OF COLOR OR AN ORGAN FROM A NEWLY DECEASED ONE, WOULD YOU RATHER
>REJECT THEM AND DIE? IF YOU'RE AN ANTI-SEMITE AND NEEDED BLOOD OR AN ORGAN
>TO
>SURVIVE,WOULD YOU REJECT THEM FROM A JEW? GET WITH THE PROGRAM, PEOPLE.
>REJECT
>RACISM,BIGOTRY AND INTOLERANCE AND YES, SEXUAL PREFERENCE DISCRIMINATION TOO.
>LET'S KEEP AMERICA STRONG AND VITAL AND A BEACON OF HOPE TO ALL OPPRESSED!
>RILEY CAN BE REACHED VIA RHOLLING@FCC.GOV AF2Y,DOC>>>>>>>

LLoyd Davies, N0VFP /4
Athens, Alabama
ATS 909, DX302, DX390 - TINYTENNA with Ramdom wire
ICOM 706 for 2m and 6m FM and SSB
WEB PAGES:
http://members.tripod.com/~N0VFP
http://www.erols.com/imageinn/dwm/

5367. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7iihqd$iev@sjx-ixn9.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

In <Og333.17074$pj7.103255@news2.giganews.com> "tcrpe"
<tcrpe@yahoo.com> writes:
>
>Make the 103.
>
>TR
>
>
>jmackey@usa.net wrote in message <374CB33B.9C280328@usa.net>...
>
><snipped idiocy>
>
>
every time you do this
you give his swine-ship
reason to continue....

quit encouraging him....

ignore him.

please

bill conduit
etc.

5368. Re: CW RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <374CC210.4364019A@parg.org>
Source record: 141519

Guess he couldn't appreciate your humor. I got quite a chuckle out of it when I read it.
Since I started this thread I will mention that in my non ham life I'm a windsurfing junkie. The sport of windsurfing has been on a steady decline for the last 5 or 6 years, and they don't have to know the code (ha). Few younger people are interested in paying the dues, it can take months or years to become good enough to enjoy the high wind sailing that is so popular in places like Hood River, OR. Instant gratification is what people want now. Maybe the CW haters will be satisfied if they publish all the CW questions and answers like they do for the theory! As long as the CW sub bands are preserved, it won't bother me if they eliminate the code.

Computers and the internet is what has taken the interest away from amateur radio. One problem is that many people get their license but never get on the air. They were so bored by all the dopes on 2 meters that they found something better to do.

MailfrmPA wrote:

> >You just activated by dander MailfrmPA. Instead of cutting the
> >unskilled op off short why not help that op to improve there skills?
> >That's a good reason why people have lost interest in CW. Me in
> >particular.
>
> Did you ever HAVE any morse skills?

5369. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: marc_k@walrus.com
Message-ID: <7iike9egj4@alice.walrus.com>
Source record: 141520
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Leslie Paul Davies (lpdavies@bc.seflin.org) wrote:
: : Is it possible to modify my lunchbox to transmit on Commercial

: My first Benton Harbor Lunchbox
: put out a nice signal on several
: bands!

At the SAME TIME TOO!

: GL
: --
: Paul W2SYF/4 Ft Lauderdale
: "Heisenberg may have slept here... "
: Leslie Paul Davies
: lpdavies@bc.seflin.org

5370. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bcolenso@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527013657.02754.00000730@ng-bd1.aol.com>
Source record: 141521

On 5/25/99 2:31 PM, Pappy@sgi.net wrote:

==========
Being frequency locked is like being out of gas on a desert highway.
==========

I have used this analogy here recently, follow me on this. If you were to take the driving distance from NYC to LA as the sum of frequencies that hams can use right now WITH OUT KNOWING ANY CW AT ALL, then learning CW (or droping it completely, as some people advocate) yield an extra one-half mile.

Bob
KD8WU

5371. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Message-ID: <7iir7e$55m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141522

In article <19990526170636.27769.00001572@ng-cs1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
> From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
> Date: Wed, May 26, 1999 8:41 PM
> Message-id:
> <811AA072B219A4B5.3ED0376BDD9B7F35.D7CD75C2BF992130@library proxy.airnews.net>
>
> Radiosigs wrote:
> > WHY DON'T YOU TAKE YOUR ULTRA-RIGHT WING ANTI-SEMITIC ANTI GOVERNMENT
> > GARBAGE AND STUFF IT? THERE ARE TOO MANY OF US WHO LOVE THIS COUNTRY TO STAND
> > IDLY BY AND WATCH YOU BESMIRCH OUR DEMOCRACY. Doc,AF2Y
>
> Why is it that no one but on one ever addresses the
> evidence that I present? Is it because they know that
> I am right, and squarely on point?
> <<The only point you have is that on top of your head.

>>>>>>>
> In contradistinction to the idiotic blather, I present
> the important information that shows how genocide<<Genocide is defined as the
> intentional destruction of an entire race of people. You're off base,
> screwball>>>>>

<snip>

Radiosigs seems to be trying to tell us that:

1)the "Jews" are a [Semite] race, and that

2) unnamed persons [Hitler and the Third Reich?] have tried to
exterminate this "race."

I congratulate Radiosigs. He has offered us subjects that are truly fit
for discussion on amateur radio. Why? Because freedom of speech
applies to amateur radio, and the subjects raised have caused an
emergency condition throughout society. On the other hand, Radiosig has
offered us erroneous information.

1) Hitler had no program of racial extermination of the "Jews." The
Germans felt that the "Jews" had taken over their country and wanted the
"Jews" out of their face. That's why Hitler shipped those in German-
occupied Europe to concentration camps in railway cars instead of
shooting them on the spot. Numbers were tattooed onto their arms and
they were used as prison-workers once they arrived at the camps.

Ever wonder why so many "Jews" survived the so-called holocaust? After all, the Germans were the most efficient people on the face of the earth. If the Germans wanted them all dead, how come so many survived?

Since World War II, a growing number of scholars and human rights activists have researched the so-called "Holocaust" of the "Jews" and have called it, among other things, "the hoax of the twentieth century."

One of the most famous of the holocaust revisionists is Ernst Zundel who lives in Toronto, Canada. The "Jews" have been going ballistic, trying to shut him (and the website that carries much of his research) down. They cooked up a charge and hauled him before the Canadian Human Rights Commission. When Zundel attempted to defend himself by saying he had uttered the truth about the so-called "holocaust," the "Jew"-controlled Canadian Human Rights Commission told him:

"TRUTH IS NO DEFENSE"

Think about it. The Jews wanted to ban truth from the courtroom when the holocaust was being discussed. Why? Kinda makes you think, yes?

In early March, 1999, the Federal court of Canada threw out this "truth is no defense" ruling. Yes, the "Jews" got whupped in court! They have been going NUTS ever since!

No wonder Mad Albright and the Zionists in the US have been going bananas with the bombing in Serbia. They gotta take out their frustrations on someone! And why not the Serbs? They're Christian, aren't they?

If you want to find out more about holocaust revisionism, go to:

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

and check out the revisionist links I have in that directory.

2) Radiosigs seems to be telling us "Jews" belong to the semitic race, because to oppose their political actions is "anti-semitic." Radiosigs is misleading us on this, too.

The vast majority of Jews we meet are NOT semites, but descendants of the Khazars, a people who spoke a Turkic language and who flourished in the Dark Ages around the area of the Caspian Sea near Russia. The Khazar Emperor was converted to Judaism in the 700s AD, and thus his subjects were converted, too. The descendants of *Khazars* (not semites) form European Jewry. And it is these European/Khazarian "Jews" who rule Israel. For more information, see "The Thirteenth Tribe" by Arthur Koestler, Random House, 1976. You can get a copy of Koestler's book at the bookstore of:

http://www.natvan.com/

Now why would the descendants of the Khazars be telling us they are descendants of the semites? Because they are liars. Lying about their lineage enables them to corral the sheeple (Christian Zionists) who

believe "God" wants the rest of mankind to be subjected to the old Biblical Hebrew master "race." They will quote you all kinds of Bible text to prove the point. Some sleight of tongue is required of course; switch "descendants of Hebrews" with "descents of Khazars" and call 'em all "Jews." The dumb goyim won't notice the difference . . .

Remember, "Jews," no matter what their ethnic background, have been brought up in Talmudic culture, and in that culture false swearing is sanctified.

"And he who desires that none of his vows made during the year shall be valid, let him stand at the beginning of the year and declare, 'Every vow which I may make in the future shall be null.' HIS VOWS ARE THEN INVALID, PROVIDING THAT HE REMEMBERS THIS AT THE TIME OF THE VOW. " (Caps in original.) A footnote describes the "Kol Nidre," a formal dispensation of vows prior to the Evening Service of the Day of Atonement. (Babylonia Talmud, Nedarim, 23a; pg. 68 of Soncino Press 1936 edition.)

None of this is meant unkindly. I just think the "Jews" should stop lying and manipulating others and become a little more laid back. They should confess and pay back the money they have stolen by running the holocaust scam. Then they should decide if they want to become Americans. If they do, they should renounce the Talmud and sign on to the Bill of Rights. If not, they should go to Israel to live among their own kind. "Live and let live" -- that seems fair, doesn't it?

[BTW, a friend reminded me last night that the Devil is called "The Prince of Lies." Sends a shiver up your back!]

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Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.

Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--

http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

"In an age of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act." George Orwell

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5372. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: bbowers@townsqr.com
Message-ID: <7iioc2$jk0$0@207.18.224.238>
Source record: 141523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On Thu, 27 May 1999 03:10:33 GMT, jmackey@usa.net wrote:

>No, I have never lied about my credentials.
>
Liar.

You stated that you "had more FCC licenses than you could count on one
hand." That was a lie.

5373. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iino8$qt7@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

<jmackey@usa.net> wrote:
>YOU trying to educate ME!!! That is really FUNNY, YOU couldn't teach me
>anything!!!!

That's called a learning disability. It's especially difficult to teach not to post off-topic articles to the amateur radio NGs. You're the one who started this thread, and for some odd reason, you included the ham groups. Why is that? Can you give a reasonable explanation?

We can teach gorillas to communicate using sign language, yet as you state above, we can't teach you anything.

Jeff KH6O

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Air-Raid / Civil Defense Outdoor Warning Siren:
www.cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem=108545464

5374. Kenwood TK-240 HOW TO PROGRAMM THIS RADIO ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: sixkiller@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iiu9e$836$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anyone knows how to programm this radio and how to connect programming
adaptor to radio ???

regards

fox

fox/mulder@usa.net

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Trustno1, do you ??

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5375. Re: Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton Lies Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7imegh$o8k$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141326
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <374DE8DE.A4761D7E@asu.uswest.net>,
wcw@asu.uswest.net wrote:
> Do you have any idea how silly this all is? Toy cry-baby politics, and
> insulting too, to those of us who lost family members to the Nazis.
>

Another one of you leftist soccer-mom hubbies who can do no wrong.

Don't you lecture me on Nazis, how many of your family members got killed in the well-organized slaughter known as D-day because the Anglo-Saxon sympathesizing racist U.S. government didn't have the balls to drop the atom bomb on Berlin.

It was "ready" in time for the Japanese though, hmmmmm ?

Now Klinton has ordered 9,000 Purple Hearts because we won't be using ground troops. He was warned by Russia. At the least such an occupation will destroy Weimar Russia's "democracy". Get ready.

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5376. Re: Chop shop in New York? (Part shop in New York?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7imfei$p4u$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141327

In article <7imao0$l9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
George Musser <georgejr@musser.com> wrote:
> Does anyone know of a good electronics parts store in New York City? I'm
> a (fairly) recent transplant and don't know my way around yet.
> Thanks,
> George Musser
> georgejr@musser.com

No, but I can put you in touch with Squiggy the Squeegee if you'd like,
in Flushing.

"Where's that big 'ol mf_luder?"
"I want to hear him TALK SHOP!"

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5377. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: pushjeep@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7imhdkqhr1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141328
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

IN THE SLAMMER THEY CALL HIM BUTT CHEEK ! ! AKA BEN DOVER. . . .

In article <7ijf66tjs1@garnet.mint.net>,
"Zombie Wolf" <zmbwf@somtel.com> wrote:
> But it didn`t keep you from claiming, over and over that i WAS Bill
Cheek,
> did it Wacky Mackey ?
>
> <jmackey@usa.net> wrote in message news:374B5F47.C133800D@usa.net...
> > Mike-
> >
> > I agree with you. I can't think of a single reason anyone would
want to
> > pretend they are Bill.
> >
> >
> > Mike Schriber wrote:
> >
> > > What the HELL is wrong with you people?
> > >
> > > I know Bill Cheek and most of you people most likely do not. Why
the
> > > hell would anyone want to pretend he's Bill? I think Bill has
> >
> > SNIP
> >
> > ----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network
==----------
> > http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your
Own
> >
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5378. HARASSED BY KC1ZQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528120427.02279.00003769@ng-cb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141329

What am I supposed to do, ladies and gents?. David Tolassi is threatening and harassing me and even Rich, WB2OTK. Should I report this to the ISP and AOL carriers or simply write it off as a prank or "machoism?" Please advise. Tnx.Doc,AF2Y

Will never in a million years say "sorry" to you, Doc. I exposed you for what you really are to that gentleman you were in QSO with.

I have been working on my Mustang and have BIG PLANS to drive down to Washington to speak with Mr. Hollingsworth first hand about what I think of you and OTK.

Come to think of it Doc, I might just keep on driving and pay a visit to the OTK castle....I will wear my running shoes just in case OTK goes nuts.

I don't know why you posted mr last email to you on deja vu?? This is between you and myself Doc & the whole world is not ready for your kind of terror emails sent to me.

KC1ZQ

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Do You Yahoo!?
Get your free @yahoo.com address at http://mail.yahoo.com

---------- Headers ----------
Return-Path: <kc1zq@yahoo.com>
Received: from rly-zc05.mx.aol.com (rly-zc05.mail.aol.com [172.31.33.5]) by air-zc02.mail.aol.com (v59.24) with SMTP; Fri, 28 May 1999 11:22:14 -0400
Received: from web1003.mail.yahoo.com (web1003.mail.yahoo.com [128.11.23.93]) by rly-zc05.mx.aol.com (8.8.8/8.8.5/AOL-4.0.0) with SMTP id LAA17211 for <radiosigs@aol.com>; Fri, 28 May 1999 11:22:11 -0400 (EDT)
Message-ID: <19990528152213.23456.rocketmail@web1003.mail.yahoo.com>
Received: from [209.180.6.218] by web1003.mail.yahoo.com; Fri, 28 May 1999 08:22:13 PDT
Date: Fri, 28 May 1999 08:22:13 -0700 (PDT)
From: David Tolassi <kc1zq@yahoo.com>
Subject: More Dr. Hate
To: radiosigs@aol.com
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

5379. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Privalov <george_privalov@msn.com>
Message-ID: <u24elSSq#GA.372@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 141330
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hamish Moffatt wrote in message <7iljdqdbe2@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>...
>In rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc Spunky The Waffle Iron
<spunky@nospam.org> wrote:
>
>And even then, "real time" is a bit of a joke. For example, the best
resolution
>and lowest timer interval you can get out of the high resolution timer is
1ms.
>

With PerformanceCounter API and high priority levels you can get better resolution and response. Win NT will be much better choice for time-critical applications. The reason for that is Win95 memory management is designed to better utilize physical memory at the expense of response time. For sound processing NT offers more then plenty real-timeness unless you want 44Khz resolution stereo (don't need that for SWLing).

Don't know much about Linux but am very curious about it.

5380. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7imfl9$6q3$1@bgtnsc03.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141331
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oris wrote in message <374EA70D.6260@dirtball.com>...
>I would have to agree that type acceptance of amateur radios is the
>beginning of the end for Ham Radio. This put a stop to allot of the
>strait from paper to the air homebrewing of equipment.

What? How does type acceptance for manufactures have anything to do with homebrewing.

>This also made it
>possible for the government to get more control over the amateur public
>as Intel is trying to do with the Pentium III chip.

What control does type acceptance have over the amateur public? In what way do you link making sure that commericially made amateur gear does not have spurious harmonics etc to serializing micoprocessor chips for identification?

>It also cost the
>government money to not only enforce type accepted equipment but also be
>sure that new equipment is type accepted. What a wast of money to see
>that CBers don't get amps.

Type acceptance is not designed to see that CB'er don't get amps, it's purpose goes far beyond that. I work for a Swiss company who has just sold some RF ID tag systems into the states, our equipment must be Type Accepted by the FCC, that is we transmit 5 watts on 2.4 GHz and we meet the spectral purity required along with a host of other things.

The thing is there are more amps out there
>then ever. Its the same thing as gun control. The government tries to
>control the flow of guns so what happens there are more guns then ever.
>If the FCC would adopt my band plan or something like it Type Acceptance
>wouldn't be nessacary.

I'm not sure you understand what Type Acceptance is.

5381. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7img6l$ol2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141332
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:

>> Ah, but it is necessary. Many folks are using newsreaders that don't
>> display the NGs in the header. Thus, they'll do a follow-up wrongly
>> believing that their post is only going to the NG they're currently
>> reading, not realizing they too have cross-posted to many groups.

>I didn't know that. Which readers don't display the destination?

Okay, Gang, everyone whose newsreader does NOT display what NGs you're posting to, please tell us what software you're using. Cecil (W6RCA), you go first, since you're the one who first alerted us that there is such a catagory of newsreaders.

Note that I've set the "followup-to" line to just .misc.

Jeff KH6O

5382. >>Need Help Buying a New HT<<

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Humberger <KB9TFH@MichianaToday.com>
Message-ID: <7imk16$3rq$1@ffx2nh5.news.uu.net>
Source record: 141333

Hello,
My name is Joe Humberger and i am a ham in South Bend Indiana, I am going to be buying a new HT but i was not to sure which model. I am thinking about the FT-50R, and The VX-5R However i am open to suggestions. I need a Radio that is easyly modified, LOUD AUDIO, and a Long Battery Life. I was hoping you could help me and all info provides would be appreciated.

73's and God Bless
Joe Humberger KB9TFH...

5383. We are not Nazis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: rileygotcha@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7imqr7$1mq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141334

We have one demented soul on here posting notes every day accusing most of this forum as being "NAZIS". This sick soul is AF2Y Charles Swartzbarg. "radiosigs" It is an insult to all of us who had brothers and relatives to die in world war two fighting against the Nazis, then have to put up with this nutcase.. We are not all Nazis or even close to it. What is the matter with this screwball? He needs to be kicked out of this news group. This is a amateur radio news group. Why don't he take his crazy talk to the crazy house where I believe he in fact belongs

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5384. FS Kenwood TS-440S-AT "MINT CONDITION" +Filters +PowerSupply +Speaker - For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: cosmic@nowhere.com
Message-ID: <3750dcbf.4811273@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141335

FS Kenwood TS-440S-AT "MINT CONDITION" +Filters +PowerSupply +Speaker

Kenwood TS-440S-AT
+PowerSupply
+Speaker
+ 2 Filters

~ Mint Condition
~ Single Owner
~ Low Use

Package includes the following:

TS-440S-AT - With Built-In Antenna Tuner
PS-50 - Kenwood Power Supply
SP-430 - Kenwood Matching Speaker
YK-88SN - Kenwood 1.8KHZ SSB Filter
YK-88C - Kenwood 500 HRZ CW Filter
SM-TS-440S - Kenwood Service Manual
OM-TS-440S - Kenwood Operating Manual
Receipts - All HRO original purchase receipts encluded.

This rig is in factory new condition. It
is complete as listed above and includes
all original Kenwood equipment boxes.
Soon after the purchase of the above rig,
It was replaced with a Kenwood TS-950D
resulting in very low usage.

If you are seriously interested in purchasing
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Email to: rf@atomicpage.com
Subject: Kenwood TS-440S-AT

Dick Fults - K6SX
1211 Maple Street
San Mateo, CA 94402

650-372-0716

73's

5385. Re: BARF,"STUMP" & 3.950 MEMBERSHIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528150031.03858.00005513@ng-cr1.aol.com>
Source record: 141336
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

<< Subject: Re: BARF,"STUMP" & 3.950 MEMBERSHIP
From: Oris
Date: Fri, May 28, 1999 2:14 PM
Message-id: <374EA4CD.4BF5@dirtball.com>

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> Here's a list of names of elite who would have made wonderful exemplary
members
> of the BARF,StumpJumpers and the 3.950 assembly of lice.
> 1. Hermann Wilhelm Goering
> 2.Rudolf Hess
> 3.Joachim von Ribbentrop
> 4.Wilhelm Keitel
> 5.Ernst Kaltenbrunner
> 6.Alfred Rosenberg
> 7.Hans Frank
> 8.Wilhelm Frick
> 9.Julius Streicher
> 10.Walter Funk
> 11.Hjalmar Schacht
> 12.Karl Doenitz
> 13.Erich Raeder
> 14.Baldur von Schirach
> 15.Fritz Sauckel
> 16.Alfred Jodl
> 17.Franz von Papen
> 18.Arthur Seyss-Inquart
> 19.Albert Speer
> 20.Constantin von Neurath
> 21.Hans Fritzche
> 22. Heinrich Himmler
> 23. Josef Paul Goebbels
> 24. Adolf Hitler
> With the exception of numbers 22,23 & 24 who committed "Selbstmord" as
they
> say in German(suicide), the rest stood trial at Nuremberg for war
crimes,crimes
> against humanity etc.Ten died by "Tod durch den Strang" as they say in
> German(death by hanging), some got up to 20 years and two got
> "Lebenslaengliches Gefaengnis" as they say in German(life sentences) and two
> were not guilty(nicht schuldig). However when we stop to consider what the
> three rotten and bigoted ham radio groups signify,how can we not say what

> wonderful members the 24 would have been? Doc,AF2Y
Doc
what is this nazi crap? Ever since you got in this newsgroup its Nazi this and Nazi that. This isn't a Nazi Newsgroup. This is a Amateur radio Newsgroup. Mind you that the misc mean pretty much anything its still doesn't give you the right to spout off about everyone being a Nazi! I'm of German desent and I'm starting to get a little offended. I have nothing against any creed and I sense that you are attacking anyone that is German. I would sujest that you take this crap you post about everyone being a Nazi somewhere else before people start to complain and you will be banded for spaming the newsgoup like your buddy porkbut. I think you should think about the new amateur radio operator that would see these negative posts about the amateur radio community being Nazi communists and so on. PLEASE Stop posting this trash
73 from Oris
-- <<>>>>>>

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5386. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7imq1r$2ms@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141337

W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net> wrote:
>
>No, what Im saying is that the ratio of childish bickering on the NG perfect
>matches the ratio of immature behavior "on the air".

A ratio is a measure comparing two like quantities, so I imagine your
ratios compare good posters to bad posters, and good QSOs to bad QSOs.

It's easy to monitor a single newsgroup to arrive at the first ratio, but
how on earth could you monitor every on-the-air QSO (all bands, all modes)
simultaneously 24 hours per day, to conclude that your second ratio
"perfect(ly) matches" the first?

I suggest that you go back to CW; the CW QSOs I've heard over the last 23
years have contained *very* little immature behavior; maybe we should
outlaw phone.

73, Jeff KH6O

5387. Re: Seeking buying advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: AB7RS <tglenn@imt.net>
Message-ID: <374EF0C9.54F9@imt.net>
Source record: 141338

KB9UPI wrote:
>
> I am thinking about purchasing a 2-meter radio, I would like some
> advice on what kind to get? (brand, etc) Or should I get an HT instead?
> Your input will be appreciated
>
> KB9UPI
> Wendie
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

Hi Wendy,I live 200' from a commercial broadcast tower and when I
purchased my first 2-meter rig a radio shack HTX212 I found that it
would not even function in that high RF environment.
I tried a lot of radios and very few work well in this situation.Some
of the worst are the Icom IC2000H,IC2100,IC281H,radio shack
HTX212,HTX242.
I asked the folks at Hahe radio outlet what would work and they said
in a tough case like this that the Yaesu FT2500M was the best bet.Mine
worked so well that I bought another.They are currently about $199.
You may not always be in a high RF environment,but we all drive thru
them and it sure is nice to have a radio that you can set the squelch so
you don't miss your friends and still not have the thing making strange
noises all the time because of inter mod and desense.
Handhelds will be worse than mobiles as a general rule(unless you use
only the rubber duck). Tracy

5388. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <5E0FF280426E4F99.6B5D4C573265E4DE.8E96AED9E16FBF58@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141339

chetlyle@bigfoot.com wrote:

Responding to anti-American, anti-Christian harangue
by radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs):

> By the evidence of your own statement, I guess the Hebrew people must
> have been antisemites, because they "perished" ages ago; i.e., they
> mostly disappeared through intermarriage and assimilation with other
> tribes and races.

Also Titus destroyed all of the records of the Jews in
70 AD. No one knows that they are Jewish for a fact.
I only know that I am Israel by adoption, which shows
a greater love on God's part. In addition, God is not
a respector of persons. Jews are not special, but need
salvation as much as goys (hebrew for the non-Jewish
livestock property of the Jews).

Thanks for the comments. All should keep in mind that this
discussion is important to amateur radio because America's
Holocaust was carried out in an amateur radio station. This
should make the station at Mount Carmel Center equal to
Dachau, Bergen-Belsen, or Auschwitz.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

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Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5389. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374EEDBD.5854@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141340
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Timothy Hynde wrote:
>
> Oris wrote in message <374EA70D.6260@dirtball.com>...
> >I would have to agree that type acceptance of amateur radios is the
> >beginning of the end for Ham Radio. This put a stop to allot of the
> >strait from paper to the air homebrewing of equipment.
>
> What? How does type acceptance for manufactures have anything to do with
> homebrewing.
>
> >This also made it
> >possible for the government to get more control over the amateur public
> >as Intel is trying to do with the Pentium III chip.
>
> What control does type acceptance have over the amateur public? In what way
> do you link making sure that commericially made amateur gear does not have
> spurious harmonics etc to serializing micoprocessor chips for
> identification?
>
> >It also cost the
> >government money to not only enforce type accepted equipment but also be
> >sure that new equipment is type accepted. What a wast of money to see
> >that CBers don't get amps.
>
> Type acceptance is not designed to see that CB'er don't get amps, it's
> purpose goes far beyond that. I work for a Swiss company who has just sold
> some RF ID tag systems into the states, our equipment must be Type Accepted
> by the FCC, that is we transmit 5 watts on 2.4 GHz and we meet the spectral
> purity required along with a host of other things.
>
> The thing is there are more amps out there
> >then ever. Its the same thing as gun control. The government tries to
> >control the flow of guns so what happens there are more guns then ever.
> >If the FCC would adopt my band plan or something like it Type Acceptance
> >wouldn't be nessacary.
>
> I'm not sure you understand what Type Acceptance is.
Well I maybe I'm wrong. I thought type acceptance was basicly a set of
values that the FCC put on CB equipment. Its like I can't build a MRF
455 amplifier without the proper filtering. Nor can I sell it to a non
ham if the amp is to work between 25 and 30 MHz in the United States.
Part 97 also says I can only build one a year if the amp is going to
operate between 25 and 30 MHz. That is what I thought type acceptance

ment to the amateur community. The FCC had all ready set standards for bandwidth for speicific emission types and the FCC had all ready set standards for power output and harmonic suppression. I allways assocated type acceptance to commercail equipment. These rules values where all out before I heard the expression type acceptance. I never heard the term type acceptance until CB radio. I also thought that the reason for type acceptance there was because people didn't understand radio. So they came up with type accepted radio to asure the public that these radios where with in legal standards.
I don't know maybe I'm wrong
73 from Oris
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5390. Belg.freq.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: news <pjcarels@westbrabantt.net>
Message-ID: <7imqd6$3in$1@news.concepts.nl>
Source record: 141341

Zie http://home.wish.net/~pjcarels/index.html

5391. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <7ED9AE67EF73C4EB.CA504893CF6635BA.9BE6BE3C580AF1F0@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141342

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> And as I said above, regulatory topics belong on
> rec.radio.amateur.policy; this is rec.radio.amateur.misc.

SO SUE ME, you sick NAZI BASTARD! You are incapable
of understand a moral issue, just like the bucket
of turds who make up the ARRL. Amateur operators
and other Christians were murdered in an amateur
radio station after FCC engaged in jamming it.
This is America's Holocaust.
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geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

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5392. Jehosophat!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jeff@jehosophat.com
Message-ID: <slrn7ktsaf.5ct.Jeff@photuris.jehosophat.com>
Source record: 141343
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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Vy 73,
--
Jeff Davis, N9AVG
jeff@jehosophat.com
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5393. Jehosophat!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeff <jeff@jehosophat.com>
Message-ID: <374EF25F.EE2427AB@jehosophat.com>
Source record: 141344

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5394. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <374EF500.3FE88B9@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141345

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
> Okay, Gang, everyone whose newsreader does NOT display what NGs you're
> posting to, please tell us what software you're using. Cecil (W6RCA),
> you go first, since you're the one who first alerted us that there is
> such a catagory of newsreaders.

Delphi has their own proprietary newsreader. It doesn't display what
all newsgroups postings come from or go to. I'm using Netscape now.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5395. This NG is about radio (and politics, and baked goods, and M-16's et al...)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <374EF771.6EE1@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 141346

Jeffrey Herman wrote:

> I suggest that you go back to CW; the CW QSOs I've heard over the last 23
> years have contained *very* little immature behavior; maybe we should
> outlaw phone.

That's an interesting theory. I kind of like it.

Let's not outlaw it entirely, let's just let the
entry level classes use CW only. To use fone
you need the higher class ticket.

Well, maybe not.

Lumpy AB0GD
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

5396. Re: -MORSE- read it if you want to

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <374EFA0C.5120@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 141347

Pappy@sgi.net wrote:

> ...I don't need the code to survive life...

I would think we don't need radio to
survive life.

Lumpy AB0GD
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

5397. Re: Filter list (author)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7imum5$6tp@sjx-ixn4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In <7imnn4$ve4$1@nnrp1.deja.com> williarsch@nandomail.com writes:
>
>BAYCITVIDGRP
>jmackey
>Macaroon
>Zombie Wolf
>George Vetterle
>Blake Bowers
>Glenn
>Phil Smalley
>
>
gee william...Thank you for
posting me first. What
a genuine compliment.
I cannot thank you enough
for the notoriety this posting
will do for me ... can i be
your friend bill?

by the way: Blake Bowers hates
my guts. How can you put him
in the same "notoriety-list"
with me. he must be rolling
over in his GRASS skirt.

or blowing in it.

William...you really make my day.
What an honor.

Gee. over in rec.sport.swimming
they call me the BUNKER GUY. what
an uplifting experience to remember
when I am out doing video and stop
and think about your pungentness
in making me NUMBER UNO.

OH you are a very special guy William.

gosh. and I thought being a good videographer
seen on tv often was my calling. to think you
put me into this nirvana-ized world of LE STINKERs
you love to hate.

What a life? What a guy you are bill?

did i tell you Bowers just sent me an E-mail
telling me to go to your address and obfuscate on
your front door-bell?

To bring this to light is so refreshing. To
be able to die and put this on my crypt.

William...who else have you saintized? It
must be a short list as you must be.

William...mahalo. Aloha. Ono Ono post brah.
you one wiki-wiki guy who is a legend in your
own mind..but to do this, wow. I am just
unable to express my appreciation for your
being so damn wunnerful. I will print this
out and send it out with all resumes I send
out or when peole ask me for referneces....

you just have no idea as to how it is to
be number One in your assessment-schtick.

Can we send this in to DAVE's TOP TEN.
I really think it belongs with the DAVE-man.

How much do i have to send you for it
autographed William? Does that include
a "phlem" sample from your brain stem

question mark.

OH William, you naughty man you. are you
sure it is ok to be so nice to you.
another question mark

william in small caps to keep the mood
up to snuff.

william...I salute you. will you be going
on the lecture circuit soon...i'll come and
be your friend on stage with you and then
we both can count the money we will share.

Oh william...william...such a sweet guy.

i will respect you in the morning william.

bill conduit
with an attitude

5398. Re: Will White, Technician (no) class Liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7in2e6$7ai$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <374DE8DE.A4761D7E@asu.uswest.net>,
wcw@asu.uswest.net wrote:
> Do you have any idea how silly this all is? Toy cry-baby politics, and
> insulting too, to those of us who lost family members to the Nazis.

Anybody notice Will here just screwed up ? You said you lost family members. Then your next message says you didn't. I did you worthless piece of leftist Klintonite filth, so don't call me a Nazi. Go kiss AF2Y on the forehead, he thinks everyone is a Nazi, too.

Class: Technician

You also are a codeless tech who just can't seem to learn code. Isn't that what you inevitably say during each one of your 2 meter repeater QSO's ? How you tried and tried but just couldn't get it ? Here's hint: get the hell off your Alinco HT and go listen to some CW. Now tell me you're satisfied with your license and how you won't learn CW until this discriminatory rite is eliminated.

You're all alike. Liars. Worthless FM CB Liars.

> --
> Will White, KD7BFX

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5399. Re: We are not Nazis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: The Equalizer <equalizer2000@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7in2l7$7d2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141350

This Putz, AF2Y Charles Swartzbarg AKA Doktor HATE was one step ahead of having his Extra Ticket Punched Out just like PorkBUTT his Convert. This Ranting NUT found out that Riley had a chunk of info about his entire shenanigan on 20 meters and his JAMMING of 3950 as the WHITE NOISE JAMMER as well as the re-playing of YEE s antics many times.

He has now DECIDED THAT This News Group is the right and ONLY forum to Vent his HATE and BILE.

He Knows that IF HE STAYS ON THE RADIO he will not have his "EXTRA" ticket for LONG.

Let us ALL GIVE AF2Y a WARM WELCOM to the News-Group by sending him a Personal Greeting Message, Just Think how HAPPY He and His ISP will be.

This is the type of PUTZ that gives Ham Radio a Black Eye.

Cheers,

It's Shabatt Time.

Nate

In article <7imqr7$1mq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>,
rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
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> Swartzbarg. "radiosigs" It is an insult to all of us who had brothers
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5400. Re: Inszenierung: *** Siegfried Schoenbohm ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kurt Hoerz <khoerz@accessus.net>
Message-ID: <374f0031.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 141351

Was soll dieser Quatsch?

For those who don't speak german, "What is the purpose of this nonsense?"

5401. Re: We are not Nazis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374F01DF.64C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141352

rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> We have one demented soul on here posting notes every day accusing most
> of this forum as being "NAZIS". This sick soul is AF2Y Charles
> Swartzbarg. "radiosigs" It is an insult to all of us who had brothers
> and relatives to die in world war two fighting against the Nazis, then
> have to put up with this nutcase.. We are not all Nazis or even close to
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> this news group. This is a amateur radio news group. Why don't he take
> his crazy talk to the crazy house where I believe he in fact belongs
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.
I hate to say it but I agree. I find it very insulting being of German
desent to even be assocated with the Democratic opps Nazi party.
Oris
Save your Constitution, Save the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian
--

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5402. Re: Filter list (author)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dan B <kd4lyp@webdeals.net>
Message-ID: <374EFE72.38719D0E@webdeals.net>
Source record: 141353
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Does Netscape Communicator 4.51 have a filter list?
I just downloaded it and would like to filter the crap out too.

williarsch@nandomail.com wrote:

> BAYCITVIDGRP
> jmackey
> Macaroon
> Zombie Wolf
> George Vetterle
> Blake Bowers
> Glenn
> Phil Smalley
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
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--
http://www.webdeals.net/kd4lyp.htm
KD4LYP's ham radio and scanner page.
Icom PCR-100 Page.

5403. Re: Filter list (author)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Smalley <ziggy7445@scanner.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7in00g$6kg$1@phxtst22.phx1.aro.allied.com>
Source record: 141354
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

williarsch@nandomail.com wrote in message <7imnn4$ve4$1@nnrp1.deja.com>...
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>jmackey
>Macaroon
>Zombie Wolf
>George Vetterle
>Blake Bowers
>Glenn
>Phil Smalley
>
>
Don't forget to include yourself, since this is almost always all you ever
blather on about Willy....

Oh that's right, you filtered me, so you can't read this! How silly of
me....

PLONK!

-Phil

5404. Re: Scanner/Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Eckhardt <dave_eckhardt@hp.com>
Message-ID: <374EFF3F.4FE@hp.com>
Source record: 141355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Jeff Johns wrote:
>
> The ConQueror writes:
>
> > Is it possible to modify a scanner to transmit on amateur frequencies?
>
> Nope.
>
> 73 Jeff W4JEF
>
> *--------- Jeff Johns W4JEF - AMSAT# 32615 - QRP-L# 1857 ----------*
> |jeffj@scott.net w4jef@amsat.org | Reserve Patrol Captain |
> | Satellite: Mir R0MIR-1, AO-27 | Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept|
> |200LX+BayPac+FT50=Portable Packet| QTH Birmingham, AL USA |
> *------------ Finger jeffj@scott.net for my PGP RSA key -----------*

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Jeff:

It's really not to difficult to accomplish what you desired in your post. The answer is, certainly, yes. You need to pull out of the scanner all the proper LOs (local oscillators), mix them in the proper order (using doubly balanced mixers), and modulate the final result with the type of modulation and information you desire. You're there! You may prefer to apply a little amplification to the result to render the "signal" a bit stronger, but that isn't too difficult, either, in these days of MMICs and hybrids. Trivial!

Dave - W6LEV

Opinions are my own and do not reflect in any way on my email provider (employer).

5405. WE'LL MISS YA,HERBIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528170240.28282.00000084@ng-xa1.aol.com>
Source record: 141356

message dated 5/26/99 5:19:46 AM Pacific Daylight Time, herbs@islands.vi
writes:

> Subj: Re: Libel from Dr. Hate
> Date: 5/26/99 5:19:46 AM Pacific Daylight Time
> From: herbs@islands.vi (Herb Schoenbohm)
> To: N0VFP@aol.com
> CC: AlParkHam@aol.com, Dspman@aol.com, aabern@twave.net, w9xn@netusa1.net,
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> rest of
> us should not be allowed to express ourselves. The "SWL" has been and still

> is an
> integral part of this hobby. SWL Doris Parnarfiello, as Dr. Hate should
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> > From: radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs)
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5406. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7in0cm$hm3$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141357

George Zimmerlee wrote in message
<7ED9AE67EF73C4EB.CA504893CF6635BA.9BE6BE3C580AF1F0@library-proxy.airnews.ne
t>...
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> And as I said above, regulatory topics belong on
>> rec.radio.amateur.policy; this is rec.radio.amateur.misc.
>
>SO SUE ME, you sick NAZI BASTARD! You are incapable
>of understand a moral issue, just like the bucket
>of turds who make up the ARRL.

Oh shut up George, you piss and moan like an old woman. If your so god damn
sure about all your FCC/FBI/ATF conspiracy theorys why not just publish the
info you have and bring them all to their knees.
Exactly what do you want from this newsgroup?

Tim

5407. N0VFP BEGS FOR HELP v. AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528170634.28282.00000087@ng-xa1.aol.com>
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ated 5/27/99 5:10:48 AM Pacific Daylight Time, herbs@islands.vi writes:

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> >
> > LD
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5408. AF2Y RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528171355.28282.00000093@ng-xa1.aol.com>
Source record: 141359

Hard to believe that none of these BARFies and/or STUMPIES whether alone or combined can outwit and outwrite me. I got them in "bud" like they say in Yiddish. If there's anyone out there who dislikes me and is capable of writing intelligently, please do so. I'll read. But if you are of the run-of-the-mill e.g. "Queenie the Weenie" or Bobby "Badblood" IQ, SKIP IT. Either come up to me or shut up because I'm not going down to your level. I'm much too bright, clever,handsome,erudite,wise ,educated and humble to stoop to your level. "Doc" Modest, AF2Y. I AM THE GREATEST, JUST ASK ME.>>>>>>>

5409. Re: We are not Nazis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528170904.28282.00000090@ng-xa1.aol.com>
Source record: 141360
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

<< Subject: We are not Nazis
From: rileygotcha@my-deja.com
Date: Fri, May 28, 1999 7:29 PM
Message-id: <7imqr7$1mq$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

We have one demented soul on here posting notes every day accusing most<<<>>>>>>>
of this forum as being "NAZIS". This sick soul is AF2Y Charles
Swartzbarg. "radiosigs" It is an insult to all of us who had brothers
and relatives to die in world war two fighting against the Nazis, then
have to put up with this nutcase.. We are not all Nazis or even close to
it. What is the matter with this screwball? He needs to be kicked out of
this news group. This is a amateur radio news group. Why don't he take
his crazy talk to the crazy house where I believe he in fact belongs

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

>>

5410. Re: Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton Lies Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <374F0818.EF56D585@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Listen you Aryan Nations poster child, my dad landed on Utah Beach at 5:19 am, 6/4/44. An uncle piloted a glider in with his Ranger unit an hour or two earlier. Both lived through it all, My Dad to Dresden, and my uncle to Cologne. You're damn right I can do no wrong, as long as I am arguing with a flip-flopping make-it-up-as-you-go-along goosestepper who knows half the alphabet, and none of the vowels. If your grasp of reality is so loose you believe SAC/UN didn't nuke Berlin because of Teutonic (not Anglo-Saxon, opposite compasss direction) I think you probably need residential care. Berlin was already captured and thoroughly cleaned out almost two months *before* the first A-bomb test at Los Alamos. Would have been really poor form to nuke Germany *after* they surrendered and were disarmed, dont you think?

BTW, I am a happily single leftist, and hate soccer and that whole stinking mess

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
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> In article <374DE8DE.A4761D7E@asu.uswest.net>,
> wcw@asu.uswest.net wrote:
> > Do you have any idea how silly this all is? Toy cry-baby politics, and
> > insulting too, to those of us who lost family members to the Nazis.
> >
>
> Another one of you leftist soccer-mom hubbies who can do no wrong.
>
> Don't you lecture me on Nazis, how many of your family members got
> killed in the well-organized slaughter known as D-day because the Anglo-
> Saxon sympathesizing racist U.S. government didn't have the balls to
> drop the atom bomb on Berlin.
>
> It was "ready" in time for the Japanese though, hmmmmm ?
>
> Now Klinton has ordered 9,000 Purple Hearts because we won't be using
> ground troops. He was warned by Russia. At the least such an occupation
> will destroy Weimar Russia's "democracy". Get ready.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5411. Re: We are not Nazis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <374F0940.C6BAD87D@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141362

We have more than one such chump: mf_luder(quaaludes maybe?) All these little brilliant heroes hiding behind spoof DejaNews addresses, tut tut.

rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
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> We have one demented soul on here posting notes every day accusing most
> of this forum as being "NAZIS". This sick soul is AF2Y Charles
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> his crazy talk to the crazy house where I believe he in fact belongs
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--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5412. Hellschrieber anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7in1q7mrb1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141363

I've been hanging out on 14.063.5, made a few contacts. Anyone else out there want to run some Hellschrieber. Also anyone got an original printer?

Tim ka8ddz

5413. Re: ALINCO DJ-190TD MOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: brian <brian_messman@dell.com>
Message-ID: <7in2gv$jp4$1@galaxy.us.dell.com>
Source record: 141364

SNIP OL' BLUE, RESET PROCESSOR...ENJOY.
<pushjeep@my-deja.com> wrote in message news:7ijeupivc1@nnrp1.deja.com...
> Has anyone performed a Extended RF Transmit Mod on this new HT ??
> It may be the old snip the blue wire.
>
>
> --== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> ---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---

5414. Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374F1121.30758A07@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141365
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

For Jesus Christ sweet sake and Mose's whiskers-

Will you folks PUH-LEEZ stop quoting and requoting
entire friggin' threads of messages when you reply???
You might get a few more readers if you do.

Excuse me but I can't sift through 500 blasted lines
of text because someone is too lazy to do a little deleting.

Please-- Just quote the bare amount needed to keep
the context of your reply....sheesh!

Dave AB5S

5415. Re: Filter list (author)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7in3js$7dd@dfw-ixnews4.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In <37570b1f.201824752@news-server.san.rr.com> thekit@san.rr.com (Bud (the original)) writes:
>
>On Fri, 28 May 1999 18:36:20 GMT, williarsch@nandomail.com wrote:
>
>And mine is...
>
>>BAYCITVIDGRP
>>jmackey
>>Macaroon
>>williarsch
>

no one likes a
copy-cat....
come up with your own
idea....

be creative.
seek help

bill conduit
etc.

5416. Re: HARASSED BY KC1ZQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374F14EB.2CB45135@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141367

You know I'm not your buddy, Doc.
But when we go to war it's above board and honest
and nobody says anything about
coming to someone's house and acting like an idiot.

People threatening each other with physical action, sending
threatening or actually harassing email should have NO PLACE on the
net.
I'd think even Brain-Dead Dave would know that. Maybe all
those hours with the Jammin' for Jesus crowd has him "confused."

I don't know how AOL's news reader works, but somewhere in there
is an option to read all the information in his mail headers.
In those headers, you'll find some kind of "PATH" statement that
tells you the path used to forward the mail. Also look for
something called "Posting Host." Send mail to "abuse@yahoo.com"
and "support@yahoo.com" and all the other providers in the path.
Include a copy of all the information in the header and body
of the harassing email or threatening post. If they find
he's actually been harassing you, they'll yank his access.

Be aware that he gets to defend himself so if you've been
sending nastymail to *him*, the ISPs might take a look
at *both* your accounts.

See ya on the battlefield
Dave AB5S

5417. FS Kenwood TS 850 SAT HF Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dave Glenn <n6teb@usa.net>
Message-ID: <G3F33.230$p9.12379@ultra>
Source record: 141368
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

For Sale:

Kenwood TS-850 SAT I am the original owner and it has gotten very little use. Scores a 10 for looks. This is a 160 through 10 meter all mode radio. General coverage receive starts at 100 khz and goes to 30 mhz. I have installed additional filters for CW and and SSB making the total number of filters = 6. Very good front end. Built in Antenna Tuner. Worked all over the world with a wire antenna. in very good condition. I also have the RS232 serial port adapter to connect this rig to a computer for auto logging and control. I live in southern California if you are local and want to check it out. Late edition serial number #60800xx

Great for Field day, RTTY, DX or just SWL

$1000.00 cashiers check or money order only.

I will pay shipping conus only.

You can relpy to me at n6teb@usa.net

Thanks, and 73

Dave N6TEB

5418. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marylou@sgi.net
Message-ID: <374F534B.12AD@sgi.net>
Source record: 141369

Go for it Tim, it's put up or shut time Georgie.....

Timothy Hynde wrote:
>
> Oh shut up George, you piss and moan like an old woman. If your so god damn sure about all your FCC/FBI/ATF conspiracy theorys why not just publish the info you have and bring them all to their knees.
> Exactly what do you want from this newsgroup?
>
> Tim

5419. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fcgz6b0.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 141370
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 29 May 1999 03:45:37 +0200 (CEST), Anonymous wrote:

> ----------
> Hollingsworth also pointed out that Congress has authorized
> the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the
> qualifications of a licensee or applicant.
> -----------
>
> What does this mean, "seek information". It could mean
> doing some research by reading articles or talking to
> ex-wives. While this article focuses on the Liberty Net,
> it could apply to individual amateur radio operators.

What it means in real life is that the FCC can ask questions
and if it doesn't like or believe the answers it can delay or
withhold issuance of the license or even set the license for
revocation/suspension after a hearing.

This is known as a "308(b) inquiry" because it is authorized by
Section 308(b) of the Communications Act which says:

All applications for station licenses, or modifications
or renewals thereof, shall set forth such facts as the
Commission by regulation may prescribe as to the citizenship,
character, and financial, technical and other qualifications
of the applicant to operate the station; the ownership and
location of the proposed station and of the stations, if any,
with which it is proposed to communicate; the frequencies and
the power desired to be used; the hours of the day or other
periods of time during which it is proposed to operate the
station; the purposes for which the station is to be used;
and such other information as it may require.

(note this here)

The Commission,
at any time after the filing of such original application and
during the term of any such license, may require from an
applicant or licensee further written statements of fact to
enable it to determine whether such original application should
be granted or denied or such license revoked. Such application
and/or such statement of fact shall be signed by the applicant
and/or licensee in any manner or form, including by electronic
means, as the Commission may prescribe by regulation.

> What determines the "qualifications of a licensee or applicant"?

The Commission, subject to legal appeal if the applicant is rejected. There's a whole pack of cases on "qualifications".

> Is passing the written and code tests enough? In most cases,
> yes.

If you will read the 610 form (soon to be 605) you will see other things to which the applicant has to attest. At one time, the Commission had a list of individuals who could not receive licenses without a further review. Most of the persons on that list were not political targets but were bad-check passers. Now it's done by computer, which is why one has to submit the TIN to ensure that the individual is not barred from receiving benefits such as a radio license from Uncle Sam.

> But it looks like there can be other conditions. I wonder
> what they might be.

> Violating FCC rules certainly can bring
> about a license suspension. How about violating other laws?

At one time a felony conviction was a bar to holding a license. That was dropped a long time ago. If one's criminal record does not impinge on operating a radio (i.e the crimes had nothing to do with radio) it is no longer a bar.

> Like advocating the overthrow of the US Government. Certainly
> that could bring about some type of information seeking action
> at the very least.

Yup. And it calls the character of the applicant into question. Character qualificatins are some of the first things that the Commission looks at and we all know lots of hams who are real "characters" anyhow.

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

5420. An excerpt from Re: WB4AIO's XYL's interview- HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905272350.BAA24552@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141452
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
<374D7FD4.21F76DD8@innocent.com> wrote:

>Posting this nonsense says far more about the kind of person _you_
>are, Mr. Anonymous, than it does about me.
>
>It's from the website of the anti-American and anti-freedom Morris
>Dees, a creature of most peculiar sexual inclinations who has made a
>career out of abusing the legal process to defame and bankrupt
>patriots and freethinkers.
>
>Virtually nothing in it is true.

Then sue him.

>
>In your case, you are merely a worm
>

A worm?

>In Dees' case, he is guilty not only of all the above, but also of
>abuse and exploitation of the mentally ill for his unhuman "cause."

Then sue him.

>
>Thank you for proving, in a far more dramatic and convincing manner
>than anything I could say, just exactly what kind of foul monster
>you are.
>

Foul Monster? I thought you said I was a worm.

5421. Price for a Heathkit HM-9 QRP Watt/SWR meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: happy150@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990527200141.15931.00002433@ng-cl1.aol.com>
Source record: 141453

Hello. I am interested in purchasing a Heathkit HM-9 QRP Watt/SWR meter. What is a good price of that item?
Thank you,
happy150@aol.com

5422. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: nobody@crosslink.net
Message-ID: <374deb2f.4148148@news.crosslink.net>
Source record: 141454
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 27 May 1999 10:38:55 -0400, "MOstrowski"
<M_Ostrowski@yahoo.com> wrote:

>I'd like to hear from anyone who has written digital signal decoding
>software using sound cards.
>
>I'm currently searching for information relating to decoding digital signals
>(CW, RTTY, AMTOR,
>CLOVER, PSK31, etc) using a sound card. I've used several of such software
>packages currently
>available for download and I like to try my hand a writing something
>similar. I have many years
>experience professionally programming both DOS and Windows applications
>using C/C++/MFC,
>but have never had need to interface to a sound card until now. I'd like
>this application to be
>Windows 95/98 based but I've heard rumors that directly accessing the sound
>card interface is
>difficult, if not impossible, under that OS.

Dear Mike,

The most comprehensive source that I have found (excepting purchase of
an SDK from Microsoft) is "Windows 95 Multimedia & ODBC API Bible" by
The Waite Group Press - Richard J. Simon, Tony Davis, John Eaton, and
R. Murray Goertz.
It has chapters on Waveform and Auxiliary Audio and on Multimedia File
I/O. Those two chapters are really all you need to do everything that
needs to be done for a mode like PSK31.

If you can locate a "Books-a-Million" store, they may be able to help
you - I got my copy at 50% discount - normally $54.99. CD-ROM is
included.

5423. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: chetlyle@bigfoot.com
Message-ID: <7ikvce$n7b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141455

In article <19990527133300.28070.00002490@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
> From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
> Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 7:11 AM
> Message-id: <7iir7e$55m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> <<<And God said to the Hebrew people,"I will bless those who blesseth
thee and
> curse those who curseth thee." All anti-Semites will perish.
Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

By the evidence of your own statement, I guess the Hebrew people must have been antisemites, because they "perished" ages ago; i.e., they mostly disappeared through intermarriage and assimilation with other tribes and races.

What we see making the news these days is the Khazars, converts to Talmudism from southern Russia who are just wannabe Hebrews, and who flaunt in our faces the repugnant immoral characteristics some of which have been described by Carol Valentine.

Now if you could just get a grip on your foul mouth and hateful mind (if such a putrid, microscopic fever-swamp may be called that), and address the issue of the illegal destruction of the amateur radio station and genocide at Waco: we are all ears. The floor is yours.

[text deleted]

--Chet Lyle

What is terrifying about seeking Truth
is that, one day, you actually find it. (Pierre Guillaume)

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5424. Seeking buying advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: KB9UPI <wendie7@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7il1dmomp1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141456

I am thinking about purchasing a 2-meter radio, I would like some
advice on what kind to get? (brand, etc) Or should I get an HT instead?
Your input will be appreciated

KB9UPI
Wendie

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5425. Re: BARF,"STUMP" & 3.950 MEMBERSHIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ohara Sensei <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7il9ettqg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141457

Nazi???? Good grief!

I am not fond of the organized stupidity that was going on but to call that Nazi is silly.

It reminds me of the 60s. Everything the anti war types did not like was labeled fascist. Everything the "hard hats"did not like was communist.

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5426. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ohara Sensei <ka9dhz@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7ila50udg1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141458

What the devil has this to do with ham radio??
ANYWAY--
Hind sight is 20-20 as the old saying goes.

Patton and others wanted to drive the Russians back to russia.

I believe after we had smashed the Nazi government we should have re grouped ourselves and re organized the German military that was left and made a joint effort to put communism back in the stone age.

The treaties ending WWI guaranteed a WWII. Just as the UN diddling around making new borders and combining nations guaranteed the mess we are having now.

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5427. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528014241.20832.00006655@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 141459

"NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE"

And Jews, communists, etc., DON'T ???

5428. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: removals1@iname.com
Message-ID: <374e2dc6.6524550@news>
Source record: 141460
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Thu, 27 May 1999 18:52:05 GMT, gniephaus@cityweb.de
(Gerhard-Hermann Niephaus) wrote:

>The file I used is
> fullduplex.exe
>I used this example as a starting point for my DSP programming under
>Windows NT using Visual C++ 5.0.

Yes, but where did you go from there? Getting the samples is the easy
part. ;-)

5429. Re: Heavily armed ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon & Kim Holder <Jon.Holder@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <374E345C.8C5BA51@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The A2 sights are designed to do that. Zero stays the same provided the spring doesn't go South.

Some gunsmiths who buld competition AR's will weld a "bump" to remove this, but it doesn't affect accuracy IMHO.

agenthardlypowerful@my-dejanews.com wrote:
>
> In article <3749F0DB.3613F3F2@purdue.edu>,
> Greg Dean <idean@purdue.edu> wrote:
> > > >
> > > > On Wed, 12 May 1999 06:12:29 GMT, "robinson"
> <rmcrusoe@gte.net> wrote:
> > > > >I'm sure as hell glad we don't equip our
> troops with these so-called
> > > > >"assault weapons". You couldn't assault a
> well defended outhouse with them
> > > > >if faced with selective-fire equipped
> defenders.
> > > >
> > > > No fair confusing the liberals with facts.
> :-)
> > > >
> > > > However, spray and pray weapons aren't
> always your best bet,
> > > > unless you have the ammo resupply contract.
> We managed quite
> > > > well with semiauto M1s in WWII. One good hit
> is worth a thousand
> > > > misses, and puts much less strain on the
> logistics tail.
> > >
> > > This is the biggest problem our troops face.
> They are not trained to
> > > shoot past 200 yards. Anything beyond 300
> meters is
> > > in atrillery range or can be "dialed in" with
> their sights on their
> > > M16A2 sights.
> > >
> > > The only troops that train to shoot are the
> combat arms branches
> > > and they don't shoot live ammo that much.
> Support troops may never touch

> > > a rifle after basic training and guess who's
> getting sent to the
> > > hotspots with their field kitchens, trucks and
> typewriters? The guys who
> > > aren't getting small arms training!
> > >
> > > I don't care what caliber they shoot, they
> gotta' hit their target.
> > > BRING BACK THE KD RANGES!
> > >
> > > Jon N0OFG
> >
> > You folks are clueless. Use train with the
> M16A2, otherwise known as
> > THE assualt rifle. Our qualification targets
> are out to 400 metres.
> > No one, except the Marines (and means their
> cooks as well), does
> > extenive
> > firearms training. Most of us shoot once a year
> in order to qualify.
> > This
> > means we get 40 rounds plus 9 to zero the rifle.
> >
> > The focus is to use aimed fire (one round at a
> time). The A2 has only a
> > three round burst which is to used only at night
> (better chance of
> > getting
> > a piece of the opposing force). The SAW (M249)
> is used as the only
> > squad
> > level automatic rifle. The M60 is for company
> level and higher.
> >
> >
> Greg Dean
> >
> SSG MI
> >
> N9NWO/AAV5ZO
> >
> > > >
> > > > Besides, single shot weapons are often the
> infantryman's best tool
> > > > against a defended outhouse. A M79 or a LAW
> takes care of the
> > > > problem without a bunch of fuss and bother.
> Unless, of course, you
> > > > are assaulting the outhouse so you can use

> it. Then a pipsqueak
> > > > caliber select fire weapon might be handy.
> > > >
> > > > Gary
> > > > Gary Coffman KE4ZV | You make it |mail to
> ke4zv@bellsouth.net
> >
> > Gary, we don't use the M79 anymore. It was
> replaced by the M204
> > which mounts under the M16. We also have the Mk
> 19 which is an
> > automatic gernade launcher. It shoots 800
> rounds per minute out
> > to 1200 metres. That is firepower! Used at
> squad level and with
> > the three man MP teams (one Mk 19, one M249 SAW,
> one M16/M204 and
> > one M16A2 plus each man has M9 pistol).
> >
>
> Hello all I've found this thread with dejanews and
> I hope I am not off topic, or intruding. I have a
> question regarding the A2 rear sight. When viewed
> from the top, are the A2 sights on standard issued
> M16's slightly rotated left? I am talking a couple
> of degrees due to the spring tension the rear
> sight assembly is under? I am asking this because
> on some Ar15's I have noticed this phenomenon, and
> apparently most say that a slight amount of left
> rotation of the rear sight assembly is normal. I
> was wondering if this is so in the military issued
> M16A2's as well. I am really curious about this so
> those of you in the armed forces please enlighten
> me.
>
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5430. Re: kenwoord tr-751a question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <374E3029.9A3847AE@parg.org>
Source record: 141462
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Kenwood TR-751A
Reset of microprocessor: 1. Turn the POWER switch off. 2. Turn the POWER switch on while pressing the M key. 3. Release the M key.
Page 18 in owners manual.

"Larry D. Clark" wrote:

> Hi
>
> I purchased a kenwood tr-751a without a manual. I have ordered
> a replacement manual but would like to know how to do a master
> reset on the radio to put it back to the state it was in when it left
> the factory. Can anyone tell me how?
>
> tnx
> larry
> kd5foy
> em12

5431. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hamish Moffatt <hamish@rising.com.au>
Message-ID: <7iljdqdbe2@arachne.labyrinth.net.au>
Source record: 141463
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org> wrote:
> The problem with programs that use soundcards that decode radio info can't be built around visual basic
> as VB is so damned slow.
> Thus, soundcard decoder programs require the knowledge of real programmers (C++) which explains why they are so
> damned buggy, due to Windows needing thousands of lines of C++ code just to initialise a stupid program (being
> sarcastic but you C++ Windows programmers know exactly what I mean).

And even then, "real time" is a bit of a joke. For example, the best resolution
and lowest timer interval you can get out of the high resolution timer is 1ms.

Hamish
--
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5432. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <7ilnkh$12t$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141464
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote in message
news:374D73B3.42BD@dirtball.com...
> MOstrowski wrote:
> I hope you find what your looking for. I would make a sujestion to
you.
> I would sujest that you try to do this under Linux (i.e. Unix) first.
I
> think that you would have alot better response with the linux OS
versus
> Windows. Good luck let me know what you find out.

Fah!! I'm not against Linux (I run it here myself), but the difference in available tools makes comparison less than likely.

Best advice: write the FFT and multimedia modules as OCX's using C++, and build the front end using whatever trash you like. The FFT module is very small, about 300 lines. The MM interface is similarly small, about 100 lines.

Michael.

5433. Tranfert de K7 video en Cd-video for DVD et PC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: MJ <mich_66@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <374e6c9a.0@cge.net>
Source record: 141465
Cross-posted to: alt.bainaries.pictures.erotica.amateur.female,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.swap,sci.astro.amateur,sci.ast

vos video priv&#65533;es amateur, familial etc... sur Cd-vid&#65533;o de 60"
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Discretion assur&#65533;e.

English translator
your video private amateur, domestic etc. on Cd- Video of 60"
compatible DVD for PC and DVD of Lounge
Secured discretion.

http://www.v3i.net/mpeg.html

5434. Re: An excerpt from WB4AIO's XYL's interview - HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Scott Siegel <ssiegels@uplink.com>
Message-ID: <374E7550.ACECEA53@uplink.com>
Source record: 141466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This sounds like the rantings of someone that is clearly off base.
Question is, Who is lying? Is it WB4AIO, or his ex-wife
that is trying to get custody of their children?

It wouldn't be the first time that someone was less-than-honest
during a custody case.

The few times I've heard WB4AIO, on shortwave, revealed nothing
like the article quoted. He sounded conservative, but that's
along way from the allegations in the article.

Anonymous wrote:

> The XYL of WB4AIO was interviewed by "The Intelligience Report."
> Here is a little of what she had to say. The subject was the OKC
> bombing on April 19, 1995.

5435. Re: Mackey lies AGAIN! was: Blake lies AGAIN! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: mackey@isa.retard
Message-ID: <3751723c.1492894@enews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

On 27 May 1999 18:22:36 GMT, myway@ix.netcom.com(BAYCITVIDGRP) wrote:

>In <375176d7.4740985@enews.newsguy.com> you@need.help (Macaroon)
>writes:
>>
>>On Thu, 27 May 1999 09:15:16 GMT, jmackey@parg.org wrote:
>>
>>>Blake, you are a liar AGAIN.
>>
>>And you are a liar STILL. Always have been, always will be.
>Predictability
>>is your only strong point, FOOL!!
>>
>>
> Hey YOU....
>
> say, it would be very
> nice if you would get
> on with the rest of us who
> have an answer to this situation.

Fine way to lead by example.

I don't have an answer to MY challenge.

> quit answering the idiot.

When he dies I will.

He won't be here for a little while. He's been spanked.

5436. Re: An excerpt from WB4AIO's XYL's interview - HOLLINGSWORTH PLEASE READ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Johanson <pjohan03@thezone.com>
Message-ID: <374E8572.7A94821F@thezone.com>
Source record: 141468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I agree with Scott. (not that this gossip belongs here) It looks
like this thread has it's roots in a child custody case, and was
started by this guy's ex-wife as a ploy to use in court.

Sheese....

Leave this poor WB4AIO, and his children alone.

73s Paul

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> > Here is a little of what she had to say. The subject was the OKC
> > bombing on April 19, 1995.

5437. WANT: Alinco Hand Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: columbus@canada.com
Message-ID: <8Wv33.851$RU.9191930@nr1.ottawa.istar.net>
Source record: 141469

e-mail me at:

VE1XT@qsl.net

Tnx

Jack, VE1XT

5438. Re: NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <374E94A4.3CE79252@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141470

Go away. You are ugly, stupid, and unhygienic. Back under your rock, bootlegger.

ANTENNA 42 wrote:
>
> "NEO-NAZIS COLLABORATE"
>
> And Jews, communists, etc., DON'T ???

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5439. Parts shop in New York?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Musser <georgejr@musser.com>
Message-ID: <7imao0$l9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141471

Does anyone know of a good electronics parts store in New York City? I'm a (fairly) recent transplant and don't know my way around yet.
Thanks,
George Musser
georgejr@musser.com

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

5440. Re: Getting a call sign for ham e-mail use?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <374EA4BB.7FED@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 141472

justin_and_deb@my-deja.com wrote:

> ...but the idea of making up a
> call sign is very appealing...

I know there is a USA vs other countries
question in this thread. But if US has the
jurisdiction, operating without a license
could get you fined and have your equipment
confiscated.

The laws are likely to be similar in other
countries.

And now you've publicly stated your intent!

> ...Would the base stations that I
> email to know if my call sign was bogus?...

Yes they would. You can look up any callsign
in just seconds via several servers on the web.

Please be considerate of the radio frequencies
that we (hams) are licensed to operate on. Don't
be a pirate.

Lumpy ABï¿½GD
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

5441. Re: BARF,"STUMP" & 3.950 MEMBERSHIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374EA4CD.4BF5@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141473

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> Here's a list of names of elite who would have made wonderful exemplary members
> of the BARF,StumpJumpers and the 3.950 assembly of lice.
> 1. Hermann Wilhelm Goering
> 2.Rudolf Hess
> 3.Joachim von Ribbentrop
> 4.Wilhelm Keitel
> 5.Ernst Kaltenbrunner
> 6.Alfred Rosenberg
> 7.Hans Frank
> 8.Wilhelm Frick
> 9.Julius Streicher
> 10.Walter Funk
> 11.Hjalmar Schacht
> 12.Karl Doenitz
> 13.Erich Raeder
> 14.Baldur von Schirach
> 15.Fritz Sauckel
> 16.Alfred Jodl
> 17.Franz von Papen
> 18.Arthur Seyss-Inquart
> 19.Albert Speer
> 20.Constantin von Neurath
> 21.Hans Fritzche
> 22. Heinrich Himmler
> 23. Josef Paul Goebbels
> 24. Adolf Hitler
> With the exception of numbers 22,23 & 24 who committed "Selbstmord" as they
> say in German(suicide), the rest stood trial at Nuremberg for war crimes,crimes
> against humanity etc.Ten died by "Tod durch den Strang" as they say in
> German(death by hanging), some got up to 20 years and two got
> "Lebenslaengliches Gefaengnis" as they say in German(life sentences) and two
> were not guilty(nicht schuldig). However when we stop to consider what the
> three rotten and bigoted ham radio groups signify,how can we not say what
> wonderful members the 24 would have been? Doc,AF2Y
Doc
what is this nazi crap? Ever since you got in this newsgroup its Nazi
this and Nazi that. This isn't a Nazi Newsgroup. This is a Amateur radio
Newsgroup. Mind you that the misc mean pretty much anything its still
doesn't give you the right to spout off about everyone being a Nazi! I'm
of German desent and I'm starting to get a little offended. I have
nothing against any creed and I sense that you are attacking anyone that
is German. I would sujest that you take this crap you post about

everyone being a Nazi somewhere else before people start to complain and
you will be banded for spaming the newsgoup like your buddy porkbut. I
think you should think about the new amateur radio operator that would
see these negative posts about the amateur radio community being Nazi
communists and so on. PLEASE Stop posting this trash
73 from Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5442. Re: I thought this NG was about radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com>
Message-ID: <374EA544.31CD@digitalcartography.com>
Source record: 141474

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Lumpy <lumpy@digitalcartography.com> wrote:
>
> >Not really a need to post a list of the spec groups.
> >Just glance at the cross posted addresses in the
> >spew. It seems that those with the least to say
> >find it necessary to say it to the most groups.
>
> Ah, but it is necessary. Many folks are using newsreaders that don't
> display the NGs in the header. Thus, they'll do a follow-up wrongly
> believing that their post is only going to the NG they're currently
> reading, not realizing they too have cross-posted to many groups.

I didn't know that. Which readers don't display the destination?

Lumpy
--
The Very Unofficial Colorado APRS Page
http://www.digitalcartography.com/aprs.htm

5443. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374EA70D.6260@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I would have to agree that type acceptance of amateur radios is the
beginning of the end for Ham Radio. This put a stop to allot of the
strait from paper to the air homebrewing of equipment. This also made it
possible for the government to get more control over the amateur public
as Intel is trying to do with the Pentium III chip. It also cost the
government money to not only enforce type accepted equipment but also be
sure that new equipment is type accepted. What a wast of money to see
that CBers don't get amps. The thing is there are more amps out there
then ever. Its the same thing as gun control. The government tries to
control the flow of guns so what happens there are more guns then ever.
If the FCC would adopt my band plan or something like it Type Acceptance
wouldn't be nessacary. See my band plan at;
http://www.dirtball.com/band.html
Of course thats just my opinion I could be wrong.
73 from
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5444. BREAKING!! Art Bell story on drudgereport.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eat your Broccoli Clyde <seicoal@sdc.com>
Message-ID: <7ipbn2$os4$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141226
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

Matt Drudge has scooped the media again. Right now on
his page is the breaking story of why Art Bell chose to
take a sabatical from Broadcasting. Bell (w6obb) currently
holds the #1 rated nightime syndicated show in the USA.

story is here - - http://www.drudgereport.com

5445. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <BtW33.132$0d.53213@typ11.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

How about some names, dates, freqs, facts, and figures -- not the anonymous accusations that you have posted.

Until you step up to the plate, identify yourself, and name names, IMO your post is 100% bullshit.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Anonymous wrote in message <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>...
> And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to
>enforcing rules, regulations, & ethics within the
>FCC CIB!
>
> He was advised weeks ago from several sources,
>concerning an internal CIB problem and security breach
>where a CIB official, operating during official duty hours
>from his office on government property, while on the public
>pay roll , was and STILL IS conducting personal
>business via amateur radio.
>
> This smacks of HYPOCRISY! when Hollingsworth and
>the FCC will not require their own employees to adhere
>to civil service ethics, regulations, and rules! Yet,
> Hollingsworth is running around like a goody two-shoes
>requiring amateurs to obey rules, regulations, and vague
>"ethical" guidelines. Even so far as to JUSTIFY their
>qualifications to hold an amateur license.
>
> This situation has existed for over a decade! and
>still continues to this day.
>
> Even worse, this person has disclosed sensitive
>internal FCC information, including ongoing FCC
>investigations, investigative techniques, and FCC
>equipment descriptions and capabilities. All the above
>is taking place openly via amateur radio on an almost
>daily basis. One would think CIB managers and
>Hollingsworth would honor their oaths of office and plug
>this decade old security leak before running around

>shoving rules, regulations, and vague ethics down
>everyone's throat!
>
> How about CIB signature analysis techniques and
>equipment? That was last week's topic of discussion!
>
> Perhaps the solution to this decade-old problem
>which Hollingsworth, the FCC, and CIB are unwilling or
>unable to rectify is to begin posting the information, which
>this FCC employee is disclosing, on the internet for even
>a wider audience to take advantage of.
>
> Perhaps the people who Hollingsworth is
>strong-arming to justify their qualifications to hold an
>amateur license should supply Congress, the media,
>and their attorneys with concise examples of the way
>in which the FCC and CIB will not enforce rules, regulations,
>and ethics when it comes to their own organization.
>
> HYPOCRISY with a capital H.
>
>Hollingsworth Hypocrisy! Clean your own house, before
>telling others to clean theirs!
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>

5446. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <37503468.865C98A2@innocent.com>
Source record: 141228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:
>
[...]
>
> Certain comm lawyers will say all this isn't correct, of course.
> They must, for the concept of administrative law is
> their bread and butter. Many have a vested interest in
> keeping this usurpation alive, since it leads to
> masses of litigation. So any attempt to bring
> this corrupt legal concept to light always draws
> lots of flak. The truth usually does.
>
> Perhaps this is how it should be.
> When given liberty, human beings are quick to trade it away
> and even quicker to lynch those who protest.
> Perhaps the experiment of our Bill of Rights is a failure.
> I don't know...
> Sometimes it's easier to just despair of the whole mess.
>
> 73 DE Dave AB5S

The Liberty Net, far from being distasteful, is quite the opposite to freethinking people.

Sometimes jammers or hecklers chime in with distasteful comments, of course, which happens less these days since WA9KJI received his well-deserved punishment. And, rarely, someone checks in and says something regrettable, but that's freedom for you. (Of course, making statements that the European race and the culture it created deserve to survive is not even slightly distasteful, except to those for whom Bill Clinton or his masters constitute a moral compass.)

What's distasteful are the system hypocrites like the at-the-trough types who profit as they pretend that the system is honest and honorable, the mob who are ready to lynch anyone who's unpopular at the moment, and, to a lesser extent, those who have "despaired" so much that they say and do nothing.

The Liberty Net isn't a membership group, and on any given night stations may express quite a range of views, but on the whole it consists of those who 1) aren't hypocrites, 2) haven't "despaired", and 3) are more correctly described as Jeffersonian than any of the other words which have been applied to them.

Most important, they are gentlemen who adhere to the spirit and the rules of Amateur radio -- and their detractors are not.

And let us not forget the enabling act which created and authorizes the Federal Communications Commission:

"Sec. 326. Censorship

"Nothing in this chapter shall be understood or construed to give the Commission the power of censorship over the radio communications or signals transmitted by any radio station, and no regulation or condition shall be promulgated or fixed by the Commission which shall interfere with the right of free speech by means of radio communication."

Honor bright,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5447. Urgent! ICOM-1000 for sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: spola46983@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529145942.19054.00002240@ng-fr1.aol.com>
Source record: 141229

1 year old ICOM PCR-1000 with full original
coverage.Used only 1-2 month.No box
and fake antenna.Location Canada.
Best offers.

E-mail at Spola46983@AOL.com

5448. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <37503B90.C950170B@innocent.com>
Source record: 141230

Looking at the evidence, particularly the forward-looking infrared taken over Waco by people who can't be accused of being "anti-government" (and as analyzed by the man who developed that technology), it's clear that innocent people trying to leave the burning church were _machine gunned to death_ by people claiming to represent me and paid by my tax dollars.

That bothers me.

It indicates that elements within our government are seriously out of control, or are being controlled by irresponsible thugs.

Some honorable people, including those in government employment, have spoken out against these and other crimes. In honorable men and women lies the only hope for our nation.

It also troubles me that the media cover up these crimes, and give to the boobs the utterly false impression that "everything's basically all right" and that the _real_ danger is those who point out criminality in high places.

Many people, possibly you, have an impenetrably obtuse attitude that "that just can't happen" "we have a good democracy and all who question that are wackos or haters" which blinds you to the fact that some in the government are criminals and murderers -- and, while that attitude is precisely the result wanted by the billionaire media elite, it is also demonstrably incorrect.

It is as if King Arthur's name and robes were assumed by his murderers, and you, Lancelot, continue to give fealty to the form when the substance is long dead and rotting in a nameless grave.

With good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5449. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: antenna42@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529151223.23703.00006270@ng-ci1.aol.com>
Source record: 141231

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>the Federal Communications Commission:
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>"Sec. 326. Censorship
>
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>the Commission the power of censorship over the radio communications
>or signals transmitted by any radio station, and no regulation or
>condition shall be promulgated or fixed by the Commission which
>shall interfere with the right of free speech by means of radio
>communication."
>

I agree with you about the Liberty Net and
the implications of Section 326 quoted above.
The problem is that "our" government rarely
follows its own rules, and usually does whatever it damn pleases. The blatantly

treasonous assault on the 2nd amendment is
a prime example of this.

These TV-fed morons in here who cry about
the Liberty Net's opinions lack the requisite
intelligence to extrapolate the results of free
speech limitations into the future, where
no one will be allowed to say ANYTHING
critical of the government al-a Soviet Union
style. Thanks to morons like them, we WILL
have a tyrannical government that will
micro-manage every aspect of our lives. Of
course, we won't be able to do anything about
it because the same idiots hooted and hollered for total gun confiscation.

These politically-correct slackjawed cretins
should try taking to heart some of the things
that are discussed on the Liberty Net. The
Liberty Net participants are not trying to
destroy America, they are trying to SAVE it!

5450. Re: Blake lies AGAIN! was:Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <37504245.A100FD7@parg.org>
Source record: 141232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

What "inconsistancies" are those? What "proof" was posted? No one semed to
notice
any "proof" except you.

Phil Smalley wrote:

> Has anyone happened to notice the little "inconsistancies" that Blake posted
> about John recently? John asked for proof that he was a liar, and got it in

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5451. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: csmolinski@erols.com
Message-ID: <csmolinski-ya02408000R2905991539100001@news.erols.com>
Source record: 141233
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I'm really surprised it's such a chore to implement this stuff under Windows. Not to turn this into an OS war, but reading sampled sound (and playing sound for transmit mode) hasn't been a major problem on the Mac (for my MultiMode). Perhaps it has to do with Microsoft's implementation. I haven't done any serious Windows programming (I sometimes consider porting MultiMode over to Windows, although this discussion seems to imply that the sound I/O isn't trivial), but it's quite simple on the Mac. You decide which sound input device to use, set the sample rate, sample size, etc, and that's it. Specify how many samples you want, and your callback procedure gets called (at interrupt time) when they're ready. The sound input is buffered, so nothing gets lost if it takes a few extra milliseconds (or even seconds) before your procedure gets called again. (Perhaps because you're doing some special processing and disabled interrupts, or aren't ready, for whatever reason)

After first writing my low-level sound input routines, I haven't touched them in a year of adding new modes to MultiMode, except one time, to handle the newer G3 Macs that can only sample at 44 kHz.

Packet will more slightly more of a challenge, due to the quick turn-around times required, but it still looks quite easy.

73's
Chris
N3JLY

In article <7iopgkjbj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, "Mark J. Fine" <fineware@erols.com> wrote:

> Will Sparks <willy@home.com> wrote in message
> > One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't have to
> > write low level code to access the sound card. The drivers take care of it,
>
> The problem with what you're saying is that the drivers are only meant for
> playback and recording in a certain format - NOT the kind of FFT processing
> that's required. This processing is also not available in the standard sound
> dll.
>
> > Decoding RTTY doesn't need real-time processing. Sure, VB isn't quite up to
> > snuff for it, but it does make a nice front end so you don't have to spend a
> > lot of time writing C++ code. Use a DLL for all the signal processing.
> > Buffers can take care of any processing lag, although decoding RTTY isn't
> > exactly "intensive".
>

> Disagree. It's a lot more complicated than you think. There's not just the
> decoding part that needs to be done here. There's also the issue of
> discriminating the desired tones from the rest of the clutter and noise that
> you're passing through there. You need FFTs to do this since zero-crossing
> techniques just don't cut it in a real signal environment.
>
> Once that filtering is done, only then can you start decoding the signal. I
> agree that some buffering is required, but you only have so much buffer space
> for windowing an accurate capture and hold function. Sooner or later if the
> processing isn't fast enough, you will have a buffer overflow and will lose
> synchronization. I've done this with single-processor 486s, Pentiums and
> Pentium II machines. They all overflow at some point when trying to do this
> with the standard interfaces to a sound card.
>
> Since we're not talking about true multi-processing operating
> systems/environments, the signal processing is too intense for the results to
> be refreshed to any Windows user interface (especially with VB). This may be
> a bad analogy, but the result is similar to getting dropouts on RealAudio. If
> you're dropping large chunks of data during the buffering process, what's the
> point.
>
> The bottom line here is that sound cards were never designed to be true signal
> processing chips like the TMS series. If people want a real decoder in their
> machines, they need a different card that's going to do the extra processing
> for them rather than rely on their main processor to do it for them.
>
> 73,
>
> [* Mark J. Fine * FineWare * 11252 Cardinal Drive *]
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Check out Black Cat Systems for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac
software. http://www.blackcatsystems.com

The Numbers Racket - a CD-ROM of Spy Numbers stations, info available at
http://www.blackcatsystems.com/numbers

5452. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Eat your Broccoli Clyde <seicoal@sdc.com>
Message-ID: <7ipcc4$pk8$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Anonymous wrote in message <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>...
> And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to
>enforcing rules, regulations, & ethics within the
>FCC CIB!
>
> He was advised weeks ago from several sources,
>concerning an internal CIB problem and security breach
>where a CIB official, operating during official duty hours
>from his office on government property, while on the public
>pay roll , was and STILL IS conducting personal
>business via amateur radio.
>
> This smacks of HYPOCRISY! when Hollingsworth and
>the FCC will not require their own employees to adhere
>to civil service ethics, regulations, and rules! Yet,
> Hollingsworth is running around like a goody two-shoes
>requiring amateurs to obey rules, regulations, and vague
>"ethical" guidelines. Even so far as to JUSTIFY their
>qualifications to hold an amateur license.
>
> This situation has existed for over a decade! and
>still continues to this day.

I STRONGLY SUGGEST that you get a copy of the 610 form and
re-read it. In a nutshell, when you apply for an Amateur Radio Operators
Licence, you surrender several of you constitutional rights, among them
the right to privacy and 5th Amendment protection for ANYTHING you transmit.

Don't believe me? Better re-read Form 610 as well as the "legalese" on your
licence where you sign .

Finally, the FCC can conduct a flash inspection at ANYTIME when you have a
licence
which can in some cases where "probable cause" comes into play, carry more
weight
than a court ordered search warrant - since your licence is FEDERALLY ISSUED and
supreceeds all State laws and statutes.

A ham licence is an acceptance of an OPEN DOOR to your domicile by the FEDS.

Like it, or not.

5453. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <37504362.538FA9E0@parg.org>
Source record: 141235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

Wrong! the FACT that Bill had his internet access REVOKED due
to his repeated unacceptable actions is public
& common knowledge. (the provider was san.rr.com)

Macaroon wrote:

> jmackey@usa.net wrote:

> >(Remember what happened to your buddy Bill after I made his provider aware of
> >his actions!!!)
>
> Yea, nothing.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5454. Re: ...the screw who turned Bill In to Feds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <375044F3.FEC4185C@parg.org>
Source record: 141236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Blake, are you trying to say the feds didn't know or have acces to the
internet
until I brought it to their attention??

Come on, BE REAL!

Blake Bowers wrote:

> On Thu, 27 May 1999 11:32:42 GMT, J. MacKenzie
> > Wasn't the case against Bill based on public information on the
> internet?
>
> But John was the one that brought it to the feds attention!

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5455. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ah549@chebucto.ns.ca
Message-ID: <hzX33.3242$Bc3.731@news2.mia>
Source record: 141237
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I'm familiar with the case in issue here, and your
name calling will not change the facts, and nobody really
cares whether you choose to believe them or not. The
choice is yours.

Hollingsworth has had the pertinent facts in this
case for several weeks now. Whether he has chosen to
act or not is unknown.

Yes, there is some necessary anonymity
involved here. Hollingsworth deserves a chance to
clean up his own house without alot of unnecessary
publicity. Moreover, attorneys for the amateurs who
Hollingsworth is investigating deserve an opportunity to
examine certain information and determine if it is of
any benefit in their clients' cases.

Go troll elsewhere.

Joe Schlatter wrote in message ...
>How about some names, dates, freqs, facts, and figures -- not the anonymous
>accusations that you have posted.
>
>Until you step up to the plate, identify yourself, and name names, IMO your
>post is 100% bullshit.
>
>--
>Regards,
>Joe Schlatter
>joe@schlatter.org
>http://www.schlatter.org/
>http://www.miafacts.org/
>Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
>Anonymous wrote in message <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>...
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>>business via amateur radio.

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>> Hollingsworth is running around like a goody two-shoes
>>requiring amateurs to obey rules, regulations, and vague
>>"ethical" guidelines. Even so far as to JUSTIFY their
>>qualifications to hold an amateur license.
>>
>> This situation has existed for over a decade! and
>>still continues to this day.
>>
>> Even worse, this person has disclosed sensitive
>>internal FCC information, including ongoing FCC
>>investigations, investigative techniques, and FCC
>>equipment descriptions and capabilities. All the above
>>is taking place openly via amateur radio on an almost
>>daily basis. One would think CIB managers and
>>Hollingsworth would honor their oaths of office and plug
>>this decade old security leak before running around
>>shoving rules, regulations, and vague ethics down
>>everyone's throat!
>>
>> How about CIB signature analysis techniques and
>>equipment? That was last week's topic of discussion!
>>
>> Perhaps the solution to this decade-old problem
>>which Hollingsworth, the FCC, and CIB are unwilling or
>>unable to rectify is to begin posting the information, which
>>this FCC employee is disclosing, on the internet for even
>>a wider audience to take advantage of.
>>
>> Perhaps the people who Hollingsworth is
>>strong-arming to justify their qualifications to hold an
>>amateur license should supply Congress, the media,
>>and their attorneys with concise examples of the way
>>in which the FCC and CIB will not enforce rules, regulations,
>>and ethics when it comes to their own organization.
>>
>> HYPOCRISY with a capital H.
>>
>>Hollingsworth Hypocrisy! Clean your own house, before
>>telling others to clean theirs!
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5456. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <375045AB.F90CC8F1@parg.org>
Source record: 141238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

OK, FOOL, here is the link you were crying about saying you wanted.
How inept you are, most people are capable of spending a few moments
operating a search engine & find the information when given the author,
subject, & date as YOU WERE GIVEN!

http://x39.deja.com/[ST_rn=ps]/getdoc.xp?AN=468402606&CONTEXT=928006939.353370173&hitnum=0

Macaroon wrote:

> Once again, you fail. You didn't read clearly. PROVIDE A DEJANEWS LINK. You
> have now officially failed challenge #73 as predicted. You are nothing more
> than a FOOL!!!

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5457. Re: Shot down again...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: pio@parg.org
Message-ID: <3750485F.4829232D@parg.org>
Source record: 141239
Cross-posted to:
alt.fan.john.mackey,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters,misc.emerg-services

How do you figure that Blake?

Why are you here trying to make provoking, troublemaking posts again?

Blake Bowers wrote:

> As John goes away again, tail stuck between his legs, a loud and
> boisterous cheer goes up! All hail, Mackeys gone again!

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http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5458. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Naroite LaShaven <o44y@classon.edu>
Message-ID: <8YX33.3279$Bc3.813@news2.mia>
Source record: 141240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

For years FCC managers have operated as
though they exist in a vacuum, subject to no outside
authority. Comm lawyers profit from this belief and
therefore are staunch supporters of the status quo.

Ask any FCC manager, the Constitution does
not apply to them, except when expediency dictates it
should.

Political science students are familiar with the
"Cozy Triangle." A classic example is:
FCC managers, Comm lawyers, & Media giants.

Only Congress has the power to smash this cozy
triangle, and right now the Republican Congress has
about as much gumption to do that as they did to fight off
continued attacks on the Second Amendment.

Cheers!

5459. Keesler AFB ARC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <ad4xx@kfcu.org>
Message-ID: <8nY33.75$Da.1956@news.ntr.net>
Source record: 141241

If you have ever been a member of the Keesler AFB ARC, please visit us at
http://web.intelispan.com/~ad4xx/k5typ.html

There are old pictures to view, as well as a list of all known email
addresses for present and past members.

Jim, AD4XX

5460. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Fine" <fineware@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7ipkcmjig1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 141242
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi Chris,

Long time - no type...

You're right, this could very easily turn into an OS war. Believe it or not, the Mac's (actually Motorola's) interrupt structure is a lot more efficient for these kinds of things. What you say is essentially how you would program a sound card if you were to use Window's built-in sound interface. However, Window's sound drivers are still tied back to the clunky IRQ scheme still underlying in DOS. This is part of the speed issue.

73,

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Chris Smolinski <csmolinski@erols.com> wrote in message news:csmolinski-ya02408000R2905991539100001@news.erols.com...
> I'm really surprised it's such a chore to implement this stuff under
> Windows. Not to turn this into an OS war, but reading sampled sound (and
> playing sound for transmit mode) hasn't been a major problem on the Mac
> (for my MultiMode). Perhaps it has to do with Microsoft's implementation. I
> haven't done any serious Windows programming (I sometimes consider porting
> MultiMode over to Windows, although this discussion seems to imply that the
> sound I/O isn't trivial), but it's quite simple on the Mac. You decide
> which sound input device to use, set the sample rate, sample size, etc, and
> that's it. Specify how many samples you want, and your callback procedure
> gets called (at interrupt time) when they're ready. The sound input is
> buffered, so nothing gets lost if it takes a few extra milliseconds (or
> even seconds) before your procedure gets called again. (Perhaps because
> you're doing some special processing and disabled interrupts, or aren't
> ready, for whatever reason)
>
> After first writing my low-level sound input routines, I haven't touched
> them in a year of adding new modes to MultiMode, except one time, to handle
> the newer G3 Macs that can only sample at 44 kHz.
>
> Packet will more slightly more of a challenge, due to the quick turn-around
> times required, but it still looks quite easy.
>

> 73's
> Chris
> N3JLY
>
>
> In article <7iopgkjbj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, "Mark J. Fine"
> <fineware@erols.com> wrote:
>
> > Will Sparks <willy@home.com> wrote in message
> > > One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't have
to
> > > write low level code to access the sound card. The drivers take care of
it,
> >
> > The problem with what you're saying is that the drivers are only meant for
> > playback and recording in a certain format - NOT the kind of FFT
processing
> > that's required. This processing is also not available in the standard
sound
> > dll.
> >
> > > Decoding RTTY doesn't need real-time processing. Sure, VB isn't quite
up to
> > > snuff for it, but it does make a nice front end so you don't have to
spend a
> > > lot of time writing C++ code. Use a DLL for all the signal processing.
> > > Buffers can take care of any processing lag, although decoding RTTY
isn't
> > > exactly "intensive".
> >
> > Disagree. It's a lot more complicated than you think. There's not just
the
> > decoding part that needs to be done here. There's also the issue of
> > discriminating the desired tones from the rest of the clutter and noise
that
> > you're passing through there. You need FFTs to do this since
zero-crossing
> > techniques just don't cut it in a real signal environment.
> >
> > Once that filtering is done, only then can you start decoding the signal.
I
> > agree that some buffering is required, but you only have so much buffer
space
> > for windowing an accurate capture and hold function. Sooner or later if
the
> > processing isn't fast enough, you will have a buffer overflow and will
lose
> > synchronization. I've done this with single-processor 486s, Pentiums and
> > Pentium II machines. They all overflow at some point when trying to do
this

> > with the standard interfaces to a sound card.
> >
> > Since we're not talking about true multi-processing operating
> > systems/environments, the signal processing is too intense for the results
to
> > be refreshed to any Windows user interface (especially with VB). This may
be
> > a bad analogy, but the result is similar to getting dropouts on RealAudio.
If
> > you're dropping large chunks of data during the buffering process, what's
the
> > point.
> >
> > The bottom line here is that sound cards were never designed to be true
signal
> > processing chips like the TMS series. If people want a real decoder in
their
> > machines, they need a different card that's going to do the extra
processing
> > for them rather than rely on their main processor to do it for them.
> >
> > 73,
> >
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> http://www.blackcatsystems.com/numbers

5461. June VHF QSO Part, Satellites, and other Ham Radio Resources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mikrounit@hughes.net
Message-ID: <375055a8.9742871@news.hughes.net>
Source record: 141243

Hello All,

June 12 is almost here, and that is the day for the ARRL VHF QSO
Party. (The biggest VHF contest for the year!) For more info and to
see what my group is doing, go check out my web page please.

Also, you will find:

Info on satellites, satellite tracking, Yaesu, FT-847 & FT-50R pages,
My HF Rig Review page, Ham Radio Bulletin Message Board,
Ham Radio Resource Links, plus more.

The URL:

http://kq6mu.8m.com

Thanks & 73,

Mike Green KQ6MU
DM04 Palmdale, CA

5462. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7ipkt4$6kj@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141244

George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>>>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>>>>George Zimmersomthing wrote:

>>>>>Part 97 is the business of this NG.

>>>> As usual, you're wrong. The NG rec.radio.amateur.policy was created
>>>> to discuss regulatory issues.

>>> Little boy, you cannot understand that Part 97.405 is a regulatory
>>> issue.

>>And as I said above, regulatory topics belong on
>>rec.radio.amateur.policy;
>>this is rec.radio.amateur.misc. You're reaching out to the wrong
>>audience,
>>George. I can only deduce that you fear to post to the proper NG

>SO SUE ME, you sick NAZI BASTARD! You are incapable

Calm down, George. Just admit that you're in error. Name-calling only
makes you look sillier than you already appear. Of course, admiting
that you're incorrect would cast doubt on all the so-called evidence you
claim to have against our fine government. Why do you fear posting to the
the .policy NG? That's your target audience.

Enjoy the weekend, George.
Jeff KH6O

P.S. America: Love it or leave it. My country, right or wrong.

5463. Re: ...the screw who turned Bill In to Feds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Spunky The Waffle Iron <spunky@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <3807AC7F263D5312.479E062F9332895C.D3D86BD7A523CD16@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I think you screwing Bill like you did was an attempt for you to have this channel for yourself
instead of having to share all the attention with Bill.
I think we should all killfile you as a protest in your activity against Bill.

5464. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37505994.7E2C@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gentalmen lets clarify something here. The FCC has access to my station anytime they like BUT they don't have access to my home! I spent over 10,000 dallors to protect my family from the garbage on ham radio and so my wife and children can continue enjoying their privacy if the FCC were ever going to inspect my station.
I spent the 10,000 dallors on a 16X12 concrete bock building, with 2X4 interior walls with R-19 insulation and sheetrock walls. This is what houses my ham radio station and my computer shop.
I would sujest if you guys don't want a fedral offical snooping around your home take the time and money to build yourself one of these buildings for YOUR ham radio station.
73 from Oris
Save the Constitution and the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian!
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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5465. Re: ...the screw who turned Bill In to Feds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: myway@ix.netcom.com
Message-ID: <7ipld3$bnq@sjx-ixn5.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In
<3807AC7F263D5312.479E062F9332895C.D3D86BD7A523CD16@library-proxy.airne
s.net> "Spunky The Waffle Iron" <spunky@nospam.org> writes:
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>this channel for yourself
>instead of having to share all the attention with Bill.
>I think we should all killfile you as a protest in your activity
against =
>Bill.
>
we are...do likewise

please

bill conduit
etc.

5466. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <928013987.083.30@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141248
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote in message
news:375006C2.29853FB3@IEEE.org...
> Will Sparks wrote:
> >
> > One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't
have to
> > write low level code to access the sound card.
>
> DOS is conspicuous by its absence. Aren't there DOS drivers available
> for soundcards? Are there standard DOS calls available for soundcards?
> If not, could we come up with some? How is/was soundcard interfacing
> handled under DOS?

Interaction in DOS is/was at a hardware and firmware level. Thus, SB compatibility was a significant issue in the bad-old-days. During software installation, the setup program looks for the SB environment strings, or queries you for the IRQ, and I/O and DMA ports. Some "game engines" supply sound libraries, almost always supporting SB. Quality varies. The most stable of these is Win9x. :)

Michael.

5467. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3750602E.3BF1A536@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Your post is an attempt to re- and mis-direct the discussion, Bill.
I freely said I don't have the answers.
The fact that I don't know the answers
doesn't mean I can't define the problem.
Defining it is the first step to fixing it.

The FCC is beating the Liberty Net -which I don't support-
with a rule and refusing to apply that same club to the Intercon.
They get away with "interpreting" rules however they like,
according to the political expedience of the hour.
That's simply unjust and immoral.

That, in a nutshell, is the problem.

If *you* have any answers which are to the point,
other then pointing a finger at people and yelling
about what they've already said they don't know,
I'm sure we'd love to hear them.

73 Dave AB5S

5468. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Feustel <feustel@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <375067F6.EA079E96@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141250
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

This approach is not cheap, but very interesting.

Buy a TI 'c6x01 eval kit ($999 or 1450, dependeing upon whether
you buy the fixed point or floating point unit). The DSP eval card
plugs into the PCI bus and is downloaded via the PCI bus in WinNT
(I'm not sure whether it works with Win95/98 or not). Included is
a C compiler, IDE, emulator and download software. The DSP card
has line in, line out and mike in audio ports.

See TI and DNA Enterprises for details.

http://www.dnaent.com/
http://www.ti.com/sc/docs/products/dsp/index.htm

MOstrowski wrote:
>
> I'd like to hear from anyone who has written digital signal decoding
> software using sound cards.
>
> I'm currently searching for information relating to decoding digital signals
> (CW, RTTY, AMTOR,
> CLOVER, PSK31, etc) using a sound card. I've used several of such software
> packages currently
> available for download and I like to try my hand a writing something
> similar. I have many years
> experience professionally programming both DOS and Windows applications
> using C/C++/MFC,
> but have never had need to interface to a sound card until now. I'd like
> this application to be
> Windows 95/98 based but I've heard rumors that directly accessing the sound
> card interface is
> difficult, if not impossible, under that OS.
>
> Any tips you can pass along that can get me started will be greatly
> appreciated; also any info
> on books/articles/websites/source code/libs you've found helpful.
>
> Michael Ostrowski - KI8IK
> Saline, MI
>
> KI8IK@yahoo.com

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David Feustel

Fort Wayne, Indiana
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Hear what NO NETWORK NEWS STATION Dares to Report:

David J. Smith on WWCR, Mon-Fri http://www.newswatchmagazine.org
5070 KHz, 7am EST
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William Cooper on WCBQ, Mon-Thu http://www.harvest-trust.org
7415 KHz, 8-10pm EST

Alex Jones on RepublicRadio Mon-Fri http://www.infowars.com
9400 KHz, 1-2pm EST

John Roland on AFN, Mon-Fri http://www.americannewsnet.com
9370 KHz USB, 1-3pm

What? You don't have a shortwave radio?
Oh. Never Mind.

5469. Re: Rogue canceler canceled

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529182740.18583.00001359@ng-fl1.aol.com>
Source record: 141251

<< Subject: Rogue canceler canceled >>

HOW ABOUT TELLING US HIS NAME AND CALLSIGN? AF2Y, Doc and TNX
If you don't want to post it for all, how about an E? I'll say nothing.

5470. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529183530.18583.00001363@ng-fl1.aol.com>
Source record: 141252

<< Subject: FCC can "seek information"
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Date: Sat, May 29, 1999 1:45 AM
Message-id: <199905290145.DAA14554@mail.replay.com>

From today's ARRL letter, Volume 18, Number 22 (May 28, 1999)
<<<Look, you anonymous cowardly fool. Riley is out to protect our bands from being infringed by foreign interests. The Liberty Net does NOTHING to enchance the proper image of American ham radio. In fact, the monstrous white extremist anti-Semitic Nazi-loving muthas are intentionally helping to destroy our beloved hobby/service in the same way they hope to overthrow our government. Riley knows this; I know it and so does everyone else who prides himself on being an American.
AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>>>

An excerpt from "FCC'S HOLLINGSWORTH QUESTIONS LIBERTY NET"

Hollingsworth also pointed out that Congress has authorized the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the qualifications of a licensee or applicant.

What does this mean, "seek information". It could mean doing some research by reading articles or talking to ex-wives. While this article focuses on the Liberty Net, it could apply to individual amateur radio operators.

What determines the "qualifications of a licensee or applicant"? Is passing the written and code tests enough? In most cases, yes. But it looks like there can be other conditions. I wonder what they might be. Violating FCC rules certainly can bring about a license suspension. How about violating other laws? Like advocating the overthrow of the US Government. Certainly that could bring about some type of information seeking action at the very least.

Food for thought. What do you think?

Entire article is at:

http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter/99/0528/#hollingsworth

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5471. TO GEORGE ZIMMERLEE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529184841.18583.00001372@ng-fl1.aol.com>
Source record: 141253

Based on the insidious anti-government stuff you constantly post, I hope you miscalculate to no innocent person's detriment and have the FBI kick your ass. I'm an American and proud of it. My mother's three brothers fought for and two were wounded for fighting for this nation in the European and Pacific theatres from 1941-1945. The only thing wrong with this government exists in your sick demented mind in which you confuse topics of religion and politics. No one is after Christians. No one is after Jews. No one is after any other religionist. This government persecution is entirely fabricated and embellished by you and your numbnut cohorts. You don't like the USA? Then get the hell out. You can always be replaced by someone from overseas who sees America as the beacon of hope and yearns for the chance to kiss our soil. AF2Y, Doc

5472. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <375f777b.376804@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 141254
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS

The Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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5473. ### VISITORS TO FLORIDA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <37507708.261622@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 141255
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is a mesage for all Radio Amateurs visiting the Central Florida
area and the world's largest family attractions destination...

Walt Disney World, Sea World, Universal Studios, MGM Studios,
and lots others

http://www.qsl.net/lmars

If you need information on amateur radio resources in the area try
surfing over to the web site of the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio
Society. Here you'll find email links to club members that can assist
with information and other contacts in the area.

And if you need to know what repeaters are active in the area check
the "WD4GDB Repeater List" link for a complete list of active
repeaters here in the Central Florida area and around the attractions.

http://www.qsl.net/lmars

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

5474. Re: Changing address with FCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: WW - KB9TMP <"kb9tmp<AT>"@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <375085D1.1BAEE797@qsl.net>
Source record: 141256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

PopTician wrote:
>
> Hi, I have moved recently and I need to change my address with the FCC.
> How do I go about doing it? Can I change it online? Thanks
> Mike

-- It's going to be real hard for anyone to deal with the FCC today.
There web site is down possibly from the hacker attack on the Feds over
the last few days. To read about it go to the ZDNet web site at
http://www.zdnet.com/zdnn/stories/news/0,4586,2267705,00.html?chkpt=hpqs014

"73" from the cornfields of Orange County Indiana!
<'}}}>< <'}}}>< WW - KB9TMP <'}}}>< <'}}}><
E-Mail me at: kb9tmp<AT>@qsl.net
Home Page: http://www.qsl.net/kb9tmp/
Church URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in/orleanschristian/
Wonder Valley Camp URL: http://www.angelfire.com/in2/wvc

5475. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <6T043.430$9n.19523@typ52b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Assertions that "I have the facts but you can't see them" are the oldest and
cheapest trick around.

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
ah549@chebucto.ns.ca wrote in message ...
> I'm familiar with the case in issue here, and your
>name calling will not change the facts, and nobody really
>cares whether you choose to believe them or not. The
>choice is yours.
>
> Hollingsworth has had the pertinent facts in this
>case for several weeks now. Whether he has chosen to
>act or not is unknown.
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> Yes, there is some necessary anonymity
> involved here. Hollingsworth deserves a chance to
>clean up his own house without alot of unnecessary
>publicity. Moreover, attorneys for the amateurs who
>Hollingsworth is investigating deserve an opportunity to
>examine certain information and determine if it is of
>any benefit in their clients' cases.
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> Go troll elsewhere.
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>
>Joe Schlatter wrote in message ...
>>How about some names, dates, freqs, facts, and figures -- not the
anonymous
>>accusations that you have posted.
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>>Until you step up to the plate, identify yourself, and name names, IMO
your
>>post is 100% bullshit.
>>

>>--
>>Regards,
>>Joe Schlatter
>>joe@schlatter.org
>>http://www.schlatter.org/
>>http://www.miafacts.org/
>>Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
>>Anonymous wrote in message <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>...
>>> And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to
>>>enforcing rules, regulations, & ethics within the
>>>FCC CIB!
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>>> He was advised weeks ago from several sources,
>>>concerning an internal CIB problem and security breach
>>>where a CIB official, operating during official duty hours
>>>from his office on government property, while on the public
>>>pay roll , was and STILL IS conducting personal
>>>business via amateur radio.
>>>
>>> This smacks of HYPOCRISY! when Hollingsworth and
>>>the FCC will not require their own employees to adhere
>>>to civil service ethics, regulations, and rules! Yet,
>>> Hollingsworth is running around like a goody two-shoes
>>>requiring amateurs to obey rules, regulations, and vague
>>>"ethical" guidelines. Even so far as to JUSTIFY their
>>>qualifications to hold an amateur license.
>>>
>>> This situation has existed for over a decade! and
>>>still continues to this day.
>>>
>>> Even worse, this person has disclosed sensitive
>>>internal FCC information, including ongoing FCC
>>>investigations, investigative techniques, and FCC
>>>equipment descriptions and capabilities. All the above
>>>is taking place openly via amateur radio on an almost
>>>daily basis. One would think CIB managers and
>>>Hollingsworth would honor their oaths of office and plug
>>>this decade old security leak before running around
>>>shoving rules, regulations, and vague ethics down
>>>everyone's throat!
>>>
>>> How about CIB signature analysis techniques and
>>>equipment? That was last week's topic of discussion!
>>>
>>> Perhaps the solution to this decade-old problem
>>>which Hollingsworth, the FCC, and CIB are unwilling or
>>>unable to rectify is to begin posting the information, which
>>>this FCC employee is disclosing, on the internet for even
>>>a wider audience to take advantage of.
>>>

>>> Perhaps the people who Hollingsworth is
>>>strong-arming to justify their qualifications to hold an
>>>amateur license should supply Congress, the media,
>>>and their attorneys with concise examples of the way
>>>in which the FCC and CIB will not enforce rules, regulations,
>>>and ethics when it comes to their own organization.
>>>
>>> HYPOCRISY with a capital H.
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>>>Hollingsworth Hypocrisy! Clean your own house, before
>>>telling others to clean theirs!
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5476. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <dU043.1672$ZQ1.23918@typ42b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Nice shack there, Oris. Mine is consigned to an upstairs closet. But, one day . . .

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Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Oris wrote in message <37505994.7E2C@dirtball.com>...
>Gentalmen lets clarify something here. The FCC has access to my station
>anytime they like BUT they don't have access to my home! I spent over
>10,000 dallors to protect my family from the garbage on ham radio and so
>my wife and children can continue enjoying their privacy if the FCC were
>ever going to inspect my station.
> I spent the 10,000 dallors on a 16X12 concrete bock building, with 2X4
>interior walls with R-19 insulation and sheetrock walls. This is what
>houses my ham radio station and my computer shop.
> I would sujest if you guys don't want a fedral offical snooping around
>your home take the time and money to build yourself one of these
>buildings for YOUR ham radio station.
> 73 from Oris
>Save the Constitution and the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian!
>--
>
>
> http://www.dirtball.com
>
>97.1 Basis and purpose.
> (d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
> SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5477. If he only knew....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Mather <capecodhams@eudoramail.com>
Message-ID: <IKIDPKOCGIGEBAAA@shared1-mail.whowhere.com>
Source record: 141259

KIM: Daniel Atkinson in the U.K., a frequent contributor to this program, thought that the interview two weeks ago with Graham Mytton was very interesting. Dr. Mytton is the recently retired head of audience research and audience mail and BBC World Service. He observed that much of the programming in international; radio is boring. Daniel adds his own comments:

TALENT: He made some excellent points which it seems are sort of accepted as being the case in International Broadcasting, yet few people ever shout out and proclaim them. I think its very useful that these issues are brought more out to the fore for discussion.

When I first started shortwave listening at the age of 14, I found some of the broadcasters intensely dull. These same broadcasters I now find very interesting, yet their formats haven't altered. Its just that I've come to appreciate content more and focus less on presentation.

Nevertheless, I feel that International Broadcasters in particular seem to be very poor when
it comes to programme presentation. Often it is simply the voice of a presenter, frequently not very charismatic, and this can be a real turn-off. Yet VOA, Radio Netherlands, Deutsche Welle, and other large international broadcasters have gone that extra step to bring a dynamic image to their broadcasts, and I'm sure it can only have done them good.

If younger listeners are to be targeted, broadcasters don't need to take on a condescending attitude, but some audio stimulation can go a long way. The fast paced, youth-orientated 'Roughly Speaking' on Radio Netherlands is a fine example of this. I personally don't need to hear fancy jingles and rapid paced content, but such qualities undoubtedly enhance listening enjoyment for others and could make the difference between programming being kept on, or switched off.

This is especially important for international broadcasters, because listeners have to tune in
especially, rather than the programming always being available at the push of a button. In order to ensure listeners are making the effort to tune in every week at a certain time, the
programming has to be especially appealing. International broadcasters must strive to become more than simply a curiousity or passing interest. This is clearly visible from some stations' mailbag shows, which rustle up no more than a few reception reports and a handful of letters from devoted listeners with a special interest in the country. Perhaps the
fact that many international broadcasters are government-funded and -based means the grey suit of government churns out an equally grey format of programming.

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5478. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <philkane>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnarpbzzynjpragrepbz.fcipb80.pminews@nntp1.ba.best.com>
Source record: 141260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 29 May 1999 17:00:06 GMT, Bill, KD0HG wrote:

> > At one time a felony conviction was a bar to holding a
> > license. That was dropped a long time ago. If one's criminal
> > record does not impinge on operating a radio (i.e the crimes
> > had nothing to do with radio) it is no longer a bar.
>
> I don't know if it applies to the Amateur Service, but I
> believe the FCC is obliged under recently enacted law to revoke
> commercial operator's licenses if the applicant or possessor is
> convicted of certain offenses; drug trafficking comes to mind.

That is requirec by a separate procedure that applies to all
licensees in all radio services.

> The nature of the disqualifying offenses would have nothing to
> do with radio. I don't have a my office copies of the CFR here
> at home, perhaps someone else can clarify this.

Acyually it came about from DJs and otger radio folks taking
payola in the form of white powder....

73 de Phil Kane - K2ASP

5479. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Michael Young <nobody@all.org>
Message-ID: <928033779.440.53@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141261
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

It's not. You just open the device, and pass buffers in and out. The multimedia library takes care of the rest.

Michael.

Chris Smolinski <csmolinski@erols.com> wrote in message news:csmolinski-ya02408000R2905991539100001@news.erols.com...
> I'm really surprised it's such a chore to implement this stuff under
> Windows. Not to turn this into an OS war, but reading sampled sound (and

5480. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iqajgpjg1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 141262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:

>Most important, they are gentlemen who adhere to the spirit and the
>rules of Amateur radio -- and their detractors are not.

Kevin,

After seeing your web page, I finally have an idea what the Liberty Net is about. Because I am located a long distance from the east coast, I have never heard the net or the jammers on the radio. Anyone who has not seen your web page description of the Liberty Net might benefit from visiting it. I know I did.

Two things in particular struck me when reading the web page. One, you say that you have never found many aspects of ham radio interesting and that taking to people on the ham bands is something you felt was generally boring until you found the Liberty Net. Two, you suggest that the people who jam the Liberty Net do so because you feel they are not capable of participating in discussions at your level.

As I said before, I have never heard your net, and I have not bothered to read the tons of hogwash posted to Usenet over the last few years about it, pro or con. Since I haven't heard the net, I can't comment about net members breaking the 'rules' of amateur radio. The people who jam the net obviously are breaking the rules and should be punished appropriately.

The 'spirit' of ham radio is another subject. Somewhere, many years ago, maybe from my elmer, I heard it said that politics and church matters were two subjects that were better saved for forums that did not include the ham bands. I'm sure that's not a rule, but it seemed like a good idea to me. I'm pretty sure that when the FCC established the amateur radio service, they didn't do it with the intent of providing a public forum for you and your friends who are capable of higher levels of discussion than most hams to air your political or religious views.

I understand the jamming of the Liberty Net has been going on for years, please correct me if I am wrong on that assumption. I fail to understand why anyone who professes to be interested in participating in serious, high level discussions, as you say you are, would continue to do so in a forum that is plagued by constant interference, jamming, and profanity. Seems to me you and the net members would be smart enough to take your discussion elsewhere where you could enjoy it without the peanut

gallery pestering you on a regular basis. But you don't. So I must surmise that maybe, just maybe, you and your friends participate in the net because you obtain some hidden joy from causing all the jamming and the hate and discontent that the net causes. Remember, you said you are otherwise bored with ham radio anyway.

While most hams, me included, would champion your freedom of speech, constitutions rights, etc. I think most hams would agree that the amateur radio service wasn't intended to provide you with a quasi broadcast environment to exercise them. While you may not have broken any rules, you and your fellow net participants, in my opinion, are pissing all over the spirit of ham radio and I'm sure that the majority of hams would probably agree with that opinion.

Twenty meters wasn't intended to be God's business band, but it used that way on a regular basis by people who understand that following the 'rules' doesn't include abiding by the 'spirit' of ham radio. Twenty meters also wasn't intended to be used as an international HF telephone switch by people in leaky sailboats, but it is used that way on a regular basis by people who understand that following the 'rules' doesn't include abiding by the 'spirit' of ham radio. And seventy five meters wasn't intended to provide you with a forum to air your superior views on politics and I'm sure you must be smart enough to realize that you although you may be following the 'rules' that when it comes to the 'spirit' of ham radio you are so far out in left field that you've hit your head on the upper deck of bleachers.

You should be really proud of yourself, Kevin, your Liberty Net is a testament to the fact of how screwed up ham radio has become. Hardly a day goes by in this newsgroup when one of the no-code proponents doesn't use you as an example of why incentive licensing doesn't work.

The use of the amateur bands is a privilege that is granted to people, not a right guaranteed by anything to anyone in particular. In my opinion, you are no better than the jammers - you both cause a black stain on the spirit of ham radio. Now that somebody with a bottle of stain remover has come along at the FCC, I sincerely hope he smears enough of it on all of you so that you all disappear in the next load of dirty laundry.

If you and your Liberty Net friends are half as smart as you'd like the rest of us to think you are, you'd do the world and yourselves a favor and disappear on your own. Do the rest of us a favor and take the sailboat geeks and the bible bangers with you and don't let the door hit you in the back of the head on the way out, you've already got that nasty lump from the bleachers.

You are indeed entitled to your views, Kevin. But the rest of us are also entitled to not hearing them when we tune our radios in the ham bands, and we are entitled to not having the spirit of amateur

radio stained by your presence. Rush Lamebrain pays for his airtime.
We don't owe you any for free. You wouldn't know what the spirit of
ham radio was if you tripped over it, so if you've come here to preach,
please stick to the rules.....

73, Jim KH2D

5481. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7iqar0$aok@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Anonymous wrote in message <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>...

> And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to

"Anonymous" sounds like a real nut case.

That, in addition to being a coward. (Anonymous)

Bet he's a "Liberty Nut".

73 DE Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

5482. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7iqar1$aok@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oris wrote in message <37505994.7E2C@dirtball.com>...

>Gentalmen lets clarify something here. The FCC has access to my station
>anytime they like BUT they don't have access to my home! I spent over
>10,000 dallors to protect my family from the garbage on ham radio and so

Maybe that streak of unreasoning paranoia is why they're called "Liberty
Nuts".

Notice how he STARTS OFF with spelling any 4th grader would be ashamed of?

Notice how he was so sure that the FCC would end up having to visit his
shack? Only somebody who has been in the wrong AND KNOWS IT has any reason
to expect such a thing.

I sure am glad to see that the FCC is finally "taking out the trash".

Way to go, FCC! Obviously you folks have got the nut cases quite nervous
about no longer being able to get away with acting like lids.

That's what I like to see. Not long ago the average "career lid" didn't have
much to be nervous about, and talked real big about their "rights".
Now we're seeing the character defamation which invariably follows any time
someone dares to speak up about these "Liberty Nut" clowns. That means
they're running scared.

Way to go, FCC! Sock it to 'em!

73 DE Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

5483. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3750BFF5.E6C83B40@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Bill, KD0HG" wrote:

> Let me get this straight, David. Are you stating the"problem" is ...
>Am I correctly defining the so-called problem as you see it?
No.

>...Is this a concept you cannot grasp?
No; I grasp what you said just fine.
It was tough because it sort of wandered around,
and most of it was beside the point, but I did grasp it.
Moreover, your impuning my intellect rather then arguing
to the point helps prove my argument about the majority of people.
Thank you.

>...Obviously, you opinion differs, David.
Yes- it does.

> I've said my piece on this for now...(I'm) getting back
> to family, work and hamming...
Doubtless a good idea.

>...I wonder if this is why people don't
> single me out for jamming.....
The advantage of being a member of a compliant herd
is that one does not draw attention to one's self.
The members never get noticed, but then the
idea of a herd is safety, not achievement.

Regards,
Dave AB5S

5484. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iqlt3vga1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 141266
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:

>To me, the spirit of amateur radio is the free and friendly
>non-commercial exchange of ideas, and the development of technical
>skills, via radio waves. In the process, our nations and our lives
>are enriched by our conversations and the friendships which grow
>from them.

Let me ask you a question, Kevin.

Last night I was on 20 meters, and I talked to eight other hams. The first conversation was with a station in the U.S., and we talked about Yaesu radios, audio quality, microphone elements, and some internal menu settings in the Yaesu radios. After that I talked to another U.S. station that I knew, we just said hi and bye as he had to go do something.

Then I talked to a UA0 who was primarily interested in a QSL card, follow by a short contact with 7Q7DC where we played spin the antennas for a few minutes to see if propagation was better LP or SP.

After that I spent over an hour talking to a U.S. ham on the west coast. We discussed computers, the internet, digital signal processing, and a bunch of other electronic/computer/ham related 'stuff'. He looked at our club web pages, where I have a bunch of Guam pictures, and we talked about Guam, typhoons, and I explained some of the pictures he was looking at. We discussed my house, and his two houses, construction and size wise. We talked about available software for sound cards, he told me about some of the projects he was working on, I told him about some I am working on - again, ham radio/computer/electronics kind of 'stuff'. After a long, enjoyable conversation, he had to go and I spent a another ten minutes or so talking to two other U.S. stations who were primarily interested in QSL cards from Guam.

All in all, I spent probably two and a half hours on the radio, and during that time, talking to eight other hams about a bunch of different things, and listening to other hams talking, I never heard two seconds of jamming, profanity, or malicious interference from anyone.

Now that I think about it, in twenty plus years of operating on all the ham bands, the closest I have come to being the subject of intentional interference from another ham is a few frequency related CQ duels during a contest, and being someone who enjoys contesting, I have

come to expect that as something that's just bound to happen now
and then.

Although I'm not an expert on being jammed, I would imagine that
what people are talking about or doing on the radio is very much
related to the content or operating practices of the hams on the
receiving end of the jamming.

Obviously, since nobody bothers to jam my amateur communications,
you guys must be talking about something different than the things
I normally talk about on the radio.

So what is it that you guys talk about on the Liberty Net that seems
to upset so many people and provoke all the jamming, when all the
things I talk about on the ham bands don't seem to get
anybody upset ?

> I and you have always been free to discuss, as gentlemen, whatever
> we please with our radio friends since the beginning of amateur
> radio.

First of all, that's technically incorrect. We have never been free to
discuss business, and only recently have we been free to discuss
ordering pizza with our local pizza parlor.

I don't agree with that, sorry. I don't think religious beliefs, polictical
beliefs, racial predjudices, or anything you would see on the Jerry
Springer show should be discussed on the ham bands. And I don't
think anybody needs to make a rule telling us we shouldn't be discussing
those subjects on the ham bands, I think we should be smart enuff
to figure that out for ourselves. Most first grade teachers don't discuss
their weekend sexual escapades with their students every Monday
morning, even though there is no hard firm rule preventing them from
doing so - they have the common sense not to.

If I was to stand up on a trash can in the Narita airport and start
yelling "I HATE ASIANS" as loud as I could, I would also think that any
reactions solicited from the people around me would be a direct result
of my own actions. I can't help but feel the same way about your
jamming problem.

Ham radio is a hobby to many of us, a service to some of us. Hobbys
and volunteer services are supposed be enjoyable pastimes. I don't see
how you can come from a busy day at work, turn on your radio, and
enjoy being jammed (since 1992) unless your definition of fun is much
different than mine.

73, Jim KH2D

5485. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iqm71vga2@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 141267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Oris wrote in message <37505994.7E2C@dirtball.com>...

> I spent the 10,000 dallors on a 16X12 concrete bock building, with 2X4
> interior walls with R-19 insulation and sheetrock walls. This is what
> houses my ham radio station and my computer shop.

Hey Oris, what's a 'dallor', is that like the new currency to replace
Confederate dollars ? Or is that some kind of local southern money ?

73, Jim KH2D

5486. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Fanning <tom.f@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <7irui1$7eb$1@uranium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 141268
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I take it this will be 1200 baud packet.

Also please Please PLEASE port your brilliant software to the PC - not necesarily Windows

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Regards,
Tom
tom.f@btinternet.com
Chris Smolinski <csmolinski@erols.com> wrote in message news:csmolinski-ya02408000R2905991539100001@news.erols.com...
> I'm really surprised it's such a chore to implement this stuff under
> Windows. Not to turn this into an OS war, but reading sampled sound (and
> playing sound for transmit mode) hasn't been a major problem on the Mac
> (for my MultiMode). Perhaps it has to do with Microsoft's implementation.
I
> haven't done any serious Windows programming (I sometimes consider porting
> MultiMode over to Windows, although this discussion seems to imply that
the
> sound I/O isn't trivial), but it's quite simple on the Mac. You decide
> which sound input device to use, set the sample rate, sample size, etc,
and
> that's it. Specify how many samples you want, and your callback procedure
> gets called (at interrupt time) when they're ready. The sound input is
> buffered, so nothing gets lost if it takes a few extra milliseconds (or
> even seconds) before your procedure gets called again. (Perhaps because
> you're doing some special processing and disabled interrupts, or aren't
> ready, for whatever reason)
>
> After first writing my low-level sound input routines, I haven't touched
> them in a year of adding new modes to MultiMode, except one time, to
handle
> the newer G3 Macs that can only sample at 44 kHz.
>
> Packet will more slightly more of a challenge, due to the quick
turn-around
> times required, but it still looks quite easy.
>
> 73's
> Chris
> N3JLY
>
>

> In article <7iopgkjbj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>, "Mark J. Fine"
> <fineware@erols.com> wrote:
>
> > Will Sparks <willy@home.com> wrote in message
> > > One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't
have to
> > > write low level code to access the sound card. The drivers take care
of it,
> >
> > The problem with what you're saying is that the drivers are only meant
for
> > playback and recording in a certain format - NOT the kind of FFT
processing
> > that's required. This processing is also not available in the standard
sound
> > dll.
> >
> > > Decoding RTTY doesn't need real-time processing. Sure, VB isn't quite
up to
> > > snuff for it, but it does make a nice front end so you don't have to
spend a
> > > lot of time writing C++ code. Use a DLL for all the signal processing.
> > > Buffers can take care of any processing lag, although decoding RTTY
isn't
> > > exactly "intensive".
> >
> > Disagree. It's a lot more complicated than you think. There's not just
the
> > decoding part that needs to be done here. There's also the issue of
> > discriminating the desired tones from the rest of the clutter and noise
that
> > you're passing through there. You need FFTs to do this since
zero-crossing
> > techniques just don't cut it in a real signal environment.
> >
> > Once that filtering is done, only then can you start decoding the
signal. I
> > agree that some buffering is required, but you only have so much buffer
space
> > for windowing an accurate capture and hold function. Sooner or later if
the
> > processing isn't fast enough, you will have a buffer overflow and will
lose
> > synchronization. I've done this with single-processor 486s, Pentiums
and
> > Pentium II machines. They all overflow at some point when trying to do
this
> > with the standard interfaces to a sound card.
> >
> > Since we're not talking about true multi-processing operating

> > systems/environments, the signal processing is too intense for the
results to
> > be refreshed to any Windows user interface (especially with VB). This
may be
> > a bad analogy, but the result is similar to getting dropouts on
RealAudio. If
> > you're dropping large chunks of data during the buffering process,
what's the
> > point.
> >
> > The bottom line here is that sound cards were never designed to be true
signal
> > processing chips like the TMS series. If people want a real decoder in
their
> > machines, they need a different card that's going to do the extra
processing
> > for them rather than rely on their main processor to do it for them.
> >
> > 73,
> >
> > [* Mark J. Fine * FineWare * 11252 Cardinal Drive *]
> > [* Remington, Virginia 22734-2032 * USA * 3834N 07751W *]
> > [* fineware@erols.com * http://www.erols.com/fineware/ *]
> > [* Smart R8 Control * SWBC Schedule Subscription Service *]
> > [* Smart Lowe Ctrl * Smart Kenwood Ctrl * Smart NRD Ctrl *]
> > [*SWBC Interval Signals * Smart Audio Control * TTY Reader*]
>
> --
> Check out Black Cat Systems for radio (pirate, spy numbers) and Mac
> software. http://www.blackcatsystems.com
>
> The Numbers Racket - a CD-ROM of Spy Numbers stations, info available at
> http://www.blackcatsystems.com/numbers

5487. Heil-Ten Tec Combo ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zn <AT>
Message-ID: <7is63iubi1@nntp1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141269

anybody have any experience with the Heil Goldline, and how it mates
up with the Ten Tec Omni Vl + with the goldline & the HC-4 installed?

TIA-N4ZN/Mike

5488. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zn <AT>
Message-ID: <7is6sdubi2@nntp1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141270

Code Quick Tapes worked well for me after trying the Gordo tapes &
super morse, Nu Morse etc. It teaches each character to you as SOUND.
After passing up thru advanced, I got hold of the Computer Program
for Code Quick. I wouldn't recommend it for learning it from the
start, but darn good at getting the speed up.
After you know the code, I'll recommend a website to practice on:
http://www.biochem.mcw.edu/Postdocs/Simon/radio/exam.html
it also has practice for the written tests.
Above all.... when you get your first upgrade... USE IT USE IT USE
IT !!!!! You'll find plenty of others at your speed in the novice
section of 40 & 80 mtrs... so don't be worried about getting run over.
A friend of mine and myself got on 10 mtrs for one week, and worked up
to 13 WPM, and passed our tests at the hamfest. Of course, don't stop
for a breath after your upgrade... it's alot easier to keep the ball
rolling after you kick it the first time. Keep on till you get to the
top. Shouldn't take you over six months unless you want it to.

GOOD LUCK.... you may find you enjoy it once you get a grip on it.
73
N4ZN/Mike

Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net> wrote:

>Tapes are a fine place to get your feet wet. I wouldn't have gotten as far as
>fast without computer CW training, though. You can download shareware/freeware
>CW trainers all over the place. There is SuperMorse, NuMorse, and a load of
>others. Try them all to find the one you like the best. Above all, practice
>every single day, and you'll be at 13 WPM before you know it. Good luck.

>Stoli126 wrote:
>>
>> I just received my no code tech license. I want to upgrade to tech plus
>> I just bought the Gordon West Tapes. Is Morse Code hard to learn and or
>> can someone give me some pointers on a study process Is there anything
>> better than the tapes or what other learning methods are there
>> Thank you

>--
>Will White, KD7BFX

>to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5489. Re: -MORSE- Everyone Please read this!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: n4zn <AT>
Message-ID: <7is829ubi3@nntp1.atl.mindspring.net>
Source record: 141271

Pappy@sgi.net wrote:

> I was so confident eorn's ago about
>passing the general code test I bought a ts-430s and now it just sits
>there collecting dust. In fact it hasn't been on for over 8 yrs.

Well..... just a thought. Maybe if you fired that thing off on the
novice/tech + portions of 40 & 80 mtrs and used what you learned, the
rest would have happened. Not being a smart-arse, but that's what did
it for me. 73-Mike R.

5490. WHY DAY, DATE, TIME but not SUBJECT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: PDWK66A@prodigy.com
Message-ID: <7inf94$2eoo$1@newssvr01-int.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 141276

I use Prodigy Classic and today all of the subjects were

DAY, DATE, TIME

and not an actual subject.

Is this just a Prodigy problem,

or something to do with newsgroups that I have not seen before?

73 de JOHN

5491. FS: New 5-pin Nuvistor sockets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmoss@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <374f43ed.1172572@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141277
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Cinch Jones 5NS Ring type 5-pin Nuvistor sockets. New. $1 each plus shipping.

Compare to Antique Electronic Supply 1999 price of $2.70 each.

Marv

5492. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528214020.12503.00007742@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 141278

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 8:30 PM
Message-id:
<6C7F0D9184EB0732.118B1DBAF0684229.DB9B874A9E9EC917@library-proxy.airnews.net>

Radiosigs wrote:
> And God said to the Hebrew people,"I will bless those
> who blesseth thee and curse those who curseth thee."
> All anti-Semites will perish. Doc,AF2Y

No, I am a Christian, and I can never perish. I am
anti-Zionist as is God. I support the cause of the
Semitic Palestinians, the rightful owners of
Palestine. Since I am Israel, the blessing is to
me, not the Jews.<<<<<Hey "Staggerlee," you're the kwaziest cwistian that ever be. Christians are not anti-Zionist and anti-Israel or anti-Jewish. Only miserable scumbags like you, who PRETEND to be Christian, are. You remind me of a Crusader invading the Holy Land, slaughtering Moslems and saying, "Jesus made me do it." You got "Jesusitis of the Rectum," that's your trouble. You're a big mouthed Jew-hating Hun slob who doesn't know his *&%$* from a hole in the wall. Jesus loves you,Staggerlee? You two bit schmuck, thinking that a nice Jewish fellow like he would cotton up to a bigot. Don't come on this board and proclaim your Christianity when in truth you are lower than the bottom of hell if indeed such a nonsensical place like that exists. It does for the likers of fairy tales. If I were you Staggerlee, I'd go back to reading Mein Kampf and forget about real intellectual pursuits. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>>

According to you, when Jesus Christ refered to the
Jews as being of their spiritual father the Devil,
this earned God His own everlasting damnation?

Now, please address the issue of genocide carried
out against Christians inside an amateur radio
station at Mount Carmel Center, Waco, Texas, as
described at the website below.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

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5493. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528214518.12503.00007743@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 141279

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: chetlyle@bigfoot.com
Date: Fri, May 28, 1999 2:34 AM
Message-id: <7ikvce$n7b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

In article <19990527133300.28070.00002490@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
> From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
> Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 7:11 AM
> Message-id: <7iir7e$55m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> <<<And God said to the Hebrew people,"I will bless those who blesseth
thee and
> curse those who curseth thee." All anti-Semites will perish.
Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

By the evidence of your own statement, I guess the Hebrew people must
have been antisemites, because they "perished" ages ago; i.e., they
mostly disappeared through intermarriage and assimilation with other
tribes and races.
<<<Hey Jack...you're spouting off Valentine neo-Nazi propaganda. Vanguard crap.
The Jews are here to stay because the Creator didn't give the Ten Commandments
to jerks. WE ARE THE LIGHT OF THIS WORLD. WE GAVE YOU THE ETHICS TO LIVE BY.WE
GAVE YOU YOUR LORD AND SAVIOUR. WE WERE NEVER DESTINED TO WORSHIP HIM AS GOD
BECAUSE THE CREATOR FORBADE IT. GET THE MESSAGE CREEP? We're going nowhere and
if you don't like it,stuff it.AF2Y,Doc>>>>>
What we see making the news these days is the Khazars, converts to
Talmudism from southern Russia who are just wannabe Hebrews, and who
flaunt in our faces the repugnant immoral characteristics some of which
have been described by Carol Valentine.

Now if you could just get a grip on your foul mouth and hateful mind (if
such a putrid, microscopic fever-swamp may be called that), and address
the issue of the illegal destruction of the amateur radio station and
genocide at Waco: we are all ears. The floor is yours.

[text deleted]

--Chet Lyle

What is terrifying about seeking Truth
is that, one day, you actually find it. (Pierre Guillaume)

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

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5494. FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905290145.DAA14554@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141280
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

From today's ARRL letter, Volume 18, Number 22 (May 28, 1999)

An excerpt from "FCC'S HOLLINGSWORTH QUESTIONS LIBERTY NET"

Hollingsworth also pointed out that Congress has authorized
the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the
qualifications of a licensee or applicant.

What does this mean, "seek information". It could mean
doing some research by reading articles or talking to
ex-wives. While this article focuses on the Liberty Net,
it could apply to individual amateur radio operators.

What determines the "qualifications of a licensee or applicant"?
Is passing the written and code tests enough? In most cases,
yes. But it looks like there can be other conditions. I wonder
what they might be. Violating FCC rules certainly can bring
about a license suspension. How about violating other laws?
Like advocating the overthrow of the US Government. Certainly
that could bring about some type of information seeking action
at the very least.

Food for thought. What do you think?

Entire article is at:

http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter/99/0528/#hollingsworth

5495. Re: WHY DAY, DATE, TIME but not SUBJECT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <374F4ABA.F519BB16@innocent.com>
Source record: 141281

I'm not having that problem here, John.

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5496. Re: Is it true that Bill Cheek is under arrest of ECPA?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: jmackey@parg.org
Message-ID: <374F621A.2190995E@parg.org>
Source record: 141282
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,alt.fan.bill.cheek

ok guy, what ever you say.

I wonder how long befire "newsguy" stops allowing you to post
thru thier service???

Macaroon wrote:

> home.com is about to boot you. Hang on for a ride,

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5497. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <qKJ33.284$kH3.15229@news13.ispnews.com>
Source record: 141283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

So, there we were at 30,000 feet, diving into the cloud cover when someone keyed the mike and said: Anonymous wrote in message <199905290145.DAA14554@mail.replay.com>...

>From today's ARRL letter, Volume 18, Number 22 (May 28, 1999)
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>
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>
>Entire article is at:
>
>http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter/99/0528/#hollingsworth
>

So I think it helps to read an quote the whole damn article, not just bits and pieces.

Here is the whole article, less the opening paragraph:

QUOTE

Hollingsworth also pointed out that Congress has authorized the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the qualifications of a licensee or

applicant. "We are so far unable to determine how the transmissions of this group meet the standards of, or contribute to the purposes of, the allocation of frequencies for the Amateur Radio Service," Hollingsworth wrote.

Hollingsworth alluded to The Liberty Net in comments during an FCC forum at the Dayton Hamvention, openly questioning the behavior of net participants. "I don't get the connection yet" between what Liberty Net participants do on the air and the basis and purpose of Amateur Radio, he said.

In his letter to Misek, Hollingsworth suggested The Liberty Net explore operation on the Internet or seek a low-power FM broadcast grant if that service is authorized. Hollingsworth reminded Misek that Part 97 "prohibits communications on the Amateur frequencies that, on a regular basis, 'could reasonably be furnished alternatively through other services.'" He also pointed out that Part 97 prohibits broadcasting. Hollingsworth invited Misek to contact him to discuss the matter.

END QUOTE

What the article says -- quite clearly -- is that Riley is asking them to provide justification for the way they were acting on 3950. That's the information he is seeking -- an answer from this crowd.

Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH

5498. Re: Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529001324.15033.00001239@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141284
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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>
Subject: Please Stop
>Over Quoting!
>From: David Stinson
>Date: Fri, May 28, 1999 17:56 EDT
>Message-id: <374F1121.30758A07@ix.netcom.com>
>
>For Jesus Christ sweet sake and Mose's whiskers-
>
>Will you folks PUH-LEEZ stop quoting and requoting
>entire friggin' threads of messages when you reply???
>You might get a few more readers if you do.
>
>Excuse me but I can't sift through 500 blasted lines
>of text because someone is too lazy to do a little deleting.
>
>Please-- Just quote the bare amount needed to keep
>the context of your reply....sheesh!
>
>Dave AB5S
>

OK .. we won't.
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5499. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529001909.15033.00001243@ng-fn1.aol.com>
Source record: 141285

>Food for thought. What do you think?

I think you and your tribe sucks.

5500. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7inpot$i9p@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 141286
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Anonymous (nobody@replay.com) wrote:
: ----------
: Hollingsworth also pointed out that Congress has authorized
: the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the
: qualifications of a licensee or applicant.
: -----------
: What does this mean, "seek information". It could mean

Dear Mr. Nobody,

Notice that he did't say "new" authorization or anything to that affect.
Congress -has- (and for a long time already) "authorized" the FCC to
"determine the qualifications........"

In other words, it means that Part 97 outlines what requirements a person
has to meet in order to be granted an amateur licenese.

: Food for thought. What do you think?

I think you have too much time on your hands if this is your bigest
worry. :)
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

5501. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <6E41CAA770C7F049.CD4677EB3DCB71A9.6C2BF406F00682CD@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141287

Marylou@sgi.net wrote:
> Go for it Tim, it's put up or shut time

> Timothy Hynde wrote:
> If your so god damn sure about all your FCC/FBI/ATF
> conspiracy theorys why not just publish the info you
> have and bring them all to their knees.

For the both of you, Mary and Tim, you don't seem to
be able to read. The information is at the website below.

As I have come to always expect, no one, certainly
neither of you, will address the issue. Both of you
want to want to kill the messenger. The FBI has
already admitted criminality. FCC admits operations
at Waco but has worked with FBI to classify what these
were. White House hides behind a rule they made up
that does not exist, claiming exemption from the Freedom
of Information Act. White House does not deny giving
orders for the jamming, a clear abuse of power. FCC
has denied documents illegally claiming that I have
deduced too much already. Deduction is not on the list
of FOIA exemptions. None of this is a conspiracy
theory. If you don't believe it from me, ask the
agencies to justify what they did. Ask FBI to show
the authorization from US Attorneys Office to engage
in jamming operations. It doesn't exist. Do your
own research, it will amaze you.

The problem is that the amateur community is made up
of cowards who never take a stand on anything. Their
precious talking privileges are more important to them
than the entire amateur radio service, which was illegally
jammed by the FCC. The amateur radio station at Mount Carmel
Center became a concentration camp for 51 days, thereafter
it became an extermination camp. The Oversight and Justice
Committees of the House Waco Hearings found that FBI did
not negotiate in good faith, therefore the deaths of the
Davidians should be placed on the FBI for creating the
situation that resulted in an end to negotiations. Radio
communications with anyone willing to negotiate could
have saved the lives of those at the station. FBI and
FCC worked to interfere with this communications
ability, without warrant, authorization, probable cause,
or explanable need.

What I want from this NG is what I have, the opportunity
to educate. What I want from you individually is for you
to open your mind, be mindful of the difference between
a child and an adult, and act maturely. Children cannot
see beyond themselves. If this story had been printed by
the buckets-full-of-turds at ARRL, I would not have to
present the suppressed truth through the only uncensored
medium which common people still have.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5502. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <740218C6A03B0723.460FFD21FECFE3FA.0ED2BD7FE02E6196@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141288

Radiosigs wrote:
> forget about real intellectual pursuits. AF2Y, Doc

Your life story. The exalted Guru of ignorance.

Oh! Need I remind you again, you forgot to address
the issue of jamming or the genocide of Christians
at the Mount Carmel Center concentration/
extermination camp. But they were only goyim
livestock, and Jews are forbidden to care.

Is it ignorance, cowardice, or lack of logic
that caused you to run away from the issue?
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5503. Re: Family Radio Service freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <374F8180.7DEA@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141289

Donald Robert Burke wrote:
>
> In article <19990523164326.12501.00004648@ng-cd1.aol.com>,
> psu76tg@aol.com (PSU76TG) wrote:
> >I would like to find out what frequencies the popular FAMILY RADIO SERVICE
> >handhelds operate on??? are they compatible with 2 meter handhelds that have
> >been opened up for extended transmit and receive??? are the freq in the 150
> >mhz band or 450??? anyone knowledgle about these frequencies out there?
> >
> >
>
> They're in the GMRS band at about 460-465.
Family Radio Service General Mobile Radio
Service
==== ==== ===== ===== ===== ==== =====
462.5625 - CH 1 467.5625 - CH 8 462.550 462.6375 462.7250
462.5875 - CH 2 467.5875 - CH 9 462.5625 462.650
462.6125 - CH 3 467.6125 - CH 10 462.575 462.6675
462.6375 - CH 4 467.6375 - CH 11 462.5875 462.675
462.6625 - CH 5 467.6625 - CH 12 462.600 462.6875
462.6875 - CH 6 467.6875 - CH 13 462.6125 462.700
462.7125 - CH 7 467.7125 - CH 14 462.6250 462.7125

I hope this is what you wanted
73 from Oris
Save the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5504. none

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@drule.org>
Message-ID: <e0d9914c75038ce36f4b2f6324f4b710@drule.org>
Source record: 141290
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Subject: FCC can "seek information"

From today's ARRL letter, Volume 18, Number 22 (May 28, 1999)

An excerpt from "FCC'S HOLLINGSWORTH QUESTIONS LIBERTY NET"

Hollingsworth also pointed out that Congress has authorized
the FCC to seek information to enable it to determine the
qualifications of a licensee or applicant.

What does this mean, "seek information". It could mean
doing some research by reading articles or talking to
ex-wives. While this article focuses on the Liberty Net,
it could apply to individual amateur radio operators.

What determines the "qualifications of a licensee or applicant"?
Is passing the written and code tests enough? In most cases,
yes. But it looks like there can be other conditions. I wonder
what they might be. Violating FCC rules certainly can bring
about a license suspension. How about violating other laws?
Like advocating the overthrow of the US Government. Certainly
that could bring about some type of information seeking action
at the very least.

Food for thought. What do you think?

Entire article is at:

http://www.arrl.org/arrlletter/99/0528/#hollingsworth

5505. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will Sparks <willy@home.com>
Message-ID: <7io43a$551@journal.concentric.net>
Source record: 141291
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't have to write low level code to access the sound card. The drivers take care of it, and it should would on all types of sound cards. One of my biggest peeves is that most of the sound card software requires a SB16 or 64AWE sound card and doesn't support anything else since they use direct hardware calls.

Decoding RTTY doesn't need real-time processing. Sure, VB isn't quite up to snuff for it, but it does make a nice front end so you don't have to spend a lot of time writing C++ code. Use a DLL for all the signal processing. Buffers can take care of any processing lag, although decoding RTTY isn't exactly "intensive".

Mark J. Fine <fineware@erols.com> wrote in message
news:7iksor$o5o$1@autumn.news.rcn.net...
> George hit the nail on the proverbial head. The problem with signal
> processing in real time is that you need a real-time processor. Unless
your
> eating all of the processing time this can't be done reliably in Win9x.
>
> The second problem is that Win9x does not let you talk to the card at the
> hardware level, as well as to the DMA. You would need to do that to
> effectively perform near real-time capture and hold processes of any sound
> frames you're trying to deal with. Best bet there is to write a 16-bit
dll,
> which will allow you to do these things.
>
> 73,
>
> [* Mark J. Fine * FineWare * 11252 Cardinal Drive *]
> [* Remington, Virginia 22734-2032 * USA * 3834N 07751W *]
> [* fineware@erols.com * http://www.erols.com/fineware/ *]
> [* Smart R8 Control * SWBC Schedule Subscription Service *]
> [* Smart Lowe Ctrl * Smart Kenwood Ctrl * Smart NRD Ctrl *]
> [*SWBC Interval Signals * Smart Audio Control * TTY Reader*]
>
> George Privalov <george_privalov@msn.com> wrote in message
> news:eBodQzFq#GA.213@cpmsnbbsa05...
> >
> > Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote in message
> >
<5417119C35ACE747.297F3196266D03AE.8A9B850D2FF2B9FE@library-proxy.airnews.ne
> > t>...
> > :The problem with programs that use soundcards that decode radio info

can't
> > be built around visual basic
> > :as VB is so damned slow.
> >
> > Actually VB 6 is not that slow. Problem is in lack of support for
> > Multi-threading and callbacks that are required to fully exploit the
> > potential of mmsystem.dll API.
> >
> >
> > :Thus, soundcard decoder programs require the knowledge of real
programmers
> > (C++) which explains why they are so
> > :damned buggy, due to Windows needing thousands of lines of C++ code
just to
> > initialise a stupid program (being
> > :sarcastic but you C++ Windows programmers know exactly what I mean).
> >
> > Well, It's not that bad. But there is function of complexity of
> > implementation vs. size of the project. For VB it grows steeper
> > but VB starts at 0 value. C++ starts at some positive number (since you
> > will need bunch of to put "Hello World" on the screen") but grows slower
> > with size of the project. To make story short: smaller projects are
easier
> > to do at VB while large ones on C++.
> >
> > George
> >
> >
> >
> >
>

5506. Erection

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Fudge <fudge@mv.igs.net>
Message-ID: <7iohm7sgn1@news.igs.net>
Source record: 141292

I am planning an erection of a fixed, bi-directional 3 element 20 M and 15 M Qubical Quad this fall. Three 30 foot Red Pine trees have been felled and their bark stripped. They will be coated with wood preservative and tar when dry. A section of medium walled steel conduit will be bolted to the top for increased height.. Commercial fiberglass Quad's are not feasible due to extreme winds and ice storms.
I require the following software

1. A Bearing program. ie From my QTH in Eastern Ontario I wish to enter Lat and Long and receive a compass bearing for Sydney, Australia on the short path.The reverse direction to the East should be good for Central and Northern Europe. This information will be used to "sight" the antenna.

2. A Smith Chart Program. Perhaps this does not even exist. This will be used to calculate the reactances needed at the end of a short transmission line to tune the reversible Director and Reflector.

John
VA3JQ

5507. Re: Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7iob61$296l@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote in message <374F1121.30758A07@ix.netcom.com>...
>For Jesus Christ sweet sake and Mose's whiskers-
>
>Will you folks PUH-LEEZ stop quoting and requoting
>entire friggin' threads of messages when you reply???
>You might get a few more readers if you do.

Good idea! I'll try to do that.

73 DE Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

5508. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7iob62$296l@enews3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141294
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Anonymous wrote in message <199905290145.DAA14554@mail.replay.com>...

>
>Food for thought. What do you think?

I think the "Liberty Net" is a pimple on Ham Radio's forehead.

"Popped" by the FCC... After a brief healing process, Ham Radio will look
and feel much better.

73 DE Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

5509. Re: Icom IC-Q7a Cloning Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ingra-Beton@t-online.de
Message-ID: <374FB0B0.240310C@t-online.de>
Source record: 141295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio,scanner

Scott Harvey schrieb:
>
> I ran across the best deal on cloning software and computer cable and
> adaptor combination. RT Systems has a great deal. Windows Software,
> computer cable and adapter for $39.00. The same cable will work with
> the R2 when they come out with the software for that little jewel.
> Their number is 1-800-723-6922. Look here for software information:
> http://www.rtsars.com/icq7_cloning_software.htm
>
> Happy programing...Scott, KA7FVV

You can also donwnload my (free) Software for the IC-Q7
and IC-R2, you will find some things not implemented in
the competition products like adjustment mode, entering
frequences below 30MHz ...

You can also make the cable for 2 US$, that will work
with the IC-Q7 and IC-R2.

For 50 US$ you can get a interface that will:

1. program/control every radio Half and Full duplex.
2. program any eprom, seriell and parallel
3. communicate with every GSM phone, Nokia, Ericsson, ..
4. communicate with any calculator/organizer
5. read/write any Smartcard, GSM, I2C, Phonecards, ...
6. emulate any SmartCard.
7. connect temerature sensors
8. MagstripeCardReaders

any a lot more

That is the best deal.

--

Goran Vlaski (Ingra-Beton@t-online.de)
http://vlaski.virtualave.net/
http://www2.crosswinds.net/frankfurt/~vlaski/

5510. pirate

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Dennis <vk4sx@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <5uO33.1416$ZI1.6844@ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 141296

the fellow using VK4WT and calling himself John, on 20/40/80/160 ssb is a
PIRATE.
the REAL John VK4WT is a 20mtr CW OP ONLY.

5511. ### CENTRAL FLORIDA HAMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <375ddd4b.2305611@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 141297
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

LMARS

The Lake Monroe Amateur Radio Society

Invites you to visit http://www.qsl.net/lmars

We invite you to look into and see our club web site
devoted to promoting our organization and the hobby
of amateur radio.

Departments: "About Amateur Radio", "About LMARS",
"Officers, Directors and Key Members", "Member
Netlinks", "Public Service", "SKYWarn" and more.

Check in at http://www.qsl.net/lmars

And if your looking for a second email account or your
own private web space check out http://www.qsl.net

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Chester (Chet) W. Hart
wd4gdb@mpinet.net
wd4gdb@qsl.net
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O'Hearte Desktop Services
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Orlando, FL 32825-6670
407-275-5880 (voice)
ohearte@email.com
www.home.mpinet.net/wd4gdb

5512. ### VISITORS TO FLORIDA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: O'Hearte@emmail.com
Message-ID: <375edd5a.2320595@news.mpinet.net>
Source record: 141298
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipmen,rec.radio.amateur.misc

This is a mesage for all Radio Amateurs visiting the Central Florida
area and the world's largest family attractions destination...

Walt Disney World, Sea World, Universal Studios, MGM Studios,
and lots others

http://www.qsl.net/lmars

If you need information on amateur radio resources in the area try
surfing over to the web site of the Lake Monroe Amateur Radio
Society. Here you'll find email links to club members that can assist
with information and other contacts in the area.

And if you need to know what repeaters are active in the area check
the "WD4GDB Repeater List" link for a complete list of active
repeaters here in the Central Florida area and around the attractions.

http://www.qsl.net/lmars

Chet Hart, WD4GDB
wd4gdb@qsl.net

5513. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <374fdc5d.3870950@news.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141299
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:54:29 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
<theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:

>Keith Bennett wrote:
>>
>> I'm having problems with receiving the Isle of Wight monochrome TV
>> transmitter on Channel BBC-1 from this location. Has anybody based in
>> Holland any tips on the subject?
--

>> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
>Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
>Monochrome would imply.

Monochrome does not mean one colour! It means monoCHORMATIC!
On a grey scale from black to white!

>Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.

Yes, but we are talking about chrominance here, not "colours."
You don't seem to have learned the difference!

>By the way, the best Black and White is what is know as a Twistee cone.
>That is when they combine Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Ice Crea.

Sigh - again, chocolate ice cream is BROWN, not BLACK!

Maybe you are colour blind. Though I rather suspect what we have here
is misperception of chromatic DENSITY!

5514. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W1PEV <paulvanasse@tp.net>
Message-ID: <fvR33.2950$J3.107602@news15.ispnews.com>
Source record: 141300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

There is much confusion regarding what the FCC can or cannot do, and what the ramifications are to amateur license holders. The FCC is a departmental extension of the US Government that has it's own set of ADMINISTRATIVE LAWS.

The difference between STATUTE LAW and ADMINISTRATIVE LAW is that Statute Laws are passed by Congress or States for the "good of the populous". Administrative Laws are passed for the "good of the administering organization".

Take the US Park Service for example. There may be a US Park Service Administrative Law that prohibits drinking alcohol on any federal park grounds in the US. The burden is on the visitor to fully understand the rules and regulations of the park upon entering. The term "ignorance of the law is no excuse" would clearly apply.

Clearly a person can legally stand on a sidewalk, or in their own backyard and drink as much alcohol as they want. As long as this person is of age and doesn't become a nuisance, he clearly has the right to do so. This is the difference between the two types of laws. Certain individual rights are infringed when one agrees to place themselves under the hospices of an governmental department or organization. Another prime example is the military. They have a completely different set of Administrative Laws governing conduct, of which the military can question the applicability of which at any time (without Congressional approval).

Now back to the FCC. The FCC can have Congress add ADMINISTRATIVE LAWS at any time to insure the sovereignty and efficient operation of the FCC. Remember, the FCC's an extension of the government which means they have a governmental purpose for existing. When an amateur radio enthusiast applies for a license what he or she is saying is that they will act according to whatever rule or regulation is in place at that time and the FCC has the right to question the amateurs practices at any time. The burden is always on the amateur, not the FCC.

Like or not there is no constitutional amendment guaranteeing radio use. The use thereof is completely up to the discretion of the department of the US Government thats been charged with administering it. In this case that department is the FCC.

5515. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Fine" <fineware@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7iopgkjbj1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 141301
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Will Sparks <willy@home.com> wrote in message
> One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't have to
> write low level code to access the sound card. The drivers take care of it,

The problem with what you're saying is that the drivers are only meant for playback and recording in a certain format - NOT the kind of FFT processing that's required. This processing is also not available in the standard sound dll.

> Decoding RTTY doesn't need real-time processing. Sure, VB isn't quite up to
> snuff for it, but it does make a nice front end so you don't have to spend a
> lot of time writing C++ code. Use a DLL for all the signal processing.
> Buffers can take care of any processing lag, although decoding RTTY isn't
> exactly "intensive".

Disagree. It's a lot more complicated than you think. There's not just the decoding part that needs to be done here. There's also the issue of discriminating the desired tones from the rest of the clutter and noise that you're passing through there. You need FFTs to do this since zero-crossing techniques just don't cut it in a real signal environment.

Once that filtering is done, only then can you start decoding the signal. I agree that some buffering is required, but you only have so much buffer space for windowing an accurate capture and hold function. Sooner or later if the processing isn't fast enough, you will have a buffer overflow and will lose synchronization. I've done this with single-processor 486s, Pentiums and Pentium II machines. They all overflow at some point when trying to do this with the standard interfaces to a sound card.

Since we're not talking about true multi-processing operating systems/environments, the signal processing is too intense for the results to be refreshed to any Windows user interface (especially with VB). This may be a bad analogy, but the result is similar to getting dropouts on RealAudio. If you're dropping large chunks of data during the buffering process, what's the point.

The bottom line here is that sound cards were never designed to be true signal processing chips like the TMS series. If people want a real decoder in their machines, they need a different card that's going to do the extra processing for them rather than rely on their main processor to do it for them.

73,

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[* Smart R8 Control * SWBC Schedule Subscription Service *]
[* Smart Lowe Ctrl * Smart Kenwood Ctrl * Smart NRD Ctrl *]
[*SWBC Interval Signals * Smart Audio Control * TTY Reader*]

5516. TS-140S MANUAL NEEDED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: KenB <kenb5229@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7iop8r$nb3$1@remarQ.com>
Source record: 141302
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I need a service manual/operator manual for my Kenwood TS-140S.

5517. Re: AF2Y, Yuckbutt and the Tactics of Victimization

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Martin <jjm@shore.net>
Message-ID: <miS33.1161$nn.335452@news.shore.net>
Source record: 141303

CBRambo1 wrote in message <19990526184856.13058.00005066@ng-fh1.aol.com>...
>><<<THIS IS THE KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT INFLAMES. THIS IS THE
>>KIND OF RACIST CRAP THAT DEGRADES OUR HOBBY. DON'T EVER MENTION ME IN
>>ASSOCIATION WITH ANY SLUR AGAINST A MAN OF COLOR. IT'S NOT HAPPENED NOR
WILL
>>IT>>>>
>
>It't called "Free Speech" Get used to it!

So, "Free Speech" gives you license to run into a crowded Fire Station and
scream, "MOVIE!!!" ???

You'd have a stampede of fire persons running over each other. Someone
could get killed.

5518. Re: Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Martin <jjm@shore.net>
Message-ID: <aFS33.1167$nn.336105@news.shore.net>
Source record: 141304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

What is the internet/newsgroup equivalent to Road Rage. Cuz, there's a lot of it in here....

:)

5519. Re: Will White, Technician (no) class Liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <374FF6EC.54A86360@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141305
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

OK, mf_luder@my-deja.com, what a clever man you must be, whoever the hell you are (I don't know, since you don't sign your posts with a real name, but hide behind the anonymity of DejaNews) you wanted it, so here it is: first, what the <insert expletives of choice here> does my license class have to do with *anything* in
any of the *posts* I have made in response to your seething, trivial, self-fouling hate filled diatribes on this newsgroup?

Not that anyone is really interested, but so we are clear, I earned my Tech ticket the last week in March 1998, got my call Monday the 6th of April 1998. I have not upgraded yet, but will when I can pass Element 1(b). That will be this summer. I have a CSCE for 3(b) and 4(a) earned that same exam day. I have sent in my FISTS application, and just received the first issue of my subscription to Electric Radio recently. I like CW a lot; I soon will be using ot as my main mode. If you like, I will send you my new letterpress printed QSL card, in announcing my passing 1(b), just as a special favor to you "mf_luder." You don't have to worry about giving me your home address; I can just send it to the buro, if *they* have your address, that is.

You see, after finishing my M.F.A. in English here at A.S.U. last May, I have been sorta busy with this little Doctoral program I entered last Fall, and with the small duties of being a new college instructor of English. I am *so* sorry 'luder', that I am not up to your high standards as a ham, though I do hope to be one day. And you know what? I don't even own an HT. Just an old IC-271H, and a 6M Gooney-Bird with which I have earned WATV in a very short time. BTW, I notice you don't sign your posts with your *call*; is there a reason for that?

It's not important, just as your squeaky little barbs about FM repeaters and CB are pointless in the context of of this nice flame exchange we are having. What is important is that, since you insist on making an ass of yourself in public, I point this out to you and other readers here. Luder, it would be important enough to correct your mistaken attempts at revising history, even if they were just
mistakes. But that is just the thing 'mf', I don't think you are making a mistake when you say that the Truman Administration calculated not to nuke Germany. I think you know the timeline of the Manhattan Project, and that Teller wanted to use the bomb on Germany, just as everyone else reading this knows it. Oh, where were these Anglo-Saxons in Berlin you insist we were sympathizing with in not nuking that city? C'mon, you can tell us, can't you? It is ironic, after my calling you a Nazi, that you should continue in the vein of cynically spreading the same misinformation. As Goebbels said so notoriously: "The lie repeated often enough is the truth." But, hey, I am a fair guy, and I'll back down from calling you a Nazi. You are not a Nazi. I do

not believe or think that you are a Nazi, or ever were. You are more of a, well, of a coattail-riding self-congratulatingly mentally-gymnastic (w/sprained ankle) bombastic certain Italian Fascist of that same era. You have your charm and are entertaining, as Mussolini, though it's small consolation that Il Dupe was funny and charmingly insane, *unlike* his bubbas up north.

What the hell does the Pope's prophesying the "end-times" and ARRL's back-pedaling on CW testing have to do with one another? You wrote it, mf_luder@my-deja.com! Or Y2K, CW, the Czar and Kaiser? Oops, there goes another one. Here is a real whopper: USENET = "the real world of ham radio"? That one's yours also 'mf'! And to think you came up with that doozy because you somehow disapprove or are contemptuous of some DejaNews r.r.a.* readers killfiling, who? mf_luder@my-deja.com! It is all forever laid down in pixels. Not to mention the perhaps many spoofed DN, Hotmail, etc. alter-egos you must maintain!

Lastly, and most ridiculously as you have demonstrated at least a fair degree of literacy here before (though I unfairly faulted your spelling last round), when I pointed out in my previous post your Dan Burton-ish, Helen Chenowith-ish imaginary version of fundamental W.W.II history, you rushed in babbling (<sigh> yes,
again!) about the fate of *my* family in the war in Europe, and <gasp> you accused me of *lying.* Well, as you have shown, while you may be able to read and write pretty well, your geneology stinks! My *mother's* father, Piet Zmeuss, her two eldest brothers Aram and David, and a second-cousin just named Ben to anyone who can remember even that, died in Buchenwald in early 1943. My *father*, Norval White, and his brother, my uncle Tommy, an infantryman and a Ranger respectively, landed in Normandy early on D-Day, fought across France and Germany as so many 100's of thousands of others did, no big deal, and survived as many 1000's did not, a very big deal from where I sit.

So take your spellings of the President's name with a 'K' <yawn>, along with your Land-of-Make-Believe 4-color history books and tragi-comically monochrome sense of American political culture and get thee to a "compound" in the great white north, out of the flight path of those black helicopters whose pilots don the blue berets. Do it, you know, because I am a "leftist member of the NWO" (and that ain't a rap group). Hope your sweet belligerent paranoia keeps you warm and cozy there. Don't forget to write!

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> In article <374DE8DE.A4761D7E@asu.uswest.net>,
> wcw@asu.uswest.net wrote:
> > Do you have any idea how silly this all is? Toy cry-baby politics, and
> > insulting too, to those of us who lost family members to the Nazis.
>
> Anybody notice Will here just screwed up ? You said you lost family
> members. Then your next message says you didn't. I did you worthless
> piece of leftist Klintonite filth, so don't call me a Nazi. Go kiss AF2Y
> on the forehead, he thinks everyone is a Nazi, too.
>

> Class: Technician
>
> You also are a codeless tech who just can't seem to learn code. Isn't
> that what you inevitably say during each one of your 2 meter repeater
> QSO's ? How you tried and tried but just couldn't get it ? Here's hint:
> get the hell off your Alinco HT and go listen to some CW. Now tell me
> you're satisfied with your license and how you won't learn CW until this
> discriminatory rite is eliminated.
>
> You're all alike. Liars. Worthless FM CB Liars.
>
> > --
> > Will White, KD7BFX
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5520. The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <374FF72C.AA6BDD4B@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

(someone asked)
> What does this mean, (the FCC will) "seek information"....
> Food for thought. What do you think?

The FCC, like other regulating federal agencies, is empowered
by congress with something called "administrative law."
Administrative law deals with the establishment, duties
and powers of agencies of the Executive branch of government.
It's included in the authorizing law that establishes them.

Here, in admittedly very simplified form, is what the law says:
1. The FCC has the power to regulate communications.
2. The FCC has the power to create whatever regulations
it deems appropriate to accomplish #1.

The second part is the "devil in the details."
This provision literally means that regulations
created by those federal agencies have the force of law.
Therefore, the FCC, EPA, FBI, IRS, ATF etc.
can literally create laws -known as "regulations"- on the fly,
and they have the force of the original authorizing law.
The only effective and timely check on this awful power
is the "enacting" agency's own regulation-making process,
which is usually fluid enough to warp a new regulation or,
more usually, a new "interpretation" around any situation.
What's happening to the admittedly distasteful
Liberty net is a prime example.

You'd think this legal concept would have fallen before
the first constitutional challenge, but it didn't.
The concept became general in the US as an expedient during our
civil war and the following occupation- an early example
of how trading away principles for temporary expedience
has terrible and lasting consequences.

What does this mean? In simple terms--
the agencies can do nearly anything they want to you
up to whatever the PR and political traffic will bear.
And the traffic bears more and more every day.
Indeed- the majority are standing in line to
join the lynching parties. Step right up, folks!
Get your tickets! Just hand over a fundamental
human right or two at the door, then come enjoy the show.
(At least until it's your turn....)

That's why it's OK to use an obscure rule to demand that a
Liberty Net justify itself while ignoring the same rule as
it applies to an Intercon. It's currently popular to persecute
ultra-right-wing people, so we'll drag this club out of
the regulations closet and beat them with it.
When someone protests, we can count on
the howling mobs of the majority to silence him.
If that doesn't work, a new rule "interpretation"
can provide both rope and tree for the mob's entertainment.
If you want to go bankrupt fighting it in court, be our guest-
the agency has the tax base of 90 million workers to spend.

What's really sad about all this is that the people in
these agencies aren't power-mad little hitlers--
they want to do a good job and actually be of service,
and usually they do and are. Something about the way
we humans construct our systems-- something about how
we conceive of "rights" and "rules"-- something about
the incredibly complex web of pressures bearing on
points like this- seems to inevitably lead to honorable
people like Mr. Hollingsworth being trapped into a system
that sometimes does dishonorable things.

Maybe that's what Thomas Jefferson was thinking when he
told us that laws must be few, specific and rigidly interpreted.
We took the easy way out with Hamilton: Laws can be anything
we want them to be at the given moment.
This situation is the result.
A lack of strong, principled leadership from the top
is surely one reason, but it isn't the only reason.

I haven't the intellect or education to discern what went wrong.
Perhaps this is inevitable in human systems.
Maybe someone else out there has the answers.
It's important to name the problem,
but I don't know how to solve it- if it can be solved.

Certain comm lawyers will say all this isn't correct, of course.
They must, for the concept of administrative law is
their bread and butter. Many have a vested interest in
keeping this usurpation alive, since it leads to
masses of litigation. So any attempt to bring
this corrupt legal concept to light always draws
lots of flak. The truth usually does.

Perhaps this is how it should be.
When given liberty, human beings are quick to trade it away
and even quicker to lynch those who protest.
Perhaps the experiment of our Bill of Rights is a failure.
I don't know...
Sometimes it's easier to just despair of the whole mess.

73 DE Dave AB5S

5521. RFI from a GFCI outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: F W Mooney <fmooney@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <7iovll$95d$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141307
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greetings from Tornado Alley.

The service panel at my house has a GFCI breaker built right into it for the 120V, 15 amp circuit that covers the garage, bathroom, and outdoor outlets. It is full of RFI! It puts out strong, wideband interference on 114kHz, and similar noise all over the LW, MW, and SW bands as well.

Anyone have a similar experience with CGFI's? Anyone know of a good RFI-free replacement for my service panel?

- Fred M.
KA1DGL
Oklahoma City

5522. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <375006C2.29853FB3@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141308
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Will Sparks wrote:
>
> One of the nice things about Win95/NT/OS/2/Linux is that you don't have to
> write low level code to access the sound card.

DOS is conspicuous by its absence. Aren't there DOS drivers available
for soundcards? Are there standard DOS calls available for soundcards?
If not, could we come up with some? How is/was soundcard interfacing
handled under DOS?
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5523. Re: RFI from a GFCI outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Gauthier <larryg@ismi.net>
Message-ID: <3750087a@news.ismi.net>
Source record: 141309
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Fred:

I am not familiar with RFI-generating breakers, but an alternative might be to replace the GFI-breaker with a standard breaker, and then install a GFI-outlet as the first outlet in the string -- thus providing comparable GFI protection to all the outlets on the leg.

-larry
wb8bgo

F W Mooney wrote in message <7iovll$95d$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>...
>Greetings from Tornado Alley.
>
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>120V, 15 amp circuit that covers the garage, bathroom, and outdoor outlets.
>It is full of RFI! It puts out strong, wideband interference on 114kHz, and
>similar noise all over the LW, MW, and SW bands as well.
>
>Anyone have a similar experience with CGFI's? Anyone know of a good
>RFI-free replacement for my service panel?
>
>- Fred M.
> KA1DGL
> Oklahoma City
>
>
>

5524. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ip19vltl1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141310

George Zimmerlee wrote in message

>For the both of you, Mary and Tim, you don't seem to
>be able to read. The information is at the website below.

I've looked at your website George, I beleive the letter that Gingrich wrote was probably real, seems to me the reply indicates how the FCC did indeed have the authorization under a specific ruling, while you may or may not agree, that's what it says George so now what?

>As I have come to always expect, no one, certainly
>neither of you, will address the issue.

What's to address George? You think they commited a crime, ok let's say they did and let's say they addmitted it. You seem to be the only one here who cares. Let's assume all your information is factual. Ok now what? What exactly do you want us all to do George? If you want to put the FBI/FCC/ATF on trial, get yourself an attourney and go for it, clearly your arguments are not convincing enough for everyone here to get behind you so do you think by posting them week after week your going to somehow convert someone over?

>The problem is that the amateur community is made up
>of cowards who never take a stand on anything. Their
>precious talking privileges are more important to them
>than the entire amateur radio service, which was illegally
>jammed by the FCC.

Again George, I've never been jammed by the FCC, none of my friends have, in 20 years of operating on the air I know of no one who has been jammed so if the FCC jammed the amateur station at Waco there must have been a reason for it, so I've acknowleged that the FCC may have illegally jammed the station at Waco. Now the big question is, do I care? The answer is NO.

>
>What I want from this NG is what I have, the opportunity
>to educate. What I want from you individually is for you
>to open your mind, be mindful of the difference between
>a child and an adult, and act maturely.

Now this is the interesting part, "be mindful of the difference between a child and an adult, and act maturely"

A couple of quotes from your previous posts George

"SO SUE ME, you sick NAZI BASTARD! "
"just like the bucket of turds who make up the ARRL."

"who take their orders from Fieldmarshall Von Klinton"

I just wanted a clarification George, are the above quotes your example of acting maturely?

Tim ka8ddz

5525. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7ip1ei$ng4$1@bgtnsc02.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141311

>No one but no one can refute the truthfulness
>of the information on FCC-FBI operations at
>Waco presented at the website below.

George I don't think think anyone is refutes the information on your website, but remember we're all cowards so if your looking to rally some people behind your cause why not take all your information to the different militia newsgroups where there are people who will listen to you.

Tim

5526. FS: ASTRON RS-35A 35 amp Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ftoe@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529115345.01101.00001832@ng-cq1.aol.com>
Source record: 141312

For Sale Astron 35 amp Power Supply
Model RS-35A $90.00 + shipping from Connecticut
Thanks
Fran

5527. Rogue canceler canceled

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: postmaster@warez.phantom.com
Message-ID: <7hqqhf$j88$1@acadiacom.net>
Source record: 141313

I have received information that the rogue canceler from BellSouth has had his account canceled.

Our complaints to abuse@bellsouth.net have been effective, although he will doubtless show up later on with a new ISP. Let's hope he has learned that forging cancel messages is a sure way to lose whatever ISP you have at the moment. -- Dave

5528. Re: Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton Lies Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <xxcaptorb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <375012B8.C318038C@hotmail.com>
Source record: 141314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> I don't know who makes me want to vomit on them more, the Kaiser, ARRL
> Puppetmaster K1ZZ or the FCC WTB (or the losers who keep working what
> few Yugoslobs are QRV)
==========
(SNIPPED AN INANE DIATRIBE)
==========
Son, your postings indicate you can't differentiate a Kaiser from a
Komissar. Usually people who are very unhappy or threatened by events
find scapegoats and are AGAINST many things/people really NOT FOR
anything. Have you tried any of the 3 P's: Prozac, Paxil or Provera?

5529. Re: WWI, CW, the Telegraph and the Guns of August

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oscar <capnrb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37501342.602B0CD6@hotmail.com>
Source record: 141315
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Don't get too comfy with your lack of emergency preparedness this summer
> folks, Kaiser Wilhelm and Czar Nicolas were exchanging telegraph
> messages signed "Willy" and "Nicky" until the night before World War I
> started.
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Your lack of historical knowledge is stunning. Kaisers and Czars don't
share the same political views.

5530. Re: Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kd1on@arrl.net
Message-ID: <375014a5.149909619@news.gte.net>
Source record: 141316
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In <aFS33.1167$nn.336105@news.shore.net>,
"Jim Martin" <jjm@shore.net> wrote:

:What is the internet/newsgroup equivalent to Road Rage. Cuz, there's a lot
:of it in here....

I don't know, but the antidote is a good killfile.

/JBL (YKFIYF (Your Kill File Is Your Friend))

5531. Changing address with FCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: PopTician <zootv@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37501E73.8FA35A68@erols.com>
Source record: 141317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi, I have moved recently and I need to change my address with the FCC.
How do I go about doing it? Can I change it online? Thanks
Mike

5532. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <AE6FF3C6CBC8B3B0.A756FE7112A38AD0.80DDDACF7F3009F1@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141318

Timothy Hynde wrote:
> so do you think by posting them week after week your
> going to somehow convert someone over?

You are responding through fear that this will happen;
otherwise you would be silent. The majority of readers
never participate in the discussion, but they still
get the information and education. This is my primary
goal, it is a very good strategy, and I can understand
your concern.

You are lively proof of the effectiveness, I have
changed you from a cry-baby who didn't want to hear
the truth to a cry-baby who fears the effectiveness
of truth.

> Again George, I've never been jammed by the FCC,

Wrong! The FCC jammed the amateur radio service.
If you have a license, they jammed your service.
Don't care? Fine, lose your service.

Don't have a license? You also were jammed. The
right of free speech was denied to broadcasters.
Broadcast AM, FM and TV stations all were jammed
by the FCC. Don't care? Fine, lose your Constitution.

I am addressing this maturely, because I see beyond
myself. I did not know the two operators murdered
by FCC-FBI, but I see beyond myself to the need of all
operators to be free from government tyranny.
Truthful diction is sometimes hurtful to those who
hate to hear it.
--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5533. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <58A31BA5E6E52091.BA4B83E8798BD2BB.B88114C3770CFA2F@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141319

Timothy Hynde wrote:
> why not take all your information to the different
> militia newsgroups where there are people who will
> listen to you.

Why should I do that when you are reading it here?
If it bothers you, go to the militia NG's and never
post here again.

The point is that this is an amateur radio issue,
it belongs here. You may be a coward now, but I
see nothing in God's law that you must remain
such. Thanks for bumping up the length of the
thread.
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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
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5534. Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <anonymous@replay.com>
Message-ID: <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>
Source record: 141320
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to
enforcing rules, regulations, & ethics within the
FCC CIB!

He was advised weeks ago from several sources,
concerning an internal CIB problem and security breach
where a CIB official, operating during official duty hours
from his office on government property, while on the public
pay roll , was and STILL IS conducting personal
business via amateur radio.

This smacks of HYPOCRISY! when Hollingsworth and
the FCC will not require their own employees to adhere
to civil service ethics, regulations, and rules! Yet,
Hollingsworth is running around like a goody two-shoes
requiring amateurs to obey rules, regulations, and vague
"ethical" guidelines. Even so far as to JUSTIFY their
qualifications to hold an amateur license.

This situation has existed for over a decade! and
still continues to this day.

Even worse, this person has disclosed sensitive
internal FCC information, including ongoing FCC
investigations, investigative techniques, and FCC
equipment descriptions and capabilities. All the above
is taking place openly via amateur radio on an almost
daily basis. One would think CIB managers and
Hollingsworth would honor their oaths of office and plug
this decade old security leak before running around
shoving rules, regulations, and vague ethics down
everyone's throat!

How about CIB signature analysis techniques and
equipment? That was last week's topic of discussion!

Perhaps the solution to this decade-old problem
which Hollingsworth, the FCC, and CIB are unwilling or
unable to rectify is to begin posting the information, which
this FCC employee is disclosing, on the internet for even
a wider audience to take advantage of.

Perhaps the people who Hollingsworth is
strong-arming to justify their qualifications to hold an
amateur license should supply Congress, the media,

and their attorneys with concise examples of the way
in which the FCC and CIB will not enforce rules, regulations,
and ethics when it comes to their own organization.

HYPOCRISY with a capital H.

Hollingsworth Hypocrisy! Clean your own house, before
telling others to clean theirs!

5535. Re: Changing address with FCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: DPH <rally2xs@csi.com>
Message-ID: <3750256C.B57AC2B7@csi.com>
Source record: 141321
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mike,

Here's the page to let you select form 610 for download or to load to your Acrobat reader to print out.

http://www.fcc.gov/formpage.html

And here's the address of the actual page with the 610 form. You'll need Acrobat reader, available for free download and install.

http://www.fcc.gov/Forms/Form610/610.pdf

I think you still have to fill out the form and send it in. They're very quick about getting the new license back to you. I think it took me less than 2 weeks, just prior to Christmanstime last year.

Dave Head
K8DH

PopTician wrote:

> Hi, I have moved recently and I need to change my address with the FCC.
> How do I go about doing it? Can I change it online? Thanks
> Mike

5536. Re: Changing address with FCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <375028F6.E02342D2@innocent.com>
Source record: 141322
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You need to file a new form 610 by mail, with your new address on
it, as a request for a modification of your license.

But you can at least download the latest printable version of form
610 from somewhere on the fcc.gov site, I forget exactly where,
which speeds things up quite a bit.

All the best,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5537. Re: RFI from a GFCI outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <37502A9B.139B1110@teleport.com>
Source record: 141323
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I don't think this is typical; your unit might be defective. I'd first try replacing it with another one, preferably one of a different brand.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

F W Mooney wrote:
>
> Greetings from Tornado Alley.
>
> The service panel at my house has a GFCI breaker built right into it for the
> 120V, 15 amp circuit that covers the garage, bathroom, and outdoor outlets.
> It is full of RFI! It puts out strong, wideband interference on 114kHz, and
> similar noise all over the LW, MW, and SW bands as well.
>
> Anyone have a similar experience with CGFI's? Anyone know of a good
> RFI-free replacement for my service panel?
>
> - Fred M.
> KA1DGL
> Oklahoma City

5538. Re: Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ljutefisk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <MPG.11b9fc34e5cdf2999896a4@news.vais.net>
Source record: 141324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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In article <374F1121.30758A07@ix.netcom.com>, arc5@ix.netcom.com
mumbled...
--> For Jesus Christ sweet sake and Mose's whiskers-
-->
--> Will you folks PUH-LEEZ stop quoting and requoting
--> entire friggin' threads of messages when you reply???
--> You might get a few more readers if you do.
-->
--> Excuse me but I can't sift through 500 blasted lines
--> of text because someone is too lazy to do a little deleting.
-->
--> Please-- Just quote the bare amount needed to keep
--> the context of your reply....sheesh!
-->
--> Dave AB5S
-->

OK.

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http://www.usaplaza.com/Trybro/4.htm
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5539. FS ICOM R-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc8ewq@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529142700.28074.00003265@ng-cc1.aol.com>
Source record: 141325

I got it as a gift and I already have one. I never took the radio out of the box.
The radio also comes with a brand new Diamond srh-519 sma antenna which costs $35 and a Maha MH-C204F rapid charger for AAA or AA nicads/nmhd batterys. The cost of this plus 4 nmhd AA cells was $30. I am asking $200 for the whole package. Remember this radio is brand new and was never used. I will pay shipping, if interested please email me.

Thanks

Tony

5540. Re: We are not Nazis

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528200402.12519.00007967@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 141371

a<< Subject: Re: We are not Nazis
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Fri, May 28, 1999 8:51 PM
Message-id: <374F01DF.64C@dirtball.com>

rileygotcha@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> We have one demented soul on here posting notes every day accusing most
> of this forum as being "NAZIS". This sick soul is AF2Y Charles
> Swartzbarg. <<<<YOU MISSPELL MY NAME AS YOU DO EVERYTHING ELSE. Sheesh!>>>>>
"radiosigs" It is an insult to all of us who had brothers
> and relatives to die in world war two fighting against the Nazis, then
> have to put up with this nutcase.. We are not all Nazis or even close to
> it. What is the matter with this screwball? He needs to be kicked out of
> this news group. This is a amateur radio news group. Why don't he take
> his crazy talk to the crazy house where I believe he in fact belongs
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.
I hate to say it but I agree. I find it very insulting being of German
desent to even be assocated with the Democratic opps Nazi party.
Oris
Save your Constitution, Save the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

>>

5541. Re: Type acceptance of amateur radios (was Re: Death of Ham Radio)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: mailfrmpa@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528201113.09485.00004143@ng-fz1.aol.com>
Source record: 141372

> I thought type acceptance was basicly a set of
>values that the FCC put on CB equipment. Its like I can't build a MRF
>455 amplifier without the proper filtering. Nor can I sell it to a non
>ham if the amp is to work between 25 and 30 MHz in the United States.
>Part 97 also says I can only build one a year if the amp is going to
>operate between 25 and 30 MHz. That is what I thought type acceptance
>ment to the amateur community

Naw, build all you want, maybe call them "WorthLess" amps, amd sell thwm on eBay! Yesterday, by my count, there were (8) illegal amplifiers for auction on the Ham section, I can only guess how many on the CB-side. And eBay doesn't care, they'd love to help you sell illegal equipment. How else do you explain the continuation of their listings in spite of complaints from others about these things?

5542. AF2Y WILL MAKE YOU FAMOUS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990528202537.12519.00007981@ng-cd1.aol.com>
Source record: 141373

Fellows,if you ever have a chance to hear me either on 14.300 or 14.313 about 1100UTC,you will know why I am considered one of the top hams in this nation. Despite a rather sluggish and oftimes dead band, I am working the VKs like you wouldn't believe. I'm offering an instruction sheet on how to build my CLOUDWARMER 2 element wire beam;I have sent out several sheets for just S.A.S.E.s but there still remain a host of you who are languishing in indolence when you could be hauling in all that DX as I am. As I said previously, the idea for the antenna was given to me by one of the finest hams to ever hold a ticket-a man having unbelievable electronics skills in all phases of ham radio-a man who's encyclopedic mind renders books useless-I speak of Richard Whiten, WB2OTK from Easley,S.C. Yes, I was skeptical when Rich first told me about this type of NVIS antenna; in fact, I scoffed at the idea of a dipole having a reflector, but the proof of the pudding is in the amount of QSOs and I am a winner! You too can be a ham radio winner and wizard. Hams will look up to your QSO achievements as they do mine and you too will be the envy of the crowd. That antenna is so good that the other day I taped a weak conversation in a language that seemed bizarre to me. I brought the tape over to the language department at Cresskill State University in North Jersey and you wouldn't believe what they told me. The language was NOT OF THIS PLANET. The tape is now on its way to S.E.T.I. headquarters(Search for Extra Terrestrial Intelligence) as well as to Dr.Alan Hynek in the Chicago area, the man who was called in as an expert during the making of "Close Encounters of the Third Kind." That CLOUDWARMER could have picked up what the Arecibo dish has been looking for for a half century---proof of life elsewhere than earth. I expect a call from the ARRL about this next week and word has it that the NY Post will be sending a photographer and journalist over for pictures and an article. I urge you to get out of your doldrums and send an S.A.S.E. to me for that instruction sheet. It'll make all the difference in the world and out of it also. AF2Y, Doc

5543. Re: Family Radio Service freq?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Robert Burke <donburke@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7incau$na4@sjx-ixn6.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141374

In article <19990523164326.12501.00004648@ng-cd1.aol.com>,
psu76tg@aol.com (PSU76TG) wrote:
>I would like to find out what frequencies the popular FAMILY RADIO SERVICE
>handhelds operate on??? are they compatible with 2 meter handhelds that have
>been opened up for extended transmit and receive??? are the freq in the 150
>mhz band or 450??? anyone knowledge about these frequencies out there?
>
>

They're in the GMRS band at about 460-465.

5544. cellphone pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: Donald Robert Burke <donburke@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <7inc6s$r72@dfw-ixnews11.ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141375

I'm trying to track down a pinout for the connector on my Motorola DPC-550 cellphone.

Does anyone here have a source for such things?

Don Burke KD4OSP donburke@writeme.com

5545. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Louis Sica, Jr. (AC0X)" <ac0x@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <ypg43.776$T9.111110@ptah.visi.com>
Source record: 141126
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Tom Fanning wrote in message <7irui1$7eb$1@uranium.btinternet.com>...
>I take it this will be 1200 baud packet.
>
>Also please Please PLEASE port your brilliant software to the PC - not
>necesarily Windows
>

I hope you mean for Chris to port Multimode to Linux and not DOS instead of Windows. Even if I may argue that he may do better porting it to Windows (if that is indeed practical), Linux is at least a current, viable, and very powerful operating system for the PC. DOS hasn't been a current O/S for 4 years now. Why do hams continue to write for it? Then again, there are some still writing programs for the Commodore 64, so I shouldn't be surprised.

5546. Re: Bad bad band condx.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <375195E8.4DFA9119@dallas.net>
Source record: 141127

We have banned above *ground nuclear testing* ...

Remember the band conditions just after Chernobyl (sp?)?

I do -

- And I had never seen six meters so wide open ...

Jim

Radiosigs wrote:

> I've been in ham radio for 30 years and NEVER have I seen lousier band
> conditions than now. Heck, I always remember 20 meters as always being open
> independent of other bands, but this time,NO! We're supposed to be in the
> upswing of a new sunspot cycle but I don't see it. My Cloudwarmer can hear
> everything from a JA making the trek up Mount Fujiyama to Mrs. Goldberg in
> Flatbush pouring chicken soup into a bowl but I'm hearing the sound of silence.
> What's up? Is there a propagation maven out there who can enlighten me? Doc
> AF2Y and oh yes, the rig is turned ON which should quiet down a wisecracker.

5547. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <375194DE.A8D794D8@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141128
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA wrote:
>... It's often difficult to
> find a clear digital frequency for PACTOR operation on 40m.

I submit that this has more to do with people wanting their
frequency to end in .000, then there actually being a shortage of room.
If ops would use the filters and procedures available to them,
I think they'd find lots more room then they realize.

73 Dave AB5S

5548. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: removals1@iname.com
Message-ID: <375195b1.9402946@news>
Source record: 141129
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 29 May 1999 16:57:38 -0400, "Mark J. Fine"
<fineware@erols.com> wrote:

>You're right, this could very easily turn into an OS war. Believe it or not,
>the Mac's (actually Motorola's) interrupt structure is a lot more efficient
>for these kinds of things. What you say is essentially how you would program
>a sound card if you were to use Window's built-in sound interface. However,
>Window's sound drivers are still tied back to the clunky IRQ scheme still
>underlying in DOS. This is part of the speed issue.

Can you be more specific about the "speed issue?" Are you talking
about *latency* (i.e. the amount of time required for a given sample
to wend its way through the various layers of the OS to reach the
user's application)? Or are you talking about the ability of the
multimedia APIs to deliver sampled data to the application at the same
rate as they are being sampled (e.g. the sound card is set to sample
at 44kHz, but samples only arrive at the application code at a lower
rate, like 38kHz)? If neither of these is the case, then how can you
claim that the API is the problem?

I submit that the true bottleneck is not the Windows APIs at all, but
rather the algorithm, the implementation of that algorithm, the
processing speed of the CPU, or some combination of these. As noted in
an earlier post, if the processing demands are too heavy for the main
CPU to handle in real time, then some kind of coprocessor, whether in
the form of a dedicated DSP chip or an SMP architecture with multiple
CPUs, is pretty much a necessity for real time processing of the
sampled data.

5549. Re: 6 Mtr Military Radios- Calling Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Hillbilly Dave <daves@oztech.com>
Message-ID: <7is603ico1@news1.alltel.net>
Source record: 141130
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

52.525 you can fund me there.....have an old motorola that sets there all
the time...gimme a holler some tme when the band is open......

Dave
KG5XR
Dave's Radio Electronics
http://www.geocities.com/TheTropics/Island/4371/index.html

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote in message
news:37515FF4.970B2895@ix.netcom.com...
>
>
> Jim wrote:
> >
> > Are you aware of the large numbers of hams who still
> > listen to ('guard') 52.525 MHz on six Meters?
>
> Thanks for writing, Jim.
> Yes, but most military radios will not make this frequency
> without buying special crystals or modification.
> Standard issue crystals are available for the frequencies chosen,
> and irreversable modifications to historic radios
> are no longer acceptable to serious collectors.
>
> TNX ES 73 OM DE Dave Stinson AB5S
> arc5@ix.netcom.com

5550. Ohio/Penn DX Bulletin #411

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: kb8nw@barf80.nshore.org
Message-ID: <$opdx.411.1999@ampr.org>
Source record: 141131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.info

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3C0, ANNOBON ISLAND. An international team of operators composed of Ramon/ 3C1GS, Roberto/3C1RV, Elmo/EA5BYP and Vicente/EA5YN, are now in advanced planning stages for an early September 1999 DXpedition to Annobon Island. ALL the necessary permissions have been obtained, transport arranged and the logistics needed to put together an operation from this rare new one. The team will be joined by a PTT representative and will leave a complete station on the island. The callsign will be 3C0R, and the operation will last for 10 days. Activity is planned for 160-2 meters on CW/SSB/RTTY. More information will follow and is available from any of the operators or via the following Web sites:
LYNX DX GROUP http://web.jet.es/lynx
CLIPPERTON DX CLUB http://www.multimania.com/cdxc/

7S5, SWEDEN. "The 59(9) DXReport" reports that special event station 7S5F will be active until December 31st by the Falu Radioklub, founded in 1924, to celebrate its 75th Anniversary. QSL via SK4AO.

9V, SINGAPORE. Steve, K9WO (ex VS6WO/VR2WO), who has been in 9V-land for 20 months, has now received the license and callsign 9V1DX. We have not seen any QSNs on this station. QSL via KA9UQT.

AH2, GUAM. Seiji, JH6RTO/AH0R, will be active from Guam as AH2/AH0R on June 3-6th. Activity will be on 10 to 30 meters, especially on the WARC bands. QSL via JH6RTO or direct: Seiji Fukushima, Hase 1182-2506, Atsugi 243-0036 Japan.

CV5A, ISLA DE FLORES. Pedro, CX5BW, informs OPDX that during June 4-7th a couple of CXs and some LU friends will activate IOTA SA-030, "Isla de Flores", signing CV5A. They hope operate on all bands and modes including the WARC bands and digital modes, PSK31. QSL via CX2ABC: P.O.Box 950, ZC 11000, Montevideo, Uruguay. Visit their Web page to find out more about the island at: http://isladeflores.8m.com/

E4, PALESTINE. The "DX News Sheet" reports that a group from the UK may be active from here June 14-28th. Activity will include 6 meters. Meanwhile, two station have been active over the past week and weekend. David, E41/OK1DTP, continues to be very active on 20/17/15/12 meters SSB at various times of the day (try 1330-1500z and 0000-0200z). QSL via OK1TD. Also active is E4/OK5DX. Activity seems to be mainly CW on 40/20/15/10 meters on various times during the day. It has been reported, but not confirmed, QSL via OK1YN.

E41/E44/4X DXPEDITION. Hide, JM1LJS, plans to be active from these three areas during the period of July 23rd and August 1st (depending on his work schedule). According to his release, activity from Palestine will be from the Gaza Strip and West Bank. He will operate in Israel until he receives the Palestine license. Until he receives his Palestine license, his detailed schedule is not known. Activity is planned for 80-10 meters CW/SSB. His power limits are: 500w in Palestine / 100w in Israeli (The Japanese license limitation is 150w in Israel). His callsigns and QSL Mangers are as follows: 4X/JM1LJS - QSL via JL2UXN, E41/JM1LJS (or E41JA) - QSL via JL2UXN (*** West Bank Only) and E44/JM1LJS (or E44JA) - QSL via VK4FW (*** Gaza Only).

HR, HONDURAS. Look for Al, K3VN, operating from Honduras during this next week. He will be there for about one week on business. He plans to be on the WARC bands and low bands depending upon equipment and antennas available. QSL via K3VN call book address.

IOTA NEWS.....
EU-008. (Correction!) In last week's bulletin OPDX.410, we mentioned that Jeff, G3LWN, will be active June 1-4th, as 2S0PNS from the Island of Pabay (57 17.7N/ 05.51.5W, IOSA NH11, WAB NG62). Jeff's callsign should have been G3LWM, not G3LWN.

EU-083. Tony/IK1QBT, Nino/IK1ZOZ and Alex/IK1OXF will be active from Gallinara Island (rare island of Ligurian group), between June 5-6th. Operators will sign homecall /P and activity will be on all HF bands SSB/CW (WARC included) around the standard IOTA frequencies. There will also be activity on 6 meters, VHF/UHF on SSB Reference number for the Italian Island Award (IIA) is SV-01. Gallinara is a private island, and the daylight visit is very restricted only to Island Archeologic and Biologic presence. EU-083 is the most wanted IOTA in North America because of the difficultly to stay and operate during the night. QSL via their respectives home calls, bureau or direct.

SA-018. The "TEMUCO RADIO CLUB" (CE6TC) has organized a DXpedition to Quinchao Island in the Chiloe Arch. The operators will sign

CE6TC/p, July 20-25th, and they will participate in RSGB IOTA Contest. QSL via CE6TC, Box 1234, Temuco Chile or via bureau. For more information check the Web page: http://www.qsl.net/ce6tbn

SA-046. A group will be active from Itamaraca Island, June 3-6th. Callsigns and operators will be: PT7BZ/PY7/Ely, PT7WA/PY7/Luke, PY7XC/7/Jim, PY7ZY/7/Ciro and PY7/7/Fred. Activity will be on 40-10 meters CW/SSB (no nets or list operations). QSL via their home callsigns.

J6, ST. LUCIA. Bill, AA7X, will be operating from Jalousie Bay, from June 24-30th, using the callsign J6/AA7X. He will operate on 40-10 meters. QSL to home call.

JT, MONOGOLIA. Operating from the remote Central Steppe region of Monogolia, Laurence, GM4DMA, will be active signing JT from June 19th for approx. 10 days on 1.8-50Mhz using 100 watts into a simple antenna and solar power. He states that he will be living in a traditional "Ger" - a felt lined circular tent. He will be training a volunteer staff in HF communication techniques before their 10 week expedition covering from the Gobi desert in the South to the forested uplands and mountains to the North of the country. This trip follows earlier training visits to Patagonia (CE), Uganda and Namibia this year for the "Youth Development Charity Raleigh International". They are conducting environmental, community and adventure expeditions in these and other countries.

JY, JORDAN. Look for Pete, N3FNE, to be active now through the summer of 2000 as JY9NE. Activity will include 6 meters. QSL via home call.

OJ0, MARKET REEF. With the current activity from here, Gerben, PA5NT, reports to OPDX that he has been to Market Reef in 1983 and has constructed a Web story/page about his trip together with some additional interesting information about the reef. If you would like to see some pictures and read details about OJ0 land, visit the Web page: http://dx.to

PACIFIC DXPEDITION. Roberto, EA4DX, will once again be active from the Pacific. This time he will be active from Tuvalu (T2) and Fiji (3D2) during August/September 1999. His planned schedule so far is:
T2 - Funafuti, Tuvalu (callsign will be issued on arrival) August 26th through September 11th.
3D2 - Viti Levu, Fiji, signing 3D2DX/P from September 13-16th
Activity will be on all bands 80-10 meters including the WARC bands on the usual SSB DX frequencies. His equipment includes Yagis for 10-12-15-17-20 and a vertical for 40-80 meters, plus 1 kw linear. QSL via EA4CP CBA. More info to come later.

QSL INFO AND NEWS....
FO0PAP and FO0MAC cards are now being received. John, K8YSE, reports that cards are being mailed as processed. Be looking for them in your mailbox.

QSLs for ZV0SB and ZV0SW. The ABRA-DX Brazilian Association has informed OPDX that the QSLs for the ZV0SB and ZV0SW DXpedition are now being sent

out by the QSL Manager, PT2GTI. The QSL card can be seen at the ABRA's Web site at: http://www.pt2dx.org.br

QSL 2S5VG/P via GM3UTQ (CBA or the bureau). This station was active this past weekend from Island of Eigg (EU-008). Operators were GM3NIG, GM3UTQ, GM4FDM, GM4YMA, GM0UKZ and 2M1EDN.

NEW QSL Manager. Rick, NE8Z, reports that he is the new QSL Manager for all QSOs with HC1OT, HD1OT, HC1OT/HC8 and HD9OT. Ed, K8ZZ/KG8CY, is no longer able to help Pedro due to his work schedule. Any QSLs sent to K8ZZ in error will be given to Rick by K8ZZ (they see each other often). All old contest logs will also be loaded on Rick's computer.

QSL ZV7ZZ (Calcanhar Lighthouse, DFB -04) via PS7ZZ: Francisco E. de Freitas, Av Sao Miguel dos Caribes 31, Neopolis II, 59086-500, Natal RN, Brazil (or via the Bureau).

"YUGOSLAVIA OFF-LINE" states Ed, YZ7ED. He informs OPDX to let all OPDX readers that YU HAM are not able to get any QSLs. There are two reasons: 1) QSL Bureau NOT working 2) Post Office NOT working. So, as of March 23th (1999) they haven't received any letters/cards via the post office service. Ed states that he will inform us when their post office service starts working again, but he beleives that this will not happen soon because of the war.

QSL CN8WW via DL6FBL. Ben's E-mail address is: dl6fbl@boc.de
Also, details and infos may be found at: http://www.boc.de/dl6fbl

VA1A active this past weekend was a special event station celebrating 90th Anniversary of the first powered flight in Canada (and British Empire) by the Silver Dart - on February 23, 1909. A special QSL card showing the Silver Dart being pulled by the horses on the ice is available via K3BU, Box 282, Pine Brook, NJ 07058, USA.

VQ9CV logs are now online. The VQ9CV logs through May 13, 1999, are now available at: http://dx.qsl.net/logs

JW9PJA logs are now online. The JW9PJA logs for all operations through March 1, 1999, are now online at: http://dx.qsl.net/logs

QSL Manager for ZS6SCI is via ZS6NB: Ken Pickersgill, 60 Selborne Ave., Lyttelton, 0157, Pretoria, South Africa.

SPECIAL EVENT. BT99WED is a special event station for "World Environment Day" and will be on air from June 1-30th (Thanks to the help of BA4RC and other local hams.) The station is set up by Nanjing Agriculture University to call the attention of radio amateurs to worldwide environment protection. They will operate on several bands and modes. They eagerly want to get in touch (on the air) with some environment protector or universities and schools devoted to environment protection. So, please tune for their signal. QSL BT99WED via F6FNU. For any comments, please direct them to Michael Chen/BD5RV at: by5qn@qsl.net

VP2EREM, ANGUILLA. Jim, WB2REM informs OPDX that from June 28th until July 8th, he will air this special callsign from the Island of Anguilla. Operations will be on both CW and SSB, mainly on 10-15-20 meter bands. QSL via WB2REM.

YS, EL SALVADOR (Update/Change). Jack, KE4LWT, informs OPDX that he will be active as YS9/KE4LWT, not YS1/KE4LWT as first reported. He was informed last week by SIGET in El Salvador that he was misformed and that he should be using the YS1 prefix. Please refer to OPDX.410 for more details.

ZS8, MARION ISLAND. Deryck, ZS8D, was active this past weekend on 14195 kHz around 1450z. He has indicated that he still hasn't erected his beam antenna, but is currently using a wire antenna. QSL via ZS6EZ.

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5551. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7isam9$bi8$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141132

George Zimmerlee wrote in message
<58A31BA5E6E52091.BA4B83E8798BD2BB.B88114C3770CFA2F@library-proxy.airnews.net>...
>Timothy Hynde wrote:
>> why not take all your information to the different
>> militia newsgroups where there are people who will
>> listen to you.
>
>Why should I do that when you are reading it here?
>If it bothers you, go to the militia NG's and never
>post here again.

George, you don't seem to get I suppose. Yes I read your post, and yes I think your a blithering idiot and yes you think I am a coward, since we agree on all these things and you know that no one here is really interested in your conspiracy theorys why not take it somewhere where they WANT to read what you write?

>The point is that this is an amateur radio issue,

No it isn't, the attack was not made BECAUSE they were radio amateurs it was because of thier failure to allow the FBI into thier compound. Are you telling me the raid would not have occoured if there were no amateur station on the compound?

>it belongs here. You may be a coward now, but I
>see nothing in God's law that you must remain
>such. Thanks for bumping up the length of the
>thread.

The length of the thread George? Does that mean something to you? George, the only coward here is you, your afraid to take your information public because your afraid for your life (not that leaving the country would help you) but let's face it George you have the info to bring them to their knees but due to your cowardness you wont publish it. You call me a coward but I assure you if I had the info I would publish it and not make excuses about making arrangements to leave the country. So strap some balls on yourself George and mail me the information, I'll be glad to take it public for you. Otherwise, go piss off, your like an old woman bitching and moaning. I'm ready to ADDRESS THE ISSUE George, when are you going to send me the 'secret' info that your cowardness keeps you from publishing?

Tim ka8ddz

5552. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Timothy Hynde <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <7isbltfde1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141133

George Zimmerlee wrote in message ...
>Timothy Hynde wrote:
>> so do you think by posting them week after week your
>> going to somehow convert someone over?
>
>You are responding through fear that this will happen;

Wrong George, I'm responding because I strongly disagree with your use of the RRAM newsgroup for this purpose, however your certainly not the worst spammer we've ever had. You are reasonably entertaining and since your post contain at least a tinture of logic to them I am responding.

>otherwise you would be silent. The majority of readers
>never participate in the discussion, but they still
>get the information and education. This is my primary
>goal, it is a very good strategy, and I can understand
>your concern.

George, you are no concern of mine, your a big bag of hot air with no one willing to listen you must turn to an amateur radio newsgroup with the hopes that someone will give you the time of day. The Michigan Militia gets quite a bit of press George, they have been on the national news several times although I can't say I've ever seen you on TV. Why not take your message to them and let them help you reach the masses?

>You are lively proof of the effectiveness, I have
>changed you from a cry-baby who didn't want to hear
>the truth to a cry-baby who fears the effectiveness
>of truth.

You've changed nothing George, I thought you were a blithering idiot months ago when you started with this crap and I still think your a blithering idiot, I appreciate the fact you have a message and you want people to listen to it, but you don't have a clue how to do that, your spending your time in rec.radio.amateur.misc trying to rally support, if you had an sense at all you would know the number of readers here is very limited with respect to the general public, and you have time and again called us cowards, now is THIS the group you expect to get results from George? Not very bright on your part, see where I'm going here George?

>> Again George, I've never been jammed by the FCC,
>
>Wrong! The FCC jammed the amateur radio service.
>If you have a license, they jammed your service.
>Don't care? Fine, lose your service.

George I love it, your like Burt/Drew/Masa and the rest of the corn flakes who pass through here as soon as you actually start discussing the issue all logic goes out the window.

I say again OLD MAN, I have never been jammed by the FCC, I didn't say they didn't jam the "service" I said they never jammed me. No I don't care, and now please explain to me how the FCC jamming a particular station at in Waco is going to effect me loosing or keeping my license?

>I am addressing this maturely, because I see beyond
>myself.

No your not, my 17 old son has 10 fold the discussion skills you have. Your replys contain verbage like Nazi, Von Klinton and a whole host of other childish remarks, your very very far from addressing the issue maturely my friend but I'm sure you believe it to be so.

Tim ka8ddz

5553. Re: TO GEORGE ZIMMERLEE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
Message-ID: <7isfb9$e22$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141134

In article <8858670239A7E174.12D3D7AFCE1BF89F.243E35C181FE46F9@library
proxy.airnews.net>,
geozim@atlcom.net wrote:
> Now that you have expressed your usual bit of
> hate speech, would you care to address the issue?
> You did not refute the evidence of FCC and FBI
> misconduct presented at the website,
> http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm
>

George, Radiosigs is a Jew-Zionist who pretends to be an "American." No way he will want to address what happened to the two amateur radio operators in the Mt. Carmel Center, and their families and friends.

Why? Wise up, George. The Mt. Carmel Center was not a JEWISH community. To Jews and their mind controlled Zionist zombies, the JEWS are the only people who matter.

Had the two amateur radio operators been Jews, had the others there been wearing beanies or black hats and banana curls, Radiosigs and his fine friends at the ADL would be bleating non stop.

Let's take a look at one of the little victims who is just not important enough for the ADL and their mouthpiece (Radiosigs) to worry about:

http://www.public.action.com/SkyWriter/WacoMuseum/death/74/74_aut.html

Melissa Morrison was a cute little girl, wasn't she, George? Tough for her, though, she was not Jewish. Now have a look at her body:

http://www.public action.com/SkyWriter/WacoMuseum/death/74/74_pix.html

As you can see, only the bottom part of her legs and her feet were found.

Radiosigs says:

> > I'm an American and proud of it.

I guess he is proud that the US murdered Melissa and mutilated her body? Step up to the microphone, Radiosigs. Let's see how you justify this.

===
Carol A. Valentine
President, Public Action, Inc.
Have you seen the Waco Holocaust Electronic Museum?
See what they did to the mothers and children--
http://www.Public-Action.com/SkyWriter

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5554. Re: Please Stop Over Quoting!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: tbone107@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990530175914.10268.00000194@ng-fl1.aol.com>
Source record: 141135

De-caf is a lil more expensive but I truely believe it might help. Ok? Does that sound nice? Everything will be just fine. Ok? You'll be ok. I promise. You take it east now...ok?

5555. Re: Two Extras Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7isgirepo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <375188DB.CA23C522@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> Everyone else has had their say about this, so I will too.
> I have the call I was issued- I didn't buy it.
> I rode a Greyhound bus 250 miles to the FCC field office
> in Dallas to get my license.
> I actually had to write down what I copied during the code test.

As did I, my ex-Navy radioman VE was a pain the ass. One minute solid or
nada.

I did this on the first try. I also passed both the Advanced and Extra
written with one wrong on each, first try.

> I think the code test speeds should be lowered.
> I think the CW-only subbands are too big.
>
> I'm a very big fan of CW. I'm almost never on 'phone.
> I think CW should be allowed everywhere on any frequency
> for many obvious reasons.
> But the CW-only subbands are too large to be justified.

I agree, but not with the particulars.

5 wpm test for all HF licenses until it's eliminated in 2002.

FAR increased difficulty for the written. They're ponlic for God sakes,
anyway.

Bottom 25 kHz of each band for CW, next 25 for digital, the rest phone.

And trash that inefficient, 80 kc wide SSTV garbage. It's 1999. It's
stupid. Let old men trade bikini shots on the internet.

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5556. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Mark J. Fine" <fineware@erols.com>
Message-ID: <7isetr$r9s$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>
Source record: 141137
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

From: Shiva Nataraja <removals1@iname.com>
> Can you be more specific about the "speed issue?" Are you talking

Look, you can set the card to "record" and fill a buffer via the APIs. The way the APIs work, an asynchronous callback *message* (essentially and event message) is sent when the buffer is filled. Keep in mind that the MMSystem and MCI APIs were not designed for anything past the transfer of this data either to or from a file system. Also, depending upon what the computer is doing at the time (maybe you're also downloading a large file off the Internet, trying to access a newsgroup using OE5 <G>, or even processing the data, whatever) that message is not enough to ensure consistent processing of buffer chunks. If the processor is busy, more than one message can go unresponded, and you lose data. Different latency than you asked about, but nonetheless that's the way the API works. If the API were such that a specific routine were run synchronously after each buffer fill, that would be a different story.

> rather the algorithm, the implementation of that algorithm, the
> processing speed of the CPU, or some combination of these. As noted in

This is the other part of the problem, since they go hand in hand. Assume at this point that the buffer is essentially filled with signal levels in the time domain, ready to be used. You still have to convert that data to the frequency domain (FFT), optionally filter it, determine the levels about the region of the mark/space frequencies, and buffer that. Another process has to then synchronize and interpret the resulting mark/space stream. On top of that, all of this processing has to compete with other processes that the computer is doing (see above). On 486s, you barely have enough overhead just to perform and display a 4096-point FFT at an acceptable refresh rate. Even then, if you drop a chunk of data it doesn't matter since your eyes will filter that out.

> an earlier post, if the processing demands are too heavy for the main
> CPU to handle in real time, then some kind of coprocessor, whether in
> the form of a dedicated DSP chip or an SMP architecture with multiple
> CPUs, is pretty much a necessity for real time processing of the
> sampled data.

Agreed. That was my earlier argument when I mentioned that a true DSP card should be used. A sound card is *not* a true DSP, just a simple time-domain analog/digital converter. Perhaps the scheme of doing everything in software will work on a 500MHz Pentium III, but how many SWLs have one of those. Just not practical.

73,

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[*SWBC Interval Signals * Smart Audio Control * TTY Reader*]

5557. Re: Will White, Technician (with some) class with Unconfirmed Western Education Credentials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7isi4jfkl1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141138
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3750FE7F.5F374396@asu.uswest.net>,
wcw@asu.uswest.net wrote:
> OK, round three. . .
>
> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > Technician licensees are frequently charlatans.
>
> Since we have no way of knowing whether you are a licensed amateur of not,
> your opinions about the license structure are featherweight.

Just as we don't know if you are Will's sister, mother, girlfriend,
rabbi, or some dude in AZ who knows poor Will and decided to pay for an
account using his name (or hack one).

> > Do yourself a favor, quite while you're ahead and save your money. It's
> > downhill from here.
>
> I'm unclear what you want me to quit? Ham radio? You mean if I didn't go
> staright to "extra", I should just abandon the whole pursuit? Why is that? Or
> my academic career?

NO, ham radio will die as long as contest curmudgeons at ARRL keep
stupid code requirements intact and refuse to toughen the written. Do
not say I accused you of being a codeless "loser", that was not what I
said or intended. The point is, codeless techs often are career liars,
saying they will learn code to fit on., when they really have no
intentions. Therefore, they should just not waste our time. Who cares ?
This doesn't apply to you, whoever you are.

> Ah, you served in the Truman War Department, did you? Or have you come into
> possession of some "Top Secret" documents proving the global consipracy? Do tell.

> Joe Kennedy. Is that supposed to make your tortured reasoning suddenly come
> crystal clear? Joe Kennedy what? He was. . .what? Some serious USENET QSB
> happening here, it looks like.

Nazi sympathesizing ambassador to Germany.

> You claim my bias and your lack of bias, without any reference to any
> *evidence* of any sort. You don't need a graduate degree to understand that
> claims demand some citation of something commonly agreed to as reality.
> Dealings with Isreal? What? You import tomatoes and strawberries? More secret
> agent stuff. National security keeps you mum, I see. mf_luder@my-daja.com, you

> are about to corner the market in generalities and rumor. The end of your
> paragraph really shows you starting to lose control of your filthy little
> mind. Who's foaming? You are jumping to a lot of conclusions about my life,
> aren't you.

You don't deny my Israel vacation/armchair defense minster theory, or
the notion you have ideas on Israel which if faced with the reality of
life as an Israeli, you wouldn't be able to hold as closely without
repercussions in 1999.

> No, it just didn't make any sense. The ARRL is accelerating the apocalypse by
> caving to oressures to reduce/eliminate CW testing, thus speeding up the data
> rate? Is that it? That is the clearest {sic} I can make of it, and I make my
> living explicating obscure texts.

Thus it appears (sic).

> > Please. They don't drive white Jeeps either. Don't let Chris Carter
> > teach you geopolitics.
>
> Hey, way to go! We at least have the X-files in common! Wow, maybe we *can* be
> friends after all! Now, you *do* know that Carter didn't come up with the
> black choppers myth, just exploited it for aesthetic and commercial reasons,

It's not a myth, just exaggerated for TV. And we can only be friends for
another year...

> threatening personal liberty and the free market, or maybe I am a cell-leader
> of the UN after all, just telling you I am to throw you off the trail,

Or maybe you're fantasizing.

but
> hey, don't rain on my parade, I'm sending out demos, and hope to be as big as
> M&M someday soon.

White men can't jump.

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5558. Re: How hard will my upgrade be to Tech Plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: henry@wolfenet.com
Message-ID: <3751c054.3274331@news1.wolfenet.com>
Source record: 141139

n4zn<AT>amsat<dot>org (N4ZN) wrote:

>
> Code Quick Tapes worked well for me after trying the Gordo tapes &
>super morse, Nu Morse etc. It teaches each character to you as SOUND.
> After passing up thru advanced, I got hold of the Computer Program
>for Code Quick. I wouldn't recommend it for learning it from the
>start, but darn good at getting the speed up.
> After you know the code, I'll recommend a website to practice on:
>http://www.biochem.mcw.edu/Postdocs/Simon/radio/exam.html
>it also has practice for the written tests.
> Above all.... when you get your first upgrade... USE IT USE IT USE
>IT !!!!! You'll find plenty of others at your speed in the novice
>
>
>

w5yi has a general,advanced, xtra course for the computer/reading that
works pretty good. Also check out the BARC ftp site and the Simtel
mirror for code progs, they work pretty good also.
Henry K7WAR

5559. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sampson <ssampson@usa-site.net>
Message-ID: <Fqk43.3341$S4.21798@news.goodnet.com>
Source record: 141140
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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There was a program called MDT that decoded Police Packet at 4800
baud at 850 - 860 MHz or so, and did it with the Multi-Media API for
the
sound card.

Basically he used a C module to get the speed he needed, and then
programmed everything else in Visual Basic.

Alas, there was a big late-night attack by police in several cities
to confiscate the software. I haven't heard if the process is
on-going,
but until new laws are written, police will confiscate contraband
first
and only say oops if you got enough money to make a Supreme Court
case. That along with Cell-Phone receivers, and CW radar receivers.

I did a search on MDT and most of the sites it was at are now gone.

The only remaining link I found was at Qualcomm and the San Diego
Police are scared to go in there:

http://people.qualcomm.com/ppomes/Crypto/MDT.html

But this is the original MDT message, and not useful for the Sound
Card software you need.

The U.S. is quickly becoming a clone of Communist China. It may be
that we stole the nuclear secrets from China, rather than the other
way
around! We're too stupid to let mere engineers design government
bombs :-)

Steve
PGP key attached below

Mark J. Fine wrote in message <7isetr$r9s$1@autumn.news.rcn.net>...
>From: Shiva Nataraja <removals1@iname.com>
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=Gxju
- -----END PGP PUBLIC KEY BLOCK-----

-----BEGIN PGP SIGNATURE-----
Version: PGP 6.0.2

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Nn7/KEzH6BjtidWTLqdUiJU7
=Gzys
-----END PGP SIGNATURE-----

5560. Re: RFI from a GFCI outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Louis Bybee <louisb@datacomm.com>
Message-ID: <3751E326.2F8B3946@datacomm.com>
Source record: 141141
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

FWIW...

Many inspection authorities will gag at the installation of a breaker
not listed for the specific panel in question. Even if the breaker will
fit and function properly, unless the panel listing includes that
specific breaker, you can be required to replace it with a listed
breaker.

Louis

Roy Lewallen wrote:
>
> I don't think this is typical; your unit might be defective. I'd first
> try replacing it with another one, preferably one of a different
> brand.
>
> Roy Lewallen, W7EL
>
> F W Mooney wrote:
> >
> > Greetings from Tornado Alley.
> >
> > The service panel at my house has a GFCI breaker built right into it for the
> > 120V, 15 amp circuit that covers the garage, bathroom, and outdoor outlets.
> > It is full of RFI! It puts out strong, wideband interference on 114kHz, and
> > similar noise all over the LW, MW, and SW bands as well.
> >
> > Anyone have a similar experience with CGFI's? Anyone know of a good
> > RFI-free replacement for my service panel?
> >
> > - Fred M.
> > KA1DGL
> > Oklahoma City

5561. Re: Dayton Hamvention - Where Was Everybody???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: rer <kb8tpw@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7isk5a$4h2$1@holly.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141142

I've been going for quite a few years, there are a bunch of bad apples in every crowd I must admit, but all in all there are a lot places I'd less like to go. I travel a lot and have ttaended hamfests around the country in all regions, seen some pretty good ones too, byt hamvention remains the grandaddy of them all. DARA puts on a pretty darn good show, most appreciate it, the declining attendance is probably a sign of the times in the life of amateur radio, which is obviously not rosey. The jammers on the talk-in frequency are the ones that should be caught and hung to dry in front of Hara Arena for three days and nights. That's the sort of "crap" that makes amateur radion look 1/99th of a notch above CB in stead of ions above, of all things, and that's horrible.

5562. Putting a mobile antenna on a bicycle??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Greg Castiglione <GregCa@DIM.com>
Message-ID: <3751F49E.6246@DIM.com>
Source record: 141143
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Is it possible or feasable to temporarily attach a VHF or UHF antenna on a mountain bike?? (Bicycle)??

Mounting is easy, Power is easy, but the antenna that can handle 10-20 watts and have low VSWR is another story. I'm looking for longer range and handy-talkies are just not cutting it!! Has anyone ever tried this?? --Greg-- N0FKI

5563. Re: Putting a mobile antenna on a bicycle??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Cal Kutemeier <ckuter@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3751FDC7.EA05104E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141144
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

QST magazine had an article about bike antennas in the march 193 issue. Using one design, I made one for my bike using an old CB antenna with a 52" steel whip. I clipped the coils wires and re-soldered the coil connections using a wire of minimal length. The SWR is under 2. I attached it to the luggage rack on my bike and used a 1/ wave counter poise. I can hit some repeaters up to 20 miles away.

A better antenna is a TV twin lead-in wire J-pole that I made for use in my house. There are some plans floating around on the internet and you couple find them via Yahoo or Dejanews. For bike use, I slide the J-POLE into about 5 feet of 1 inch PVC and secured the top of the JPOLE with a PVC cap over the pipe. I then use an S ring and put one end (downward opening) of the S ring over the bike's rear frame at the left side of the rear axle. I then set the bottom of the PVC pipe onto the other end of the S ring. I use a bunge cords to hold the PVC pipe straight up.

I have worked two public service events with the JPOLE and am happy with it. It is the better of the two antennas. Unsure of max power on the JPOLE, but the first antenna above should be able to handle your wattage.

Let me know if someone e-mails you a better design.

Greg Castiglione wrote:
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> --Greg-- N0FKI

5564. FA: MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#GV4UPxq#GA.202@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 141145
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation
Starts At $175.00 + Shipping (New In Box)

@ Ebay http://cgi.ebay.com/aw-cgi/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=108833271

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

5565. LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <3752052e.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 141146
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Hello,
Anyone have the new log-eqf v 9 yet? I was looking for a copy to try out but it was not at log-eqf site yet. Also I have version does anyone have the modules
for DXCC WAS and WAZ for version 8. I would like to check this out also.
Thanks!!

--
Steven R. Baker
Amateur Radio KB9HGI
---===Quincy, IL===---
Ham Going Insane!

www.qsl.net/kb9hgi

5566. Re: Putting a mobile antenna on a bicycle??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Doug McFall <mcfall@srv.net>
Message-ID: <928122413.070.63@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141147
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg:
You are talking about a half wave antenna. Larsen sells these and
they recommend them for sailboats with fiberglass decks, back-hoes
and other heavy equipment, and yes bicycles too. Some of the other
companies make them as well, such as antenex. You will almost get
the same gain with a half wave with no ground plane, as you will with
a 5/8 wave with a ground plane. You will get at least 2dbi gain over
a quarter wave with ground plane. You will not be disappointed.
Good luck and 73,
--
Doug McFall N7JHS
Greg Castiglione <GregCa@DIM.com> wrote in message
news:3751F49E.6246@DIM.com...
> Is it possible or feasable to temporarily attach a VHF or UHF antenna on
> a mountain bike?? (Bicycle)??
>
> Mounting is easy, Power is easy, but the antenna that can handle 10-20
> watts and have low VSWR is another story. I'm looking for longer range
> and handy-talkies are just not cutting it!! Has anyone ever tried this??
> --Greg-- N0FKI

5567. Re: Fooling the People *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Leland C. Scott" <no-spam@junk-mail.net>
Message-ID: <7it0mi$ado@nnrp4.farm.idt.net>
Source record: 141148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.packet,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Propaganda trash.

5568. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <37520698.0@news.accessus.net>
Source record: 141149

Me and my G5RV get along well too!

--
Steven R. Baker
Amateur Radio KB9HGI
---===Quincy, IL===---
Ham Going Insane!

www.qsl.net/kb9hgi

Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com> wrote in message
news:37516FB7.40B8@avotec.com...
> I can confirm everything Doc says about his Cloud Warmer because me and
> my G5RV relay information from the stations he can't hear!
>
> Len

5569. FS: Kenwood TH-79AD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <928125110.254.5@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141150
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

For sale.... Kenwood TH-79AD with 3 regular batteries, 1 NiMH long life battery, wall charger, and book. Radio is very clean with low use. Email NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com (remove NO-SPAM) for more information. 73 De WB5TTY, Anthony........

5570. FS: Kenwood UHF/VHF Hand-Helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <928125440.441.64@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141151
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

2 Kenwood TK-350s (UHF) with DTMF key pad. 1 Kenwood TK-250 (VHF) with a new NiMH long life battery. Will program to buyer's frequency. For more information email NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com (remove NO-SPAM). 73 De WB5TTY, Anthony...

5571. FS: CS-800 Repeater Controler-Phone Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anthony Mikulastik <nospam-wb5tty@vvm.com>
Message-ID: <928126345.293.16@news.remarQ.com>
Source record: 141152
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

CS-800 Repeater Controller / Phone Patch. Unit is very clean and comes with box and book. Contact me by email at NO-SPAMwb5tty@vvm.com (remove NO-SPAM) for more information. 73 De WB5TTY, Anthony........

5572. 50 MHz DX Bulletin

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "O. Bj&#65533;rn Madsen" <obm@image.dk>
Message-ID: <bW%33.601$c4.19025@news030.image.dk>
Source record: 141176
Cross-posted to: nl.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dr OM/YL

This mail to inform You that the latest edition
of the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin #99-021 is now uploaded
at my homepage, at the adress;

http://www.qsl.net/oz6om/

Please have in mind that the OZ50MHz DX Bulletin
normaly is uploaded late Saturday evening (UT time)

vy 73 de OZ6OM "Matt"

5573. Re: ...the screw who turned Bill In to Feds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pio@parg.org
Message-ID: <37508C4D.1DA071B8@parg.org>
Source record: 141177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.fan.bill.cheek,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Spunky - I am reading this post as a reply to a post from Blake Bowers. The words below & am I sure that many others share the same opinion regarding Blake. I am only curious to know exactly what specifically you are referring to when you said "I think you screwing Bill like you did was an attempt for you to have this,,,".

thanks!

Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote:

> I think you screwing Bill like you did was an attempt for you to have this channel for yourself
> instead of having to share all the attention with Bill.
> I think we should all killfile you as a protest in your activity against Bill.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5574. Re: Will White, Technician (with some) class with Unconfirmed Western Education Credentials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iq58l$v64$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <374FF6EC.54A86360@asu.uswest.net>,
wcw@asu.uswest.net wrote:
> OK, mf_luder@my-deja.com, what a clever man you must be, whoever the hell you
> are (I don't know, since you don't sign your posts with a real name, but hide
> behind the anonymity of DejaNews)

I'm worried about those guys with the black flak vests, the ear canal
mics, the blue berets, driving the white plateless Jeeps led by two
middle aged gents in black suits, carrying cell phones.

you wanted it, so here it is: first, what
> the <insert expletives of choice here> does my license class have to do with
> *anything* in
> *any* of the *posts* I have made in response to your seething, trivial,
> self-fouling hate filled diatribes on this newsgroup?

Your posts are unclear. You claimed war dead, then changed your tune and
now change it again. Technician licensees are frequently charlatans.
These flip flops establish this pattern.

Opposing a sitting Administration's lawlessness is not hate. I'm sure
you loved Reagan to pieces....

> Not that anyone is really interested,
> ot as my main mode. If you like, I will send you my new letterpress printed
> QSL card, in announcing my passing 1(b), just as a special favor to you
> "mf_luder."

No, please announce it here, we will all share in your joy.

> You see, after finishing my M.F.A. in English here at A.S.U. last May, I have
> been sorta busy with this little Doctoral program I entered last Fall, and
> with the small duties of being a new college instructor of English. I am *so*
> sorry 'luder', that I am not up to your high standards as a ham, though I do
> hope to be one day.

Do yourself a favor, quite while you're ahead and save your money. It's
downhill from here.

> time. BTW, I notice you don't sign your posts with your *call*; is there a
> reason for that?

My W and 4 keys are broken, thus I cannnot type my call.

>
I don't think you are making a
> mistake when you say that the Truman Administration calculated not to nuke
> Germany. I think you know the timeline of the Manhattan Project,

If you only knew.

and that
> Teller wanted to use the bomb on Germany, just as everyone else reading this
> knows it. Oh, where were these Anglo-Saxons in Berlin you insist we were
> sympathizing with in not nuking that city?

Joe Kennedy.

C'mon, you can tell us, can't you?
> It is ironic, after my calling you a Nazi, that you should continue in the
> vein of cynically spreading the same misinformation.

Right, leftists think unbiased history is anti semitic and biased. Let
me clue you in son. I've had more dealings with the state of Israel, its
people and history than the summer you spent on a kibbutz or the 5 bucks
you drop in the Jewish Agency cans. I can quote chapter and verse of
Herzel and you arm chair "Israelis" do amaze me so. So quick to fly off
the handle, so quick to recall the Holocaust, so slow to build up the
Zionist Enterprise. Just foam at the mouth the next time you see an Arab
and yell "no compromise !", unlike real Israelis.

> What the hell does the Pope's prophesying the "end-times" and ARRL's
> back-pedaling on CW testing have to do with one another?

Missed the "speed of life, communications, changes" segment, did you ?

Thank you kindly for the family history, it saved me from having to do
more research, which I would have done had you given me more time.

> survived as many 1000's did not, a very big deal from where I sit.
> get thee to a "compound" in the great
> white north, out of the flight path of those black helicopters whose pilots
> don the blue berets.

Please. They don't drive white Jeeps either. Don't let Chris Carter
teach you geopolitics.

Do it, you know, because I am a "leftist member of the
> NWO" (and that ain't a rap group).

If you were, you wouldn't be saying that.

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5575. Re: Morse code

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: konstans@one-eleven.net
Message-ID: <375096df.4445351@nntp.one-eleven.net>
Source record: 141179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 10 May 1999 10:51:55 -0500, "BD" <bodu@pobox.com> wrote:

>And how many have said that it was easy, Mark?...
>I've seen lots of posts concerning how much more repect you have for
>something when having to put out some effort to get it, tho...

Well you may may have more respect for something that you spend more
time over, I don't. This you will respect it more if you take the
effort is not always true. It is a quasireligous line of thought. As
such does it really have a place in the US in the regs of the
goverment (remember the first amend.)

>It took me about 4mnths to learn it. I could have probably gotten a General
>within a week after starting to study (memorizing the quick-n-easy study
>guides just enough to pass the 'writtens'), but because of the 13wpm
>requirement, it'll probably/possibly be anough mnth, yet, before I pass...
>Very few, not counting that kid who learned it in 2 weeks, have an easy time
>of it, MARK...
>I guess the gimme-crowd'll never give up, will you?...

What gimme crowd? Will the I did it so you must crowd ever
stopp either? Not likely even after Code testing does die, the CWOT's
will be bitching about it for years
>
>Mark Morgan <konstans@one-eleven.net> wrote in message >
>>
>> It is also incorrect and inaccurate to say that the trails of all
>> people learning Code are indentical, as can be claerly seen by reading
>> the claims of the ProCoders on the ease of learning code
>
>
>

5576. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iq86tvu1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <3750602E.3BF1A536@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
> Your post is an attempt to re- and mis-direct the discussion, Bill.
> I freely said I don't have the answers.
> The fact that I don't know the answers
> doesn't mean I can't define the problem.
> Defining it is the first step to fixing it.
>
> The FCC is beating the Liberty Net -which I don't support-
> with a rule and refusing to apply that same club to the Intercon.
> They get away with "interpreting" rules however they like,
> according to the political expedience of the hour.
> That's simply unjust and immoral.

To quote Charlie Brown,

THAT'S IT !!!!!!

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5577. Oris' "Plain Talk" Makes Sense, Vote Libertarian

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iq91r$1e2$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

A true conservative, one who seeks to conserve the Constitution of Madison and Jefferson and not the abomination we see today, Oris' separate quarters makes good sense.

As does operating mobile.

Truly a Jeffersonian thinker.

You see dear friends, he might have founded the Democratic Republicans, but he was for limited government as much as you or I. Klinton can twist and contort the Truth all he wants to fit his adopted "middle name". He may walk the Righteous path of this dear oft-maligned man, in these liberal revisionist times.

He will not tarnish the man, he will only stain the Presidency (and the Oral Office carpet).

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5578. Re: The FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iq6uo$jdk@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:
>
>"Sec. 326. Censorship
>
>"Nothing in this chapter shall be understood or construed to give
>the Commission the power of censorship over the radio communications
>or signals transmitted by any radio station, and no regulation or
>condition shall be promulgated or fixed by the Commission which
>shall interfere with the right of free speech by means of radio
>communication."

So, answer this: Suppose you knew that in exercising your right not
to be censored, the things that you spoke on the air today would be
used against the amateur service to eliminate the amateur bands
tomorrow (See the April 99 QST article on FCC Monitoring). Would
you continue such speech? Amateur radio *can* be legislated out
of existance; do you want to be one reason why that happened?
Are you being a good custodian of the spectrum granted to us?

Jeff KH6O

5579. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iq7q9$js4@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>The FCC is beating the Liberty Net -which I don't support-
>with a rule and refusing to apply that same club to the Intercon.

There are only six FCC people monitoring all of HF nationwide, Dave.
That's down from dozens in previous years. Amateur radio is on the
bottom of their priority list. (I again reference the April issue
of QST.)

>That, in a nutshell, is the problem.

Now you understand. Good.

73, Jeff KH6O

5580. Re: The FCC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <3750AD6B.34DFFF21@innocent.com>
Source record: 141184
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>
> Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:
> >
> >"Sec. 326. Censorship
> >
> >"Nothing in this chapter shall be understood or construed to give
> >the Commission the power of censorship over the radio communications
> >or signals transmitted by any radio station, and no regulation or
> >condition shall be promulgated or fixed by the Commission which
> >shall interfere with the right of free speech by means of radio
> >communication."
>
> So, answer this: Suppose you knew that in exercising your right not
> to be censored, the things that you spoke on the air today would be
> used against the amateur service to eliminate the amateur bands
> tomorrow (See the April 99 QST article on FCC Monitoring). Would
> you continue such speech? Amateur radio *can* be legislated out
> of existance; do you want to be one reason why that happened?
> Are you being a good custodian of the spectrum granted to us?
>
> Jeff KH6O

Jeff, I do think about being a good custodian of the spectrum --
often!

Along with rights and privileges come responsibilities, especially
to future generations. I'd like to bestow both freedom of speech and
amateur radio to my posterity.

I endeavor at all times to comport myself as a gentleman on the
amateur bands, just as I do in "real life." I doubt that anything I
have ever said there could possibly be used as an excuse to
legislate away the tiny slices we are allowed of the spectrum our
predecessors pioneered.

The same cannot be said of those who have attempted to purposely
interfere with me and the other legitimate operators on 3950,
however. To call their endless torrent of noises, catcalls, and the
grossest of obscenities "ungentlemanly" is an understatement
bordering on the absurd. What they are doing is contrary to law, to
the amateur regulations, and certainly brings disrepute to our
service. _Ideas_ of all kinds can and should be tolerated, but
malicious interference should not.

The ideas expressed on the Liberty Net have been expressed for about thirty years that I know of, and probably since the beginning of amateur radio. There was never any problem with that, until the jammers moved in a few years ago. It's the jammers and the would-be censors who are breaking, or threatening to break, the law.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5581. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: z005381b@bc.seflin.org
Message-ID: <7iqa8q$dai@nntp.seflin.org>
Source record: 141185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Oris (oris@dirtball.com) wrote:
[snip]

: I would sujest if you guys don't want a fedral offical snooping around
: your home take the time and money to build yourself one of these
: buildings for YOUR ham radio station.

If you have something to hid it sounds like a good idea. Another idea is
to not do things that would cause a fed to -want- to look around.
--
Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ

5582. Re: AF2Y RULES!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529234408.17005.00000469@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141186

I think Dr. Hate has an ego problem!!!!

--
"Where's that big 'ol Dspman??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5583. Re: N0VFP BEGS FOR HELP v. AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: dspman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990529234430.17005.00000470@ng-fs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141187

N0VFP will kick your butt!!!!

--
"Where's that big 'ol Dspman??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5584. Re: Will White, Technician (no) class Liar

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Joe Schlatter <w4hh@3wave.com>
Message-ID: <qU243.468$9n.22506@typ52b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Professor White:

Ignore the idiot. I do not know him but I guarantee that he is not worth
all the effort you spent to reply to him nor is he worth the increase in
your blood pressure.

--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
Will White wrote in message <374FF6EC.54A86360@asu.uswest.net>...
>OK, mf_luder@my-deja.com, what a clever man you must be, whoever the hell
you

snipped for brevity

5585. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <3750C280.5E03D64D@innocent.com>
Source record: 141189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim Kehler wrote:
>
> Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com> wrote:
>
> >Most important, they are gentlemen who adhere to the spirit and the
> >rules of Amateur radio -- and their detractors are not.
>
> Kevin,
>
> After seeing your web page, I finally have an idea what the Liberty
> Net is about. Because I am located a long distance from the east
> coast, I have never heard the net or the jammers on the radio. Anyone
> who has not seen your web page description of the Liberty Net might
> benefit from visiting it. I know I did.
>
> Two things in particular struck me when reading the web page.
> One, you say that you have never found many aspects of ham radio
> interesting and that taking to people on the ham bands is something
> you felt was generally boring until you found the Liberty Net.
[...]

I didn't say that, Jim.

There are several aspects of amateur radio which have captured my
interest -- AM is one; did you see my AM-related link? I didn't
participate often on 3950 until 1991, though I listened off and on
long before then. And I've been licensed since 1972.

Many amateur contacts are empty and meaningless (I've undoubtedly
been guilty of a few of those myself), but I'm happy to have met
many brilliant, creative, witty, and truly kind people over the
years through the hobby.

> Two, you
> suggest that the people who jam the Liberty Net do so because you
> feel they are not capable of participating in discussions at your level.
>

In some cases, yes.

One jammer, who has recently been removed from HF for two years,
used to repeat "I'm just as good as any of you guys" as part of his
jamming "routine," when he wasn't playing tape loops or cursing.
That's pretty conclusive, in my view.

> As I said before, I have never heard your net, and I have not
> bothered to read the tons of hogwash posted to Usenet over the
> last few years about it, pro or con. Since I haven't heard the net, I
> can't comment about net members breaking the 'rules' of amateur
> radio. The people who jam the net obviously are breaking the rules
> and should be punished appropriately.
>

It's not my net, though I like it. I'm glad to see we agree on the
jammers.

> The 'spirit' of ham radio is another subject. Somewhere, many
> years ago, maybe from my elmer, I heard it said that politics and
> church matters were two subjects that were better saved for forums
> that did not include the ham bands. I'm sure that's not a rule, but
> it seemed like a good idea to me. I'm pretty sure that when the FCC
> established the amateur radio service, they didn't do it with the
> intent of providing a public forum for you and your friends who
> are capable of higher levels of discussion than most hams
> to air your political or religious views.
>
[...]

Just because you "heard it somewhere" and it seemed like a good idea
to you, doesn't make it the "spirit of amateur radio," Jim.

To me, the spirit of amateur radio is the free and friendly
non-commercial exchange of ideas, and the development of technical
skills, via radio waves. In the process, our nations and our lives
are enriched by our conversations and the friendships which grow
from them.

The Liberty Net has served that spirit admirably, and totally
legally, for three decades. It caused no problems for anybody. Then
the jammers arrived on the scene in 1992.

Despite your allegations, the Net participants derived no pleasure
from their arrival and have striven to get enforcement action
against them for years.

When the FCC was established, it was specifically forbidden from
controlling the idea-content of transmissions in any service. That's
demonstrable, and the prohibition is still law.

Furthermore, I don't regard 3950 as a "public forum" for my views.
I'm a published author, and print and the Internet are my public
forums. Amateur radio, aside from its experimental/technical aspects
which I also enjoy, is a place where I can talk with my friends
about things which concern or amuse me, or about Life in general.

I and you have always been free to discuss, as gentlemen, whatever
we please with our radio friends since the beginning of amateur
radio.

It seems to me that the one who suggests that that tradition should now change is the one who wants to trash our service's heritage and impose his views upon others, _in complete contradiction to not only the law, but to the spirit of amateur radio which has prevailed for nearly a century_.

I prefer not to quote or address the crude language and insults in the latter part of your post. It seems odd that you would make such hostile remarks, considering your admission that you have never listened to our conversations.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5586. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <3750D861.43B4@dirtball.com>
Source record: 141190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

James Rosenthal wrote:
>
> Oris (oris@dirtball.com) wrote:
> [snip]
>
> : I would sujest if you guys don't want a fedral offical snooping around
> : your home take the time and money to build yourself one of these
> : buildings for YOUR ham radio station.
>
> If you have something to hid it sounds like a good idea. Another idea is
> to not do things that would cause a fed to -want- to look around.
> --
> Jim Rosenthal, WA4STJ
Jim
That is the right idea don't do things that would make the feds snoop
around. I don't! I still would like to protect my families privacy.
That additude about well if your not doing anything wrong so let em
snoop has all our privacy introuble. It also says that I'm guilty of
some wrong doing so let me prove I'm innocent. That kind of thinking is
also has the Bill of Rights introuble also.
Also to the nerd who can only find fault with spelling. Thats pretty
lame. I guess your not smart enough to do something to protect your
families privacy. Whe I got my ham ticket I reliezed that gave the feds
a open door into my house. I don't want that! So I built the ham shack
outside of the house.
Its just what I did to keep the feds out of my house and
still be able to legaly enjoy amateur radio. All though with the way
this government is becoming a socail governemnt instead of a democratic
government it will be just a matter of time before the feds police and
any other government agency can come in to yours and my home when ever
they want. You have the so called war on drugs to thank for that.
73 from Oris
Save the Constitution and the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian!

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http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5587. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3750EB79.DCB4ADC0@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141191
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Anonymous wrote:
>
> And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to
> enforcing rules, regulations, & ethics within the
> FCC CIB!
>
> He was advised weeks ago from several sources,
> concerning an internal CIB problem and security breach
> where a CIB official, operating during official duty hours
> from his office on government property, while on the public
> pay roll , was and STILL IS conducting personal
> business via amateur radio.

Just as I thought, your "source" is anonymous, just as you are, "Anonymous."
Hmmm, does 1=1? Personal business??? Riley's primary job responsibility is to
enforce the R&Rs of the A.R.S., and to disseminate information about the same,
which is what he has been doing on the bands. This "report" sounds mighty
fishy anyway. You blend together what seems to be Part 97 issues about
commerce and amateur communication with, claimed, internal FCC work rules.
Which is it? I would be surprised if Riley's operating on the ham bands from
his office receives anything less than the full blessing from his bosses.
Maybe I have early-onset Alzheimers, but I think I remember reading in QST
that Riley's office-bound ham operations were after hours, anyway.

> <snip>
> Perhaps the people who Hollingsworth is
> strong-arming to justify their qualifications to hold an
> amateur license should supply Congress, the media,
> and their attorneys with concise examples of the way
> in which the FCC and CIB will not enforce rules, regulations,
> and ethics when it comes to their own organization.
<snip>

Strong-arming? Hey "Anonymous," remember when you signed that ol' Form 610?
The line above your signature reads, in part, that you agree to be bound by
Part 97. Nobody was forced to sign that document. And, hate to be so cynical,
but why should Congress care? They are the biggest offenders when it comes to
breaking their own rules. . .

--
Will White, KD7BFX

to reply, please click this link mailto:wcw@asu.uswest.net

5588. Re: Will White, Technician (with some) class with Unconfirmed Western Education Credentials

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Will White <wcw@asu.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <3750FE7F.5F374396@asu.uswest.net>
Source record: 141192
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

OK, round three. . .

mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> Technician licensees are frequently charlatans.

Since we have no way of knowing whether you are a licensed amateur of not,
your opinions about the license structure are featherweight.

>
> > You see, after finishing my M.F.A. in English here at A.S.U. last May, I have
> > been sorta busy with this little Doctoral program I entered last Fall, and
> > with the small duties of being a new college instructor of English. I am *so*
> > sorry 'luder', that I am not up to your high standards as a ham, though I do
> > hope to be one day.
>
> Do yourself a favor, quite while you're ahead and save your money. It's
> downhill from here.

I'm unclear what you want me to quit? Ham radio? You mean if I didn't go
staright to "extra", I should just abandon the whole pursuit? Why is that? Or
my academic career? I love what I do, and am pretty good at it. The subject
matter, and the opportunity to share that, and have a direct effect on the
intellectual, and by extension political and cultural, lives of young(er)
people. Doesn't pay very well, but has a lot going for it otherwise. I also
have a book of poems coming out from W.W. Norton this Fall, and am starting a
small publishing company with some friends and colleagues soon. I have so much
fun I worry about being arrested because I smile so much.
>
> > time. BTW, I notice you don't sign your posts with your *call*; is there a
> > reason for that?
>
> My W and 4 keys are broken, thus I cannnot type my call.

He he. That *is* funny.
>
> >
> I don't think you are making a
> > mistake when you say that the Truman Administration calculated not to nuke
> > Germany. I think you know the timeline of the Manhattan Project,
>
> If you only knew.

Ah, you served in the Truman War Department, did you? Or have you come into possession of some "Top Secret" documents proving the global consipracy? Do tell.

> and that
> > Teller wanted to use the bomb on Germany, just as everyone else reading this
> > knows it. Oh, where were these Anglo-Saxons in Berlin you insist we were
> > sympathizing with in not nuking that city?
>
> Joe Kennedy.

Joe Kennedy. Is that supposed to make your tortured reasoning suddenly come crystal clear? Joe Kennedy what? He was. . .what? Some serious USENET QSB happening here, it looks like.

> C'mon, you can tell us, can't you?
> > It is ironic, after my calling you a Nazi, that you should continue in the
> > vein of cynically spreading the same misinformation.
>
> Right, leftists think unbiased history is anti semitic and biased. Let
> me clue you in son. I've had more dealings with the state of Israel, its
> people and history than the summer you spent on a kibbutz or the 5 bucks
> you drop in the Jewish Agency cans. I can quote chapter and verse of
> Herzel and you arm chair "Israelis" do amaze me so. So quick to fly off
> the handle, so quick to recall the Holocaust, so slow to build up the
> Zionist Enterprise. Just foam at the mouth the next time you see an Arab
> and yell "no compromise !", unlike real Israelis.

You claim my bias and your lack of bias, without any reference to any *evidence* of any sort. You don't need a graduate degree to understand that claims demand some citation of something commonly agreed to as reality. Dealings with Isreal? What? You import tomatoes and strawberries? More secret agent stuff. National security keeps you mum, I see. mf_luder@my-daja.com, you are about to corner the market in generalities and rumor. The end of your paragraph really shows you starting to lose control of your filthy little mind. Who's foaming? You are jumping to a lot of conclusions about my life, aren't you. Not to toot my own horn so much, but notice how I don't make assumptions about you. I just tear apart your addled, rabble shrieks. Thanks for making it so easy. Thanks for recycling, too.

> > What the hell does the Pope's prophesying the "end-times" and ARRL's
> > back-pedaling on CW testing have to do with one another?
>
> Missed the "speed of life, communications, changes" segment, did you ?

No, it just didn't make any sense. The ARRL is accelerating the apocalypse by caving to oressures to reduce/eliminate CW testing, thus speeding up the data rate? Is that it? That is the clearest {sic} I can make of it, and I make my living explicating obscure texts.

> > survived as many 1000's did not, a very big deal from where I sit.
> > get thee to a "compound" in the great
> > white north, out of the flight path of those black helicopters whose pilots

> > don the blue berets.
>
> Please. They don't drive white Jeeps either. Don't let Chris Carter
> teach you geopolitics.

Hey, way to go! We at least have the X-files in common! Wow, maybe we *can* be friends after all! Now, you *do* know that Carter didn't come up with the black choppers myth, just exploited it for aesthetic and commercial reasons, don't you? Don't you?! Just who is it that is learning geopolitics (or is it ET politics, since the X-Files choppers carry the agents of those damn grays (and you thought the Reds were bad!) from television here?
>
> Do it, you know, because I am a "leftist member of the
> > NWO" (and that ain't a rap group).
>
> If you were, you wouldn't be saying that.

There you go again! Are you saying that a) I am not a dupe of the NWO, or b) I am not a rap star? I mean, I suppose I could be wrong about the NWO, or Illuminati, or Tri-Lateral Commission, or whatever it is these days that is threatening personal liberty and the free market, or maybe I am a cell-leader of the UN after all, just telling you I am to throw you off the trail, but hey, don't rain on my parade, I'm sending out demos, and hope to be as big as M&M someday soon.
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

You ought to ponder that .sig line a long while. . .

--
Will White, KD7BFX

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5589. Re: John Mackey, Federal Agent impersonator, Toilet Bowl Brush, and informant!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: pio@parg.org
Message-ID: <37510230.94BE79B4@parg.org>
Source record: 141193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner,alt.fan.john.mackey,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.firefighters

That is REALLY funny Blake, when the facts from "Dejanews" PROVE you WRONG, you claim the the dejanews archives are incorrect!!!

Apparently you either are a habitual liar or can't stand to be proven wrong!!

Blake Bowers wrote:

> So, someone has snuck into the Dejanews archives and changed
> the below? You are caught in yet ANOTHER lie.

----------== Posted via Deja News, The Discussion Network ==----------
http://www.dejanews.com/ Search, Read, Discuss, or Start Your Own

5590. Christie Aponte back in the hospital..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: you@somehost.somedomain
Message-ID: <_I943.52$Ly.4458@petpeeve.ziplink.net>
Source record: 141194

Christie Aponte, the teenaged ham from Puerto Rico that was badly injured in a car accident, returned to Childrens' Hospital this past week. Two months ago, Christie travelled back to Boston for scheduled surgery on her hip. After completing the procedure and rehabilitation, she returned to her home to complete the school year.

Unfortunately, the surgery didn't take, and she returned to Boston last week for repairs. After going through another round of surgery last week, doctors admitted that they had to make more repairs during this coming week.

Christie is not particularly happy to have to undergo serious surgery three times in two months. I'm sure you can imagine how difficult this must be. As a result, she needs some cheering up.

If you'd like to send her a "Get well email", check out the following Children's Hospital web site. There, you can send her a personal email greeting that hospital staff will deliver to her door.

Thanks for your consideration.

Kip
N1AUP

http://www.childrenshospital.org/services/resources/email.html

5591. Re: RFI from a GFCI outlet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: barryo@fastlink.com.au
Message-ID: <375129ce.12245838@genenews.acay.com.au>
Source record: 141195
Cross-posted to: aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"F W Mooney" <fmooney@sprintmail.com> wrote:

:Greetings from Tornado Alley.

Piss off.

:The service panel at my house has a GFCI breaker built right into it for the
:120V, 15 amp circuit that covers the garage, bathroom, and outdoor outlets.
:It is full of RFI! It puts out strong, wideband interference on 114kHz, and
:similar noise all over the LW, MW, and SW bands as well.

Where would we use 120 volts? Power outlets provide 240 volts.

:Anyone have a similar experience with CGFI's? Anyone know of a good
:RFI-free replacement for my service panel?
:
:- Fred M.
: KA1DGL
: Oklahoma City

Try selecting your newsgroups better.

Barry
==========
Please send me an email copy if you reply to this post.
Web page: http://www.acay.com.au/~barryo

5592. ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: scrapper2006@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7irgfm$q37$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141196
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

ND8V silent key was in auto crash will miss him 73

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

5593. ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: scrapper2006@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7irhoiqst1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141197

nd8v is a silent key was in auto crash will miss him.
73

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5594. Isotron Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: bushml <bushml@phnx.uswest.net>
Message-ID: <ASb43.3640$Np1.188046@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 141198

Greetings,
If you have used or have direct knowledge of the performance of Isotron antennas, I would like to hear from you. I am trying to decide if an Isotron will be the answer for my restricted condo, or if some other stealth antenna technology would perform better. Please respond to kd7kr@arrl.net or bushml@rocketmail.com

Any input is most appreciated.
Thanks and 73,
KD7KR
Mike B.

5595. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: "G.T. Tyson IV" <Tarkus@skantech.com>
Message-ID: <37513C1F.D7106410@skantech.com>
Source record: 141199
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Can't you just answer the guy's question instead of advertising your lack
of knowledge by nitpicking it to pieces?
He obviously meant monochrome as in BLACK & WHITE. Instead you give out with
all this BS about stations broadcasting in only one color ('scuse me, colour)
and ice cream and chromatic density and blah blah blah. Sheesh.
All you're doing is evading the question and making yourself look like a
jackass in the process.

GTT/Tarkus@skantech.com

Mobbsy wrote:

> In article <374fdc5d.3870950@news.earthlink.net>, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
> wrote:
>
> > On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:54:29 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
> >
> > >Keith Bennett wrote:
> > >>
> > >> I'm having problems with receiving the Isle of Wight monochrome TV
> > >> transmitter on Channel BBC-1 from this location. Has anybody based in
> > >> Holland any tips on the subject?
> > --
> >
> > >> From the ORIGINAL Trojan Horse!
> > >Since when do TV station broadcast in one colo(u)r as the name
> > >Monochrome would imply.
> >
> > Monochrome does not mean one colour! It means monoCHORMATIC!
> > On a grey scale from black to white!
> >
> > >Heck, even Black and White is two colo(u)rs.
> >
> > Yes, but we are talking about chrominance here, not "colours."
> > You don't seem to have learned the difference!
> >
> > >By the way, the best Black and White is what is know as a Twistee cone.
> > >That is when they combine Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Ice Crea.
> >
> Ummmmm, what was the question again?
> > Sigh - again, chocolate ice cream is BROWN, not BLACK!
> >

> > Maybe you are colour blind. Though I rather suspect what we have here
> > is misperception of chromatic DENSITY!
> --
> A smile doesn't cost anything :)
>

5596. Re: N0VFP BEGS FOR HELP v. AF2Y

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990530111056.27783.00003236@ng-cs1.aol.com>
Source record: 141200

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<< Subject: Re: N0VFP BEGS FOR HELP v. AF2Y
From: dspman@aol.com (Dspman)
Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 3:44 AM
Message-id: <19990529234430.17005.00000470@ng-fs1.aol.com>

N0VFP will kick your butt!!!!
<<<Frankie, go back to wheeling your dolls in the baby carriage>>>>>>>>
--
"Where's that big 'ol Dspman??"
"I wanna hear him TALK TOUGH!!"

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5597. FS: 3 Motorola Vehical Adaptor Model # NTN5612A NEW In Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uq4V2Brq#GA.238@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I Have 3 Motorola Vehicle Adapter NEW in box
Model # NTN5612A Works With HT-600, MT-1000, MTX-800 Series Radios
Prices Very Depending On Witch One You Want See Web Page Below.

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

5598. FS: Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz Conv

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <O3is2Brq#GA.238@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

1 Motorola Maxtrac 300 800Mhz 16Ch Conv w/o Scan $100.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

5599. FS: Reduced Motorola DVP KVL T3010 AX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eoHK4Brq#GA.238@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141203
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Motorola DVP Key Varable Loader (KVL) T3010 AX

$400.00 + Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

5600. FS: STX After Market Programming Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <ucWh4Brq#GA.238@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141204
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

STX After Market Programming Cable

Asking $50.00 + Shipping

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

5601. FS: Motorola KVL Up Gades for T3011 & T3014 To DX Ver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <uIm74Brq#GA.139@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

T3011 BX & CX To DX $150.00
T3014 BX & CX To DX $125.00

There left over kits that where not used only a few left

Send me your Motorola Key Variable Loader (KVL)
and I will upgrade it to DX Version to work on the latest radios
such as Astros and MTSX 2000.

Price Includes Parts Labor And Shipping

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

5602. FS: Motorola Battery Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eYzV5Brq#GA.139@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600, P200, MT1000, MTX SERIES RAPID CHARGER
NTN 6433C $60.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

GP-300, GP-350, GTX Series Rapid Charger
HTN 9630C $62.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

HT-1000, MTSX 8000, 9000, 838, MTS 2000 Series Rapid Charger
NTN 1171C $72.00 + Shipping (New in Box)

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

5603. FA: MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <#g2r5Brq#GA.139@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141207
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

MAGELLAN GPS Tracker Hand Held Satellite Navigation
Starts At $175.00 + Shipping (New In Box)

For Picture And More Info Visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks!! Rich

5604. FS: Motorola HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tech 55 <ST1A55@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <OdTE6Brq#GA.139@cpmsnbbsa05>
Source record: 141208
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

HT-600 UHF With ANI Keypad
Comes with Battery, Antenna & 1 hour Desk Top Charger.
Asking $300.00 + Shipping Or Best Offer

For more Info and pictures visit: http://www.channel21.com/radio/tech55/

E-mail At: ST1A55@msn.com
Thanks !!! Rich

5605. Re: 6 Mtr Military Radios- Calling Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37515DF1.1573DA9C@dallas.net>
Source record: 141209
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Are you aware of the large numbers of hams who still
listen to ('guard') 52.525 MHz on six Meters?

Over the years I have logged hundreds of contacts on 52.525 ...
Using no more than 15 watts in the first few years.

Jim in Tx

David Stinson wrote:

> The Military Collector's Group mailing list,
> a major group of internet-connected military radio collectors,
> has settled on 6-meter calling frequencies for our
> green VHF military radios like the BC-620, BC-659,
> PRC-6, PRC-10, RT-70, RT-68 and others.
>
> 51.0 MC FM General local use, in the tradition of 3885 KC.
> Re-enactment groups, field days, special events etc.
>
> 51.6 MC FM DX calling frequency for military rigs.
> For the stout-hearted who want to work
> across the pond with their PRC-10.
>
> 50.6 MC AM VHF mil rigs (there are a few) calling and secondary use.
>
> With the sunspots on the rise, I will be dedicating
> a scanner and antenna to guarding these frequencies in
> central Texas beginning this summer.
>
> Please relay this information as you see fit.
>
> 73 DE Dave Stinson AB5S
> arc5@ix.netcom.com

5606. Re: 6 Mtr Military Radios- Calling Freqs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37515FF4.970B2895@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141210
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Jim wrote:
>
> Are you aware of the large numbers of hams who still
> listen to ('guard') 52.525 MHz on six Meters?

Thanks for writing, Jim.
Yes, but most military radios will not make this frequency
without buying special crystals or modification.
Standard issue crystals are available for the frequencies chosen,
and irreversable modifications to historic radios
are no longer acceptable to serious collectors.

TNX ES 73 OM DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

5607. Re: A CBer Talks Sense.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37515EFD.CCB8B0D3@dallas.net>
Source record: 141211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Actually - I've put CB back in the car for my 25 mile trek
into Dallas each day ... the 'road' info is a little more up-to
date, too.

Jim in Tx

Rick KC2ESD wrote:

> On Fri, 21 May 1999 15:03:43 GMT, DoNkBoY99@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >In article <3744EC84.3C67@dirtball.com>,
> > Oris <oris@dirtball.com> wrote:
> >
>> dead. 11-meters around here is never dead. I found two truckers at the
>> 154 mile stick on 85. They where on on 27.635 of all places other then
>> that the spectrum is pretty darn quite.
> >
>> Oris, you be long on 27.635 with the rest of the WTIA. Did Susie go
> >over there to do them a little favor, to get the rent for that tin roof
> >shack you live in??? hmmm
> >
> >
> >--== Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/ ==--
> >---Share what you know. Learn what you don't.---
>
> It's Comments like that above that is hurting the Radio Hobby, not
> helping it!!!
>
> Rick KC2ESD

5608. Re: TO GEORGE ZIMMERLEE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Message-ID: <8858670239A7E174.12D3D7AFCE1BF89F.243E35C181FE46F9@library-proxy.airnews.net>
Source record: 141212

Now that you have expressed your usual bit of
hate speech, would you care to address the issue?
You did not refute the evidence of FCC and FBI
misconduct presented at the website,
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Personal attacks are not the business of this NG.
The title and text of your posting contributes
nothing to the NG. The last futile effort of a
weak-minded person is to attack the messenger.

The thread "CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!" is what
generated your current posting. Her statements are
important to this NG because they pertain to
America Holocaust: the genocide of Christians
inside an amateur radio station. This makes
her contribution to the NG squarely on topic
for the NG.

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> Based on the insidious anti-government stuff you constantly post, I hope you
> miscalculate to no innocent person's detriment and have the FBI kick your ass.
> I'm an American and proud of it. My mother's three brothers fought for and two
> were wounded for fighting for this nation in the European and Pacific theatres
> from 1941-1945. The only thing wrong with this government exists in your sick
> demented mind in which you confuse topics of religion and politics. No one is
> after Christians. No one is after Jews. No one is after any other religionist.
> This government persecution is entirely fabricated and embellished by you and
> your numbnut cohorts. You don't like the USA? Then get the hell out. You can
> always be replaced by someone from overseas who sees America as the beacon of
> hope and yearns for the chance to kiss our soil. AF2Y, Doc

--
George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

5609. Re: Changing address with FCC?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ed cifelli <ecifelli@cybertrails.com>
Message-ID: <375165F1.753B8B60@cybertrails.com>
Source record: 141213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Get a copy of a 610 and fill it out and send it in. Right now that is
the only way. If you need a copy, I think I may have d/l one about a
month ago and can send it to you. Also don't forget to change it on QRZ.

5610. Re: Seattle to ... 6m? / Ground wave prop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <3751698D.D0D4756D@dallas.net>
Source record: 141214

I'm sorry, but "ground wave" runs out at several megahertz ...

You're talking standard VHF ranges at 60 miles or so ...

Now, try 120 miles to a mobile with just 100 watts - that's ground wave (what used to be the FW LW beacon in the 300 KHz range).

Again, sorry - ground losses are just too high as high in frequency as 50 MHz.

Jim

larry d. clark wrote:

> nero
>
> consistent, reliable communication on 6m via a ground wave
> probably a 60 mile radius when using antennas at less than
> 30 feet. most of the time, i can do that reliably. i
> use a 1/2 wave vertical at about 25 feet, and a 5 element,
> log periodic antenna at about 30 feet here is dallas, tx, &
> generally run 100 watts.
>
> larry
> kd5foy
> em12

5611. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <37516A11.358CE020@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim, you're making a case that jamming is caused by
the discussion subject of the group being jammed,
and I'm sure you don't mean that.

That is exactly the same thinking that says:
"It wasn't the rapist's fault. The girl was wearing
sexy clothes so she was asking for it."

This is misplacing the responsibility for law-breaking.
The people talking about government are not breaking the law.
The people doing the *jamming* are breaking the law.
It's politically popular and the herd will cheer you
for misplacing the blame, but it's still immoral.
Let's put the blame where it belongs.

Concerning your illustration of a man yelling insults in an airport-
There are limits to what a person can say or yell in public,
and radio is inherently public. The man yelling is guilty of
disturbing the peace and can be held accountable for it.
But the proper thing for the offended people to do is
let the authorities handle it. If they walk up and
belt him (jam), they are also guilty of a crime.
The yelling man's stupidity is no excuse for assault.

Now, however, we come to an important point-
Publicly stating a political opinion in a peaceful manner
is *NOT* disturbing the peace.
The Bill of Rights and scores of Civil Rights cases say so.
The talker doesn't follow you around and force you to listen.
Claiming that you are harmed when you freely stand there and listen
is again misplacing the responsibility.
It feels good to stand there and listen and get all rightous
and huffy, especailly when the herd behind bleets its approval.
But if I freely stand in the rain,
then it is vain to curse the weather.

It is the nature of human beings
to do everything possible to blame someone else
for their own foolish choices.
Our (mis)leaders encourage this dodging of personal responsibility-
blaming the Liberty Net people for the guys that jam them.

Maybe we should just leave the planet to the bees....

73 Dave AB5S

5612. Re: Tesla Earthquakes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37516AED.6FEDFF94@dallas.net>
Source record: 141216

More fanciful and 'untrue' stories I'm afraid ...

Tesla - discovered 'resonance' and it's effects on all
manner of objects, both electrical and mechanical.

He may have shaken a building or two - the earth and it's
soil are somewhat plastic (ever note kids running across the
front yard in while in a quite house?) and noticable vibes
can be set up if the resonant freq is found ...

"Earthquale machine" - A distortion and old wives
tales on what Tesla 'really' did ...

Jim

Anthony Sergeant wrote:

> ==
> "There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than
> are dreamt of in your philosophy."
> Shakespeare's Hamlet
> ==
>
> Once i read a biography on Tesla and his work and stumbled upon an acount
> of strange earthquakes that were connected (anocdotally) to some
> experiment that he was working on. After reading about this i locked it
> away in the laberinth of my mind. Years passed by and then more
> information trickled in about teslas "earthquake machine". I worked hard
> on my physics degree and a simple question about gravity became a
> trigger. I recalled what little i knew about tesla and his work on
> gravity. Now i seek more information on what went on here.
> Any information will help!!
>
> Please send replies directly to me at:
> a.sergeant@student.murdoch.edu.au

5613. Re: Tesla Earthquakes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37516B71.12EC40FE@dallas.net>
Source record: 141217

Oh - you might try your own experiments with 17 to 20"
woofers, a 300 Watt DC coupled amp and an audio sweep
oscillator sometime ...

Slow sweep up in frequency noting when the walls of the
house begin to resonate ..

Now *that* is an eathquake machine ...

Jim

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5614. Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Message-ID: <37516FB7.40B8@avotec.com>
Source record: 141218

I can confirm everything Doc says about his Cloud Warmer because me and my G5RV relay information from the stations he can't hear!

Len

5615. 444.250 Plano Tx emissions: Have you heard it on YOUR output?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37517077.7425B022@dallas.net>
Source record: 141219

If I had not heard it myself on my old, bullet
proof front-end Yaesu FT-727R I would not
have beleived it either ..

But - there is was, plain as day, while I was tuned
to 443.275, the ID of the K5VOU machine as it
slowly sweeped through ... these emissions were from
the 444.250 MHz machine located on the HCA Hospital
located in Plano, Tx.

I had had reports from a friend who had heard it on
his Alinco and Yaesu mobile - but I reserved judgement
till I had 'witnessed' the same thing.

Some of the obvious warning signs are evident, too,
while listening to the output of the 444.250 Plano
machine - the tellltale audible feedback that sounds
kind of like a howl when the transmitter gets back
into the receiver of a repeater ...

So, if you're plagued by a mystery transmissions heard
on your system's output from time to time - check
for activity on 444.250 MHz.

I know someone who mentioned it to their club - but
I guess it's not in the plans to investigate or cure ...

Where else are emissions from this machine showing up?

I don't know ...

Jim

5616. Re: VOTER circuit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <3751725E.7AB9B858@dallas.net>
Source record: 141220

Well - the orginal author of this post is referring to equipment
which picks the receiver with the strongest signal (or greatest
S/N ratio) in a multiple receiver site repeater system.

That central controller is referred to as a 'voter' or, more
specifically, a 'repeater receiver voter'.

Using this kind of technology, a 5 Watt 2-way hand-held
radio can be used all over, say the City of Dallas with
one central 250 Watt transmitter and multiple receivers
located in diverse locations throughout the city.

Such a scheme was in use on their VHF band fire system a
few years ago ..

This same technique has been used in some large amatuer radio
systems too - extending the range of 1 to 2 watt Japanese
made portables ...

Jim

Bill Mather wrote:

> Uusually voters are associated with districts, while judges are
> associated with circuits. Either way, I don't see what this has to do
> with QST or ham radio.
>
> 73, Bill
> --
> Posted via Talkway - http://www.talkway.com
> Exchange ideas on practically anything (tm).

5617. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <375183C9.7A6E@ameritech.net>
Source record: 141221
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

THANKS FOR THE REAL SMART REMARK. I GUESS YOU ARE NOT ANY BETTER, EH?

G.T. Tyson IV wrote:
>
> Can't you just answer the guy's question instead of advertising your lack
> of knowledge by nitpicking it to pieces?
> He obviously meant monochrome as in BLACK & WHITE. Instead you give out with
> all this BS about stations broadcasting in only one color ('scuse me, colour)
> and ice cream and chromatic density and blah blah blah. Sheesh.
> All you're doing is evading the question and making yourself look like a
> jackass in the process.
>
> GTT/Tarkus@skantech.com
>
> Mobbsy wrote:
>
> > In article <374fdc5d.3870950@news.earthlink.net>, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
> > wrote:
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> > > On Fri, 21 May 1999 18:54:29 -0400, OBI-WAN PEROGI
> > > <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net> wrote:
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> > > >By the way, the best Black and White is what is know as a Twistee cone.
> > > >That is when they combine Vanilla Ice Cream with Chocolate Ice Crea.

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> > Ummmmm, what was the question again?
> > > Sigh - again, chocolate ice cream is BROWN, not BLACK!
> > >
> > > Maybe you are colour blind. Though I rather suspect what we have here
> > > is misperception of chromatic DENSITY!
> > --
> > A smile doesn't cost anything :)
> >

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REMBER LUKE, THE SAUREKRAUT WILL ALWAYS BE WITH YOU;
ESPECIALLY WHEN YOUR ON A DATE. BURP

5618. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <375185CC.1DF8@ameritech.net>
Source record: 141222
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

YCedric wrote:
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5619. An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <375188DB.CA23C522@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Everyone else has had their say about this, so I will too.
I have the call I was issued- I didn't buy it.
I rode a Greyhound bus 250 miles to the FCC field office
in Dallas to get my license.
I actually had to write down what I copied during the code test.
I actually had to send code with a straight key;
It was something about a 6V6 buffer, if I remember right.
So I get to pop-off, too ;-).

I think the code test speeds should be lowered.
I think the CW-only subbands are too big.

I'm a very big fan of CW. I'm almost never on 'phone.
I think CW should be allowed everywhere on any frequency
for many obvious reasons.
But the CW-only subbands are too large to be justified.

I spent a lot of time on the "LOWFER" band of 160-190 KC
back in the 80s. Dozens of signals were individually
copyable, even though 90% were crammed in the top 10 KCs
of that band. And we were all ultra-QRP with a huge
noise floor. In that situation, you learn to be
a good op and use spectrum efficiently or you die.
It's about time hams learned that there are other
usable frequencies for CW besides those that end in ".000".

CW is narrow spectrum and the usage
levels do not fill the allotted space efficiently.
3500-3725 KC is just a waste.
CW only from 3500-3525 and CW-Digital from 3525-3575 is a big plenty.
CW only from 14000-14025 and CW-Digital from 14025-14075, likewise.
Similar for the other bands.
Make the bottom 10 KC Extra only. That's plenty for any good op
and the contesters can squeeze in between the PSK31 boys.
With a 30 HZ bandwidth for PSK, those guys should have no complaint.

I believe learning the code to be important for several reasons.
But I also believe we need new blood and new ideas.
It doesn't have to be just one way or the other.
We can find a middle road.

I'm not addressing technical testing in this post- just code.
For CW testing, I'd support three levels:

No-Code with limited HF phone access including 10 meters
and some portions of 75 and 40.
I'd give access to 160 because it needs users.
Full access on these bands for digital and CW modes.
Power limited to 300 watts out (because of crowding).
Nothing on 20, 15 or WARC.
This will give some useful access to HF and
the crowding will provide incentive to upgrade.

5 WPM code-
It takes a certain amount of character to learn the code at all.
Speed is really irrelevant. There is a learning "plateau"
at 5 WPM so this is the logical goal.
Privileges similar to current Advanced Class.

10- WPM code- Next "plateau" is at 10 WPM, so this
is the next logical goal.
Privileges similar to current Extra Class,
for people willing to work extra hard.
Expand the Extra phone bands by some arguable amount.

That's one Extra's opinion--
With that and 50 cents.... ;-)

73 Dave Stinson AB5S

5620. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: OBI-WAN PEROGI <theoldbrookltnkid@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <37518CB6.5144@ameritech.net>
Source record: 141224
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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5621. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3751904F.D7AD56DE@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

David Stinson wrote:
> But the CW-only subbands are too large to be justified.

Hi Dave, the only "CW-only subbands" are on VHF. HF CW has to share the subbands with other digital modes. There will be a big fight if the FCC tries to take digital subbands and give them to phone (except maybe for the present relatively unused novice subbands). Digital is getting more popular every day. It's often difficult to find a clear digital frequency for PACTOR operation on 40m.
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5622. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mobbsy@ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <mobbsy-3005990044080001@slsdn20p18.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 141272
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <374fdc5d.3870950@news.earthlink.net>, sabbatai_zvi@hotmail.com
wrote:

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--
A smile doesn't cost anything :)

5623. Re: BREAKING!! Art Bell story on drudgereport.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iq2detba1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141273
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <7ipbn2$os4$1@oak.prod.itd.earthlink.net>,
"Eat your Broccoli Clyde" <seicoal@dendryte.net> wrote:
> Matt Drudge has scooped the media again. Right now on
> his page is the breaking story of why Art Bell chose to
> take a sabatical from Broadcasting. Bell (w6obb) currently
> holds the #1 rated nightime syndicated show in the USA.
>
> story is here - - http://www.drudgereport.com
>
>

They ought to excute the HIV faggot felon and save medical fees.

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5624. Re: WWI, CW, the Telegraph and the Guns of August

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iq2mitdo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <37501342.602B0CD6@hotmail.com>,
Oscar <capnrb@hotmail.com> wrote:
> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > Don't get too comfy with your lack of emergency preparedness this summer
> > folks, Kaiser Wilhelm and Czar Nicolas were exchanging telegraph
> > messages signed "Willy" and "Nicky" until the night before World War I
> > started.
> ============
> Your lack of historical knowledge is stunning. Kaisers and Czars don't
> share the same political views.
>

1. You're uneducated.
2. Where did I say they did ?
3. They were cousins, get a clue before you reply.

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5625. Re: Fuhrer Wilhelm Klinton Lies Again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: mf_luder@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iq2vltmt1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141275
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.dx

In article <375012B8.C318038C@hotmail.com>,
Oscar <xxcaptorb@hotmail.com> wrote:
> mf_luder@my-deja.com wrote:
> >
> > I don't know who makes me want to vomit on them more, the Kaiser, ARRL
> > Puppetmaster K1ZZ or the FCC WTB (or the losers who keep working what
> > few Yugoslobs are QRV)
> ==========
> (SNIPPED AN INANE DIATRIBE)
> ==========
> Son, your postings indicate you can't differentiate a Kaiser from a
> Komissar. Usually people who are very unhappy or threatened by events
> find scapegoats and are AGAINST many things/people really NOT FOR
> anything. Have you tried any of the 3 P's: Prozac, Paxil or Provera?

Is this a recorded message ? Wake me when you get your PhD.

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5626. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3752E61D.F2E51FD3@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 140976

Doc spewed:
> The ... klan announces it's
> purpose is to discuss topical issues. I say B.S. The truth is that
> they're camouflaging the real intent which is to provide a forum
> for subversives who'd like to see nothing better than the
> overthrowal of our government....

That's funny... this sounds almost word-for-word like something said in 1934. A Jewish discussion group was forcably disbanded by agents of the government -with the blessing of the neighbors around- because of it's "subversive" talk that threatened the "government." The person who said it? Joseph Goebbles. Remember him, Doc?

Regards,
Dave S.

5627. ict22a mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: James <xtc1999@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sLB43.83$9r5.6099@typ31b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 140977

need the mod for icom ict22a

thanx

5628. Re: Here is an Extra Suggestion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3752E67C.3B4E59B2@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 140978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well, you're certainly Extra-cowardly,
Mr. Anonymous.

Just another scurrying roach....

5629. Re: A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kk7ho@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531160709.20837.00007853@ng-cf1.aol.com>
Source record: 140979

>Anonymous wrote in message <199905311321.PAA19550@mail.replay.com>...
>>With all the discussion here about the Liberty Net and broadcasting

Looks Like "Anonymous" Is Looking For A Way Out!

CHECK OUT "3950 Opinions" And Leave Yours!!!
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Opinions
http://www.angelfire.com/ga/3950Page2

5630. Re: Here is an Extra Suggestion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iupn9$tm4$1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 140980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anonymous <nobody@replay.com> wrote:

>How's that for a dandy suggestions?

No name, no email address, no cookies.
Hit the road, Anony-Mouse.
Come back when you grow some balls....
How's that for a dandy suggestion ?

73, Jim KH2D

5631. Ham Radio Email List!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: njmedman@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531160940.11739.00002817@ng-fe1.aol.com>
Source record: 140981

I've just created a new ham radio email list for the discussion of ANY ham radio related topics. There are many that are for specific groups or topics, but this is the first that I could find that covers ANYTHING!

Check out the list at http://www.topica.com/lists/hamanything

or signup on my web page at

http://members.tripod.com/KF4KHC/ham.html
=-=-=-=-=
73's de KF4KHC (ex: HL9HCT)
Clarksville, TN USA
=-=-=-=-=

5632. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: sdem4393 <sdem4393@euronet.be>
Message-ID: <7iusr8$lna@news3.euro.net>
Source record: 140982
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

HY,

no philisophic point of view but have a look at the frequency analyzer at
http://www.relisoft.com/#freebie
They take a sound from mic, perform FFT and display the spectrum on screen
in real time.
Works well on win95/98, source in c++ is available and program (exe) size is
70 K yes 70K !!

If anyone write a soundblaster prg wich can decode navtex
please send it to me.
Thank's
All the best
Stephan

5633. Re: This is a SICK JOKE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Amateurs-R-Us@webtv.net
Message-ID: <20984-3752EC66-50@newsd-133.iap.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 140983

Is this some kind of sick joke????

I've checked the Michigan State Police website for Memorial Day weekend fatalities. NOT A THING.

I've also checked the obituaries for all of 1999 at The Kalamazoo Gazette website. A Mike Gursey passed away May 19th, but using the search engine with Geurnsey keyed in.....
NOTHING!

So what is this hoax all about????

5634. Re: Here is an Extra Suggestion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7iut3u$4he@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 140984
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <199905311908.VAA16389@mail.replay.com>,
Anonymous <nobody@replay.com> wrote:
>
>Why don't you take your Extra class license and stick it up your ass.
>How's that for a dandy suggestions?
>You Extras think you are such hot fucking shit. Just because you memorized
>some answers and got a medical waiver for the code test, you are not
>so hot. In fact you're the worse class of license.
>Look at me...I'm an Extra. BIG FUCKING DEAL!!

Do you realize that the header of your article contains the following
item?

>Comments: This message does not originate from the Sender address above.
>+ It was remailed automatically by anonymizing remailer software.
>+ Please report problems or inappropriate use to the remailer
>+ administrator at <abuse@replay.com>.

5635. Urgent help needed re Emotator Rotator control box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: steve <steve@g4uol.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <$N4CsQALdwU3Ewil@g4uol.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 140985

Hi There

A friend of mine is having a problem with his Emotator control box. We are unsure of the exact model, but it has a circular dial, three four inches across, 7 round pin's on rotator, takes 7 cables. The front of the box has four led's in a vertical line. On the box all it says are the words Solid State. It has 5 ic's and three enclosed relays on the circuit board. The box casing is black,

He urgently needs a copy of the circuit diagram for it, as, although it works okay, turning the rotator, is not showing which direction the antenna is pointing! It works fine on a three foot piece of wire, but not a long length.

Have you heard of the company ? Maybe you could send me the full name of the company and I could email them direct or do you know the model and can help with the circuit diagram? Any assistance would be gratefully received.

Please email me direct, or via the newsgroups.

Note: I have also tried several other newsgroups due to the urgency of the situation. All works other than the control box, after weeks of antenna work :(
--
73 Steve Muster g4uol/gd4uol

Welcome to the Home Page of GD4UOL http://www.g4uol.demon.co.uk
Please visit my new web site and let me know how to improve it !

5636. Re: Another nice thing about CW.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Sir <sir@sir.com>
Message-ID: <37531149.372@sir.com>
Source record: 140986
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Spunky The Waffle Iron wrote:
>
> > ONE CLASS of HAM LICENSE is enough!
>
> Heck no it isn't.
> I'm for completely dumping code but there should be at least
> a division between VHF and HF classes.
> BTW, did you know that if you don't know what you are doing with
> ham transmitters, you can cause damage to your body?
> There is a reason for the licenses, so you don't fry yourself, give yourself
> brain tumors, etc.

What does that have to do with having more than one class of license?!
The ONE Ham license would require you know this information, and the
differences between using VHF and HF.

5637. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <37530F2E.2B1B9741@IEEE.org>
Source record: 140987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Arnie Macy wrote:
> Why is okay to protect Pactor/RTTY and not CW? Aren't these both digital
> modes?

Yep, but they don't get through when nothing else will. ;-)
--
73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5638. Wanted: 10.7 Mhz Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Y." <soj@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <37531EBB.38F7@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 140988

I need some 10.7 Mhz crystal filters for a project.Bandwidth 10 Khz.

Regards. VE2AUC

5639. Weird noises on 28.435?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: patbrown@webtv.net
Message-ID: <19130-37531659-108@newsd-113.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 140989

Does anyone know what the strange noises are on 28.435 in the 10 meter band? Is this some type of over-the-horizon radar system like the infamous "Russian Woodbecker?" Please e-mail me if you know what this is.

5640. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wa6vse@fast.net>
Message-ID: <7iva27$706$1@news1.fast.net>
Source record: 140990
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Jeffrey Herman <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:7iv7ur$c3j@news.Hawaii.Edu...
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> >I would not object to all modes being allowed on all frequencies.
> >That is not taking anything away. That would mean more frequencies
> >for any mode. That way, the mode that gets through when nothing
> >else will would win, whatever mode that turns out to be.
>
> So if there were CW, packet, and SSB QSOs all competing with each
> other on the same frequency, the mode that gets through would be
> the winner? Why would you want to encourage such QRM?
> 73, Jeff KH6O

Twist, distort, twist, distort ... the typical JH/PCTA
tactic at play again.

Cecil didn't say any such thing as you implied. He did
not state that there should be a free-for-all stomp'em
contest of some sort. He just said that the better modes
would "win" (as in the popularity contest of what people
choose to use, as opposed to what they are restricted to
or from using).

The general rules WRT interfering with QSOs in progress,
etc. would still hold. Nobody (but you) has envisioned
a scenario where QRM would *necessarily* result.

And don't try to peddle the patently false idea that
there is no QRM between CW users ... the use of modes
other than CW bears no correlation to intentional
interference (or unintentional for that matter).

ALL that Cecil said was that, in his view, people should
be free to choose their mode. YOU took the leap to the
typical FUD reaction of the PCTA.

Without unnatural government life support, if Morse can't
"hold its own" in the free marketplace, people will choose
something better. It appears to me that that's EXACTLY
what you're afraid would happen if people weren't pushed
in the direction you want them to go in.

For someone who constantly extols the "overwhelming virtues"
of CW, you seem to have little real confidence in its ability
to stand on its own merits. (perhaps because those alleged
merits are a bunch of trumped-up mythology)

- --
Carl - wa6vse
wa6vse@fast.net
http://www.users.fast.net/~wa6vse
NCI #1052
Join No Code International!
Hams for the 21st century.
Support the modernization of ham radio and help
to assure its survival into the 21st century!
http://www.nocode.org

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5641. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Slade Farney <sfarney@erols.com>
Message-ID: <37531E5E.490F691@erols.com>
Source record: 140991

Radiosigs wrote:

> << Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
> From: chetlyle@bigfoot.com
> Date: Fri, May 28, 1999 2:34 AM
> Message-id: <7ikvce$n7b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
>
> In article <19990527133300.28070.00002490@ng-cc1.aol.com>,
> radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> > << Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
> > From: FreshAir@Public-Action.com
> > Date: Thu, May 27, 1999 7:11 AM
> > Message-id: <7iir7e$55m$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
> > <<<And God said to the Hebrew people,"I will bless those who blesseth
> thee and
> > curse those who curseth thee." All anti-Semites will perish.
> Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>
>
> By the evidence of your own statement, I guess the Hebrew people must
> have been antisemites, because they "perished" ages ago; i.e., they
> mostly disappeared through intermarriage and assimilation with other
> tribes and races.

> <<<Hey Jack...you're spouting off Valentine neo-Nazi propaganda. Vanguard crap.
> The Jews are here to stay because the Creator didn't give the Ten Commandments
> to jerks. WE ARE THE LIGHT OF THIS WORLD.

Now you've done it. Often thought to be a reasonably sane, rational personality,
poor radiosigs just got rubbed raw by something you said and HERE IT COMES! The
bug-eyed monster of the Jewish Messiah Paranoia in full bloom.

WE GAVE YOU THE ETHICS TO LIVE BY.

You can hear every Hebraic hound howling in sympathy as he breaks into
his Mantra of the Manifest Destiny of the Super Race, created to rule over
all others. Awrooooo!

WE

> GAVE YOU YOUR LORD AND SAVIOUR.

"Your" lord and savior, get it? Any old phony is good enough for the goyim,even a
false messiah. Meanwhile, the Jews teach their young that the Jews
themselves are born to rule the other races, to teach peace and brotherhood to
the lesser Earth peoples and to save them from ... being goyim?

Max Dimont quotes Israeli Prime Minister Ben Gurion: "My concept of the messianic idea is not a metaphysical but a social-cultural one ... I believe in our moral and intellectual superiority, in our capacity to serve as a model for the redemption of the human race ... The glory of the Divine Presence is within us, in our hearts, and not outside us." ("The Indestructible Jews, " New American Library, New York,1971, p. 337.)

> WE WERE NEVER DESTINED TO WORSHIP HIM AS GOD
> BECAUSE THE CREATOR FORBADE IT.

Oh, right. I remember the passage: "He shall come among you and you shall crucify Him by My commandment." The Jews were operating on Divine orders in crucifying a man who really wasn't the Messiah.

Isn't it an interesting, the weird shapes of denial? Not that this radiosigs denial
has anything to do with amateur radio, but what the hell? When you got Manifestia Destiniosis, it kind of infects everything you touch.

> GET THE MESSAGE CREEP? We're going nowhere and if you don't like it,stuff
> it.AF2Y,Doc>>>>>

Seems to me that if you want to have American citizenship, you should give up your allegiances to all other princes and nations. If you want to be a Jew and revel in their paranoid delusions, be my guest and move to Israel.

But for God's sake, don't try to turn this place into an Israeli province.

OK?

--Slade

5642. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Rick Tannehill <rickw7rt@firstinter.net>
Message-ID: <37533906.321A@firstinter.net>
Source record: 140992
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Eric, June, KU6J wrote:
>
> Dave,
>
> In article <375188DB.CA23C522@ix.netcom.com>,
> David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:
>
> > I think the code test speeds should be lowered.
> > I think the CW-only subbands are too big.
>
> > It doesn't have to be just one way or the other.
> > We can find a middle road.
>
> I thought there should be a middle road as well. I can't even count
> the number of times I went round and round the "compromise tree" with
> these guys, but all to no avail. See our article called "Itï¿½s Not
> About the Code, Itï¿½s About the Hurdles" at http://www.KnowCode.Org
> Maybe you'll have some fresh ideas on the subject.
>
> > That's one Extra's opinion--
>
> You're certainly entitled to your opinion. As one Extra to another,
> let me just give you a quick heads-up on what you might expect if you
> ever wanted to join NCI. NCI directors have some kind of irrational
> grudge/prejudice/hatred against us Extras, so you might want to watch
> your step:

We 're a self-hate group???? No, we're not that kinky. If you look at
our spread of license classes on the Board, it's heavy with coded hams.
Several Extras at that .

R.T.

>
> "Actually, Hans ... I have encountered numerous "extras" who couldn't
> find their ass with both hands, a map, and a flashlight, technically
> speaking, though they *could* beep real fast ... over the years. They
> were not friends of mine, nor the sort that I would seek to "hang out
> with" ... as a result, I can't recall their callsigns, but even if I
> did I would not be inclined to indulge in that sort of "outing" in this
> forum." - Carl Stevenson, NCI Director, 11/10/97
>
> "That's complete bullshit and if you paid any attention, you'd know
> that I and virtually everyone else who advocates the elimination of the

> Morse test (not the mode, just the stupid test) also advocates making
> the written tests better so that we don't have more idiot extras who
> don't even know Ohm's law or how to cut a dipole to resonance." - Carl
> Stevenson, NCI Director, 11/06/97
>
> --
>
> 73,
>
> Eric June, KU6J
> Director of Know Code International
> CodedOne@knowcode.org
>
> ---
> For a reasoned and rational look at the code test debate, please visit
> our web site at http://www.knowcode.org
> ---
>
> Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
> Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

5643. Re: Bad bad band condx.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Message-ID: <37534833.5BE472E6@dallas.net>
Source record: 140993

1 Angry Man - Was your response meant to be funny?

Do *you* have any recollections about a week after Chernobyl?

The 6M band was *wide* open.

Take a look at your log book and see what you
worked that week ...

Jim

1 Angry Man wrote:

> ï¿½
> This is your brain! O
> >
> ><< Subject: Re: Bad bad band condx.
> >From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
> >Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 7:47 PM
> >Message-id: <375195E8.4DFA9119@dallas.net>
> >
> >We have banned above *ground nuclear testing* ...
> >
> >Remember the band conditions just after Chernobyl (sp?)?<<<The present
> terrible
> >band conditions, according to the McKeesport Center for Dyanamic
> >Concordances,are
> > related to the avuncular and disproportionate
> >metacyclical V solar fibrillations. Labratory experiments have proven the
> >existence, heretofore undetected,. of queenified reflux gases permeating the
> >indeces in juxtaposition with the incalculable predisposition of access
> numbers
> >vis a vis the Secret Service. In addition, no improvement will be seen due to
> >the fluorescence and ambidextrous nature of the ionic Youngblood gases surging
> >into the ionosphere from the southern latitudes. In addition to the
> >aforementioned substantive equivalences latitudinally defined as corrupt and
> >insolvent, we must factor in the Colby constant which likewise is flattulating
> >the Q-layer from the outskirts of Washington. Hopefully this will render a
> >sober analysis of reasons for the poor conditions which cannnot be obtained in
> >the Hyannis area. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>
> >
> >I do -
> >
> >- And I had never seen six meters so wide open ...
> >
> >Jim

> >
> >Radiosigs wrote:
> >
> >> I've been in ham radio for 30 years and NEVER have I seen lousier band
> >> conditions than now. Heck, I always remember 20 meters as always being open
> >> independent of other bands, but this time,NO! We're supposed to be in the
> >> upswing of a new sunspot cycle but I don't see it. My Cloudwarmer can hear
> >> everything from a JA making the trek up Mount Fujiyama to Mrs. Goldberg in
> >> Flatbush pouring chicken soup into a bowl but I'm hearing the sound of
> >silence.
> >> What's up? Is there a propagation maven out there who can enlighten me? Doc
> >> AF2Y and oh yes, the rig is turned ON which should quiet down a wisecracker.
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> ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
> Above is your brain on drugs!!
> Any Questions?
> --
> ==
> "I would never belong to any group,
> that would have me as a member!"
> Grocho Marx
> ==
> Opinions are like armpits, everybody has
> at least two, and they usually stink !!!
> ==
> Send Email to 1AngryMan@antisocial.com

5644. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Larry Klose <lklose@net-link.net>
Message-ID: <7iuihq$ohu@newsops.execpc.com>
Source record: 140994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Eric June ; KU6J wrote in message
<7iu042dba1@nnrp1.deja.com>...

>You're certainly entitled to your opinion. As one
Extra to another,
>let me just give you a quick heads-up on what you
might expect if you
>ever wanted to join NCI.

>NCI directors have some kind of irrational
>grudge/prejudice/hatred against us Extras, so you
might want to watch
>your step:

False; this is just another example the extreme that
Eric June will go to discredit anyone who does not
agree with his "we opinion".

The true fact are:

1. Extra class licensee hold 4 out 11 positions on the
NCI Board of Directors, although the Extra class only
make up 1 out of 10 amateur radio licensees.

2. The Extra class licensee that responded to WT Docket
#98-143 gave 5.5% support to the NCI proposal and 4.2%
to the ARRL proposal.
The procode position got 19.5% support, which was their
largest supporter.

The NCI proposal was well support by Extra, Advance and
General licensees. No Code International and other
nocode testing advocates appreciate their support. We
could not have won without them.

Larry Klose KC8EPO NCI#1166

5645. Re: Mods For kenwood TS570D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Ian McCloy <ian_mccloy@bc.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <e%J43.33$Sf7.66393@news.bctel.net>
Source record: 140995

I know that there are lots of mods for the 570 like power output increase
and others. If anyone has this info please email me

tnx
Ian ve7ira

5646. Re: Weird noises on 28.435?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Message-ID: <37534836.6E35@dirtball.com>
Source record: 140996

Patrick Brown wrote:
>
> Does anyone know what the strange noises are on 28.435 in the 10 meter
> band? Is this some type of over-the-horizon radar system like the
> infamous "Russian Woodbecker?" Please e-mail me if you know what this
> is.
Do you have a computer in the shack?
Oris
--

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

5647. Re: Here is an Extra Suggestion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Murphy <k8vo@flyingbeers.org>
Message-ID: <RvZ43.21$Y5.1069@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 140997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anonymous wrote in message <199905311908.VAA16389@mail.replay.com>...
>>From: j1aguiar@aol.com (J1aguiar)
>>Date: 5/31/99 1:40 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>>Message-id: <19990531134032.28063.00004412@ng-cc1.aol.com>
>>
>>Lets take all the HF frequencies and make them strickty CW. Anyone who
wants
>>to
>>commuincate can get into CB radio or get one of them no coder licenses and
>>play
>>on the VHF and UHF bands where they cant hurt do any damage. How is that
for
>>a
>>dandy suggestion.
>>
>>
>
>Why don't you take your Extra class license and stick it up your ass.
>How's that for a dandy suggestions?
>
>You Extras think you are such hot fucking shit. Just because you memorized
>some answers and got a medical waiver for the code test, you are not
>so hot. In fact you're the worse class of license.
>
>Look at me...I'm an Extra. BIG FUCKING DEAL!!
>
>
And Tampax was there...

5648. Dayton 99 Photo Gallery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Thomas Roscoe <k8cx@infonline.net>
Message-ID: <37524B18.C677C038@infonline.net>
Source record: 140998

I attended the Dayton Hamvention this year and put up 100 photos from
Crowne Plaza and the Hamvention. These photos include famous Dxers,
Contesters, Joe Walsh, Dayton Hooters Girls, etcï¿½ They are up at the
K8CX Ham Gallery http://paradox2010.com/ham/
73...K8CXï¿½

5649. "Dave" the cancel boy gets busted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: davesbusted@reality.com
Message-ID: <3752581E.349250AE@reality.com>
Source record: 141076

Dave wrote:
>
> I have received information that the rogue canceler from BellSouth has had
> his account canceled.
>
> Our complaints to abuse@bellsouth.net have been effective, although he will
> doubtless show up later on with a new ISP. Let's hope he has learned that
> forging cancel messages is a sure way to lose whatever ISP you have at the
> moment. -- Dave

Dave is a pathological liar of course. I suppose he is willing to lose
his job and risk litigation for his childish fantasies. One thing is for
sure: Acadia.com has been warned about "Dave's" antics. And if they
continue, Mr. Beck is going to tear "Dave" a new rear end.Poor "Dave" is
the rogue that is cancelling posts. Cancel another one "Dave" and you
will be cleaning out your desk. Later

If any usenet users have future problems with "Dave" his employers are
highly interested, feel free to contact them. Info is attatched below.

ACADIA.COM
is already registered

Registrant:
Acadia Software (ACADIA4-DOM)
1300 Massachusetts Ave. Suite 220
Boxborough, MA 01719
US

Domain Name: ACADIA.COM

Administrative Contact:
Chosiad, William (WC1228) bchosiad@ACADIA.COM
978-264-4881 x165 (FAX) 978-635-9211
Technical Contact, Zone Contact:
UltraNet (ULT-NOC) noc@ULTRA.NET
508.229.2375 Fax- - .: 508.229.2375
Fax- - - .: 508.229.2375
Billing Contact:
Chosiad, William (WC1228) bchosiad@ACADIA.COM
978-264-4881 x165 (FAX) 978-635-9211

Record last updated on 13-Aug-97.
Record created on 13-Aug-97.
Database last updated on 30-May-99 08:18:43 EDT.

Domain servers in listed order:

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NS1.MA.ULTRA.NET 146.115.8.17
NS2.MA.ULTRA.NET 146.115.8.18
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5650. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric June", KU6J <codedone@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7itqqb$a1b$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3751904F.D7AD56DE@IEEE.org>,
W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:

> Hi Dave, the only "CW-only subbands" are on VHF. HF CW has
> to share the subbands with other digital modes. There
> will be a big fight if the FCC tries to take digital
> subbands and give them to phone (except maybe for the
> present relatively unused novice subbands).

I guess you are in for quite a fight then Cecil, since NCI is not
opposed to doing exactly that:

"Mr. Kane recommends that there be no regulatory distinction made
between modes of transmission. This point would likely gain mixed, but
significant support amongst NCI's membership, and it should be pointed
out that this is the norm in the rest of the world and no real harm
seems to have come from the lack of restrictive sub-band-by-mode
limitations such as those currently embodied in the Commision's Rules."
- NCI reply comments to docket 98-143, filed with the FCC

> Digital is
> getting more popular every day. It's often difficult to
> find a clear digital frequency for PACTOR operation on 40m.

That's probably because the foreign phone band on 40m extends into and
through your "digital frequencies". The "digital frequencies" on the
other bands were getting occupied by all of the CW users over the
weekend. I had to move up to a clear frequency at 14.090 and call CQ
TEST right in between two of those weird burpy sounding signals today.
Some other station started to burp right on top of me, I guess I
invaded his "territory" or something. Fortunately, engaging the 250 Hz
CW filter allowed me to carry on without really noticing his malicious
burping.

The CW guys were ranging up above 14.100 all weekend, there just wasn't
any clear spots down below.

--
73,

Eric June, KU6J
Director of Know Code International
CodedOne@knowcode.org

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our web site at http://www.knowcode.org

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5651. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531072704.02737.00001976@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141078

<<
Me and my G5RV get along well too! >>
<<<Steve,listen to me, I used a G5RV also. On 20 it performs well and it's also fine for 40 and 75. On 15 and 10 it's GARBAGE. If you put up a 20 m. Cloudwarmer and it doesn't make the G5RV look like a dummy load, I'll eat your center insulator. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

5652. Re: "Dave" the cancel boy gets busted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531073257.02737.00001978@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141079

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<< Subject: "Dave" the cancel boy gets busted!
From: davesbusted@reality.com
Date: Mon, May 31, 1999 9:36 AM
Message-id: <3752581E.349250AE@reality.com>

Dave wrote:
>
> I have received information that the rogue canceler from BellSouth has had
> his account canceled. >>
<<<WILL SOMEONE TELL ME THE NAME AND CALLSIGN OF THE ROUGE. ALL THIS
SPECULATION AND FINER POINTING IS NOT SUBSTANTIVE. MERE HEARSAY OR HERESY OR
RADIO ADULTERY. LET'S HAVE THE FACTS! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>
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5653. Re: LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
Message-ID: <375275DD.A45F4AE7@net1inc.net>
Source record: 141080
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Version 9 is not out as shareware (as I understand it). DXCC, WAS and WAZ are modules of the registered version only. Buy it, you'll like it!

David - W4DSM

Steven KB9HGI wrote:

> Hello,
> Anyone have the new log-eqf v 9 yet? I was looking for a copy to try out but
> it was not at log-eqf site yet. Also I have version does anyone have the
> modules
> for DXCC WAS and WAZ for version 8. I would like to check this out also.
> Thanks!!
>
> --
> Steven R. Baker
> Amateur Radio KB9HGI
> ---===Quincy, IL===---
> Ham Going Insane!
>
> www.qsl.net/kb9hgi

5654. Memorial Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531073943.02737.00001979@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141081

Americans,let's not forget what this day's about.All of us should honor the memory of each and every man and woman who fell in battle for this great land. And when you read postings by Zimmerlee and Strom and Valentine and other subversive wackos and hear the anti-government garbage coming out of the mouths of the 3.950 louts,understand they are demeaning and degrading those who made the ultimate sacrifice. God bless America and to hell with those who hate this nation. CRUSH THEM LIKE THE COCKROACHES THEY ARE! AF2Y,Doc

5655. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531074645.02737.00001980@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141082

<< Subject: Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!
From: "Timothy Hynde" <ka8ddz@worldnet.att.net>
Date: Sat, May 29, 1999 12:01 AM
Message-id: <7in0cm$hm3$1@bgtnsc01.worldnet.att.net>

George Zimmerlee wrote in message
<7ED9AE67EF73C4EB.CA504893CF6635BA.9BE6BE3C580AF1F0@library-proxy.airnews.ne
t>...
>Jeffrey Herman wrote:
>> And as I said above, regulatory topics belong on
>> rec.radio.amateur.policy; this is rec.radio.amateur.misc.
>
>SO SUE ME, you sick NAZI BASTARD! You are incapable
>of understand a moral issue, just like the bucket
>of turds who make up the ARRL.

Oh shut up George, you piss and moan like an old woman. If your so god damn
sure about all your FCC/FBI/ATF conspiracy theorys why not just publish the
info you have and bring them all to their knees.
Exactly what do you want from this newsgroup?

Tim
<<<<Tim, you sure as hell got that right.That crank sonova B Zimmerlee's got
conspiracy in his ears all the way down to the butt. The man's a lunatic and
should be institutionalized. Nothing more than a revisionist turd-a liar and a
scavenger. Keep up the good work by standing up for America! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>

>>

5656. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Eric June", KU6J <codedone@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7iu042dba1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141083
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dave,

In article <375188DB.CA23C522@ix.netcom.com>,
David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

> I think the code test speeds should be lowered.
> I think the CW-only subbands are too big.

> It doesn't have to be just one way or the other.
> We can find a middle road.

I thought there should be a middle road as well. I can't even count the number of times I went round and round the "compromise tree" with these guys, but all to no avail. See our article called "It's Not About the Code, It's About the Hurdles" at http://www.KnowCode.Org Maybe you'll have some fresh ideas on the subject.

> That's one Extra's opinion--

You're certainly entitled to your opinion. As one Extra to another, let me just give you a quick heads-up on what you might expect if you ever wanted to join NCI. NCI directors have some kind of irrational grudge/prejudice/hatred against us Extras, so you might want to watch your step:

"Actually, Hans ... I have encountered numerous "extras" who couldn't find their ass with both hands, a map, and a flashlight, technically speaking, though they *could* beep real fast ... over the years. They were not friends of mine, nor the sort that I would seek to "hang out with" ... as a result, I can't recall their callsigns, but even if I did I would not be inclined to indulge in that sort of "outing" in this forum." - Carl Stevenson, NCI Director, 11/10/97

"That's complete bullshit and if you paid any attention, you'd know that I and virtually everyone else who advocates the elimination of the Morse test (not the mode, just the stupid test) also advocates making the written tests better so that we don't have more idiot extras who don't even know Ohm's law or how to cut a dipole to resonance." - Carl Stevenson, NCI Director, 11/06/97

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73,

Eric June, KU6J
Director of Know Code International
CodedOne@knowcode.org

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5657. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Message-ID: <37527E50.2FAF@avotec.com>
Source record: 141084

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << Subject: Cloud warmer/G5RV
> From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
> Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 5:04 PM
> Message-id: <37516FB7.40B8@avotec.com>
>
> I can confirm everything Doc says about his Cloud Warmer because me and
> my G5RV relay information from the stations he can't hear!
> <<ME AND MY WHAT? ME IS SUPPOSED TO BE THE SUBJECT? AND THIS IS A COLLEGE GRAD?
> CAN YOU BELIEVE IT? NO WONDER THE SAP LOVES YOUNGBLOOD-IN COLLEGE THEY BOTH
> MAJORED IN SURFBOARDING. AF2Y,DOC>>>>>>>
> Len
>
> >>
You got it right. You is the subject! Maybe "well" english doesn't come
out of my computer, at least it ain't a continuous flow of nastiness,
anger and poison.

88's
Len

5658. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iu36s$i2l$1@nnrp2.deja.com>
Source record: 141085

Mr Schaier:

One thing about it, you do not claim you invented the G5RV. AF2Y did
this dirty deed many times on the ham bands to boost his ego. He would
do this when he bragged about his inventing "Cloudwarmer" he is a
complete putz.

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>
> 88's
> Len
>

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5659. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iu374$i2n$1@nnrp2.deja.com>
Source record: 141086

Mr Schaier:

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>
> 88's
> Len
>

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5660. one heaping plate of chitlins, hog maws and corn bread yummy!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iu43s$l3b$1@nnrp2.deja.com>
Source record: 141087

Don't drink , drive, and use your mobile amateur rig this Memorial Day.

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5661. Re: Putting a mobile antenna on a bicycle??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Thomas C. Sefranek" <tcs@cmcorp.com>
Message-ID: <37527914.DB471040@cmcorp.com>
Source record: 141088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Greg Castiglione wrote:

> Is it possible or feasable to temporarily attach a VHF or UHF antenna on
> a mountain bike?? (Bicycle)??
>
> Mounting is easy, Power is easy, but the antenna that can handle 10-20
> watts and have low VSWR is another story. I'm looking for longer range
> and handy-talkies are just not cutting it!! Has anyone ever tried this??
> --Greg-- N0FKI

Been there, done that for the last 3 years now, have the tee-shirt!

I use a broom stick to hold a dual band Full length vertical.
I use ty-wraps.
(It's a REAL flag pole!)
I should take some pictures!

--
Thomas C. Sefranek WA1RHP
ARRL Instructor, Technical Specialist, VE Contact.
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/41_Repeater/repeater.html
http://hamradio.cmcorp.com/inventory/Inventory.html

5662. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Tom Fanning <tom.f@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <7iu1b5$n6c$1@uranium.btinternet.com>
Source record: 141089
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I meant to Linux, windows, dos or anything that runs on a PC

;)

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Regards,
Tom
tom.f@btinternet.com
Louis Sica, Jr. (AC0X) <ac0x@qsl.net> wrote in message
news:ypg43.776$T9.111110@ptah.visi.com...
>
> Tom Fanning wrote in message <7irui1$7eb$1@uranium.btinternet.com>...
> >I take it this will be 1200 baud packet.
> >
> >Also please Please PLEASE port your brilliant software to the PC - not
> >necesarily Windows
> >
>
>
> I hope you mean for Chris to port Multimode to Linux and not DOS instead
of
> Windows. Even if I may argue that he may do better porting it to Windows
(if
> that is indeed practical), Linux is at least a current, viable, and very
> powerful operating system for the PC. DOS hasn't been a current O/S for 4
> years now. Why do hams continue to write for it? Then again, there are
some
> still writing programs for the Commodore 64, so I shouldn't be surprised.
>
>
>

5663. Re: LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Gil Baron W0MN <gbaron@usa.net>
Message-ID: <UTv43.17930$Gn3.2770@news.rdc1.il.home.com>
Source record: 141090
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have Version 8 and have been asking for some of the things in 9 ever since
I got it. I looked at the ad and am singularly unimpressed. It is still a
dos program and still has no variable length or user configurable fields.

My opinion is

For contest use NOTHING beats Troll
For General Logging NOTHING beats Logic 5.

For me, that is what I will stick with.

Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net> wrote in message
news:3752052e.0@news.accessus.net...
> Hello,
> Anyone have the new log-eqf v 9 yet? I was looking for a copy to try out
but
> it was not at log-eqf site yet. Also I have version does anyone have the
> modules
> for DXCC WAS and WAZ for version 8. I would like to check this out also.
> Thanks!!
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> Steven R. Baker
> Amateur Radio KB9HGI
> ---===Quincy, IL===---
> Ham Going Insane!
>
> www.qsl.net/kb9hgi
>
>
>

5664. A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905311321.PAA19550@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

With all the discussion here about the Liberty Net and broadcasting and amateur restructuring, I would like to make a proposal.

1. Restructure the amateur bands to allow for commercial broadcasting and commercial communications on portions of the current HF, VHF and UHF amateur bands.

2. Allow current amateur licenses to be converted free of charge into commercial licenses. An amateur station could become a commercial station and broadcast and sell advertising, etc. etc. Operation would be limited to the new commercial sections fo the bands.

3. Allow these licenses to be sold/transferred to other parties for commercial use. This could make for a lot of happy amateurs who want nothing to do with the "new" commercial bands.

4. Brand new amateurs would be allowed access to the new amateur bands.

In essence, this proposal would give current amateurs "first refusal rights" for commercial operation. We all know our frequencies are going away, it's only a matter of time. This proposal would be "win-win"

We need to start thinking "out of the box"

5665. Re: ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: herbs@islands.vi
Message-ID: <7iu664$fr6$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141092
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

> nd8v is a silent key was in auto crash will miss him.
> 73
> <<< you ought to be barred from this USENET. You're a disgrace to ham radio. AF2Y,
> Doc>>>>>>>
That comes from AF2Y, Dr. Hate, certainly ham radios biggest grave dancers and he wants everybody who begs him for more civility banned from both cyberspace and the radio spectrum. Can you immagione a society where only Dr. Hate and the creeps that agree with him are allowedto express themselves?

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5666. Re: "Dave" the cancel boy gets busted!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: herbs@islands.vi
Message-ID: <7iu6m6fuo1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141093

> Dave wrote:
> >
> > I have received information that the rogue canceler from BellSouth has had
> > his account canceled. >>
> <<<WILL SOMEONE TELL ME THE NAME AND CALLSIGN OF THE ROUGE. ALL THIS
> SPECULATION AND FINER POINTING IS NOT SUBSTANTIVE. MERE HEARSAY OR HERESY OR
> RADIO ADULTERY. LET'S HAVE THE FACTS! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>
>
> Notice folks that this post comes from Dr. Hate, AF2Y
who stock in trade is speculation, hearsay,and radio
adultery. Dr. Hate normally doesn't care if the rumors
are true of false. He has a history of displaying
reckless disregard for the truth as long as it suits
his daily hate diatribes.

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5667. Re: Kenwood UHF/VHF Hand-Helds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ma_locksmith <ma_locksmith@email.msn.com>
Message-ID: <eVk#Eu2q#GA.318@cpmsnbbsa02>
Source record: 141094
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,tamu.hamradio.bulletins

Well, a price would be great!

Anthony Mikulastik wrote in message <928125440.441.64@news.remarQ.com>...
>2 Kenwood TK-350s (UHF) with DTMF key pad. 1 Kenwood TK-250 (VHF) with a
new
>NiMH long life battery. Will program to buyer's frequency. For more
>information email wb5tty@vvm.com (remove NO-SPAM). 73 De WB5TTY,
>Anthony...
>
>
>

5668. Re: Putting a mobile antenna on a bicycle??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Brian <brianburke@my-deja.com>
Message-ID: <7iu8lb$gh3$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141095
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <3751F49E.6246@DIM.com>,
GregCa@DIM.com wrote:
> Is it possible or feasable to temporarily attach a VHF or UHF antenna
on
> a mountain bike?? (Bicycle)??
>
> Mounting is easy, Power is easy, but the antenna that can handle 10-20
> watts and have low VSWR is another story. I'm looking for longer range
> and handy-talkies are just not cutting it!! Has anyone ever tried
this??
> --Greg-- N0FKI

Greg, there's supposed to be a Bicycle Hams organization - I think they
even had a forum at the Dayton Hamvention. Rather than re-invent, why
not try to contact them? I'm sure they've found what works.

73,
Brian

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5669. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531104916.15363.00002451@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141096

a<< Subject: Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Date: Mon, May 31, 1999 12:19 PM
Message-id: <37527E50.2FAF@avotec.com>

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> << Subject: Cloud warmer/G5RV
> From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
> Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 5:04 PM
> Message-id: <37516FB7.40B8@avotec.com>
>
> I can confirm everything Doc says about his Cloud Warmer because me and
> my G5RV relay information from the stations he can't hear!
> <<ME AND MY WHAT? ME IS SUPPOSED TO BE THE SUBJECT? AND THIS IS A COLLEGE
GRAD?
> CAN YOU BELIEVE IT? NO WONDER THE SAP LOVES YOUNGBLOOD-IN COLLEGE THEY BOTH
> MAJORED IN SURFBOARDING. AF2Y,DOC>>>>>>>
> Len
>
> >>
You got it right. You is the subject! Maybe "well" english doesn't come
out of my computer, at least it ain't a continuous flow of nastiness,
anger and poison.

88's
Len
<<<You ALMOST had it right this time,dummy.It should be:"Maybe "well" English
doesn't come out of my computer but at least it isn't a continuous flow of
nastiness, anger and poison." The comma ,after computer ,is misplaced and never
takes the place of a coordinating conjunction. I knew it in high school while
you don't after college. Congrats-the Stump Jumpers claim another ignoramus as
one of their own. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>

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5670. Re: ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531105338.15363.00002452@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141097

<< Subject: Re: ND8V silent key
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd)
Date: Mon, May 31, 1999 5:12 AM
Message-id: <25225-37521A29-130@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>

I had a call from little Mike...and its true... Mike was like one of my
own sons ..only 43years old.....I will miss him!
<<<Likewise. I truly regret knowing that it is true. Quite a shock indeed. May
he rest in peace. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>

>>

5671. Re: ALL YOU EVER WANT TO KNOW ABOUT HATE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jon & Kim Holder <Jon.Holder@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3752A423.8C4E4408@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 141098

Radiosigs wrote:

(snipped)

Umm, just who gives a rat's ass about this?

Jon N0OFG

5672. CLOUDWARMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531110621.15363.00002453@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141099

Stubbornness is folly! If anyone really believes that a G5RV will beat out, on both transmit and receive, an NVIS Cloudwarmer on 20, it's because one is either too lazy or too stupid to experiment. I'm not saying that a Cloudwarmer is better than a beam ALL THE TIME,but it CAN give it a run for its money. The "Warmer" will snatch up the QSO first but the beam will hold it longer. If you think the "Warmer" is a joke, contact K3QAM in McKeesputz,PA. When the band was wide open to Europe in the morning, I'd clean Queenie's clock and he'd go berserk because he was using a beam and much more power than I. And so, before you condemn that Cloudwarmer,erect one, then COMPARE and you'll send me a thank you E. GUARANTEED! Doc,AF2Y

5673. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iu7tqfev1@brokaw.wa.com>
Source record: 141100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

>Jim, you're making a case that jamming is caused by
>the discussion subject of the group being jammed,
>and I'm sure you don't mean that.

No, David, that's exactly what I mean. If the Libery Net goes away, then the jammers go away. It's illegal to cause malicious interference, and I think the jammers should be punished. But I think the root of the problem is the net. Nobody jams me, nobody jams traffic nets, nobody jams SDA Saturday afternoon chuch nets. Nobody jams 10-10 nets. The content of what's being discussed on the Liberty Net must be the cause of the jamming. Nobody's told me what that content is, but from the 'free thinkers' verb and the name of the net, I'm sure they aren't talking about about how to build 40 meter dipoles.

>That is exactly the same thinking that says:
>"It wasn't the rapist's fault. The girl was wearing
> sexy clothes so she was asking for it."

I don't excuse the jammers, or the rapist.

>The people talking about government are not breaking the law.
>The people doing the *jamming* are breaking the law.

Those are both correct. Ham radio isn't a political forum. It's a communications/electronics related hobby (or service).

>The yelling man's stupidity is no excuse for assault.

Yes, but I'm not saying the yelling man's stupidity is an EXCUSE for the assault. I'm saying it's the REASON for it.

>Our (mis)leaders encourage this dodging of personal responsibility-
>blaming the Liberty Net people for the guys that jam them.

No, I don't think they are blaming the Liberty Net for the guys that jam them. I think I just read that the FCC took one of the jammers off the air. They are questioning if the content of the Liberty Net meets goals and purpose of the Amateur Radio Service. Which is exactly what I'm wondering myself. I still haven't seen any messages detailing the content of the Libery Nets normal discussions.

73, Jim KH2D

5674. IS KT4TR SERIOUS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531111859.15363.00002455@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141101

This morning I heard this flake tell another flake,K2IVX, that HE corrected my spelling errors in a letter he intercepted. I've been on this USENET for 2.5 months and have yet to see one posting by KT4TR,Robert Youngblood, the Zero from Vero who collects warning letters from Riley Hollingsworth to cover holes in walls. And why hasn't Herbie's pet posted? Because the idiot can't think, spell and write, not necessarily in that order. Look, it's simple and so is he. Under the pretense of being an orange-growing maven, he is a fraudulent failure. I do not believe for a minute that he's responsible for his wealth if indeed he has it. Life is a bowl of cherries when one INHERITS or when one can rely on parents and I feel that Youngblood is such a leech. I only hope that his kid grows up to emulate his mother's ethics, morals and values instead of the corruptness exemplified by daddy. Imagine-KT4TR corrects MY English! What chutzpah! Listen up Bobby Boy....want to debate with me on this board? Let me know and I'll store my brain in the closet so we can start out even. Doc,AF2Y

5675. Re: LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David <dmartin@net1inc.net>
Message-ID: <3752AB79.9E6A4F03@net1inc.net>
Source record: 141102
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Log-EQF is the best logging program I have ever used and I have used a lot!

David - W4DSM

Gil Baron W0MN wrote:

> I have Version 8 and have been asking for some of the things in 9 ever since
> I got it. I looked at the ad and am singularly unimpressed. It is still a
> dos program and still has no variable length or user configurable fields.
>
> My opinion is
>
> For contest use NOTHING beats Troll
> For General Logging NOTHING beats Logic 5.
>
> For me, that is what I will stick with.
>
> Steven KB9HGI <kb9hgi@qsl.net> wrote in message
> news:3752052e.0@news.accessus.net...
> > Hello,
> > Anyone have the new log-eqf v 9 yet? I was looking for a copy to try out
> but
> > it was not at log-eqf site yet. Also I have version does anyone have the
> > modules
> > for DXCC WAS and WAZ for version 8. I would like to check this out also.
> > Thanks!!
> >
> > --
> > Steven R. Baker
> > Amateur Radio KB9HGI
> > ---===Quincy, IL===---
> > Ham Going Insane!
> >
> > www.qsl.net/kb9hgi
> >
> >
> >

5676. FS GE desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531112328.00830.00008685@ng36.aol.com>
Source record: 141103

Good condition. Looks like Shure 444 except is beige in color. $25 shipped.

5677. FS Lafayette 6/mtr am

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: pstringy@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531112502.00830.00008686@ng36.aol.com>
Source record: 141104

Model HE45A. Comes with manual and power cord, no mic. $60 plus shipping.

5678. Re: FCC can "seek information"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531113538.15363.00002459@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141105

Phil,you're right on target. How many of us wrongly think that passing a test is the key to on-the-air operations in perpetuity? All the FCC is doing is proving that to be incorrect and presumptuous. The 3.950 klan announces it's purpose is to discuss topical issues. I say B.S. The truth is that they're camouflaging the real intent which is to provide a forum for subversives who'd like to see nothing better than the overthrowal of our government. Need proof? When was the last time you heard anyone check into the Liberty Net with a moderate or liberal point of view? Never, you say? Right! Their credo is if you don't hate Clinton; if you don't hate immigrants; if you don't hate people of color; if you don't hate Jews and are not ready to fabricate the filthiest stories about them and their 5,000+ years of history, then YOU'RE NOT WANTED. The whole panorama of hate under the disguise of freedom of speech is now evident to Riley Hollingsworth and the man's doing something about it. In whose name you ask? IN THE NAME OF REAL FREEDOM OF SPEECH! Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>

5679. FS Collins 312B-5 VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radioleo@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <7iu9vg$9et$12@fir.prod.itd.earthlink.net>
Source record: 141106

Collins 312B-5 external VFO winged emblem was changed to a round
emblem
(THATS HOW I GOT IT). It looks great, and works great with copy of
manual
$699.00 plus shipping

LEO Ph/Fax (310) 670-6969

5680. Re: IS KT4TR SERIOUS?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iue0k$i4c$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141107

My o My Dr HATE, you really get upset when someone proof reads your posts and advises you to correct the words and grammer. You start your personal battle with KT4TR. KT4TR is the finest amateur on the bands today.

article <19990531111859.15363.00002455@ng-fm1.aol.com>, radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> This morning I heard this flake tell another flake,K2IVX, that HE corrected my
> spelling errors in a letter he intercepted. I've been on this USENET for 2.5
> months and have yet to see one posting by KT4TR,Robert Youngblood, the Zero
> from Vero who collects warning letters from Riley Hollingsworth to cover holes
> in walls. And why hasn't Herbie's pet posted? Because the idiot can't think,
> spell and write, not necessarily in that order. Look, it's simple and so is
> he. Under the pretense of being an orange-growing maven, he is a fraudulent
> failure. I do not believe for a minute that he's responsible for his wealth if
> indeed he has it. Life is a bowl of cherries when one INHERITS or when one can
> rely on parents and I feel that Youngblood is such a leech. I only hope that
> his kid grows up to emulate his mother's ethics, morals and values instead of
> the corruptness exemplified by daddy. Imagine-KT4TR corrects MY English! What
> chutzpah! Listen up Bobby Boy....want to debate with me on this board? Let me
> know and I'll store my brain in the closet so we can start out even. Doc,AF2Y
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5681. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531114847.15363.00002472@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141108

a<< Subject: Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite
From: "Joe Schlatter" <w4hh@3wave.com>
Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 1:54 AM
Message-id: <6T043.430$9n.19523@typ52b.nn.bcandid.com>

Assertions that "I have the facts but you can't see them" are the oldest and
cheapest trick around.
<<<<You bet it is. Once upon a time we had a junior Senator from Wisconsin who
pulled the same crap on the American public. It was around 1952. And what
happened to him? He was censured by his own colleagues and died a short time
after, a broken image of a despot.We certainly have a lot of Joe McCarthys on
this board. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>
--
Regards,
Joe Schlatter
joe@schlatter.org
http://www.schlatter.org/
http://www.miafacts.org/
Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
ah549@chebucto.ns.ca wrote in message ...
> I'm familiar with the case in issue here, and your
>name calling will not change the facts, and nobody really
>cares whether you choose to believe them or not. The
>choice is yours.
>
> Hollingsworth has had the pertinent facts in this
>case for several weeks now. Whether he has chosen to
>act or not is unknown.
>
> Yes, there is some necessary anonymity
> involved here. Hollingsworth deserves a chance to
>clean up his own house without alot of unnecessary
>publicity. Moreover, attorneys for the amateurs who
>Hollingsworth is investigating deserve an opportunity to
>examine certain information and determine if it is of
>any benefit in their clients' cases.
>
> Go troll elsewhere.
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>
>Joe Schlatter wrote in message ...

>>How about some names, dates, freqs, facts, and figures -- not the
anonymous
>>accusations that you have posted.
>>
>>Until you step up to the plate, identify yourself, and name names, IMO
your
>>post is 100% bullshit.
>>
>>--
>>Regards,
>>Joe Schlatter
>>joe@schlatter.org
>>http://www.schlatter.org/
>>http://www.miafacts.org/
>>Amateur Radio Extra Class call sign W4HH
>>Anonymous wrote in message <1KV33.73$Da.1894@news.ntr.net>...
>>> And Hollingsworth is a hypocrite when it comes to
>>>enforcing rules, regulations, & ethics within the
>>>FCC CIB!
>>>
>>> He was advised weeks ago from several sources,
>>>concerning an internal CIB problem and security breach
>>>where a CIB official, operating during official duty hours
>>>from his office on government property, while on the public
>>>pay roll , was and STILL IS conducting personal
>>>business via amateur radio.
>>>
>>> This smacks of HYPOCRISY! when Hollingsworth and
>>>the FCC will not require their own employees to adhere
>>>to civil service ethics, regulations, and rules! Yet,
>>> Hollingsworth is running around like a goody two-shoes
>>>requiring amateurs to obey rules, regulations, and vague
>>>"ethical" guidelines. Even so far as to JUSTIFY their
>>>qualifications to hold an amateur license.
>>>
>>> This situation has existed for over a decade! and
>>>still continues to this day.
>>>
>>> Even worse, this person has disclosed sensitive
>>>internal FCC information, including ongoing FCC
>>>investigations, investigative techniques, and FCC
>>>equipment descriptions and capabilities. All the above
>>>is taking place openly via amateur radio on an almost
>>>daily basis. One would think CIB managers and
>>>Hollingsworth would honor their oaths of office and plug
>>>this decade old security leak before running around
>>>shoving rules, regulations, and vague ethics down
>>>everyone's throat!
>>>
>>> How about CIB signature analysis techniques and

>>>equipment? That was last week's topic of discussion!
>>>
>>> Perhaps the solution to this decade-old problem
>>>which Hollingsworth, the FCC, and CIB are unwilling or
>>>unable to rectify is to begin posting the information, which
>>>this FCC employee is disclosing, on the internet for even
>>>a wider audience to take advantage of.
>>>
>>> Perhaps the people who Hollingsworth is
>>>strong-arming to justify their qualifications to hold an
>>>amateur license should supply Congress, the media,
>>>and their attorneys with concise examples of the way
>>>in which the FCC and CIB will not enforce rules, regulations,
>>>and ethics when it comes to their own organization.
>>>
>>> HYPOCRISY with a capital H.
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>>>Hollingsworth Hypocrisy! Clean your own house, before
>>>telling others to clean theirs!
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5682. Re: ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: realdeal@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <7iueia$i9j$1@nnrp1.deja.com>
Source record: 141109

Where do you get off being so concerned AF2Y, You and your stupid "SEWER RAT friends invented "GRAVEDANCING" on the ham bands, rejoicing at every death. Some of your comments "He got what he deserved". etc. You people set a new lower standard with your "GraveDancing" routine. On day you will have to answer. It will be your time!! Do not forget it when you rejoice at someone passing from the scene.

article <19990531105338.15363.00002452@ng-fm1.aol.com>,
radiosigs@aol.com (Radiosigs) wrote:
> << Subject: Re: ND8V silent key
> From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net (Rube Lloyd)
> Date: Mon, May 31, 1999 5:12 AM
> Message-id: <25225-37521A29-130@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
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> I had a call from little Mike...and its true... Mike was like one of
my
> own sons ..only 43years old.....I will miss him!
> <<<Likewise. I truly regret knowing that it is true. Quite a shock
indeed. May
> he rest in peace. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>
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> >>
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>

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5683. Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531120013.15363.00002475@ng-fm1.aol.com>
Source record: 141110

<< Subject: Re: Hollingsworth The Hypocrite
From: Oris <oris@dirtball.com>
Date: Sat, May 29, 1999 9:18 PM
Message-id: <37505994.7E2C@dirtball.com>

Gentalmen lets clarify something here. The FCC has access to my station
anytime they like BUT they don't have access to my home! I spent over
10,000 dallors to protect my family from the garbage on ham radio and so
my wife and children can continue enjoying their privacy if the FCC were
ever going to inspect my station.
I spent the 10,000 dallors on a 16X12 concrete bock building, with 2X4
interior walls with R-19 insulation and sheetrock walls. This is what
houses my ham radio station and my computer shop.
I would sujest if you guys don't want a fedral offical snooping around
your home take the time and money to build yourself one of these
buildings for YOUR ham radio station.
73 from Oris
Save the Constitution and the Bill of Rights vote Libertarian!
-- <<<<<Save us from Oris! Oddly enough I operate my rig in the open, right in
my family room and if the FCC wants to inspect my setup, all they have to do is
to ring my bell, show ID and walk in. Why? I've nothing to hide; I've nothing
to fear nor am I paranoid about conspiracies and what not. Vote Libertartian?
Hell man, you're nuts. What's wrong with the good old Democrats and
Republicans? They've been doing a whale of job since God knows when.
Doc,AF2Y>>>>>

http://www.dirtball.com

97.1 Basis and purpose.
(d) Expansion of the existing reservoir within the amateur radio
SERVICE of trained operators, technicians, and electronics experts.

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5684. Re: A Proposal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@texoma.net>
Message-ID: <7iuc40$tuh@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 141111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Anonymous wrote in message <199905311321.PAA19550@mail.replay.com>...
>With all the discussion here about the Liberty Net and broadcasting and
>amateur restructuring, I would like to make a proposal.

Aha! Told you guys this loser was probably a "Liberty Nut".... The two seem
to go hand 'n hand.

Charles Brabham,
N5PVL @ N5PVL.#NTX.TX.USA.NOAM
http://www.texoma.net/~n5pvl

5685. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3752C47D.B0257B53@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141112
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Eric, June, KU6J wrote:
>
> W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > Hi Dave, the only "CW-only subbands" are on VHF. HF CW has
> > to share the subbands with other digital modes. There
> > will be a big fight if the FCC tries to take digital
> > subbands and give them to phone (except maybe for the
> > present relatively unused novice subbands).
>
> I guess you are in for quite a fight then Cecil, since NCI is not
> opposed to doing exactly that:
>
> "Mr. Kane recommends that there be no regulatory distinction made
> between modes of transmission. This point would likely gain mixed, but
> significant support amongst NCI's membership, and it should be pointed
> out that this is the norm in the rest of the world and no real harm
> seems to have come from the lack of restrictive sub-band-by-mode
> limitations such as those currently embodied in the Commision's Rules."
> - NCI reply comments to docket 98-143, filed with the FCC

I would not object to all modes being allowed on all frequencies.
That is not taking anything away. That would mean more frequencies
for any mode. That way, the mode that gets through when nothing
else will would win, whatever mode that turns out to be. It won't
be long before the distinction between phone and digital disappears
anyway. GSM, for instance, doesn't know the difference between data
and voice.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5686. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3752C9BD.B350D892@dimensional.com>
Source record: 141113
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Personally, I think "all modes on all frequencies" makes as much sense as allowing "all vehicles anywhere on the road". Imagine no lanes on the interstate and a mix of bicycles, racing cars, 18 wheelers, and horses. It would be the equivalent of roadkill -- "bandkill".

73,

Marv
AB0IO

W6RCecilA wrote:

> Eric, June, KU6J wrote:
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> > W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote:
> > > Hi Dave, the only "CW-only subbands" are on VHF. HF CW has
> > > to share the subbands with other digital modes. There
> > > will be a big fight if the FCC tries to take digital
> > > subbands and give them to phone (except maybe for the
> > > present relatively unused novice subbands).
> >
> > I guess you are in for quite a fight then Cecil, since NCI is not
> > opposed to doing exactly that:
> >
> > "Mr. Kane recommends that there be no regulatory distinction made
> > between modes of transmission. This point would likely gain mixed, but
> > significant support amongst NCI's membership, and it should be pointed
> > out that this is the norm in the rest of the world and no real harm
> > seems to have come from the lack of restrictive sub-band-by-mode
> > limitations such as those currently embodied in the Commision's Rules."
> > - NCI reply comments to docket 98-143, filed with the FCC
>
> I would not object to all modes being allowed on all frequencies.
> That is not taking anything away. That would mean more frequencies
> for any mode. That way, the mode that gets through when nothing
> else will would win, whatever mode that turns out to be. It won't
> be long before the distinction between phone and digital disappears
> anyway. GSM, for instance, doesn't know the difference between data
> and voice.
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> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5687. Re: ALL YOU EVER WANT TO KNOW ABOUT HATE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1AngryMan@antisocial.com
Message-ID: <7iugt2$e37$1@dagobah.blueriver.net>
Source record: 141114

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>Radiosigs wrote:
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>
>(snipped)
>
>Umm, just who gives a rat's ass about this?

It sure ain't the rat he's still using his ;)

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>
>Jon N0OFG

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I just hate people who think they know it all!
It makes those of us who really do know it all look bad!!!

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"I would never belong to any group,
that would have me as a member!"
Grocho Marx
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Opinions are like armpits, everybody has
at least two, and they usually stink !!!
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Send Email to 1AngryMan@antisocial.com

5688. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org>
Message-ID: <3752CA5C.789D55B2@IEEE.org>
Source record: 141115
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Marv Luse wrote:
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> Personally, I think "all modes on all frequencies" makes as much sense as
> allowing "all vehicles anywhere on the road". Imagine no lanes on the
> interstate and a mix of bicycles, racing cars, 18 wheelers, and horses. It
> would be the equivalent of roadkill -- "bandkill".

Actually there are lanes that reverse the flow of traffic depending on
the time of day. The most traffic needs the most lanes. The most
popular RF modes need the most bandwidth. Since hams are prohibited
from transmiting on an already occupied frequency, that actually seems
to be a resonable analogy.
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73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

5689. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Johnny Rico <lawdog2@ibm.net>
Message-ID: <3752cc5d@news1.us.ibm.net>
Source record: 141116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

W6RCecilA <Cecil.A.Moore@IEEE.org> wrote in message
news:3751904F.D7AD56DE@IEEE.org...
> David Stinson wrote:
> > But the CW-only subbands are too large to be justified.
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> Hi Dave, the only "CW-only subbands" are on VHF. HF CW has
> to share the subbands with other digital modes. There
> will be a big fight if the FCC tries to take digital
> subbands and give them to phone (except maybe for the
> present relatively unused novice subbands). Digital is
> getting more popular every day. It's often difficult to
> find a clear digital frequency for PACTOR operation on 40m.
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> 73, Cecil, W6RCA http://www.bigfoot.com/~w6rca

Boy I agree. Take the Morse subbands and do whatever with them (I do
not care one way or the other) but the Pactor/RTTY bands should not be
opened up to phone: i.e. 7.065-7.090; 14065-14090.
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Roger J. Buffington

"Reasonable Doubt at a Reasonable Price"

"I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
"Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

5690. f.s. icom 228h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: cmb <cmb@owc.net>
Message-ID: <7iu1r0ku1@hirame.wwa.com>
Source record: 141117

f.s. icom 228h 2 meter mobile works great looks good also.$150.00

thanks jack n9iif

5691. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Marv Luse <mwluse@dimensional.com>
Message-ID: <3752D3BB.9B03879C@dimensional.com>
Source record: 141118
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey, watch it, Mr. Rico-- I'm very fond of Morse. :-)

73,

Marv
AB0IO

Johnny Rico wrote:

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> Roger J. Buffington
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> "I want to die peacefully, in my sleep, like my Grandfather..."
> "Not screaming, and in terror, like his passengers."

5692. Re: LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Butch Magee <butchkay@netdoor.com>
Message-ID: <3752D961.D381C634@netdoor.com>
Source record: 141119
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I have the new version 9. of Log-EQF. Best logging program I have ever used.
To get a complete working version only costs 35.00 and the complete Rig-EQF is
only 20.00. Well worth the really low price. Not fair to steal a man's
creation from him.

Butch KF5DE

Steven KB9HGI wrote:

> Hello,
> Anyone have the new log-eqf v 9 yet? I was looking for a copy to try out but
> it was not at log-eqf site yet. Also I have version does anyone have the
> modules
> for DXCC WAS and WAZ for version 8. I would like to check this out also.
> Thanks!!
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> --
> Steven R. Baker
> Amateur Radio KB9HGI
> ---===Quincy, IL===---
> Ham Going Insane!
>
> www.qsl.net/kb9hgi

5693. Re: Isle of Wight TV transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1AngryMan@antisocial.com
Message-ID: <7iujo7$f9m$1@dagobah.blueriver.net>
Source record: 141120
Cross-posted to:
soc.penpals,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
> Can't you just answer the guy's question instead of advertising your lack
>of knowledge by nitpicking it to pieces?
>He obviously meant monochrome as in BLACK & WHITE. Instead you give out with
>all this BS about stations broadcasting in only one color ('scuse me, colour)
>and ice cream and chromatic density and blah blah blah. Sheesh.
>All you're doing is evading the question and making yourself look like a
>jackass in the process.

He dosn't need to make himself look that way!

It's going to show itself nomatter what he says!!!!

If it looks like a duck, walks like a duck, quacks like a duck, it must be a "DUCK"!!

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>GTT/Tarkus@skantech.com

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that would have me as a member!"
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Opinions are like armpits, everybody has
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5694. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: ycthulhu@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531150113.11352.00006313@ng-fv1.aol.com>
Source record: 141121

>
>No, David, that's exactly what I mean. If the Libery Net goes
>away, then the jammers go away. It's illegal to cause malicious
>interference, and I think the jammers should be punished. But
>I think the root of the problem is the net.
>

How absurd. The root of the problem is the
jamming. You are advocating a "shotgun" or
a "kill 'em all and let God sort 'em out" attitude in which both the criminals
and the victims are punished. There is NO excuse
for jamming .. NONE. There is NO ONE ELSE at fault for the jamming except THE
JAMMERS!!! Sheeessh!

>The content of what's
>being discussed on the Liberty Net must be the cause of the
>jamming. Nobody's told me what that content is, but from
>the 'free thinkers' verb and the name of the net, I'm sure they
>aren't talking about about how to build 40 meter dipoles.
>

You may be correct in that the content of the
Liberty Net causes those who can't stand
hearing the TRUTH to jam the net. But that's
not the Liberty Net's fault .. it's the fault of
the JAMMERS!! NO ONE IS HOLDING A GUN TO THEIR HEAD AND FORCING THEM TO LISTEN
TO THE LIBERTY NET. IF THEY DON'T LIKE WHAT THEY HEAR, THEY CAN EITHER TUNE
AWAY OR SHUT OFF THEIR RADIO.

5695. Re FRS Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Why@wam.umd.edu
Message-ID: <Why-3105991500100001@bay7-16.dial.umd.edu>
Source record: 141122

Hi Folks:

I wonder if anybody could point me to a good resource for information on FRS radios. I am interested in these little devices but know next to nothing about them. Any recommendations? Any warnings against this type of device? Your help is greatly appreciated. post here please.

Thanks,

Nat

5696. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Arnie Macy <kt4st@csam.net>
Message-ID: <sVA43.906$3D3.317@news3.mia>
Source record: 141123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Johnny Rico wrote in part:
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>Boy I agree. Take the Morse subbands and do whatever with them (I do
>not care one way or the other) but the Pactor/RTTY bands should not be
>opened up to phone: i.e. 7.065-7.090; 14065-14090.

RJB,

Why is okay to protect Pactor/RTTY and not CW? Aren't these both digital
modes?

Regards,

Arnie -
KT4ST

5697. Here is an Extra Suggestion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Anonymous <nobody@replay.com>
Message-ID: <199905311908.VAA16389@mail.replay.com>
Source record: 141124
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

>From: j1aguiar@aol.com (J1aguiar)
>Date: 5/31/99 1:40 PM Eastern Daylight Time
>Message-id: <19990531134032.28063.00004412@ng-cc1.aol.com>
>
>Lets take all the HF frequencies and make them strickty CW. Anyone who wants
>to
>commuincate can get into CB radio or get one of them no coder licenses and
>play
>on the VHF and UHF bands where they cant hurt do any damage. How is that for
>a
>dandy suggestion.
>
>

Why don't you take your Extra class license and stick it up your ass.
How's that for a dandy suggestions?

You Extras think you are such hot fucking shit. Just because you memorized
some answers and got a medical waiver for the code test, you are not
so hot. In fact you're the worse class of license.

Look at me...I'm an Extra. BIG FUCKING DEAL!!

5698. Re: An Extra Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3752E45D.12E0EC4E@ix.netcom.com>
Source record: 141125
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Eric:
Thanks for writing.

I would never consider joining NCI.

They claim to have the best interests of ham radio in mind...

Their mean-spirited posts and actions -so full of name calling and
outrageous illogic- show that they are just another hate group;
just another damn lynch mob with an overblown sense of entitlement.

I think we can welcome the future without destroying the past.

They'd destroy everything and everyone around them
just so they could "win."

No Thanks,

73 OM DE Dave Stinson AB5S
arc5@ix.netcom.com

5699. Realistic PRO-2022 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: superstarDJ's <funktruck@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <37514b9a@monty.tassie.net.au>
Source record: 141153

Anyone have a copy of the schematics, or know where I can get them?

Thanks for any help

ROB
(rj_clerk@postoffice.utas.edu.au)

5700. Re: CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <7isl2i$dl2@news.Hawaii.Edu>
Source record: 141154

George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>SO SUE ME, you sick NAZI BASTARD!

But later he says:

George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net> wrote:
>Personal attacks are not the business of this NG.

You're the newsgroup equivalent of a babbling street person. =:o

5701. Need info for Bendix/King RT-1594/PRC-127

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: mmoss@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <3751e179.33517595@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141155
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair

Need instructions on how to reprogram frequencies from front panel.

Thanks, Marv

5702. Re: Bad bad band condx.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990530212256.02733.00001896@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141156

<< Subject: Re: Bad bad band condx.
From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 7:47 PM
Message-id: <375195E8.4DFA9119@dallas.net>

We have banned above *ground nuclear testing* ...

Remember the band conditions just after Chernobyl (sp?)?<<<The present terrible band conditions, according to the McKeesport Center for Dyanamic Concordances,are
related to the avuncular and disproportionate
metacyclical V solar fibrillations. Labratory experiments have proven the existence, heretofore undetected,. of queenified reflux gases permeating the indeces in juxtaposition with the incalculable predisposition of access numbers vis a vis the Secret Service. In addition, no improvement will be seen due to the fluorescence and ambidextrous nature of the ionic Youngblood gases surging into the ionosphere from the southern latitudes. In addition to the aforementioned substantive equivalences latitudinally defined as corrupt and insolvent, we must factor in the Colby constant which likewise is flattulating the Q-layer from the outskirts of Washington. Hopefully this will render a sober analysis of reasons for the poor conditions which cannnot be obtained in the Hyannis area. AF2Y, Doc>>>>>

I do -

- And I had never seen six meters so wide open ...

Jim

Radiosigs wrote:

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> conditions than now. Heck, I always remember 20 meters as always being open
> independent of other bands, but this time,NO! We're supposed to be in the
> upswing of a new sunspot cycle but I don't see it. My Cloudwarmer can hear
> everything from a JA making the trek up Mount Fujiyama to Mrs. Goldberg in
> Flatbush pouring chicken soup into a bowl but I'm hearing the sound of
silence.
> What's up? Is there a propagation maven out there who can enlighten me? Doc
> AF2Y and oh yes, the rig is turned ON which should quiet down a wisecracker.

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5703. Re: Cloud warmer/G5RV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990530212705.02733.00001897@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141157

<< Subject: Cloud warmer/G5RV
From: Len Schaier <lschaier@avotec.com>
Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 5:04 PM
Message-id: <37516FB7.40B8@avotec.com>

I can confirm everything Doc says about his Cloud Warmer because me and
my G5RV relay information from the stations he can't hear!
<<ME AND MY WHAT? ME IS SUPPOSED TO BE THE SUBJECT? AND THIS IS A COLLEGE GRAD?
CAN YOU BELIEVE IT? NO WONDER THE SAP LOVES YOUNGBLOOD-IN COLLEGE THEY BOTH
MAJORED IN SURFBOARDING. AF2Y,DOC>>>>>>>
Len

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5704. Re: ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990530212933.02733.00001898@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141158
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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<< Subject: ND8V silent key
From: scrapper2006@my-deja.com
Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 2:25 PM
Message-id: <7irhoi$qst$1@nnrp1.deja.com>

nd8v is a silent key was in auto crash will miss him.
73
<<<>>>>>>

Sent via Deja.com http://www.deja.com/
Share what you know. Learn what you don't.

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5705. Re: TO GEORGE ZIMMERLEE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: radiosigs@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990530213340.02733.00001901@ng-ff1.aol.com>
Source record: 141159

<< Subject: Re: TO GEORGE ZIMMERLEE
From: George Zimmerlee <geozim@atlcom.net>
Date: Sun, May 30, 1999 5:57 PM
Message-id:
<8858670239A7E174.12D3D7AFCE1BF89F.243E35C181FE46F9@library-proxy.airnews.net>

Now that you have expressed your usual bit of
hate speech, would you care to address the issue?<<<<Staggerlee you filthy
white trash. Go to hell with your revisionist garbage and take Carol Valentine
with you to play canasta. Doc,AF2Y>>>>>>>>
You did not refute the evidence of FCC and FBI
misconduct presented at the website,
http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Personal attacks are not the business of this NG.
The title and text of your posting contributes
nothing to the NG. The last futile effort of a
weak-minded person is to attack the messenger.

The thread "CAROL VALENTINE IS A SICKO!" is what
generated your current posting. Her statements are
important to this NG because they pertain to
America Holocaust: the genocide of Christians
inside an amateur radio station. This makes
her contribution to the NG squarely on topic
for the NG.

Radiosigs wrote:
>
> Based on the insidious anti-government stuff you constantly post, I hope you
> miscalculate to no innocent person's detriment and have the FBI kick your
ass.
> I'm an American and proud of it. My mother's three brothers fought for and
two
> were wounded for fighting for this nation in the European and Pacific
theatres
> from 1941-1945. The only thing wrong with this government exists in your sick
> demented mind in which you confuse topics of religion and politics. No one is
> after Christians. No one is after Jews. No one is after any other
religionist.
> This government persecution is entirely fabricated and embellished by you and
> your numbnut cohorts. You don't like the USA? Then get the hell out. You can
> always be replaced by someone from overseas who sees America as the beacon of
> hope and yearns for the chance to kiss our soil. AF2Y, Doc

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George Zimmerlee Research on Criminal Government
geozim@atlcom.net http://www.atlcom.net/~geozim/index.htm

Current feature: The Evidence to Impeach President Clinton
The Evidence Against BATF and FBI
FCC Chairman Kennard Put On Notice
Book Review: Tainting Evidence (FBI Crime Lab)

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5706. FS: Kenwood MC-80 Base Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul Bischoff <pbischoff@chesco.com>
Message-ID: <Snm43.148$T24.11079@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 141160

Kenwood MC-80 Microphone wired with a Kenwood connector.
$75.00 + shipping. de Paul N3RBN

5707. Question About An HT's Antenna SWR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Paul
Message-ID: <3751f3f1.4350261@news.mindspring.com>
Source record: 141161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Everyone,

I am going to get the Yaesu VX-5, and I have a (theoretical) question about the antenna SWR. The HT will operate on the 440 band, but what would happen if someone who didn't know any better accidentally keyed up (on one that was modified to do so) on , say, 462.7125? Would it :
A.Transmit with full power and potentially damage the unit from reflected RF
B. Automatically reduce/limit the TX power to a safe level so that any reflected RF would not damage the unit
C. Not transmit at all.

Any help will be appreciated. The one I am going to get has been modified, and I want to ensure that I do not accidentally damage the unit while learning to use it. Thanks.

Paul

5708. Re: Bad bad band condx.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: 1AngryMan@antisocial.com
Message-ID: <7isv57$qr7$1@dagobah.blueriver.net>
Source record: 141162

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>From: Jim <jvpoll@dallas.net>
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>Message-id: <375195E8.4DFA9119@dallas.net>
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Grocho Marx
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Opinions are like armpits, everybody has
at least two, and they usually stink !!!
==
Send Email to 1AngryMan@antisocial.com

5709. Re: Question About An HT's Antenna SWR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jim Martin <jjm@shore.net>
Message-ID: <96o43.1297$nn.390856@news.shore.net>
Source record: 141163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It would transmit just fine. I would choose answer B. myself. It wouldn't be like you were trying to work weak signal or moon bounce or something that required every db of signal that you could muster.

You will find that most stock antennas are/were resonant outside of the amateur bands anyway.

73 de,
Jim, WK1V

P.S. I am not an engineer but I'm sure there is one or two or three in here who will tell you precisely what will happen. I am not a know-it-all but I do have experience working with an Alinco DJ-580 since 1992 with a non-resonant UHF antenna and it's been working fine....and is still working fine. The antenna on my FT-530 is not resonant in the 440 band but it works just fine.

Paul wrote in message <3751f3f1.4350261@news.mindspring.com>...
>Hi Everyone,
>
>I am going to get the Yaesu VX-5, and I have a (theoretical) question
>about the antenna SWR. The HT will operate on the 440 band, but what
>would happen if someone who didn't know any better accidentally keyed
>up (on one that was modified to do so) on , say, 462.7125? Would it :
>A.Transmit with full power and potentially damage the unit from
>reflected RF
>B. Automatically reduce/limit the TX power to a safe level so that any
>reflected RF would not damage the unit
>C. Not transmit at all.

5710. Re: LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: <>
Message-ID: <Tgo43.238$Gj1.10176@news13.ispnews.com>
Source record: 141164
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Steve,

For $49.95, you can check out version 9 all you want and you will not have to copy anyone registered disks.

I got version 9 at Dayton and like Tom's earlier versions, Version 9 is works great!

Don AF4Z

In article <3752052e.0@news.accessus.net>, kb9hgi@qsl.net says...
>
>Hello,
>Anyone have the new log-eqf v 9 yet? I was looking for a copy to try out but
>it was not at log-eqf site yet. Also I have version does anyone have the
>modules
>for DXCC WAS and WAZ for version 8. I would like to check this out also.
>Thanks!!
>
>--
> Steven R. Baker
>Amateur Radio KB9HGI
>---===Quincy, IL===---
>Ham Going Insane!
>
>www.qsl.net/kb9hgi
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>

5711. Re: LOG -EQF V9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Edward L. Dowdy" <eldowdy@net66.com>
Message-ID: <LVo43.792$ez3.36961@typ31b.nn.bcandid.com>
Source record: 141165
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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5712. Re: Fooling the People *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: nomonkeys@aol.com
Message-ID: <19990531012110.03527.00006932@ng-fb1.aol.com>
Source record: 141166

>Propaganda trash.

Gee I dunno, I think most of it is true.
Real "propoganda trash" is readily available
from your friendly network newscast.

5713. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <37521EC8.1B6B752@innocent.com>
Source record: 141167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Jim Kehler wrote:
>
[...]
>
> Obviously, since nobody bothers to jam my amateur communications,
> you guys must be talking about something different than the things
> I normally talk about on the radio.
>
[...]

Yes, this applies in all walks of life, Jim, not just amateur radio. Those who follow the well-trodden path of convention and conformity seldom attract attention, either positive or negative.

It's partly a matter of different personalities and personal style. Looking at the big picture, society needs both conformists and non-conformists. If everyone was a non-conformist, society would disintegrate. If everyone was a conformist, there would be no innovations, no new paradigms.

Other types of amateur operations have been victims of intentional interference, too: SSB in the fifties; more recently, AM.

It's not so much the case now, since AM is part of the "nostalgia" kick and is therefore popular again, but back in the seventies and early eighties, AM operators were subject to quite a bit of intentional interference.

They were doing something "different," you see, and in the minds of those in which the herd mentality is particularly strong, that's a "sin."

So some among the conformity-worshipping crowd decided to "punish" the "sinners" by jamming them. (It wouldn't surprise me if some of the anti-SSB types of the fifties became haters of AM by the time it had become unpopular -- they're certainly the same personality type.) And, after a while, some inveterate jammers and congenital lunatics decided to join in the "fun."

Pretty much the same thing happened to 3950 in the last few years. But remember -- the 3950 operators had been having their free-swinging discussions for more than two decades before any of the trouble started.

> We have never been free to
> discuss business, and only recently have we been free to discuss

> ordering pizza with our local pizza parlor.
[...]

Business isn't the issue here.

But discussing business, and conducting business, are two different things. I've often discussed my broadcast engineering and production work on amateur radio, and violated no rules by doing so. Soliciting jobs or relaying field strength readings, via amateur radio, would have been a violation.

> I don't think religious beliefs, polictical
> beliefs, racial predjudices, or anything you would see on the Jerry
> Springer show should be discussed on the ham bands.
[...]

I've never seen the "Jerry Springer" show. I have watched almost no broadcast or cable television since 1991. Too crude for me, in the main.

At any rate, I enjoy discussing the important things in Life on amateur radio. I think it's OK to do that, and I'm mature enough to do it without becoming emotional or violating any rules.

Those who cannot handle that should just find another frequency where the conversation is more to their liking. That's what I do when I hear something not to my taste.

> I don't see
> how you can come from a busy day at work, turn on your radio, and
> enjoy being jammed (since 1992) unless your definition of fun is much
> different than mine.
>
> 73, Jim KH2D

As I've already told you, I never enjoyed the jamming. Why do you keep repeating that claim?

In fact, I've devoted many hours to documenting the malicious interference, and providing that documentation to appropriate enforcement authorities, in an attempt to put an end to it which has already borne fruit.

With all good wishes,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
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Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5714. Re: ND8V silent key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: RubeLloyd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <25225-37521A29-130@newsd-121.bryant.webtv.net>
Source record: 141168

I had a call from little Mike...and its true... Mike was like one of my own sons ..only 43years old.....I will miss him!

5715. Re: The FCC, Rules and Lynch Mobs (long)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: Kevin Alfred Strom <kevin.strom@innocent.com>
Message-ID: <37522293.8640D18C@innocent.com>
Source record: 141169
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy

David Stinson wrote:
>
[...]
>
> Maybe we should just leave the planet to the bees....
>
> 73 Dave AB5S

Lord Dunsany wrote several most excellent stories on that
approximate subject. The titles are "Furrow Maker," "The Workman,"
and "The Prayer of the Flowers."

Faithfully,

Kevin, WB4AIO.
--

Kevin Alfred Strom.

News, links, and pictures: http://members.xoom.com/kevin_strom/

5716. EXQ Thong Patrol Ineffective, Targets Missed !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tacitblue@iname.com
Message-ID: <990531020248B2.11036@weba4.iname.net>
Source record: 141170

Where were ya, Lloyd old buddy ? Ya missed a florescent orange one covered in black fish net....

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5717. West Dennis Beach- THE Place to Be

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tacitblue@iname.com
Message-ID: <99053102110002.22475@weba6.iname.net>
Source record: 141171

Why, I even had to toss my belt shack into the water temporarily as I saw a chickadee I know. Lucky I have that U.S. Coast Guard approved floating fanny pack for it.

BWA HA HA HA HA

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5718. One Giant Muffin Chock Full of Fresh Blueberries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tacitblue@iname.com
Message-ID: <99053102215063.00815@weba8.iname.net>
Source record: 141172

Followed up by fruit cocktail you'll never afford. Don't fall off that scooter. That bog's a doozy.

Remember, friends,

DON'T DRINK AND POST TO USENET THIS MEMORIAL DAY

BWA HA HA HA HA

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5719. One Scrumptuous Fried Clam Plate and a Juicy Hamburger with Fries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: tacitblue@iname.com
Message-ID: <990531021502C2.11042@weba4.iname.net>
Source record: 141173

I'm stuffed, by golly ! Better get that repeater out of that school soon, we're watching him. Private toys on private property !

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5720. Re: Two Extras Supports Code Reform

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: "Tom B." <ab7tu@parg.org>
Message-ID: <37521F1A.A7F68BEC@parg.org>
Source record: 141174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> In article <375188DB.CA23C522@ix.netcom.com>,
>
> Bottom 25 kHz of each band for CW, next 25 for digital, the rest phone.

I hope you will re think your giving away the Extra sub bands. That would add a little more QRM to my DX'ing than I would like.

5721. Re: Written decoding software for sound cards?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.misc
Date: 1999-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: removals1@iname.com
Message-ID: <37522ea6.48566180@news>
Source record: 141175
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 30 May 1999 19:03:11 -0500, "Steve Sampson"
<ssampson@usa-site.net> wrote:

>The only remaining link I found was at Qualcomm and the San Diego
>Police are scared to go in there:
>
> http://people.qualcomm.com/ppomes/Crypto/MDT.html

No doubt it's because of all the guns Paul has. ;-) ;-)

BTW, there is additional decoding software (including MDT) available
at http://www.eavsdropper.dabsol.co.uk/software.htm